

# MINUTES

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## Community and Culture Committee

Monday, 10 February 2025

6:00 PM

Dragon Room

Georges River Civic Centre

Hurstville



## **PRESENT**

### **COUNCIL MEMBERS**

Councillor Landsberry, (Chairperson), Councillor Allison, Councillor Anzellotti, Councillor Dimoski, Councillor Mort and Councillor Wang.

### **COUNCIL STAFF**

General Manager – David Tuxford, Director Community and Culture - Kristie Dodd, Executive Manager City Futures – Kent Stroud, Manager City Life - Margaret Le, Manager Strategic Placemaking – Hayley Barnes, Coordinator Community Capacity Building - Alexis Drevikovsky, Coordinator Communications and Engagement – Catherine James, Community Capacity Building Officer – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Portfolio – Heidi Bradburn, Acting Manager Office of the General Manager – Marisa Severino, Executive Assistant to General Manager – Sue Matthews, Head of Technology, Garuthman De Silva, Team Leader Technology Business Support – Mark Tadros and Executive Assistant to the Director Community and Culture – Billie Johnson (Minutes).

## **OPENING**

The Chairperson, Councillor Landsberry, opened the meeting at 6.02pm.

## **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY**

The Chairperson, Councillor Landsberry acknowledged the Bidjigal people of the Eora Nation, who are the Traditional Custodians of all lands, waters and sky in the Georges River area. She paid her respect to Elders past and present and extend that respect to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples who live, work and meet on these lands.

## **APOLOGIES/LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

That an apology be accepted for Deputy Mayor, Councillor Liu, Councillor Gao and Councillor Arthur.

**MOTION:** Councillor Allison, Councillor Mort

### **Record of Voting**

For the Motion: Councillor Landsberry, Councillor Allison, Councillor Anzellotti, Councillor Dimoski, Councillor Mort, Councillor Wang

On being PUT to the meeting, voting on this Motion was UNANIMOUS. The Motion was CARRIED.

## **REQUEST TO ATTEND VIA AUDIO VISUAL LINK**

There were no requests to attend via Audio Visual Link.

## **NOTICE OF WEBCASTING**

The Chairperson, Councillor Landsberry advised staff and the public that the meeting is being recorded for minute-taking purposes and is also webcast live on Council's website, in accordance with section 5 of Council's Code of Meeting Practice. This recording will be made available on Council's Website.

## **CODE OF MEETING PRACTICE**

Council's Code of Meeting Practice prohibits the electronic recording of meetings without the express permission of Council.

## **DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST**

There were no disclosures of interest made.

## **PUBLIC FORUM**

There were no registered speakers.

## **CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS**

### **COM001-25 Confirmation of the Minutes of the Community and Culture Committee Meeting held on 9 December 2024**

(Report by Manager Office of the General Manager)

**RECOMMENDATION:** Councillor Allison, Councillor Mort

That the Minutes of the Community and Culture Committee Meeting held on 9 December 2024, be confirmed.

### **Record of Voting**

For the Motion: Councillor Landsberry, Councillor Allison, Councillor Anzellotti, Councillor Dimoski, Councillor Mort, Councillor Wang

On being PUT to the meeting, voting on this Motion was UNANIMOUS. The Motion was CARRIED.

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

### **COM002-25 Quarterly Community Property Report - 1 October 2024 to 31 December 2024**

(Report by Coordinator, Programming and Operations)

**RECOMMENDATION:** Councillor Mort, Councillor Dimoski

That Council receive and note the Quarterly Community Property Report for the period of October 2024 to 31 December 2024.

### **Record of Voting**

For the Motion: Councillor Landsberry, Councillor Allison, Councillor Anzellotti, Councillor Dimoski, Councillor Mort, Councillor Wang

On being PUT to the meeting, voting on this Motion was UNANIMOUS. The Motion was CARRIED.

### **COM003-25 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Strategy for Adoption**

(Report by Community Capacity Building Officer - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Portfolio)

**RECOMMENDATION:** Councillor Mort, Councillor Allison

(a) That Council adopt the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Strategy (Attachment 1), noting changes made following exhibition of the Draft Strategy.

(b) That the General Manager be delegated authority to make minor administrative changes to the Strategy, if required.

### **Record of Voting**

For the Motion: Councillor Landsberry, Councillor Allison, Councillor Anzellotti, Councillor Dimoski, Councillor Mort, Councillor Wang

On being PUT to the meeting, voting on this Motion was UNANIMOUS. The Motion was CARRIED.

**CONCLUSION**

The Meeting was closed at 6.23pm

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Chairperson