

**COMMUNITY, CULTURE, ARTS AND SPORT COMMITTEE NO. 2024(02)**

**22 FEBRUARY 2024**

REPORT

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

**COUNCILLOR'S APOLOGIES:** Nil

**OFFICERS' ATTENDANCE:** Chief Executive Officer (Sonia Cooper), General Manager Corporate Services (Matt Smith), General Manager Planning and Regulatory Services (Brett Davey), General Manager Asset and Infrastructure Services (Matt Anderson), General Manager Environment and Sustainability (Kaye Cavanagh), Chief Financial Officer (Jeff Keech), Community Services Manager (Melissa Dower), Chief of Staff – Office of the Mayor (Melissa Fitzgerald), Acting Manager Libraries and Customer Service (Gail Seeney), Community Development Officer (Tanya Appleton), Senior Community Funding Officer (Sarah Sheehy), Manager Community and Cultural Services (Don Stewart), Manager Libraries and Customer Services (Sam Chandler), Senior Communications and Policy Officer (Jodie Richter), Senior Media Officer (Lucy Stone), Senior Media Officer (Darrell Giles), and Theatre Technician (Harrison Cate)

**EXTERNAL ATTENDANCE:** Domestic Violence Action Centre – Chief Executive Officer (Amie Carrington) and Director of Integrated Service Responses for the Southern Region, Qld Department of Justice and Attorney General (Trudi Peters)

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY**

Councillor Kate Kunzelmann (Chairperson) delivered the Acknowledgement of Country

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

Nil

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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. 2024(01) OF 1 FEBRUARY 2024**

**RECOMMENDATION**

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

**That the Minutes of the Community, Culture, Arts and Sport Committee held on 1 February 2024 be confirmed.**

## AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Fechner

Kunzelmann

Harding

Madsen

Ireland

Doyle

## NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

The motion was put and carried.

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**PRESENTATION - DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ACTION CENTRE**

Ms Amie Carrington, Chief Executive Officer of the Domestic Violence Action Centre will present to the committee regarding the Domestic and Family Violence Strategy and Action Plan on behalf of the Domestic and Family Violence Integrated Response Team.

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**OFFICERS' REPORTS**

2. **IPSWICH DOMESTIC AND FAMILY VIOLENCE PREVENTION STRATEGY AND ACTION PLAN 2024-2025**

This is a report concerning the Ipswich Domestic and Family Violence Prevention Strategy and Action Plan 2024–2025. It outlines the collaborative approach that

the Ipswich Integrated Service System Working Group will take in responding to and reducing domestic and family violence in our community.

Council have supported the Ipswich Integrated Service System Working Group on the development of this localised action plan which commits to actions towards ending domestic and family violence in Ipswich.

#### RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Marnie Doyle:

Seconded by Councillor Kate Kunzelmann:

**That the report concerning the Ipswich Domestic and Family Violence Prevention Strategy and Action Plan 2024–2025 be received and the contents noted.**

#### AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Fechner

Kunzelmann

Harding

Madsen

Ireland

Doyle

#### NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

The motion was put and carried.

### 3. ACTIVATION OF THE FORMER JAMIE'S KITCHEN AS A VISUAL ARTS STUDIO

This is a report concerning the activation of the former Jamie's Kitchen as a visual arts studio.

#### RECOMMENDATION

A. That Council endorse naming the new visual art studio the Ipswich Art Workshop.

B. That the report concerning the activation of the former Jamie's Kitchen as a visual arts studio be received and the contents noted.

Councillor Andrew Fechner (Chairperson) proposed that the word 'endorse' in Recommendation A be replaced with the word 'approve'.

#### RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Andrew Fechner:

Seconded by Councillor Marnie Doyle:

A. That Council approve naming the new visual art studio the Ipswich Art Workshop.

- B. That the report concerning the activation of the former Jamie’s Kitchen as a visual arts studio be received and the contents noted.

Councillor Andrew Fechner (Chairperson) proposed a Recommendation C as follows:

- C. That Council approve the approach described on page 35 of the officer’s report titled Activation of the Former Jamie’s Kitchen as a Visual Arts Studio for the activation of the Ipswich Art Workshop.

The seconder of the original motion agreed to the proposed Recommendation C.

### RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Andrew Fechner:

Seconded by Councillor Marnie Doyle:

- A. That Council approve naming the new visual art studio the Ipswich Art Workshop.**
- B. That the report concerning the activation of the former Jamie’s Kitchen as a visual arts studio be received and the contents noted.**
- C. That Council approve the approach described on page 35 of the officer’s report titled Activation of the Former Jamie’s Kitchen as a Visual Arts Studio for the activation of the Ipswich Art Workshop.**

#### AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Fechner

Kunzelmann

Harding

Madsen

Ireland

Doyle

#### NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

The motion was put and carried.

#### Attachments

1. Page 35 of the CCAS Agenda relating to the approach outlined in Recommendation C [↗](#)




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#### 4. IPSWICH YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL 2024

This is a report concerning the Ipswich Youth Advisory Council (IYAC) 2024 program.

IYAC is an Ipswich City Council youth development initiative for young people in the City of Ipswich, aged between 13 and 18 years of age. The goal of IYAC is to ensure Ipswich's young people are heard on issues they care about and are empowered to undertake change-making initiatives across the city – designed by young people, for young people.

Nominations for the IYAC 2024 intake opened in October 2023 and closed in December 2023, Council received 37 applications all of which have been welcomed into the 2024 cohort.

### RECOMMENDATION

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

**That the report concerning the Ipswich Youth Advisory Council 2024 be received and the contents noted.**

#### AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:  
Fechner  
Kunzelmann  
Harding  
Madsen  
Ireland  
Doyle

#### NEGATIVE

Councillors:  
Nil

The motion was put and carried.

### 5. COMMUNITY FUNDING AND SUPPORT ALLOCATIONS STATUS REPORT - 1 OCTOBER TO 31 DECEMBER 2023

This is a report concerning the allocation of Council's Community Funding and Support Programs from 1 October to 31 December 2023.

In the three (3) months from 1 October to 31 December 2023, Council approved 99 applications across 80 unique applicants, allocating a total of \$336,487.34 to a variety of community events and projects.

All successful applicants and projects are detailed in Attachment 1 and reported online on both the Transparency and Integrity Hub and on the Community Funding and Support website in accordance with Council's principles of transparency and the Community Funding and Support Policy.

### RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Andrew Fechner:

Seconded by Councillor Marnie Doyle:

**That the report concerning the allocation of Council's Community Funding and Support Programs from 1 October to 31 December 2023 be received and the contents noted.**

**AFFIRMATIVE**

Councillors:

Fechner

Kunzelmann

Harding

Madsen

Ireland

Doyle

**NEGATIVE**

Councillors:

Nil

The motion was put and carried.

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6. **IPSWICH LIBRARIES REPORT CARD 2023**

This is a report concerning the Ipswich Libraries Report Card 2023.

**RECOMMENDATION**

Moved by Councillor Andrew Fechner:

Seconded by Councillor Kate Kunzelmann:

**That the report concerning the Ipswich Libraries Report Card 2023 be received and the contents noted.**

**AFFIRMATIVE**

Councillors:

Fechner

Kunzelmann

Harding

Madsen

Ireland

Doyle

**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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**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT - COUNCILLOR KATE KUNZELMANN**

Councillor Andrew Fechner (Chairperson) thanked Councillor Kate Kunzelmann as Deputy Chairperson for being a great advocate for the Community, Culture, Arts and Sport Committee.

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**PROCEDURAL MOTIONS AND FORMAL MATTERS**

The meeting commenced at 10.38 am.

The meeting closed at 11.18 am.

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