

INFRASTRUCTURE, PLANNING AND ASSETS COMMITTEE NO. 2025(03)**22 APRIL 2025****REPORT****COUNCILLORS' ATTENDANCE:**

Councillor Andrew Antoniolli (Chairperson); Councillors Paul Tully (Deputy Chairperson), Mayor Teresa Harding, Deputy Mayor Nicole Jonic, Marnie Doyle, David Martin, Jim Madden and Pye Augustine (Observer)

COUNCILLOR'S APOLOGIES:

Nil

OFFICERS' ATTENDANCE:

Chief Executive Officer (Sonia Cooper), General Manager Asset and Infrastructure Services (Seren McKenzie), General Manager Planning and Regulatory Services (Brett Davey), General Manager Community, Cultural and Economic Development (Ben Pole), General Manager Corporate Services (Matt Smith), Manager Compliance (Alisha Connaughton), Chief of Staff – Office of the Mayor (Melissa Fitzgerald), Manager Media, Communications and Engagement (Mark Strong), Manager Infrastructure Strategy (Tony Dileo), Manager Capital Program Delivery (Graeme Martin), Principal Officer – Projects (Graham Schultz), Senior Media Officer (Darrell Giles) and Theatre Technician (Thomas Haag)

WELCOME TO COUNTRY OR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

Councillor Andrew Antoniolli (Chairperson) delivered the Acknowledgement of Country

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN MATTERS ON THE AGENDA

At Item 4 Councillors Paul Tully and Jim Madden declared an interest.

BUSINESS OUTSTANDING

Infrastructure, Planning and Assets Committee 15 October 2024, 15 November 2024, 18 February 2025 and 18 March 2025

- Capital Investment in Provisional Projects Policy - Proposed Amendments (currently laid on the table)

Infrastructure, Planning and Assets Committee 18 March 2025

QUESTIONS – Speed awareness sign and upgrade to Redbank Plains Road intersection

1. Councillor Paul Tully stated that the Smiley Face Speed Awareness Sign, specifically the one on Jones Road, Bellbird Park just north of Katandra Crescent, where the

pixelation has failed in the past few weeks, has been removed and queried the timeframe for the sign to be fixed or replaced.

Response: In progress - The sign was removed as it was faulty. Staff determined that the whole sign needs to be replaced due to the malfunction of the control system. A procurement process is occurring for the replacement sign.

2. Councillor Paul Tully stated with the upgrade to Redbank Plains Road, from Kruger roundabout through to Keidges Road, it was intended to replace the roundabout on the corner of Redbank Plains Road, Bellbird Park and Kruger Parade, however there was a problem in relation to an Urban Utilities underground main which delayed the work and a temporary roundabout has been installed. Councillor Tully queried when the work will commence to finalise this project.

Response: The General Manager, Asset and Infrastructure Services advised that a response would be circulated to councillors this week.

1. RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MOTION REGARDING WELCOME TO SUBURB/TOWN SIGNS

This is a report concerning a response to a Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Jim Madden at the Ordinary Council Meeting held on 27 February 2025, requesting:

That a report be prepared by Council Officers for the March Infrastructure Planning and Assets committee meeting detailing:

1. The options for consideration and approval by Councillors for a standard welcome to suburb/town signs (colours, graphics, dimensions, and layout)
2. Details as to the Council plans to replace outdated brown welcome to suburb/town signs that have been in place for many years in the Ipswich suburbs/towns west of Karrabin.

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Jim Madden:

Seconded by Councillor David Martin:

- A. That Council receive and note the report responding to the Notice of Motion concerning Suburb and Town Signs.
- B. That Council confirm Set A as presented in this report be used for all Suburb and Town Sign replacements.

Councillor Jim Madden proposed the following Recommendation C:

- C. That within six (6) months council replace all of the brown signs in Division 1 and 4 with Set A style signs.

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

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Jim Madden:

Seconded by Councillor David Martin:

- A. That Council receive and note the report responding to the Notice of Motion concerning Suburb and Town Signs.**
- B. That Council confirm Set A as presented in this report be used for all Suburb and Town Sign replacements.**
- C. That within six (6) months council replace all of the brown signs in Division 1 and 4 with Set A style signs.**

AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Antoniolli

Tully

Harding

Jonic

Doyle

Martin

Madden

NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

The motion was put and carried.

2. RESPONSE TO PETITION - ENFORCE STRICTER PENALTIES FOR UNCONTROLLED AND THREATENING DOGS IN RIVERVIEW, QUEENSLAND

This is a report concerning a Response to Petition - Enforce stricter penalties for uncontrolled and threatening dogs in Riverview, Queensland, presented to Council on 20 June 2024, moved by Mayor Teresa Harding and seconded by Councillor Jim Madden.

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Andrew Antoniolli:

Seconded by Councillor Marnie Doyle:

That Council receive and note the content of the report.

AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Antoniolli

Tully

NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

Harding
Jonic
Doyle
Martin
Madden

The motion was put and carried.

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

3. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF THE INFRASTRUCTURE, PLANNING AND ASSETS COMMITTEE NO. 2025(02) OF 18 MARCH 2025

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Marnie Doyle:
Seconded by Councillor David Martin:

That the minutes of the Infrastructure, Planning and Assets Committee held on 18 March 2025 be confirmed.

AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:
Antoniolli
Tully
Harding
Jonic
Doyle
Martin
Madden

NEGATIVE

Councillors:
Nil

The motion was put and carried.

OFFICERS' REPORTS

In accordance with section 150EF of the *Local Government Act 2009*, Councillor Paul Tully informed the meeting that he has a personal interest in Item 4 titled Ipswich General Cemetery – Heritage Project.

The nature of the interest is that Councillor Tully is a State Government appointed Trustee of the Goodna Cemetery Trust in which he does not receive any financial benefit.

It was moved by Councillor Marnie Doyle and seconded by Deputy Mayor Nicole Jonic that Councillor Paul Tully may participate in the meeting in relation to the matter, including by

voting on the matter because there is no personal or financial benefit to the councillor and therefore a reasonable person would trust that the final decision is made in the public interest.

The eligible councillors present at the meeting decided that Councillor Paul Tully may participate in the meeting in relation to the matter, including by voting on the matter.

AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Antoniolli

Harding

Jonic

Doyle

Martin

Madden

NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

Councillor Paul Tully did not take part in the vote on this matter.

The motion was put and carried.

In accordance with section 150EF of the *Local Government Act 2009*, Councillor Jim Madden informed the meeting that he has a personal interest in Item 4 titled Ipswich General Cemetery – Heritage Project.

The nature of the interest is that Councillor Madden has a distant relative that was one of the graves that was removed.

It was moved by Councillor Andrew Antoniolli and seconded by Councillor David Martin that Councillor Jim Madden may participate in the meeting in relation to the matter, including by voting on the matter because there is no personal or financial benefit to the councillor and therefore a reasonable person would trust that the final decision is made in the public interest.

The eligible councillors present at the meeting decided that Councillor Jim Madden may participate in the meeting in relation to the matter, including by voting on the matter.

AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Antoniolli

Tully

Harding

Jonic

Doyle

Martin

NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

Councillor Jim Madden did not take part in the vote on this matter.

The motion was put and carried.

4. IPSWICH GENERAL CEMETERY - HERITAGE PROJECT

This is a report concerning proposed information signage that will form part of the Ipswich General Cemetery Heritage Project. The project commenced following a safety audit of memorials and headstones that were displaced from their original burial locations and relocated to the northern edge of the Ipswich General Cemetery. The project seeks to reinstate the headstones and memorials in their original denominational areas and to protect and conserve the heritage of the site. The project also seeks to enhance the aesthetic quality of the proposed site.

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Marnie Doyle:

Seconded by Councillor Jim Madden:

That this report regarding the Ipswich General Cemetery Heritage Project be considered by Council and the content of the proposed information signage for the project as provided in Attachments 3 to 8, be approved by Council.

Councillor Andrew Antonioli proposed that the report be referred to a future meeting for consideration.

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Andrew Antonioli:

Seconded by Deputy Mayor Nicole Jonic:

That the report be referred to a future meeting for consideration.

AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Antonioli

Tully

Harding

Jonic

Doyle

Martin

Madden

NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

The motion was put and carried.

5. EXERCISE OF DELEGATION REPORT

This is a report concerning applications that have been determined by delegated authority for the period 25 February 2025 to 7 April 2025.

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Andrew Antonioli:

Seconded by Councillor Jim Madden:

That the Exercise of Delegation report for the period 25 February 2025 to 7 April 2025 be received and the contents noted.

AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Antonioli

Tully

Harding

Jonic

Doyle

Martin

Madden

NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

The motion was put and carried.

6. PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENT COURT ACTION STATUS REPORT

This is a report concerning a status update with respect to current court actions associated with development planning applications.

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Andrew Antonioli:

Seconded by Deputy Mayor Nicole Jonic:

That the Planning and Environment Court Action status report be received and the contents noted.

AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Antonioli

Tully

Harding

Jonic

Doyle

Martin

Madden

NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

The motion was put and carried.

7. PROVISIONAL PROJECTS APPROVAL

This is a report seeking Council consideration of, and capital funding for, the Provisional Projects listed in this report.

The projects have been suggested by the Division 2 Councillors for assessment against the Capital Investment in Provisional Projects Policy.

The projects noted in this report have been assessed by the Asset and Infrastructure Services Department and are considered consistent with the policy and are tabled for consideration by Council to progress.

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Deputy Mayor Nicole Jonic:

Seconded by Councillor Paul Tully:

That Council approve the Provisional Projects listed below and progress to design and construction, in accordance with the Capital Investment in Provisional Projects Policy:

- 1. Division 2 – Installation of mature shade tree at Evan Marginson Park, Goodna \$10,000.**
- 2. Division 2 – Beautification and safety improvements at Langley Park, Camira \$45,000.**

AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Antoniolli

Tully

Harding

Jonic

Doyle

Martin

Madden

NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

The motion was put and carried.

8. PUBLIC MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS – ASSESSMENT OF APPLICATION FROM SPRINGFIELD LAKES NATURE CARE INCORPORATED

This is a report concerning a ‘Public Monuments and Memorials’ application received by Council from Mrs Luise Manning, Chair of the Springfield Lakes Nature Care Incorporated. The application is proposing the installation of a commemorative plaque to recognise the Queen’s Jubilee Grant from the late Queen Elizabeth II, which funded the planting of 2000 trees in Opossum Creek Parklands, Brookwater.

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Marnie Doyle:

Seconded by Councillor Paul Tully:

That the Queen’s Jubilee commemorative sign as detailed in Attachment 2 of this report, be approved by Council.

AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Antoniolli

Tully

Harding

Jonic

Doyle

Martin

Madden

NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

The motion was put and carried.

9. PUBLIC MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS – ASSESSMENT OF APPLICATION FROM BRISBANE BANGLA LANGUAGE SCHOOL AND ETHNIC SCHOOLS ASSOCIATION

This is a report concerning a public monument and memorials application which has been received by Council from the Brisbane Bangla Language School and Ethnic Schools Association. The application was previously presented to Council and endorsed to proceed to Stage 2 of the application process in accordance with Council’s Public Monuments and Memorials Policy.

RECOMMENDATION

A. That the report be received and the contents noted.

B. That the Public Monument and Memorials application, as detailed in Attachment 1 of this report, be approved.

- C. That Council enter into a legal agreement with the Brisbane Bangla Language School and Ethnic Schools Association to fund construction of the Mother Language Monument in Robelle Domain, Springfield.

Councillor Paul Tully proposed a variation to Recommendation C to change the suburb name to Springfield Central and to add the following words at the end of the motion: “at a location to be approved by Council”.

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Paul Tully:

Seconded by Mayor Teresa Harding:

- A. That the report be received and the contents noted.**
- B. That the Public Monument and Memorials application, as detailed in Attachment 1 of this report, be approved.**
- C. That Council enter into a legal agreement with the Brisbane Bangla Language School and Ethnic Schools Association to fund construction of the Mother Language Monument in Robelle Domain, Springfield Central, at a location to be approved by Council.**

AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Antoniolli

Tully

Harding

Jonic

Doyle

Martin

Madden

NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

The motion was put and carried.

10. ASSET AND INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES DEPARTMENT CAPITAL DELIVERY REPORT FEBRUARY 2025

This is a report concerning the performance of the capital delivery by the Asset and Infrastructure Services Department for the month of February 2025.

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Mayor Teresa Harding:

Seconded by Deputy Mayor Nicole Jonic:

That the report on capital delivery by the Asset and Infrastructure Services Department for the month of February 2025 be received and the contents noted.

AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Antoniolli

Tully

Harding

Jonic

Doyle

Martin

Madden

NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

The motion was put and carried.

NOTICES OF MOTION

Nil

MATTERS ARISING

Nil

QUESTIONS / GENERAL BUSINESS

Nil

COMMENCEMENT OF NEXT MEETING

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Andrew Antoniolli:

Seconded by Councillor Paul Tully:

That the Finance and Governance Committee commence at 11.00 am.

AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Antoniolli

Tully

Harding

Jonic

Doyle

Martin

NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

Madden

The motion was put and carried.

PROCEDURAL MOTIONS AND FORMAL MATTERS

The meeting commenced at 9.04 am.

The meeting closed at 10.26 am.
