



Date: Tuesday, 7 June 2022
Time: 11:30AM
Location: 105 Loftus Street
TEMORA NSW 2666

MINUTES

Special Council Meeting

7 June 2022

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**MINUTES OF TEMORA SHIRE COUNCIL
SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING
HELD AT 105 LOFTUS STREET, TEMORA NSW 2666
ON TUESDAY, 7 JUNE 2022 AT 11:30AM**

PRESENT: Cr Rick Firman (Mayor)(Chair), Cr Graham Sinclair (Deputy Mayor), Cr Lindy Reinhold, Cr Max Oliver, Cr Nigel Judd, Cr Claire McLaren (Zoom), Cr Belinda Bushell, Cr Anthony Irvine

IN ATTENDANCE: Gary Lavelle (General Manager), Kris Dunstan (Director of Environmental Services), Elizabeth Smith (Director of Administration & Finance), Anne Rands (Executive Assistant), Craig Sinclair (Economic Development Manager), Shontayne Ward (Economic & Community Development Officer)

1 OPEN AND WELCOME

There were no Public Forum requests.

2 APOLOGIES

RESOLUTION 79/2022

Moved: Cr Anthony Irvine

Seconded: Cr Max Oliver

That apologies from Engineering Services Manager Rob Fisher and Cr Jason Goode be received and accepted.

CARRIED

3 OPENING PRAYER

NIL

4 CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

RECOMMENDATION

5 DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST

Councillor/Officer	Item	Nature of Interest	How Managed
Cr Belinda Bushell	REP22/653	Pecuniary Interest	Left meeting
Kris Dunstan	REP22/653	Pecuniary Interest	Left meeting
Cr Lindy Reinhold	REP22/653	Non Pecuniary Interest	Stayed in meeting
Cr Rick Firman	REP22/653	Non Pecuniary Interest	Stayed in meeting

Cr Nigel Judd	REP22/653	Non Pecuniary Interest	Stayed in meeting
Cr Lindy Reinhold	REP22/653	Pecuniary Interest	Left meeting

6 MAYORAL MINUTES

Nil

7 REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

Nil

8 DELEGATES REPORTS**9 MAYORAL REPORT**

Nil

10 STAFF REPORTS**RESOLUTION 80/2022**

Moved: Cr Max Oliver

Seconded: Cr Graham Sinclair

It was resolved that Council receive Staff reports.

CARRIED**11 GENERAL MANAGER**


Nil

12 ENGINEERING SERVICES

Nil

13 ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

Nil

14 ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE**14.1 TEMORA COMMUNITY EVENTS PROGRAM - EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST****File Number:** REP22/653**Author:** Executive Assistant**Authoriser:** General Manager**Attachments:** 1. Grants Budget  **REPORT****About the Program**

The NSW Government is focused on supporting communities to recover from recent challenging times through the \$200 million Regional Recovery Package, which will create new jobs and support community events, shows and festivals to boost tourism.

To support the economic and social recovery of our regions, Temora Shire Council has been allocated \$239,651 through the Reconnecting Regional NSW – Community Events Program to assist with the delivery of community events.

The Process

Temora Shire Council called for Expressions of Interest (EOI) from within our community for event concepts that meet the funding criteria. EOIs were open from Tuesday 3rd May until Wednesday 27th May 2022.

The received EOIs are to be assessed by Council on Tuesday 7th June 2022 during a special Council meeting.

Successful applicants who will be receiving funding will be notified on Wednesday 8th June 2022. Council will be facilitating the delivery of the events program funding through the various successful organisations and provide event support.

Eligible projects

Eligible projects are those that will deliver community events or festivals providing immediate positive economic and social benefits to Temora Shire. Events must:

- be open to all members of the public
- be free to attend or a very small fee to cover any extra costs
- have a primary purpose of reconnecting communities and improving social cohesion of the local community
- be planned and delivered using the COVID-19 NSW Public Health Orders current at that time and have a COVID-19 Safety Plan in place for all events (the development of these plans is an eligible expense)
- be held before 31 March 2023.

All events are encouraged to be accessible and inclusive, aligning to the applicant's Disability Inclusion Action Plan and Community Strategic Plan.

Examples of Eligible Events

Each applicant can apply for multiple events. Each event will require a separate application form unless it is a series of connected events (e.g. monthly town markets). Activities eligible for funding include existing or new:

- community markets and bazaars
- festivals and fairs
- sporting events
- food and leisure events
- recovery events
- community classes and workshops
- agricultural field days run by community organisations
- regional racing carnivals (e.g. horse or greyhound racing) run by community organisations
- touring events and theatre programs
- community public holiday celebrations (e.g. Australia Day or Anzac Day).

For existing events: applicants are encouraged to use this funding to make the events larger or more accessible.

Ineligible events under the Program include:

- events with the primary focus on fundraising and charity events
- running grant programs
- business events and conferences
- events where membership is required to attend (for example, club gatherings including RSLs, Rotary, pony and golf clubs)
- country and agriculture shows
- grassroots sporting games (for example, home/away games, local tournaments)
- events with religious or cultural ceremony or celebration as the principal focus (for example, Diwali, Easter, Eid or Christmas celebrations)
- events/festivals already funded by the NSW Government
- Australian or State/Territory government owned and/or operated events.

Ineligible Projects - Events must not:

- have a primary purpose of fundraising
- have a primary purpose of financial gain for an applicant or a sole stakeholder (events may have commercial activities as a part of the program for example, stalls at a market, food trucks at a festival)
- promote or be for political purposes.

Expressions of Interests Received

Council received a total of 26 EOI's. The total value of the 26 events comes to \$246,920.99.

Community Events Program Coordinator

Temora Shire Council have advertised for the position of Community Events Program Coordinator. This casual, contracted position is for 31.2 hours per fortnight. The position objectives are:

- Administer and acquit the Community Events Program according to the program guidelines
- successfully deliver any approved Council events under the program

- Assist with promoting Temora Shire as a destination of choice for tourists and event organisers through the program
- Enhance the visitor experience in Temora Shire through the program
- Ensure stakeholders are informed and working collaboratively to grow the visitor economy

What happens next

Events endorsed by Council will be included in the funding application for assessment by Dept Regional NSW. Assessment is likely to take up to 2 weeks. Successful event holders will get official notice to proceed as soon as possible after this point.

Cr Belinda Bushell declared a pecuniary interest in relation to item REP22/653, due to being President of the Temora Basketball Association.

Cr Belinda Bushell left the meeting at 11:35am and took no further part in the discussion.

Kris Dunstan, Director of Environmental Services declared a pecuniary interest in relation to item REP22/653, due to being the Chairman of the Old Narraburra Church Committee.

Kris Dunstan, Director of Environmental Services left the meeting at 11:35am and took no further part in the discussion.

Cr Lindy Reinhold declared a non-pecuniary interest in relation to item TBEG T-Light Event, due to being the TBEG representative.

Cr Rick Firman declared a non-pecuniary interest in relation to item TBEG T-Light Event, due to being a Patron of TBEG.

Cr Nigel Judd declared a non-pecuniary interest in relation to item TBEG T-Light Event, due to being a Patron of TBEG.

Cr Lindy Reinhold declared a pecuniary interest in relation to item Family Expo, due to being a Board Member of the Community Centre.

Cr Lindy Reinhold left the meeting at 12:41pm and took no further part in the discussion.

Cr Lindy Reinhold returned to the meeting at 12:42pm.

Cr Belinda Bushell returned to the meeting at 12:50pm.

RESOLUTION 81/2022

Moved: Cr Max Oliver

Seconded: Cr Lindy Reinhold

It was resolved that Council nominate the following community events to a total of \$239,651

Junior Basketball Carnival - \$3,700.00

Pop up Pub (old Narraburra Church) - \$7,000.00

Mary Gilmore Music Festival - \$8,100.00

Ariah Park Swimming Pool Fun Day - \$4,000.00

Ariah Park Community Tribute Show & Children's Disco - \$6,800.00

Ariah Park Community Mural Unveiling & Light Show - \$9,000.00

T-Light - \$25,000.00

Christmas Fair - \$11,860.00

Event Coordinator - \$45,000.00

Australia Day 2023 Pool Party - \$8,700.00

Monthly Welcome Events - \$4,620.00

Family Expo - \$7,000.00

NYE 2022 Pool Party - \$14,809.00

One Book One Temora - \$4,576.00

Active Ageing Expo - \$2,600.00

David Schlunke – A Local Artist and his Art - \$15,000.00

Arts Festival Events - \$17,000.00

LEGO Exhibition - \$7,452.00

Me, You & Marie - \$24,900.00

Temora Hits the Stage - \$12,534.00.

CARRIED

Report by Shontayne Ward

					Costs		
ry Hope Kids	Members of the Temora Aviation Community will take to the skies with Country Hope kids, their siblings, parents and carer for an aerial adventure over the canola fields and around the town. Breakfast, lunch, BBQ and a special tour of the Temora Aviation Museum is included in the experience. Temora Flyers Club Inc, Temora Gliding Club, Temora Aero Club and Temora Aviation Museum will all be a part of this event.	3rd & 4th Sept 22	Temora Flying Inc	\$3,445.00	\$0.00	n	Not eligible - have the ability to ask for gold donation at other events to fund this initiative
lian Classic Dirt Titles	The Temora Motorcycle Club is holding the Australian Classic and Post Classic dirt track titles at Woodlands Speedway on the 1st/2nd of October 2022, this meeting is expected to bring more than 150 riders to town. Riders are travelling from all over Australia from as far North as Townsville and even coming from Perth. This meeting will be a great boost to the local economy with a lot of the riders already booking accommodation in Temora. With the support of this community events program we will make the meeting definitely one to remember.	1st & 2nd Oct 22	Temora Motorcycle Club	\$20,000.00	\$0.00	n	\$10,000 requested for the prize money, \$500 for canteen items. Existing sporting program supported by Dept Regional NSW.
Temora Bowling Club : Tournament	The TBC is conducting a bowls tournament over 2 days in August. This will be an opportunity for bowlers both local and out of area to interact both socially and competitively, which they have been deprived of for the last several years.	27th & 28th Aug 22	Temora Bowling Club	\$10,710.00	\$0.00	n	Pre COVID-19, this was a regular event, held at different bowling club locations. Bowlers usually pay an entry fee that covers the catering for both days for participants. Funding requested to drop the entry fee and cover the catering for the tournament.
Get Together	Food and Beverages with music. A gathering that enhances togetherness + relaxation with great mates.	8th Oct 2022	Gersbach Firman Real Estate	\$9,830.00	\$0.00	n	Potential entry fee - costs associated with purchasing alcohol for event
Superboats	Round 4 & 5 of the Penrite Australian V8 Superboat Championships at Lake Centenary.	5th Aug 2022 + 3rd Dec 2022	AFJSA	\$66,250.00	\$0.00	n	Entry fee \$30 Adult
Basketball	Temora Junior basketball carnival to aim to get more kids active. The event is for children aged between 5 and 14 years. The carnival is an open invitation to neighbouring associations/organisations within the Riverina. Open to all to participate. There needs to be a date to nominate by, so that teams can be set.	6th Nov 2022	Temora Basketball Association	\$4,500.00	\$4,500.00	y	Dept Regional NSW advised this event would be ok as long as it is not a tournament, however we need to be mindful that participation in the sport is not open to all members of the community.
Day Out	A community event featuring Noah's Thoroughbred Pig Races, classic car showcase, food vendors, live music and childrens entertainment.	14th Aug 2022	Tim Maguire	\$20,717.99	\$20,717.99	y	
Pub (old Curra Church)	A repeat of the very successful 2021 event. Breakfast - Barista Coffee - Kids Entertainment - Roast meat lunch - Live Music - Cocktails - Bar - Shuttle Buses from town	TBC - likely 10th Sept 22	Narraburra Social & Community Centre	\$7,000.00	\$7,000.00	y	
Gilmore Music Festival	The Mary Gilmore Festival is an annual event with several free activities, these include free concerts featuring local artists, children singing or reading poetry, barefoot bowls, Gospel service & markets with free rides, & face painting. The Mary Gilmore Music Festival are seeking funds for the free components of the festival.	12th Oct -16th Oct 22	Mary Gilmore Festival	\$13,429.00	\$11,429.00	Y	Remove defibrillator - ineligible cost
Park Swimming Fun Days x2	Two community fun days at the local pool featuring a jumping castle and inflatable obstacle course for the main pool.	Australia Day 2023 + another day in Summer TBC	Ariah Park War Memorial Swimming Pool	\$8,500.00	\$7,000.00	Y	Removed free food and drink Costs for free pool entry not included in budget
Park Community Show + Men's Disco	The Ariah Park Community is seeking to have 2 community events to reconnect the community. The event will consist of a children's disco and a Tribute show featuring musical tribute artists.	TBC - will be a Sunday afternoon/evening in late Winter 22/Summer 23	Ariah Park Community Projects Inc.	\$10,300.00	\$6,800.00	Y	Removed food, prizes and drinks
Park Community Unveiling & Show	1. Unveiling of the "History of Ariah Park's Mailman over the years" Mural 2. Looking at 1988 Time Capsule and Inserting a new 2022 Time Capsule 3. Rainbow "Little Projector Company" Light Show in the main street	9th Sept 2022	Ariah Park Community Projects Inc.	\$12,875.00	\$12,875.00	Y	
T-LIGHT	T-LIGHT 2022 – an event to bring the community together to showcase and highlight the Lake Centenary.	27th Aug 22	TBEG	\$28,620.00	\$28,620.00	Y	

	surrounds to bring the community together to celebrate the Christmas Season and encourage people to shop locally for their Christmas presents.							
Temora Shire Council								
Coordinator	Casual role 2 days a week from July 22 - Mid April 23	Jul 22 - Apr 23	TSC	\$45,000.00	\$45,000.00	y		
Australia Day 2023 Party	A community event to reflect, respect and celebrate Australia Day.	26th Jan 2023	TSC	\$8,700.00	\$8,700.00	y		
Monthly Welcome	Monthly New Resident Welcome events will connect community with our newcomers. Holding these events monthly will help our newcomers engage with the local community early and allow for networks and friendships to be formed.	Monthly	TSC	\$6,160.00	\$6,160.00	y		
Expo	This expo is a partnership with TSC and the Community Centre. A family event to showcase a range of businesses and services that support families and children in a free, fun and relaxing atmosphere.	TBC 24th - 28th Oct 2022	TSC/Community Centre	\$7,000.00	\$7,000.00	y		
2022 Party + Bands & Foot Bowls at Temora Bowling Club	A NYE event that caters for all of our community to come together and celebrate 2022. The funding requested includes a pool party, live band at the bowling club, barefoot bowls and fireworks.	31st Dec 2022	TSC/Bowling Club	\$14,809.00	\$14,809.00	y		
Book One Temora	Temora Shire Library Annual Book club event, where multiple copies of one Australian title are purchased and available for loan for community members through summer from December through till February. At the conclusion of the event, we aim to have the author speak & hold a book club function where readers can get together & discuss the title & enjoy a catered night out at the library.	TBC	Temora Shire Council	\$4,576.00	\$4,576.00	y		
Ageing Expo	This event will be run during Seniors Week in 2023. The expo will allow local businesses to showcase products and services available to our Seniors, some live entertainment and presentation by guest speakers.	Feb/Mar 2023	TSC	\$2,600.00	\$2,600.00	y		
Schlunke - A Artist and His Art	This project will produce a 10/15 minute audio visual and a virtual exhibition comprising at least 20 artworks, which will be launched at the Temora Town Hall theatre and thereafter be accessible on an on-going basis at the Bundawarra Centre.	16th Dec 22	TSC Temora Shire Heritage Committee	\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00	y		
Festival - March 2022								
Festival Events	Arts Festival will be a month-long series of events. These events will showcase TSC's Arts Centre, Town Hall Theatre, Bundawarra Centre, other TSC venues and local venues by running numerous workshops, live performances by local musicians/singers, open mic nights and town art tour.	1st Mar - 31st Mar 23	TSC	\$18,800.00	\$18,800.00	y		
Exhibition	As part of Art Fest, the library would like to run a LEGO exhibition, which was a huge success at Wagga Wagga recently.	4th & 5th Mar 23	TSC Temora Library	\$7,452.00	\$7,452.00	y		
Macrame hops	As part of Art Fest, the library would like to run 2x workshops at the library. Each event can host 30 participants.	TBC		\$4,942.00	\$4,942.00	y		
Marie & Marie	A relatable, inspiring story of ambition, success, resilience, and empathy including animation and projection mapping. The purpose is to instill a community sense of attachment to Marie Narelle, Bundawarra Centre and the significance of resurrecting historical stories, gather and share new skills for future community events from celebrated mentors. (1.) An inclusive community creative workshop, where participants prepare their artistic interpretation of Marie Narelle history. Venue: Bundawarra Centre. Create an exhibit prior to the event, a preview of the animated outcome will be provided to the participants prior to performance/event. (2.) The artistic outcome expressed in live character and musical performance, highlighting combined local research, community imagery, Temora, regional, national & International history surrounding locally born Catherine Mary Ryan (Marie Narelle) 1870-1941. Acclaimed concert singer, Irish ancestry, her impact on the music industry, passion for Temora and Australia. The event will have the potential to tour.	3rd & 4th Mar 2020	Motion Arts Temora	\$34,900.00	\$24,900.00	y	Remove catering costs - can invite food vendors to participate	

Temora and Young Regional School of Music (Temora). Local performers will present a musical production under the direction of THS drama teacher, Katie John. The acting cast, crew and musicians will include school students and local artists working side by side, strengthening community connections. Motion Arts Temora and Young Regional of Music (Temora) see the value of raising the profile of Performing Arts in Temora and have given in principle support. Artists with expertise will be sourced to upskill cast and crew and add a professional touch to the production.

Young Regional School of Arts (Temora)

TOTAL COSTS	\$456,155.99	\$291,920.99
FUNDING AVAILABLE	\$239,651.00	\$239,651.00
FUNDING SHORTFALL	-\$216,504.99	-\$52,269.99

15 CORRESPONDENCE

Nil

16 NOTICE OF MOTION

Nil

17 BUSINESS WITHOUT NOTICE

18 COUNCILLORS INFORMATION PAPER

Nil

19 CONFIDENTIAL REPORTS

Nil

20 MEETING CLOSE

The Meeting closed at 1:54pm.

The minutes of this meeting were confirmed at the Special Council Meeting held on 16 June 2022.

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GENERAL MANAGER

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CHAIRMAN