

**COMMUNITY, CULTURE, ARTS AND SPORT COMMITTEE NO. 2021(06)****8 JULY 2021**

## REPORT

**COUNCILLORS' ATTENDANCE:** Councillor Andrew Fechner (Chairperson); Councillors Kate Kunzelmann (Deputy Chairperson), Mayor Teresa Harding, Jacob Madsen, Deputy Mayor Nicole Jonic and Marnie Doyle (Observer)

**COUNCILLOR'S APOLOGIES:** Nil

**OFFICERS' ATTENDANCE:** Acting Chief Executive Officer (Sonia Cooper), General Manager Community, Cultural and Economic Development (Ben Pole), General Manager Planning and Regulatory Services (Peter Tabulo), Acting General Manager Coordination and Performance (Barbara Dart), Acting General Manager Infrastructure and Environment (Sean Madigan), Acting General Manager Corporate Services (Sylvia Swalling), Senior Policy and Communications Officer (David Shaw), Manager Economic and Community Development (Cat Matson), Executive Services Manager (Wade Wilson), Principal Media Advisor (Darrell Giles) and Theatre Technician (Harrison Cate)

**ATTENDANCE VIA AUDIO LINK**

Deputy Mayor Nicole Jonic requested attendance at the Community, Culture, Arts and Sport Committee of 8 July 2021 via audio link.

**RECOMMENDATION**

**Councillor Andrew Fechner (Chairperson) moved a procedural motion that in accordance with section 254K of the *Local Government Regulation 2012* and 8.6.2 of Council's Meeting Procedures Policy, Deputy Mayor Nicole Jonic be permitted to participate in the meeting via audio link.**

## AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:  
Fechner  
Kunzelmann  
Harding  
Jonic  
Madsen

## NEGATIVE

Councillors:  
Nil

The motion was put and carried.

### **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN MATTERS ON THE AGENDA**

Nil

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### **PROCEDURAL MOTION**

Councillor Andrew Fechner (Chairperson) moved a procedural motion to move outside of standing orders for an Acknowledgement of Country to be read.

#### **AFFIRMATIVE**

Councillors:

Fechner

Kunzelmann

Harding

Madsen

Jonic

#### **NEGATIVE**

Councillors:

Nil

The motion was put and carried.

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### **NAIDOC WEEK – ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY**

Councillor Andrew Fechner (Chairperson) moved a procedural motion to move outside of standing orders to provide an acknowledgement of Country the following acknowledgement of Country in celebration of NAIDOC Week:

I would like to begin today by acknowledging the traditional custodians of Country throughout Australia and recognise their continuing connection to land, waters and community. I pay my respect to their continuing culture and the contribution they make to the life of this city and this region. I honour the Elders, past, present and emerging and I extend my welcome to the Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander people who are present today for they hold the memories, the traditions, the culture and hopes of all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples across the nation.

Ipswich City Council continues to support community initiatives that build strong and active communities and highlights the contributions made by First Nation's people. SPARK Ipswich showcases and celebrates the arts and culture of Ipswich and proudly features the outstanding works and achievements of First Nation's artists, Sally Harrison, Kylie Hill and Rachael Sarra.

Whilst the NAIDOC Ipswich celebration has been postponed, several community organisations have been supported through funding initiatives, these include assistance with equipment that would allow them to work and deliver community led initiatives.

Community Development has provided two Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Mental Health First Aid training courses that support the upskilling of community that will in turn provide a strength-based approach when working with people in need. The Ipswich Library are launching a song lines project that enables the community to create digital landscapes using stories handed down through generations.

Council recognises the significance of highlighting the extraordinary talents and stories of our First Nations' residents as it recognises the importance and position that arts and culture plays in the advancement of our City.

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### **BUSINESS OUTSTANDING**

Nil

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### **CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES**

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF THE COMMUNITY, CULTURE, ARTS AND SPORT COMMITTEE NO. 2021(05) OF 10 JUNE 2021

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Moved by Mayor Teresa Harding:

Seconded by Councillor Jacob Madsen:

**That the minutes of the Community, Culture, Arts and Sport Committee held on 10 June 2021 be confirmed.**

AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Fechner

Harding

Madsen

Jonic

NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Kunzelmann (Abstain as was not present)

The motion was put and carried.

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### **OFFICERS' REPORTS**

2. 2022 IPSWICH SHOW HOLIDAY

This is a report concerning a recommendation received from the Ipswich Show Society for Council to make an application to the Office of Industrial Relations for the 2022 Ipswich Show Holiday to be held Friday, 13 May 2022.

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Andrew Fechner:  
 Seconded by Mayor Teresa Harding:

**That Council accept the recommendation of the Ipswich Show Society and make an application to the Office of Industrial Relations for the Ipswich Show Holiday as follows:**

**Day and Date:** Friday, 13 May 2022  
**Name of Event:** Ipswich Annual Show  
**Community Endorsement:** Ipswich Show Society correspondence dated 10 June 2021.

AFFIRMATIVE	NEGATIVE
Councillors:	Councillors:
Fechner	Nil
Kunzelmann	
Harding	
Madsen	
Jonic	

The motion was put and carried.

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3. STRONGER COMMUNITIES PROGRAM

This is a report concerning the Stronger Communities Program and to provide an update regarding the recent launch, facilitated by Peter Kenyon. The launch event included a community-led co-design session, resulting in ten topics selected for the Stronger Communities Program for the year ahead.

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Andrew Fechner:  
 Seconded by Councillor Kate Kunzelmann:

**That the report concerning the Stronger Communities program be received and the contents noted.**

AFFIRMATIVE	NEGATIVE
Councillors:	Councillors:
Fechner	Nil
Kunzelmann	
Harding	
Madsen	
Jonic	

The motion was put and carried.

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4. COMMUNITY FUNDING AND SUPPORT ALLOCATIONS STATUS REPORT 1 APRIL 2021 TO 24 JUNE 2021

This is a report concerning the fourth quarter allocation of Council's Community Funding and Support Programs from 1 April 2021 to 24 June 2021.

In the 2020-2021 financial year Council allocated a total of \$1,751,448.23 to support the Ipswich community through the Community Funding and Support Programs including special COVID-19 Recovery Funding.

In the fourth quarter, from 1 April 2021 to 24 June 2021, Council allocated \$455,577.43 bringing the year to date funds allocated to \$1,386,585.99 to around 268 Ipswich community groups, sporting organisations and small businesses.

All successful applicants and projects are detailed in Attachment 1 and also reported online at [www.ipswich.qld.gov.au/services/funding-and-support](http://www.ipswich.qld.gov.au/services/funding-and-support) in accordance with Council's principles of transparency and the Community Funding and Support Policy.

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Andrew Fechner:

Seconded by Councillor Kate Kunzelmann:

**That the report concerning the fourth quarter allocation of Council's Community Funding and Support Programs from 1 April 2021 to 24 June 2021 be received and the contents noted.**

AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Fechner

Kunzelmann

Harding

Madsen

Jonic

NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

The motion was put and carried.

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5. QUARTERLY EVENT SPONSORSHIP AND TICKET ALLOCATION REPORT

This is a report concerning event sponsorships approved and ticket allocations made in the period 1 April to 30 June 2021. This quarterly report to the Community, Culture, Arts and Sport Committee is required under the Event Sponsorship Policy.

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Andrew Fechner:  
 Seconded by Councillor Kate Kunzelmann:

- A. That Council note that the following event sponsorships were approved during the 1 April – 30 June 2021 period:**
- a. Event Sponsorships over \$15,000 ex GST endorsed by council:**
- 1. Willowbank Raceway - \$35,000 ex GST in financial support for the 2021 Gulf Western Oil Winternationals**
  - 2. Ipswich Show Society - \$40,000 ex GST in financial support and in-kind support valued at \$5,000 ex GST for toilets and bins for the Ipswich Show**
  - 3. AME Management Pty Ltd - \$50,000 ex GST in financial support for the 2021 Australian Supercross Championship and the following in-kind support for the event**
    - **Waiving of venue hire for the North Ipswich Reserve**
    - **Marketing in-kind**
- b. Event Sponsorships \$15,000 ex GST and under approved by the General Manager, Community, Cultural and Economic Development:**
- 1. Auscycling Limited - \$15,000 ex GST financial support for the 2021 AusCycling Queensland BMX State Championships**
- B. That Council note that there were no event sponsorship related ticket allocations made.**

**AFFIRMATIVE**  
 Councillors:  
 Fechner  
 Kunzelmann  
 Harding  
 Madsen  
 Jonic

**NEGATIVE**  
 Councillors:  
 Nil

The motion was put and carried.

**6. CREATIVE INDUSTRIES DEVELOPMENT UPDATE**

This is a report concerning the activities undertaken by the Creative Industries Development Officer in the first month in the role. Supporting, nurturing and growing Ipswich's Creative Economy and Community is a high priority for Council and therefor an early update of progress has been provided.

**RECOMMENDATION**

Moved by Councillor Andrew Fechner:  
Seconded by Councillor Kate Kunzelmann:

**That the report providing an update on Council's Creative Industries Development be received and the contents noted.**

**AFFIRMATIVE**

Councillors:

Fechner

Kunzelmann

Harding

Madsen

Jonic

**NEGATIVE**

Councillors:

Nil

The motion was put and carried.

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**NOTICES OF MOTION**

Nil

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**MATTERS ARISING**

Nil

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**PROCEDURAL MOTIONS AND FORMAL MATTERS**

The meeting commenced at 10.13 am.

The meeting closed at 10.38 am.

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