

***Cherbourg
Aboriginal
Shire
Council***

***Minutes – Council
Meeting***

15 & 16 January 2025

Unconfirmed

MINUTES

COUNCIL MEETING

HELD ON 15 & 16 JANUARY 2025

Attendance

Mayor Bruce Simpson
Deputy Mayor Carla Fisher
Cr Gordon Wragge
Cr Tom Langton
Cr Daniel Weazel

Officers: Acting CEO – Sean Nicholson
Minute Taker - Eileen Jacobs
Advisor – Brett De Chastel

9.31am Mayor Bruce Simpson Opened Meeting
Welcome to Country – Cr Daniel Weazel
Sorry Business – 1 Minute Silence

Councillor Obligations

Prescribed Conflict of Interest

Nil

Declarable Conflict of Interest

Nil

Register of Interest

Nil

Minute Approval

Cherbourg Aboriginal Shire Council resolves that the minutes of the Council Meeting held on 11 & 12 December 2024 be adopted.

Moved: Cr Gordon Wragge
Seconded: Cr Tom Langton

**Motion No. 2676 Carried
For Vote: Council Voted Unanimously**

MAYOR'S REPORT

Mayor Report was presented

Report Approval

Council resolves that the Mayor's Report be adopted.

Moved: Cr Gordon Wragge
Seconded: Cr Daniel Weazel

**Motion No. 2677 Carried
For Vote: Council Voted Unanimously**

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORT

Acting CEO Presented the CEO Update

Approval

Cherbourg Aboriginal Shire Council resolves that the CEO's Update be adopted.

Moved: Cr Gordon Wragge
Seconded: Cr Tom Langton

**Motion No. 2678 Carried
For Vote: Council Voted Unanimously**

Presentation – Social Media (Brett De Chastel)

Council Advisor Brett De Chastel delivered a presentation on Social Media

10.30am - Entered Meeting QPS Superintendent Douglas McDonald
QPS Inspector Scott Stahlhut

Superintendent & Inspector provided an update on Policing in the area.

11.00am Left Meeting QPS Superintendent Douglas McDonald
QPS Inspector Scott Stahlhut

FINANCE REPORT

Finance Officer Presented his report

Report Approval

Cherbourg Aboriginal Shire Council resolves that the Finance Report be adopted.

Moved: Cr Daniel Weazel
Seconded: Cr Gordon Wragge

**Motion No. 2679 Carried
For Vote: Council Voted Unanimously**

CORPORATE SERVICES REPORT

The Corporate Services Manager presented his report.

Report Approval

Cherbourg Aboriginal Shire Council resolves that the Corporate Services Report be adopted.

Moved: Deputy Mayor Carla Fisher
Seconded: Cr Daniel Weazel

**Motion No. 2680 Carried
For Vote: Council Voted Unanimously**

OPERATIONS REPORT

The Operations Manager presented his report.

Report Approval

Cherbourg Aboriginal Shire Council resolves that Operations Report be adopted.

Moved: Deputy Mayor Carla Fisher
Seconded: Cr Gordon Wragge

**Motion No. 2681 Carried
For Vote: Council Voted Unanimously**

ECONOMIC & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Economic & Community Development Manager presented his report.

Report Approval

Cherbourg Aboriginal Shire Council resolves that the Economic & Community Development Report be adopted.

***Moved: Cr Tom Langton
Seconded: Cr Gordon Wragge***

***Motion No. 2682 Carried
For Vote: Council Voted Unanimously***

HR

The HR Report was presented

Report Approval

Cherbourg Aboriginal Shire Council resolves that the HR Report be adopted.

***Moved: Cr Gordon Wragge
Seconded: Cr Tom Langton***

***Motion No. 3683 Carried
For Vote: Council Voted Unanimously***

COMMUNITY SERVICES REPORT

Community Services Manager presented her report.

Report Approval

Cherbourg Aboriginal Shire Council resolves that Community Services Report be adopted.

***Moved: Cr Gordon Wragge
Seconded: Cr Tom Langton***

***Motion No. 2684 Carried
For Vote: Council Voted Unanimously***

CORRESPONDENCE

Bella Barrett

Bella is seeking financial assistance as she has been chosen to compete in the Murri Gummaz U17's Rugby League Team to travel to Samoa in September 2025.

Council will look at sporting grants that Bella Barrett can apply for.

John Smith Gumbula – Gunyah Group Pty Ltds

At this time Council will request a business plan for this project and then will review it.

SBRC Mayor

Perusal of Wording for Plaques (for Artwork) at QEII Park Murgon.

Council agreed the wording on the plaques are correct.

SB Shooters Union

Seeking proposal to lease the Rifle Range off Cherbourg Aboriginal Shire Council by the SBBSU.

This area is used for horseriding by local riders therefore is not available to be used as a shooting range.

12.43pm meeting closed

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Cr Daniel Weazel
Cr Gordon Wragge

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9.30am Mayor Opened Meeting

10.00am Arafura Building Systems Team entered Meeting
Trevor Woohouse - Director
Barry Johnson - Director
Warren Bretag - CEO (Teams Link Up)

Arafura Items discussed were the Commercial Lease, Factory Opening, Stage 2 Building Upgrade and granny flats. They have advertised jobs and Interviews will take place on Tuesday at the old abattoir. Also need to sign a MOU to engage joinery to create a worksite to put together kitchens, bathrooms and frames.

10.00am Arafura Building Systems Team left Meeting
Trevor Woohouse - Director
Barry Johnson - Director
Warren Bretag - CEO (Teams Link Up)

10.50am Meeting Closed