
MINUTES

*Cherbourg Aboriginal
Shire Council*

Held 21 & 22 July 2021

Unconfirmed

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COUNCIL MEETING

HELD 21 & 22 JULY 2021

Attendance

Mayor Elvie Sandow
Deputy Mayor Tom Langton
Cr Fred Cobbo
Cr Leighton Costello
Cr Bronwyn Murray

Apologies: Nil

Officers: Zala
Eileen Jacobs

Mayors Welcome

Meeting Commenced 9.25 am

Councillor Obligations

Prescribed Conflict of Interest

Nil

Declarable Conflict of Interest

Nil

Register of Interest

Nil

Confirmation of Minutes

Resolution

That the minutes of the council meeting held on 16 & 17 June 2021 be adopted.

Moved : Deputy Mayor Tom Langton

Seconded: Cr Fred Cobbo

*Motion No. 2148 Carried
For Vote: Council Voted Unanimously*

9.47am Daisy Sandow Jerry Prior, Adam, Elizabeth (CRAICCHS) entered meeting

CRAICCHS staff are seeking accommodation for their homeless clients.

Council advised that Council does not have any emergency houses.

10.15am Daisy Sandow Jerry Prior, Adam, Elizabeth (CRAICCHS) left meeting

Chief Executive Officer Report

Local Laws

Council is conducting a review of its existing suite of local laws.

As part of this review, Council has identified the need to adopt new local laws, based on the Model Local Laws developed by the State. This is because:

- (a) Many of Council's existing local laws are either unenforceable, because they duplicate State legislation, or are difficult to enforce, because they are now outdated (having been adopted as early as 1994);*
- (b) The Model Local Laws have been prepared by the State to streamline local government approvals and enforcement processes, and since their initial preparation in 2010, they have been adopted by many local governments throughout the State;*
- (c) The Model Local Laws have been modified by Council's solicitors Preston Law, to be tailored specifically to Cherbourg, following a workshop with Councillors and Council officers.*

The Local Laws

Section 28 of the Local government Act 2009 (LGA) provides;

- (1) A local government may make and enforce any local law that is necessary or convenient for the good rule and local government of its local government area.*

Section 29(1) of the LGA confirms that Council may decide its own process for making a local law.

In 2010, the State Government developed a suite of Model Local Laws, which are suitable for use by local governments. The Model Local Laws used here are:

- Local Law and Subordinate Local Law No. 1. (Administration);*
- Local Law and Subordinate Local Law No. 2 (Animal Management)*
- Local Law and Subordinate Local Law No. 3 (Community and Environmental Management)*
- Local Law and Subordinate Local Law No. 4 (Indigenous Community Land Management)*

It is proposed that Council adopts the Model Local Laws as its local laws, subject to appropriate changes, particularly to the Subordinate Local Laws, to reflect specific community requirements in Cherbourg.

Resolution

That council resolves:

- (a) To propose to adopt the following Local Laws and Subordinate Local Laws, in terms of the draft circulated at Council's meeting;***
 - (i) Local Law No. 1 and Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (administration);***
 - (ii) Local Law No. 2 and Subordinate Local Law No. 2 (Animal Management);***
 - (iii) Local Law No. 3 and Subordinate Local Law No. 3 (Community and Community Environmental Management);***
 - (iv) Local Law No. 4 and Subordinate Local Law No. 4 (Indigenous Community Land Management)***

("the new Local Laws");

(b) Pursuant to section 257 of the Local Government Act 2009 ("the Act), to delegate to the Chief Executive Officer of Council its powers to:

- (i) Under section 29 (1) of the Act, decide the public consultation requirements for the New Local Laws and proceed with public consultation;*
- (ii) Under section 38 of the Act and section 15 of the Local Government Regulation 2012;*
 - A. Decide how the review of the New Local Laws for anti-competitive provisions ("the Review") is to be conducted*
 - B. Identify the matters with which the Review of the New Local Laws must deal;*
 - C. decide the consultation process and how the process is to be used in the Review*

*Moved : Cr Leighton Costello
Seconded: Deputy Mayor Tom Langton*

*Motion No. 2149 Carried
For Vote: Council Voted Unanimously*

Report Approval

that the Chief Executive Officer Report be adopted.

*Moved : Deputy Mayor Tom Langton
Seconded: Cr Fred Cobbo*

*Motion No. 2150 Carried
For Vote: Council Voted Unanimously*

Corporate Services Report

Report Approval

that the Corporate Services Report be adopted.

*Moved : Cr Leighton Costello
Seconded: Deputy Mayor Tom Langton*

*Motion No. 2151 Carried
For Vote: Council Voted Unanimously*

ECONOMIC & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

That the Economic & Community Development Report be adopted.

*Moved : Cr Fred Cobbo
Seconded: Cr Leighton Costello*

*Motion No. 2152 Carried
For Vote: Council Voted Unanimously*

OPERATIONS DEPT

Report Approval

That the Operations Department Report be adopted.

*Moved : Deputy Mayor Tom Langton
Seconded: Cr Fred Cobbo*

*Motion No. 2153 Carried
For Vote: Council Voted Unanimously*

*12.30pm meeting adjourned for lunch
12.56pm meeting recommenced*

COMMUNITY SERVICES REPORT

Report Approval

That the Community Services Report be adopted.

*Moved : Deputy Mayor Tom Langton
Seconded: Cr Leighton Costello*

*Motion No. 2154 Carried
For Vote: Council Voted Unanimously*

CORRESPONDENCE

Silverlining

Seeking accommodation for Young Womens Learning Space.

Peak Services

Elected Members Training Workshop Dates.

Strategy & Service Delivery Local Govt Division

Councillor Financial Training

NIAA

Funded Programs as at 30 June 2021.

Robbie Katter MP

Working with Children (Indigenous Communities) Amendment bill 2021

Old Deputy Premier

Supply Chains during COVID-19 Lockdowns

Minister Communities/Housing/Digital Economy/Arts

Cherbourg QCSS ATSI Supports – Funding

DG - Communities/Housing/Digital Economy

Advice – Funding Approved for community support Activities

Dept Seniors/Disability Services DATSIP

Offer of funding to support activities in 2021-22 to enhance local decision making in the delivery of Govt services

Policy Executive Members

- *Local Govt – 25 June 2021 Policy Exectuvie Summary*

1.30pm *Ramone Close -Designer Life Entered meeting*

Ramone advised council of his proposal that would provide local employment & training opportunities through community based programs.

2.00pm *Ramone Close left meeting*

2,10pm *meeting closed*

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Cr Fred Cobbo
Cr Leighton Costello
Cr Bronwyn Murray

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Officers: Zala
Eileen Jacobs

Mayors Welcome

Meeting Commenced 9.35 am

9.35am Sandra Morgan, Grace Bond, Jeanette Brown entered meeting

Grace apologised for not being present for the Health Summit however posed questions regarding the Cherbourg Health Summit and subsequent Cherbourg Health Plan.

Re: Was there any community input into the Health Plan, was Cherbourg's 10 Point Plan considered, was Self Determination in regards to Cherbourg Health being taken away. Why was there no consultation with Major Stakeholders ie Cherbourg Health Action Group, Cherbourg Community Health's Christine Stewart, and Cherbourg Hospital's Tarita Fisher (local health staff with a lot of health experience not included). Grace asked if the Health Council was hand picked or was an expression of interest going to be called.

Mayor advised that Anna Moffitt is employed by council and is setting up the Cherbourg Health Plan. At this stage the Health Council is not yet formed.

Jeanette and Grace then spoke of Elders Wellbeing/Care and made a request for usage of the old Anglican Church as a venue for Elders Programs and other Programs in partnership with CRAICCHS.

Council allocated the old Anglican Church Building to the Elders Care Group for Elders Programs and other programs however they must secure funding to repair it (as this building requires a huge amount of repairs).

10.00am Chris Samuelson, Nick, Brook (Ergon Energy) entered meeting

Advised of their roles in Ergon Energy and wish to provide an Education Campaign in Cherbourg on Energy Awareness.

10.50am Chris Samuelson, Nick, Brook (Ergon Energy) left meeting

11.00am Lucy Kelly, Jean Cobbo (DATSIP) entered meeting

Lucy is the Principal Project Officer while Jean is the Project Officer for the area. Lucy and Jean spoke of their new positions whilst Council explained their relationship with DATSIP, community needs and the DATSIP projects that have not yet commenced.

11.35am Lucy Kelly, Jean Cobbo (DATSIP) left meeting

11.35am Jo Campbell (Silverlining) entered meeting

Jo stressed the urgency of securing a venue for the Silverlining Girls Project.

Council has allocated the Bert Button Lookout Building to the Silverlining Girls Project.

11.45am Jo Campbell (Silverlining) left meeting

12.00pm Elvie Douglas entered meeting

Elvie provided an update of the Barambah Revival set to take place on 28 Sept - 2 Oct 2021

12.19pm Elvie Douglas left meeting

Next Meeting

The next Council Meeting is scheduled for 17 & 19 August 2021.

12.20pm meeting closed