

Special Council Meeting

30 October 2023

Agenda

Notice is hereby given of a Special Meeting of Council to be held in the Council Chambers, City of Kwinana Administration Centre commencing at 5.30pm.

Wayne Jack
Chief Executive Officer

Members of the public who attend Council meetings should not act immediately on anything they hear at the meetings, without first seeking clarification of Council's position. Persons are advised to wait for written advice from the Council prior to taking action on any matter that they may have before Council.

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1 OPENING AND ANNOUNCEMENT OF VISITORS

Presiding Member to declare the meeting open and welcome all in attendance.

2 WELCOME TO COUNTRY AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

Councillor Barry Winmar to present the Welcome to Country:

“Ngullak nyinniny kooralong koora ngullak noitj nidja noongar boodjar. Noongar moort djoorapiny nyinniny nidja ngulla quopadok noongar boodjar kooralong.

From the beginning of time to the end, this is Noongar Country. Noongar people have been graceful keepers of our nation for many, many years.

Djinanginy katatjin djoorapiny nidja weern noongar boodjar ngalla mia mia boorda.

Look, listen, understand and embrace all the elements of Noongar Country that is forever our home.

Kaya wandju ngaany koort djoorpiny nidja Noongar boodjar daadjaling waankganinyj Noongar Boodjar.

Hello and welcome my heart is happy as we are gathered on country and meeting here on Noongar Country”

Presiding Member to read the Acknowledgement of country:

“It gives me great pleasure to welcome you all here and before commencing the proceedings, I would like to acknowledge that we come together tonight on the traditional land of the Noongar people and we pay our respects to their Elders past and present.”

3 DEDICATION

Councillor Sue Kearney to read the dedication:

“May we, the Elected Members of the City of Kwinana, have the wisdom to consider all matters before us with due consideration, integrity and respect for the Council Chamber.

May the decisions made be in good faith and always in the best interest of the greater Kwinana community that we serve.”

4 ATTENDANCE, APOLOGIES, LEAVE(S) OF ABSENCE (PREVIOUSLY APPROVED)**Apologies:**

Unknown at the time of issuing the agenda.

Leave(s) of Absence (previously approved):

Nil

5 PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

In accordance with the *Local Government Act 1995* and the *Local Government (Administration) Regulations 1996*, any person may during Public Question Time ask any question.

In accordance with Regulation 6 of the *Local Government (Administration) Regulations 1996*, the minimum time allowed for Public Question Time is 15 minutes. A member of the public who raises a question during Question Time is to state his or her name and address.

Members of the public must provide their questions in writing prior to the commencement of the meeting. A public question time form must contain all questions to be asked and include contact details and the form must be completed in a legible form.

Please note that in accordance with Section 3.4(5) of the *City of Kwinana Standing Orders Local Law 2019* a maximum of two questions are permitted initially. An additional question will be allowed by the Presiding Member if time permits following the conclusion of all questions by members of the public.

6 REPORT ON THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTION HELD

The Local Government Election for Kwinana was held in accordance with the Local Government Act and Local Government Regulations.

The Mayoral Election Count was conducted on Saturday 21 October 2023 with a total of 8,834 formal votes and 104 informal votes.

There were 4 candidates who nominated and the results for each are:

Candidate	First-Preference Votes
PENNY, Ivy	1,649
BRYSON, Jim	581
FEASEY, Peter	4,522
WINMAR, Barry	2,082

Elected as the Mayor of City of Kwinana until 16 October 2027.

FEASEY, Peter	4,522
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The Councillor Election Count was conducted on Saturday 21 October 2023 with a total of 9,036 formal ballot papers and 129 informal ballot papers.

There were 12 candidates who nominated and the results for each are:

Candidate	First-Preference Votes	Votes at Last Count
FEASEY, Peter	3,504	0
SALAKJANI, Nasim	421	0
WOOD, Sheri	593	1,509
POMEROY, Keith	309	0
ACKER, David	800	1,510
CHAUHAN, Jag	469	0
LEAHY, Erin Kate	335	0
WARD, Inger	313	0
SERGEANT, Erin	588	1,240
BROWN, Michael James	661	1,364
HUTCHINSON, Peter	240	0
PENNY, Ivy	803	1,513

Elected to fill four vacancies expiring on 16 October 2027

PENNY, Ivy	1,513
ACKER, David	1,510
WOOD, Sheri	1,509
BROWN, Michael James	1,364

Elected to fill one vacancy expiring on 18 October 2025

SERGEANT, Erin	1,240
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7 DECLARATION OF MAYOR

7.1 DECLARATION OF OFFICE BY THE NEWLY ELECTED MAYOR

Once elected, the Mayor is to make a declaration in the prescribed form before taking office.

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION

Mayor Peter Feasey made the declaration, in the prescribed form, before the Hon David Michael MLA, Minister for Local Government.

8 SWEARING IN OF NEWLY ELECTED COUNCILLORS

In accordance with section 2.29 of the Local Government Act 1995, a person elected as a Councillor is to make a declaration in the prescribed form before acting in the office.

All Councillors making such declaration have been provided with a copy of the relevant forms.

Declarations required are to be made before an authorised person. In accordance with regulation 13(5) of the Local Government (Constitution) Regulations 1998 an authorised person means a person before whom a statutory declaration can be made under the Oaths, Affidavits and Statutory Declarations Act 2005.

9 ELECTION OF DEPUTY MAYOR

9.1 ELECTION OF DEPUTY MAYOR

Election of the Deputy Mayor is required to be conducted in accordance with the *Local Government Act 1995*.

Schedules 2.3 (Division 1) and 4.1 of the *Local Government Act 1995* and the *Local Government (Constitution) Regulations 1998* provide the methodology by which this election is to take place.

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION

The Chief Executive Officer congratulated Councillor [enter name](#).

9.2 DECLARATION OF OFFICE BY THE NEWLY ELECTED DEPUTY MAYOR

Once elected, the Deputy Mayor is to make a declaration in the prescribed form before taking office.

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION

Councillor [enter name](#) made the declaration, in the prescribed form, before the Hon David Michael MLA, Minister for Local Government.

10 SEATING ARRANGEMENTS FOR COUNCILLORS**10.1 SEATING ARRANGEMENTS FOR COUNCILLORS**

That Council notes the following methodology for determining seating positions in the Council Chamber;

- Deputy Mayor to be seated at Front Left Hand Side of the Council Chamber.
- All other seated positions to be filled by Last Name alphabetical order, from the Front Left Hand Side.

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION

That Council adopts the following methodology for determining seating positions in the Council Chamber;

- **Deputy Mayor to be seated at Front Left Hand Side of Council Chamber.**
- **All other seated positions to be filled by Last Name alphabetical order, from the Front Left Hand Side**

11 REPORTS OF ELECTED MEMBERS

12 MAYORAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

13 CLOSE OF MEETING