



City of
Ipswich

AGENDA

COMMUNITY AND SPORT COMMITTEE

Tuesday, 22 July 2025

10 minutes after the conclusion of the Finance and Governance Committee or
such later time as determined by the preceding committee

Council Chambers, Level 8
1 Nicholas Street, Ipswich

<u>MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY AND SPORT COMMITTEE</u>	
Councillor Jacob Madsen (Chairperson) Councillor Pye Augustine (Deputy Chairperson)	Mayor Teresa Harding Deputy Mayor Nicole Jonic Councillor Marnie Doyle Councillor Andrew Antonioli Councillor David Martin Councillor Jim Madden

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COMMUNITY AND SPORT COMMITTEE NO. 2025(06)

22 JULY 2025

AGENDA

WELCOME TO COUNTRY OR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN MATTERS ON THE AGENDA

BUSINESS OUTSTANDING

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

1. **CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF THE COMMUNITY AND SPORT COMMITTEE NO. 2025(05) OF 10 JUNE 2025**

RECOMMENDATION

That the minutes of the Community and Sport Committee held on 10 June 2025 be confirmed.

OFFICERS' REPORTS

2. **COMMUNITY FUNDING AND SUPPORT ALLOCATIONS STATUS REPORT 1 APRIL TO 30 JUNE 2025**

This is a report concerning the allocation of Council's Community Funding and Support Program from 1 April to 30 June 2025.

In the three (3) months from 1 April to 30 June 2025, Council approved 113 applications across 102 unique applicants, allocating a total of \$397,537.56 for a variety of community events and projects.

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

RECOMMENDATION

That the report concerning the allocation of Council's Community Funding and Support Programs from 1 April to 30 June 2025 be received and the contents noted.

3. REPORT - LIBRARIES AND CUSTOMER SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE
NO. 2025(02) OF 8 JULY 2025

This is the report of the Libraries and Customer Services Advisory Committee
No. 2025(02) of 8 July 2025.

RECOMMENDATION

That Council adopt the recommendations of the Libraries and Customer Services
Advisory Committee No. 2025(02) of 8 July 2025.

4. REPORT - SPORT AND RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE NO. 2025(02) OF 8 JULY
2025

This is the report of the Sport and Recreation Advisory Committee No. 2025(02) of
8 July 2025.

RECOMMENDATION

That Council adopt the recommendations of the Sport and Recreation Advisory
Committee No. 2025(02) of 8 July 2025.

5. REPORT - MULTICULTURAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE NO. 2025(01) OF 10 JULY 2025

This is the report of the Multicultural Advisory Committee No. 2025(01) of 10 July
2025.

RECOMMENDATION

That Council adopt the recommendations of the Multicultural Advisory Committee
No. 2025(01) of 10 July 2025.

NOTICES OF MOTION

MATTERS ARISING

QUESTIONS / GENERAL BUSINESS

COMMUNITY AND SPORT COMMITTEE NO. 2025(05)

10 JUNE 2025

MINUTES

COUNCILLORS' ATTENDANCE:

Councillor Jacob Madsen (Chairperson); Councillors Pye Augustine (Deputy Chairperson), Mayor Teresa Harding, Deputy Mayor Nicole Jonic, Marnie Doyle, Andrew Antonioli, David Martin and Jim Madden

COUNCILLOR'S APOLOGIES:

Nil

OFFICERS' ATTENDANCE:

Chief Executive Officer (Sonia Cooper), General Manager Community, Cultural and Economic Development (Ben Pole), General Manager Asset and Infrastructure Services (Seren McKenzie), General Manager Corporate Services (Matt Smith), General Manager Planning and Regulatory Services (Brett Davey), Manager Media, Communications and Engagement (Mark Strong), Senior Media Officer (Darrell Giles) and Theatre Technician (Max Moylan)

WELCOME TO COUNTRY OR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

Councillor Jacob Madsen (Chairperson) delivered the Acknowledgement of Country

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN MATTERS ON THE AGENDA

Nil

BUSINESS OUTSTANDING

Community and Sport Committee 20 May 2025

3.1. MATTER ON NOTICE - COUNCILLOR DISCRETIONARY FUNDS POLICY

Councillor Marnie Doyle queried the criteria and level of funding provided for P&C Associations in state schools with a view to reviewing the Councillor Discretionary Funds Policy.

The policy for Councillors Discretionary Funds to be submitted to a future Councillor briefing/workshop meeting to review the policy provisions.

RESPONSE:

This matter is being presented at the 12 June 2025 Councillor Briefing/Workshop session for discussion.

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF THE COMMUNITY AND SPORT COMMITTEE
NO. 2025(04) OF 20 MAY 2025

RECOMMENDATION

Moved by Councillor Jim Madden:

Seconded by Councillor Andrew Antonioli:

That the minutes of the Community and Sport Committee held on 20 May 2025 be confirmed.

AFFIRMATIVE

Councillors:

Madsen

Augustine

Harding

Jonic

Doyle

Antonioli

Martin

Madden

NEGATIVE

Councillors:

Nil

The motion was put and carried.

OFFICERS' REPORTS

Nil

NOTICES OF MOTION

Nil

MATTERS ARISING

Nil

QUESTIONS / GENERAL BUSINESS

Nil

PROCEDURAL MOTIONS AND FORMAL MATTERS

The meeting commenced at 11.43 am.

The meeting closed at 11.45 am.

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ITEM: 2

SUBJECT: COMMUNITY FUNDING AND SUPPORT ALLOCATIONS STATUS REPORT 1 APRIL TO 30 JUNE 2025

AUTHOR: SENIOR COMMUNITY FUNDING OFFICER

DATE: 1 JULY 2025

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

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RECOMMENDATION/S

That the report concerning the allocation of Council's Community Funding and Support Programs from 1 April to 30 June 2025 be received and the contents noted.

RELATED PARTIES

- A conflict of interest was declared by Cr Jim Madden in relation to an application made for Councillor Discretionary Funds by the Scout Association of Australia Queensland Branch – Ripley Scout Group in that he is the Chair of the Moreton Region Scouts, which Ripley Scout Group is a member of. Cr Madden did not allocate funds to this application.
- A perceived conflict of interest was declared by Alicia Lopez, Community and Public Programs Officer, in relation to a Regional Arts Development Fund (RADF) Professional Development application made by Nicole Schuemann. Alicia did not assess the application.
- A perceived conflict of interest was declared by Kayne Hunnam, Venues and Performing Arts Manager, in relation to a Regional Arts Development Fund (RADF)

Time and Space application made by Amanda Harrison. Kayne did not assess the application.

- A perceived conflict of interest was declared by Kayne Hunnam, Venues and Performing Arts Manager, in relation to a Regional Arts Development Fund (RADF) Time and Space application made by Goran Gajic. Kayne did not assess the application.
- A perceived conflict of interest was declared by Jane du Rand, an external assessor for the Regional Arts Development Fund (RADF) Major Projects program, in relation to an application made by Anne Maree Leon. Jane did not assess the application and left the meeting during the discussion of the application.

IFUTURE THEME

Vibrant and Growing, Safe, Inclusive and Creative, Natural and Sustainable, A Trusted and Leading Organisation

PURPOSE OF REPORT/BACKGROUND

Council's Community Funding and Support Program is a direct outcome and deliverable action of the City of Ipswich's Community Development Strategy:

Pillar 1 – Capacity Building and Resilience

- Community and charitable groups/organisations, services, businesses, and government agencies are working together to achieve goals that are driven by community aspirations
- Community is empowered and has the skills and resources to increase their independence and sustainability to continue to design and deliver community led initiatives
- Community development continues to champion and lead the contemporary community development principles

Pillar 2 – Wellbeing

- Our community is progressive, innovative and community stakeholders are empowered and supported to address the social and economic issues and together we collaborate for positive change
- Increased support and initiatives for health and wellbeing in local communities
- Improved coordination, promotion and participation of initiatives and activities to celebrate and acknowledge significant weeks and celebration

Pillar 5 – Civic Participation and Leadership

- We listen to our key stakeholders. Community needs and aspirations are responded to by collectively engaging with community leaders and key stakeholders
- Increase community ties with council representatives
- Improved and increased capability of volunteer leaders, community organisations and groups

Ipswich City Council is committed to supporting community initiatives and partnerships that encourage participation in community life, foster social cohesion, celebrate culture and diversity, and contribute to a vibrant, healthy, and sustainable city.

The Community Funding and Support Program affirms Council's commitment by providing funding avenues and support to organisations and individuals while ensuring an equitable, open, transparent, and accountable decision-making process.

The information provided in this report and its attachment details funding allocations through each of the available programs from 1 April to 30 June 2025.

Civic and Ceremonial Events Funding	
Funding up to \$10,000.00 and/or In-Kind Assistance	
Successful applications: 1	Total funds allocated: \$10,000.00
The approved application is for funding and In-Kind Assistance for a 2025 ANZAC Day Service and March in Goodna.	

Community Events Funding	
Funding up to \$5,000.00	
Successful applications: 7	Total funds allocated: \$24,270.72
Approved applications include events celebrating children's messy play, an agricultural show, multiculturalism, seniors, and events commemorating historical milestones.	

Community Projects Funding	
Funding up to \$10,000.00	
Successful applications: 11	Total funds allocated: \$99,695.90
Approved applications include equipment purchases such as solar battery and inverter, cricket nets, and a scoreboard, as well as resources for youth and women's programs.	

Councillor Discretionary Funds	
Funding up to \$1,000.00 per Councillor	
Successful applications: 60	Total funds allocated: \$117,487.80
Approved applications include equipment purchases such as security cameras, canteen appliances, and sporting equipment, as well as supporting events such as a career expo, a Russian cultural feast, a multicultural festival, and a koala information workshop.	

Enviroplan Levy Community Funding	
Funding up to \$3,000.00 for organisations	
Funding up to \$1,500 for Wildlife Carers	
Successful applications: 6	Total funds allocated: \$9,296.84
Funding was approved towards much needed food and equipment for the rehabilitation of injured and rescued wildlife, installation of nest box cameras, and a community engagement project on the short-beaked echidna population in Ipswich.	

In-Kind Assistance	
In-Kind Assistance up to \$10,000.00	
Successful applications: 8	Total funds allocated: \$13,938.80
Applicants can apply for the provision of bins, toilets, and other equipment required to host events safely and comfortably. Events included a car show, sporting events, a family fun day, and an agricultural show.	

Regional Arts Development Fund (RADF)	
Professional Development funding - up to \$2,000.00	
Time and Space funding - up to \$2,000.00	
Major Projects funding - up to \$15,000.00	
Successful applications: 21	Total funds allocated: \$122,848.00
Funding approved towards a range of artistic projects and activities such as short films, music workshops, interactive art workshops, visual arts creations and workshops, and theatre productions.	

LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

This report and its recommendations are consistent with the following legislative provisions:

Local Government Act 2009

Local Government Regulation 2012

POLICY IMPLICATIONS

The matter of the report and its recommendations are consistent with the following policies:

Conflicts of Interest for Employees Policy

Community Funding and Support Policy

Councillor Discretionary Funds Policy

Civic and Ceremonial Events Policy

RISK MANAGEMENT IMPLICATIONS

There are no discernible risk management implications associated with this report and its recommendation.

FINANCIAL/RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS

There are no discernible financial or resource implications associated with this report and its recommendation.

The Community Funding Team in the Community Services Section managed the receipt, assessment, and allocation of applications received through the Community Funding and Support Programs in accordance with the Community Funding and Support Policy, the Civic and Ceremonial Events Policy, and associated Guidelines.

Funding for the provision of community funding is contained within the Community Services Section 2024-2025 financial year budget.

COMMUNITY AND OTHER CONSULTATION

No additional consultation was required for the applications received 1 April to 30 June 2025.



CONCLUSION

Council's Community Funding Team has processed 179 Community Funding and Support Program applications between 1 April to 30 June 2025. Of those applications, there has been \$397,537.56 in funding and support provided to 102 unique applicants.

HUMAN RIGHTS IMPLICATIONS

HUMAN RIGHTS IMPACTS
RECEIVE AND NOTE REPORT
The Recommendation states that the report be received and the contents noted. The decision to receive and note the report does not limit human rights. Therefore, the decision is compatible with human rights.

ATTACHMENTS AND CONFIDENTIAL BACKGROUND PAPERS

1.	Community Funding and Support Allocation Status Report - 1 April to 30 June 2025  
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Sarah Sheehy

SENIOR COMMUNITY FUNDING OFFICER

I concur with the recommendations contained in this report.

Melissa Dower

COMMUNITY AND SPORT MANAGER

I concur with the recommendations contained in this report.

Don Stewart

MANAGER, COMMUNITY AND CULTURAL SERVICES

I concur with the recommendations contained in this report.

Ben Pole

GENERAL MANAGER (COMMUNITY, CULTURAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT)

“Together, we proudly enhance the quality of life for our community”

COMMUNITY FUNDING AND SUPPORT ALLOCATIONS 1 APRIL TO 30 JUNE 2025

Applicant	Project Title	Description	Amount Allocated excl GST)
Civic and Ceremonial Events Funding			
Goodna RSL Sub Branch	ANZAC Day 2025	The day includes a Dawn Service followed by a Gunfire Breakfast, and a march down Church Street, Goodna followed by a Service. Both ceremonies will be conducted at the Digger's Rest Memorial.	\$ 10,777.80
	TOTAL		\$ 10,777.80
Community Events Funding			
Cuppa PLUS	Ipswich Seniors Expo	The Expo, to be held 1 October 2025 at the Ipswich Showgrounds, celebrates Seniors Month and will include entertainment, workshops, information sessions, lucky door prizes, giveaways, morning tea and lunch available from a local community group.	\$ 5,000.00
ICYS Ipswich Community Youth Service	Ipswich & West Moreton Region Child Protection Week Gala Dinner & Awards Presentation	The Gala Dinner & Awards, to be held 12 September 2025 at the Ipswich Turf Club, was established by the Ipswich District Child Protection Week Committee and aims to raise awareness and highlight the importance of child protection in our communities, while at the same time recognising the efforts, programs, services and achievements that individuals and organisations have accomplished.	\$ 5,000.00
Lions Club of Rosewood	Rosewood Lions 50th Anniversary Dinner	The Rosewood Lions Club celebrated its 50th anniversary on 17 May 2025 at the Rosewood Bowls Club, bringing together Lions Club members, key political representatives, and individuals from significant community organisations.	\$ 1,425.00
Philippines-Australia Multicultural Association Inc (PAMA)	PAMA SpringFest 2025	The Festival, to be held 13 September 2025 at Robelle Domain, will showcase various cultural through music, songs and dances, food, arts and crafts, and information stalls.	\$ 5,000.00
Play Matters Australia	Messy Play Matters	At the Messy Play Matters, held 28 May 2025 at the Leichhardt One Mile Community Centre, families with little ones not yet at school explored the Dinosaur Mud Pit, Spaghetti Play, Rice Play, Bathing Babies, Slippery Silmo, Low Sensory Play, Baby Play, Messy Music Time, and more.	\$ 827.50
Rosewood Agricultural & Horticultural Society	2025 Rosewood Show & Bull Ride	The 2025 Rosewood Show, held 27 to 28 June 2025 at the Rosewood Showgrounds provides an opportunity to celebrate local talent, produce, livestock and people through the livestock, poultry, equine, produce, and floral displays and competitions, as well as entertainment, stalls, and food.	\$ 5,000.00
Rosewood State School Parents & Citizen Association	150th Official Ceremony and Fete	The School will celebrate its 150th anniversary on 13 September 2025 with a community Fete, and will feature an official ceremony and the long-awaited unveiling of the 1975 time capsule. Visitors can also explore classroom exhibits showcasing memorabilia from past students, amusement rides, class-run stalls and external markets, performances by the school band, emergency services displays, and old classroom presentations.	\$ 2,018.22
	TOTAL		\$ 24,270.72
Community Projects Funding			
Cabanda Care	Bowls	The purchase of new bowls mats will assist the residents to continue playing indoor bowls, which provides social interactions, and the opportunity for physical movement whilst having fun.	\$ 2,120.00
Ipswich Assist	Power Up Ipswich Assist	The purchase and installation of a solar battery and inverter will allow Ipswich Assist to store excess clean electricity produced by the solar panels (providing a reliable backup during power outages, increasing resilience in disasters, eliminating food spoilage and loss of stock), and significantly decrease the annual electricity bill, which can be much better utilised and redirected back into service provision.	\$ 12,527.84
Ipswich Knights Soccer Club	Ipswich Knights Flood Repairs	Funds will be used to replace fencing, which was flood damaged during Ex-Tropical Cyclone Alfred, to fully re-establish football operations.	\$ 15,000.00
Marburg Mt Crosby Thunder Cricket Club	Resurface Training Nets	The project involves replacing the synthetic surface of three-lanes of a five-lane practice net at Tivoli Sports Complex due to significant wear and tear.	\$ 12,614.00
Northern Suburbs Junior Minor Rugby League Club Ipswich (Norths Tigers Juniors)	Equipment and Capacity Building	The Club is engaging Matt Ballin to deliver coaching sessions to our U11 to U18 staff in order to enhance their coaching capabilities and improve the development of our players. Funds will be used towards the purchase of balls, tackle mats, kicking tees and cones to support the coaches during the coaching sessions and to use in their individual training sessions with their respective teams for the 2025 season.	\$ 6,771.55
Queensland Pioneer Steam Railway	Future Proofing the Swanbank Loop	The project includes replacing the timber sleepers with steel sleepers, which are quick to install and have a life expectancy of 25-30 years (future proofing against major works on a hard to access section). While the sleepers were donated, the fixings were not, and so funds will be used towards the purchase of the required specialized fasteners.	\$ 15,000.00
Redbank Plains Bears JRLFC	Scoreboard Upgrade	The upgrade of the scoreboard will allow communication through not only score updates but also key messages and honouring sponsors that support the club.	\$ 12,000.00
Shiloh Christian Family Centre	Ipswich Youth Programs	Funding will assist Shiloh Church to purchase skate ramp equipment, basketball hoop and balls, gaming equipment, large outdoor games, bean bags, chairs, and kitchen equipment, which will be utilised by the weekly Friday night youth program and mid-week mentoring programs, as well as the multiple youth camps and events held throughout the year.	\$ 6,646.54
Springfield United Football Club	Storage and Seating	This project involves the installation of storage cages to store balls, bibs, cones and football equipment for the running of the teams.	\$ 4,300.00
Whitehill Football Club	Replacing Stolen Equipment	Funding will assist the Club to replace marquees (including sandbag weights) and bench seats, which are essential for the day-to-day operation of the club. The marquees are vital for providing shelter during outdoor events, training sessions, and matches. The bench seats are used to ensure comfort and organization for players and volunteers.	\$ 3,568.68
Women's Crisis Support Service	Connecting Women Program	The Connecting Women's Program (CWP) provides a safe and supportive environment, guidance, and opportunities for women to participate in strengths-based activities that build resilience, self-esteem and connections to other women and community supports. Funds will be used towards workshop resources and facilitators, stationery and art and craft materials for the program.	\$ 9,147.20
	TOTAL		\$ 99,695.90
Councillor Discretionary Funds			
Apprenticeships Queensland	2025 Apprentice Awards Night	The night will be held 10 October 2025 at the North Ipswich Reserve Corporate Centre and gathers Apprentices and Trainees, their families, and the businesses that host them for their employment to recognize those high achievers in their chosen areas. The night also recognizes those long standing businesses who have partnered in training young people in the region and the mentors that work closely with the young people on a daily basis.	\$ 1,650.00
Australian Railway Historical Society Queensland Division	Ipswich Workshops to the Historic Grandchester Station Steam Train	A special steam train tour held 5 May 2025, funding was used towards the hire of musicians, tables, chairs and portable toilets.	\$ 2,095.00
Brassall Child Care Centre	50th Anniversary Celebrations	The Centre will celebrate their 50th anniversary on 2 August 2025, and will feature historical photo displays and memorabilia, live entertainment from a local children's performer, cake cutting and speeches, a recognition presentation for long-serving educators, food and refreshments, and the official opening of the soon-to-commence baby playground.	\$ 3,700.00
Bremer Catchment Association	Ipswich Show Garden 2025 - Signage, Kids Stamps and Aprons	The Bremer Catchment, in collaboration with several Ipswich based community groups and businesses, delivered the first permanent garden display at the Ipswich Show, held 16 to 18 May 2025. The garden included a one directional garden path showing what can be grown in such a small space and that native plants can look attractive, as well as information on which plants grow well in Ipswich and how to garden sustainably and for free.	\$ 812.20
Brothers Cricket Club Ipswich	Security Cameras Shane Watson Oval	Due to a number of break-ins and the theft of mowers and other equipment, funding will be used towards the installation of security cameras.	\$ 1,600.00
Brothers Cricket Club Ipswich	Purchase Zero Turn Mower	Funds will be used to replace the zero turn mower that was stolen from the equipment shed.	\$ 4,050.00
Brothers Football Club Ipswich	Defibrillator Package and Elite Sports Trainers Kit	The Club will use the funds to purchase a defibrillator and an updated first aid kit to ensure the safety and well-being of all.	\$ 2,899.53
BRT Village Home Owners Association	Ride on Mower	The purchase of the ride on mower will assist the older residents to maintain the golf course (that was established and is looked after by the residents) for weekly golf sessions.	\$ 1,500.00
Central Districts Cricket Club	Grounds Maintenance/Facility Cleaning Equipment	Funds will be used to purchase equipment (power tools) to assist the grounds maintenance and facility cleaning volunteers.	\$ 1,044.00
City of Ipswich Pipe Band	Install Solar Panels	This project will install solar panels on the roof of the community hall, which will reduce electricity costs and will have a significant impact on reducing their environmental footprint.	\$ 5,000.00
Collingwood Park Power AFC	Update Constitution for betterment of members	Funds will be used to update the Collingwood Park Power AFC constitution to ensure that it is lawful and meets all legislative and AFL requirements. This includes updating the constitution to include behaviour policies and process, safety; child safety and the promotion of footy for fun in junior spaces.	\$ 2,000.00
Collingwood Park Power AFC	Auskick and Junior AFL Community Appreciation Day	The Club held an Auskick day on 21 June and will hold a Gala Celebration Day on 13 September 2025 as a way to promote being active and attract new members and volunteers to increase the participation in sport locally.	\$ 1,063.98
Collingwood Park Power AFC	Mental Health Match	Mental health is an ongoing concern and on 9 August 2025 the Club are holding a Mental Health Match where they will support and raise funds for Beyond Blue. The day aims to promote being active for young people, safety and inclusion in sport, and good mental health for players and the local community.	\$ 850.13
Collingwood Park Power AFC	Upgrade of Fridge in canteen	The sale of food and drinks through the canteen allows the Club to continue to deliver community programs. Funds will be used to purchase a new fridge and a hot box.	\$ 3,250.00
Cricket Ipswich	Surface water removal - Equipment	The purchase of the super sopper machinery will enable ground staff and volunteers to effectively remove laying water and greatly decrease the number of abandoned matches.	\$ 5,300.00
Focal Community Living	Lifescills - Health Promotion through Cooking	This project will support an enhanced Lifescills Program focussing on healthy eating and health promotion to people living with a disability in Ipswich.	\$ 1,300.00
Fusion Arts	Fusion Arts Inc Presents Seussical Jr (Cast Shirts)	Fusion Arts Inc will present Seussical Jr, 24 to 25 September 2025, as part of the school holiday program at the Ipswich Civic Centre. This musical theatre performance will provide opportunities for the children of Ipswich to bring best-loved characters to life on stage, at a professional and well-established local venue.	\$ 1,175.00
Gailes Residents Committee t/a Gailes Community House	Family Fun Day & Anniversary 30 years since formation of Gailes Residents Committee	On 28 June 2025 at Lowry Park, Gailes Community House celebrated 30 years since the establishment of the Gailes Residents Committee with a family fun day with a jumping castle, face painting, a roving clown, art and craft activities, bubbles, balls and other fun games.	\$ 2,100.00
Greater Springfield Indian Association	Request for Supplies to Support Ongoing Events	The purchase of marquees and electrical equipment will assist the Greater Springfield Indian Association to provide culturally enriching events throughout the year.	\$ 3,203.05
IPSAARI (Ipswich Artist Run Initiative)	Pop-Up Exhibition Partitions	The purchase of these partitions will allow this creative collective to be more professional when holding pop-up exhibitions in various locations.	\$ 1,625.00
Ipswich & District Athletics Club	Equipment Purchases	The Club will purchase dumbbells and medicine balls as they offer versatile, cost-effective, and functional tools for training that directly support athletic performance.	\$ 1,475.00
Ipswich & District Bird Club	Purchase Equipment for Fundraising Events	The funds will be used to purchase essential equipment for hosting community BBQ fundraising events, including a new barbeque, a shade tent for sun protection, barbeque accessories (such as tongs, trays, and aprons), and storage containers. These BBQs will be held at local community events, club gatherings, and public venues to raise funds that support the Club's ongoing activities.	\$ 1,075.00
Ipswich and District Rifle Club	Security cameras upgrade to include external cameras	The project will involve purchasing and installing CCTV cameras and related equipment.	\$ 1,700.00
Ipswich Basketball Association	New Grandstand	Installing this additional grandstand will not only allow for more seating for junior and senior competitions, which are run 6 days a week, and representative carnival days but will also allow for more spectators to attend the NBL1 games and provide additional grandstand space for community groups who utilise the stadium.	\$ 4,000.00
Ipswich Community Swim Club	Swim Club Equipment and sun smart uniforms	The funds will assist the Club to purchase new equipment to be used in learn to swim classes, on club nights, and at training while the purchase of the medal podium will allow swimmers on club championship days to be presented with their medals on a dedicated podium.	\$ 1,012.35
Ipswich Dragon Boat Club	Junior Development equipment	Funding will be used towards the purchase an outrigger kayak to support single paddler training.	\$ 1,146.05
Ipswich Flexible Learning Centre (Ipswich Flexible School)	Flexi Fair Careers Expo	Flexi Fair is a dynamic and inclusive careers and futures expo, hosted by Ipswich Flexible School on 4 September 2025 at the Ipswich Turf Club, aimed at re-engaging young people and their families with education, employment, and wellbeing pathways with over 40 stallholders representing a broad range of industries and training providers.	\$ 2,325.00
Ipswich Hockey Association	Clubhouse Fan Replacement	Funds will be used to replace the current fans.	\$ 2,480.00
Ipswich Jets Old Boys	Jets Old Boys Replacement BBQ & Gas Bottles	The Jets Old Boys will be purchase a new bbq and larger gas bottles to assist with BBQ's at Jets training and game days.	\$ 435.13
Ipswich Multicultural Projects	Flavours & Fantasia: A Russian Cultural Feast	This evening being held on 12 July 2025 will include a home-cooked international inspired two-course meal and the Folkloric Russian Samotsvety ensemble playing traditional music. Attendees are encouraged to wear Russian inspired attire with prizes for best dressed.	\$ 625.00
Ipswich Musketeers Baseball Club	Upgrade Club Signage	New signage at the entrance to Tivoli Sporting Complex and on the clubhouse will be installed with the hope of increasing membership of the Club.	\$ 5,150.00
Ipswich Netball Association	2025 Junior State Age Championships	Funding will assist the representative netball teams to attend the 2025 Netball Queensland Junior State Age Championship at the Sunshine Coast, 5 to 8 July 2025.	\$ 1,480.00
Ipswich Photographic Society	Introduction to Basic Digital Photography	The purchase of digital cameras will assist the Society to hold Basic Digital Photography workshops to introduce Ipswich residents to digital photography in the hope that they will form an interest in photography, join a club and interact with other like minded participants, therefore assisting with social isolation and mental health issues, and create a more active society.	\$ 4,450.00
Ipswich Pickleball Association	Growing Pickleball in Ipswich	Funds will be used to purchase a defibrillator and install fans in the hall at the Rosewood showgrounds.	\$ 3,550.00
Ipswich Uniting Church	Glebe Garden Club Friendship Day	The Glebe Garden Club will host a Friendship Day on 2 August 2025 at the Ipswich Uniting Church (Glebe Rd) inviting members from 40 other not-for-profit garden and plant based clubs across South East Queensland. The day will include a morning tea welcome, plant sales, speeches, a luncheon, guest speaker Bernard Yorke (a nationally recognised breeder, grower and exhibitor of begonias) and a question / answer time to provide more information about the club and local community.	\$ 1,330.00
Marburg and District A and I Association	Agricultural Show	The Marburg Show, held 10 May 2025, has free entertainment and displays for children and families including dinosaur encounter, Amberley Pipe Band, goat milking display, line dancing display, children's dancing group, jumping dogs, pig races, Australasian Living History Federation, old machinery, vintage cars, animal farm and fireworks.	\$ 2,700.00
Marburg and District A and I Association	New Equipment for BBQ area	The BBQ area is used for multiple events during the year. Funds will be used towards the purchase of a new drinks fridge and cash register.	\$ 2,150.00
Northern Suburbs Hockey Club Ipswich	Playing shirts	Funds will be used to purchase new playing shirts for the Division 3 women's team. Shirts will be retained by the club for use in future years.	\$ 962.50
Pine Mountain and Districts Historical Society	Commemorative Services for ANZAC Day and Remembrance Day	The Society needs to provide marquees for shade and shelter for the elderly and people with disability while attending Commemorative Services for ANZAC Day and Remembrance Day at the Pine Mountain War Memorial Monument.	\$ 1,500.00
Queensland Pioneer Steam Railway	On Board Toilet	With the final stages of refurbishing the 1950's dining carriages underway, it became necessary to upgrade the toilet systems on board (which were designed and built in the 1990's).	\$ 1,100.00
Raceview Congregational Fellowship	Playing field repair	The playing field at Raceview is an old rubbish dump and the recent wet weather has caused a section of the field to sink (which is common on old dump sites). The funding will be used to fill in the sink hole and then level the surface.	\$ 1,214.38
Redbank Palms Residents Association	Hall Wifi	Funding will be used to purchase audiovisual and wifi equipment enabling the Resident's Association to offer a range of activities, including movie nights, interactive workshops and presentations, screen educational and recreational films, facilitate virtual connections with family, friends, and experts, and provide opportunities for residents to share their talents and stories through multimedia ensuring their residents remain engaged, informed, and connected.	\$ 3,700.00
Redbank Plains Bears JRLFC	RBP Training Resources	Funds will be used to purchase much needed equipment such as tackle pads, hit shields, and corner post pads.	\$ 1,878.06
Returned and Services League of Australia, Qld Branch, Rosewood Sub Branch	Purchase of Office and Lounge Furniture	This project will involve the purchase of new office desk enabling the Sub Branch to function more efficiently in their role of supporting the local Veteran population of Rosewood and Surrounds. They will also purchase some small tables to establish a lounge area for members to relax with a cuppa or drink, chat and share in fellowship with other veterans, which is an important mental health initiative.	\$ 847.54
Ripley Valley Basketball Club	Fence Mesh	Funding will be used to purchase and install custom fence mesh featuring the club's logo at their training facility to improve the appearance of the facility and promote the identity of the club.	\$ 1,000.00
Rosewood and District Support Centre Inc (Rosewood Community Centre)	Slimline Water Tanks Rosewood Community Garden	The Rosewood Community Gardens most recent project is to grow produce with the aim to donate to the Centre's Emergency Relief program to be given out to those in need of assistance. To help reduce program costs, two additional slimline water tanks to capture and store rainwater would be of great benefit to all those involved in the program.	\$ 2,000.00
Rosewood Hack and Pony Club	Custom ICC show jump set	The project involves the development of a set of show jumps, which includes 2 x jump wings, 3 poles and a dazzle board.	\$ 2,000.00
Rosewood State School Parents & Citizen Association	Helping Hands - Tools and Support for an Inclusive School Community	Funding will be used to purchase new marquees, eskies, a sink table, and a point-of-sale (POS) machine to support outdoor events such as sports days and free community events, improving service efficiency, ensuring food safety, and providing shelter.	\$ 1,450.00
South East Redbacks Cricket Club	Senior and Junior Equipment	Funds will be used to purchase new scorebooks and a durable scorebook satchel ensuring better record keeping and support the continued professionalism of the senior team operations. Funds will also be used towards the purchase of a youth club kit and a junior cricket bowling machine, allowing younger players to develop fundamental skills in a fun and safe environment.	\$ 977.00
Springfield Central State High School Parents and Citizens Association	Community Multicultural Concert	The event involves planning and delivering an inclusive community event that showcases music, dance, and traditional performances by over 400 students from diverse cultural backgrounds from the high school and four local primary schools broadening the event's community reach and strengthening partnerships across the Greater Springfield education network.	\$ 3,500.00
Springfield Lakes Nature Care	Koala food trees	This workshop will provide attendees with information about koalas & how researchers are mapping surveying & collecting native eucalyptus trees throughout Southeast Qld to identify high quality koala food sources and how preserving and enriching native habitats not only benefit koalas but also supports broader biodiversity.	\$ 679.42
Swifts Hockey Club	First Aid Kits	Funds will be used to purchase new First Aid kits for each of the club's teams and provide First Aid courses for coaching staff not already trained.	\$ 1,668.00

Applicant	Project Title	Description	Amount Allocated excl GST)
Tamil Association (Queensland)	Tamil Community BBQ	The Community BBQ will be held 3 August 2025 at the Redbank Plains Recreational Reserve providing an opportunity for long-standing residents and newcomers (including international students and recent migrants) to come together and connect with one another, listening to each other's stories and learn more about each other's experiences.	\$ 856.55
The Karalee Community Kindergarten	Committee and Community Meeting Chairs	The Community Kindergarten will be purchasing adult-sized chairs to support the effective operation of their volunteer management committee, to allow seating for family functions, and to accommodate external community groups who use our premises.	\$ 2,573.00
The Scout Association of Australia Queensland Branch Inc - Ripley Scout Group	Ripley Scout Group - Building Security Camera Upgrade	Funding will be used to purchase and install additional security cameras at the Scout building, both inside and near the storeroom area, enhancing their ability to monitor and protect the space, especially due to the amount of equipment and activity around the property.	\$ 1,336.34
Tivoli Primary P&C Association	P & C BBQ Equipment	The P&C will purchase new BBQ equipment, including tables, eskies, BBQs, and gazebos, to host fundraising events such as sausage sizzles, community barbecues, and school functions.	\$ 1,500.00
West Moreton Community Kindergarten	Kitchen Appliance Update	By acquiring two new fridge-freezers, the Community Kindergarten will improve food storage capabilities, ensuring that perishable items are stored at optimal temperatures, thereby reducing food waste and enhancing food safety standards.	\$ 1,000.00
West Moreton Darts Association and Allsports	Kitchen upgrade	Funds will be used towards the upgrade the flooring in the kitchen and bar areas, providing safe, non-slip flooring. New non-slip floor will increase the safety to members and volunteers and allow more people to be in the kitchen safely.	\$ 968.59
Westminster Warriors Soccer Club	New Clubhouse Equipment	The Club will use the funds to purchase a new refrigerator (for volunteers to store their personal food and beverages while undertaking duties during games and events) and an additional iPad (for dedicated point-of-sale (POS) transactions in both the canteen and the uniform shop enhancing efficiency and revenue raised).	\$ 1,000.00
Wounded Heroes Australia	Food4Heroes	Funding will be used towards the purchase of raw ingredients that will be used to prepare free, nutritious meals for Veterans who are homeless and at-risk in the Ipswich region.	\$ 475.00
TOTAL			\$ 117,487.80
Enviropian Levy Community Funding			
Glen Park	Infant care	The funds will be used to purchasing a incubator for baby possums and any other wildlife that needs it.	\$ 1,500.00
Goodness Enterprises	Expanding community educational opportunities at the Chuwar Conservation Corridor	The project will include the installation nest box cameras and monitoring stations, which will be used as educational tools, as well as purchasing weeding tools to continue the bushland rehabilitation works in the The Chuwar Conservation Corridor.	\$ 2,747.84
Orphan Native Animal Rear and Release Association	Supporting the Carers to Support the Wildlife	Funding will be used to purchase food for wildlife in care which will be distributed to registered wildlife carers.	\$ 795.21
Rebecca Smith	Wildlife Rescue, Rehab, Release & Emergency Response	Funds will be used to purchase essential equipment required for the rescue of various wildlife, eg. transport containers, baskets, feeding bowls, etc.	\$ 1,235.99
Shirlee Oldham	Possum Housing and feeding the birds	Funds will be used towards the purchase of feeding bowls, baskets, and wildlife food.	\$ 437.80
Wildlife Preservation Society of Queensland	Quantifying Short-Beaked Echidna Populations Through Community Engagement in Ipswich	This project will use camera traps to monitor short-beaked echidna populations in Ipswich's bushland reserves while engaging the community in wildlife education and conservation. Camera traps will be deployed in rotation across four key locations across Ipswich.	\$ 2,580.00
TOTAL			\$ 9,296.84
In-Kind Assistance			
Control Line Aeronautical Society of Ipswich	State Championships	Bins and toilets	\$ 539.50
Fine Iron Rod and Custom Car Club	Fine Iron Rod and Custom Car Club Inc Show and Swap Meet	Bins and toilets	\$ 3,100.60
Galles Residents Committee t/a Galles Community House	Family Fun day and Celebrating 30 years of the establishment of Galles Residents Committee	Bins and toilets	\$ 1,079.50
Marburg and District A and I Association	Marburg Agricultural Show	Bins, toilets and Council stores items	\$ 4,465.10
Northern Suburbs Senior Rugby League Club Ipswich (Norths Tigers)	Norths 1995 & 2015 Old Boys Reunion	Toilets	\$ 491.70
Rosewood Campdraft Association	Rosewood Campdraft	Bins and toilets	\$ 2,109.00
Woodcrest State College	Netball Gala Day	Bins and toilets	\$ 1,375.10
TOTAL			\$ 13,160.50
Regional Arts Development Fund			
Amanda Harrison	Murder Incorporated	Funds will be used to workshop and perform the play 'Murder Incorporated', with rehearsals being held twice a week for 6 weeks followed by a performance at Studio 188.	\$ 2,000.00
Amy Collins	PlayGround	This project will create an art encounter of unbridled joy, curiosity, and experimentation, transforming the Ipswich Community Gallery into a conceptual playground.	\$ 2,000.00
Anne Marree Leon	Nhuralama's Shop Marketing	The shop is designed to enable all First Nations artists and businesses to showcase the work they create or produce. Funds will be used towards a comprehensive media, branding and marketing campaign.	\$ 13,960.00
Clinton Harvey	Steam, Stories & Letterpress: Ipswich Railway Workshops Residency	Funds will be used to hold school workshops, historical printmaking demonstrations, and a large-scale public activation featuring a vintage steamroller for print production at the Queensland Museum Rail Workshops in Ipswich.	\$ 14,500.00
Donalee Moriarty	The Hive	Funds will be used towards the creation of 10 to 12 ceramic sculptures with a focus on the exploration of hive structures, and the interplay between geometric precision and organic growth.	\$ 2,800.00
Donalee Moriarty	Attendance at the 2025 Australian Ceramics Triennale	Funds will be used towards supporting the artist to attend the 2025 Australian Ceramics Triennale, to be held in October 2025 in Fremantle, Western Australia.	\$ 2,000.00
Faridah McCaul	Artist Residency	During their Ipswich Artist Residency, the artist will develop a body of work reflecting the journey of losing and reclaiming their voice through large-scale paintings exploring themes of transformation, resilience, and self-expression.	\$ 2,000.00
Goran Galic	Development of a performance-ready repertoire of music for a new world music project	Funding will be used for a collaboration to write a new repertoire of music based on Bosnian folk melodies, which will be showcased at a free community event in Studio 188.	\$ 2,000.00
Ipswich Live Music	IL Music Concert Series	The project involves holding love music events with low ticket prices in Ipswich, supporting local musicians and singers.	\$ 15,000.00
Kathryn Neilsen	Kathryn Neilsen: Artist in Residence	Funds will be used to support the running of a series of beginner art workshops in June.	\$ 1,975.00
Kody Bramhall	The Stranger at the Door - Short Film	Funds will be used towards production costs to shoot a short film in Ipswich.	\$ 14,500.00
LeAnne Vincent	Bundanon Artist Residency, NSW	Funds will be used to support the artist attending an Artist in Residence program in Illaroo, NSW.	\$ 2,000.00
Matala Navigators	Matala Navigators - Pacific Island Cultural Program	The project involves holding creative workshops across Ipswich celebrating and preserves Pacific Island cultures through storytelling, music, dance, language, and traditional crafts.	\$ 15,000.00
Momentum Arts	Permission Granted	The musicians will synthesise their skills in beatbox, musical improv, songwriting, street art, audio and video production to create a new work for school students, that investigates what turns sound into music, how to make music using only your body, how to make music with your friends, and new alternate ways of creating engaging exercises for music education that work in parallel with current curriculum guidelines.	\$ 2,000.00
Monica den Hertog	The Air We Share	This series raises awareness about air quality by contrasting clean and toxic air through innovative photographs with abstract overlays.	\$ 2,000.00
Neil Moorhead	Silver Stories	Ipswich Community Gallery has invited the Contemporary Analogue Photography Group (CAPS) to exhibit from 27 January to 10 February 2026. Funding will be used to acquire materials essential for developing the photographer's contribution to the exhibition, 'Silver Stories.'	\$ 2,000.00
Papermakers and Artists Queensland (PAQ)	On a Roll: Contemporary Interpretations of the Paper Scroll	Papermakers and Artists Queensland connects artists sharing a passion for paper as an art medium, with an exhibit in the Ipswich Community Gallery, featuring approximately 40 artworks using paper as the primary medium to create new expressions of this traditional artifact.	\$ 2,000.00
Rachel North	Installation Artwork Project	This project will be to create a large scale ceramic installation artwork to then have professionally photographed and videoed, which will be used to create a catalogue of works.	\$ 6,500.00
Sharon McKenzie	Exquisite Corpse (exhibition name)	Funding will be used to support the two week exhibition of works entitled Exquisite Corpse in the Ipswich Community Gallery.	\$ 2,000.00
Vuong Pham	'Reborn' manuscript assessment	Funds will be used to engage a manuscript asesment service.	\$ 1,700.00
Wooden Horse	The Switch	Funds will be used to develop The Switch, a Pasifika led premium TV drama, following a young Tongan man who finds himself torn between his dreams of rap stardom and his loyalty to the streets that raised him.	\$ 14,913.00
TOTAL			\$ 122,848.00

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ITEM: 3

SUBJECT: REPORT - LIBRARIES AND CUSTOMER SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE
NO. 2025(02) OF 8 JULY 2025

AUTHOR: MEETING COORDINATION MANAGER

DATE: 9 JULY 2025



INTRODUCTION

This is the report of the Libraries and Customer Services Advisory Committee No. 2025(02) of 8 July 2025.

RECOMMENDATION

That Council adopt the recommendations of the Libraries and Customer Services Advisory Committee No. 2025(02) of 8 July 2025.

ATTACHMENTS AND CONFIDENTIAL BACKGROUND PAPERS

1.	Libraries and Customer Services Advisory Committee Report No. 2025(02) of 8 July 2025  
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LIBRARIES AND CUSTOMER SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE NO. 2025(02)

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REPORT

COUNCILLORS ATTENDANCE:

Councillor Jacob Madsen (Chairperson); Councillors Pye Augustine (Deputy Chairperson), Deputy Mayor Nicole Jonic (via audio-link), Andrew Antonioli , David Martin (Observer) and Marnie Doyle (Observer)

COUNCILLOR'S APOLOGIES:

Councillor Jim Madden

OFFICERS ATTENDANCE:

Acting Chief Executive Officer (Matt Smith), Manager, Libraries and Customer Services (Samantha Chandler), Library Branch Services Manager (Gail Seeney) and Acting Executive Services Manager (Karen Murray)

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

The Chairperson, Councillor Jacob Madsen delivered the Acknowledgement of Country

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN MATTERS ON THE AGENDA

Nil

BUSINESS OUTSTANDING

Nil

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF THE LIBRARIES AND CUSTOMER SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE NO. 2025(01) OF 23 APRIL 2025

RECOMMENDATION

That the minutes of the Libraries and Customer Services Advisory Committee held on 23 April 2025 be confirmed.

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LIBRARIES AND CUSTOMER SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE NO. 2025(02)]

OFFICERS' REPORTS

UPDATE TO TENURE FOR REDBANK PLAINS LIBRARY (VERBAL UPDATE)

The Libraries and Customer Services Manager and Manager, Community and Cultural Services provided a verbal update in relation to the progress on tenure for the Redbank Plains Library.

2. SPRINGFIELD LIBRARY PLANNING REPORT

This is a report concerning Springfield Library facility planning.

Springfield Library facility planning was identified as a priority area for discussion at the Libraries and Customer Services Advisory Committee on 21 November 2024.

Libraries and Customer Services together with Infrastructure Strategy and Planning have been working together to draft recommendations for future library requirements in Springfield. The current Springfield Library branch continues to be the busiest branch in the network with over 287,000 visitors in 2024 and 67% increase in visitors since 2021. The building has significant structural and facility challenges including insufficient space, building movement and one shared lift with no ground floor entry and event spaces on the top floor.

The Springfield Library Planning Report (confidential attachment 2) outlines the current state of the existing facility and identifies options for the future.

"The attachment/s to this report are confidential in accordance with section 254J(3)(c) of the *Local Government Regulation 2012*."

RECOMMENDATION

That the report be received and the contents noted.

DISCUSSION

The committee discussed the following matters relating to Springfield Library:

- The various options contained in the Consultant's Report
- Building condition and layout
- Leasing conditions
- Next steps including concept design and cost modelling
- Co-location of community facilities
- External consultation

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3. NEXT MEETING

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, 2 September 2025.

4. GENERAL DISCUSSION (within the purpose and scope of the committee)

PROCEDURAL MOTIONS AND FORMAL MATTERS

The meeting commenced at 3.01 pm.

The meeting adjourned at 3.01 pm

The meeting reconvened at 3.10 pm

Councillor Pye Augustine left meeting at 3.31 pm.

Councillor Pye Augustine returned to the meeting at 3.34 pm.

Councillor David Martin left the meeting at 3.50 pm.

The meeting closed at 3.55 pm.

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ITEM: 4

SUBJECT: REPORT - SPORT AND RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE NO. 2025(02) OF
8 JULY 2025

AUTHOR: MEETING COORDINATION MANAGER

DATE: 9 JULY 2025


INTRODUCTION

This is the report of the Sport and Recreation Advisory Committee No. 2025(02) of 8 July 2025.

RECOMMENDATION

That Council adopt the recommendations of the Sport and Recreation Advisory Committee No. 2025(02) of 8 July 2025.

ATTACHMENTS AND CONFIDENTIAL BACKGROUND PAPERS

1.	Sport and Recreation Advisory Committee Report No. 2025(02) of 8 July 2025 ↓ 
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SPORT AND RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE NO. 2025(02)]

SPORT AND RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE NO. 2025(02)

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REPORT

COUNCILLORS ATTENDANCE:

Councillor Jacob Madsen (Chairperson); Councillors Pye Augustine (Deputy Chairperson) and Andrew Antonioli; Mayor Teresa Harding (Observer), David Martin (Observer) and Marnie Doyle (Observer)

COUNCILLOR'S APOLOGIES:

Deputy Mayor Nicole Jonic and Councillor Jim Madden

OFFICERS ATTENDANCE:

Acting Chief Executive Officer (Matt Smith), Economic Development Manager (Dan Heenan), Manager, Community and Cultural Services (Don Stewart), Community and Sport Manager (Melissa Dower), Acting Executive Services Manager (Karen Murray)

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

The Chairperson, Councillor Jacob Madsen delivered the Acknowledgement of Country

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN MATTERS ON THE AGENDA

Nil

BUSINESS OUTSTANDING

Nil

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF THE SPORT AND RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE NO. 2025(01) OF 23 APRIL 2025

RECOMMENDATION

That the minutes of the Sport and Recreation Advisory Committee held on 23 April 2025 be confirmed.

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SPORT AND RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE NO. 2025(02)]

OFFICERS' REPORTS

SYNTHETIC ATHLETICS TRACK (TARTAN TRACK) – VERBAL UPDATE

The Manager, Community and Cultural Services and Economic Development Manager provided a high level overview of progress in relation to the internal engagement undertaken, possible funding pathways and suitable locations for a synthetic athletics track for Ipswich.

2. JETS/RLI RELOCATION FROM NORTH IPSWICH RESERVE 2026-2027

The Manager, Community and Cultural Services provided a presentation in relation to the relocation of Jets/RLI from the North Ipswich Reserve 2026-2027.

RECOMMENDATION

That the presentation be received and noted.

DISCUSSION

The committee discussed the following matters in relation to the relocation of Jets and Rugby League Ipswich from North Ipswich Reserve which included timelines, user groups and options for facilities for storage and a gymnasium:

- 1. Review of current training and game day activations at North Ipswich Reserve 2025**
- 2. Recommended training locations 2026 – 2027**
 - a. Ipswich Jets
 - b. Rugby League Ipswich representative teams
 - c. Ipswich Referees Association
 - d. Ipswich State High School
- 3. Recommended game day locations 2026-2027**
 - a. Ipswich Jets
 - b. Rugby League Ipswich representative teams
 - c. Ipswich Referees Association
 - d. Ipswich State High School
- 4. Financial Implications**
- 5. Next Steps**

The committee agreed to the timelines discussed and agreed to not utilise Briggs Road as an option.

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The committee also discussed a future councillor briefing session on the longer term tenure of Briggs Road.

3. NEXT MEETING

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, 2 September 2025.

4. GENERAL DISCUSSION (within the purpose and scope of the committee)

PROCEDURAL MOTIONS AND FORMAL MATTERS

The meeting commenced at 2.01 pm.

Councillor Andrew Antonioli and Mayor Teresa Harding arrived at 2.06 pm.

The meeting closed at 3.00 pm.

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ITEM: 5

SUBJECT: REPORT - MULTICULTURAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE NO. 2025(01) OF 10 JULY 2025

AUTHOR: SENIOR ADMINISTRATION OFFICER

DATE: 14 JULY 2025


INTRODUCTION

This is the report of the Multicultural Advisory Committee No. 2025(01) of 10 July 2025.

RECOMMENDATION

That Council adopt the recommendations of the Multicultural Advisory Committee No. 2025(01) of 10 July 2025.

ATTACHMENTS AND CONFIDENTIAL BACKGROUND PAPERS

1.	Multicultural Advisory Committee Report No. 2025(01) of 10 July 2025 ↓ 
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MULTICULTURAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE NO. 2025(01)]

MULTICULTURAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE NO. 2025(01)

10 JULY 2025

REPORT

COUNCILLORS ATTENDANCE:

Councillor Pye Augustine (Chairperson); Councillors Jacob Madsen (Deputy Chairperson), Marnie Doyle, Andrew Antoniolli and David Martin

COUNCILLOR'S APOLOGIES:

Nil

OFFICERS ATTENDANCE:

Acting Chief Executive Officer (Matt Smith), General Manager Environment and Sustainability (Kaye Cavanagh), Acting General Manager, Community, Cultural and Economic Development (Carly Gregory), Manager Community and Cultural Services (Don Stewart), Economic Development Manager (Dan Heenan), Acting Senior Community Activation Officer (Tanya Appleton) and Acting Executive Services Manager (Karen Murray)

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

Councillor Pye Augustine (Chairperson) delivered the Acknowledgement of Country

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN MATTERS ON THE AGENDA

Nil

OFFICERS' REPORTS

1. **TERMS OF REFERENCE**

This is a report concerning the draft Terms of Reference for the Multicultural Advisory Committee.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Terms of Reference as outlined in Attachment 1 be adopted.

DISCUSSION

The committee discussed the draft terms of reference, in particular the 'Purpose and Scope' and 'Roles and Responsibilities'. The committee agreed that the draft terms of reference should be refined and submitted back to the Multicultural Advisory Committee before being recommended to the Community and Sport Committee.

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ACTION:

General Manager Environment and Sustainability and General Manager Community, Cultural and Economic Development to collaborate with the relevant council officers and provide a copy of the suggested changes to the draft terms of reference to the Chairperson and committee members for it to be included on the next Multicultural Advisory Committee meeting agenda.

2. NEXT MEETING

The next meeting is to be advised once the Terms of Reference has been reviewed (approximately 6 weeks).

3. GENERAL DISCUSSION (within the purpose and scope of the committee)

The committee discussed the NAIDOC event held in Tulumur Place on Tuesday, 8 July 2025.

PROCEDURAL MOTIONS AND FORMAL MATTERS

The meeting commenced at 9.00 am.

The meeting closed at 10.24 am.
