



# Camden Council Minutes

**Ordinary Council Meeting**  
**23 July 2013**

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**Camden Civic Centre  
Oxley Street  
Camden**



# ORDINARY COUNCIL

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## **PRESENT**

Cr Symkowiak (Mayor/Chairperson), Cr Bligh, Cr Campbell, Cr Copeland, Cr Dewbery, Cr Fedeli, Cr Fischer, Cr Sidgreaves, Cr Warren.

## **STAFF**

General Manager, Director Governance, Director Development and Health, Acting Director Works and Services, Manager Corporate Services, Acting Manager Environmentally Sustainable Design, Manager Capital Works, Manager Development, Manager Environment and Health, Manager Strategic Planning, Manager Employee & Community Relations, Acting Manager Community Services, Manager Assets, Executive Services Coordinator, Senior Governance Officer.

## **APOLOGIES**

There were no leave of absence to be granted.

## **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

There were no declarations of interest to be noted.

## **PUBLIC ADDRESSES**

Mr Peter McLean addressed Council in relation to ORD04 – Request for Sponsorship – Macarthur Collegians Cycling Club Inc.

Ms Adriana Care addressed Council on items pertaining to Narellan Chamber of Commerce.

MOVED: Councillor Campbell, Seconded Councillor Fischer to grant Ms Adriana Care an extension of one minute.

ORD178/13 THE MOTION ON BEING PUT WAS **CARRIED**

Mr Paul Mingate addressed Council in relation to ORD11 – Notice of Motion of Rescission – Request for Funding for 2013 Christmas in Narellan Event.

Mr Chris Patterson MP addressed Council in relation to ORD01 – Environment and Regulation Inquiry; ORD04 – Request for Sponsorship – Macarthur Collegians Cycling Club Inc; and ORD12 – Notice of Motion – Camden Community Connections Youth Project “Camden ANZACS – Our Story”.

Resolution: Moved Councillor Dewbery, Seconded Councillor Sidgreaves that the public addresses be noted.

ORD179/13 THE MOTION ON BEING PUT WAS **CARRIED**

## **CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES**

Resolution: Moved Councillor Fedeli, Seconded Councillor Copeland that the Minutes of the Ordinary Council Meeting held 9 July 2013, copies of which have been circulated, be confirmed and adopted.

ORD180/13 THE MOTION ON BEING PUT WAS **CARRIED**

**ORD01 Environment and Regulation Inquiry**

Resolution: Moved Councillor Fedeli, Seconded Councillor Sidgreaves that Council:

- i. endorse the submission to the inquiry into the management and disposal of waste on private lands; and
- ii. authorise the General Manager to sign the attached submission.

ORD181/13 THE MOTION ON BEING PUT WAS **CARRIED**

**ORD02 Amendment 28 - El Caballo Blanco/Gledswood Minimum Lot Size**

Resolution: Moved Councillor Dewbery, Seconded Councillor Sidgreaves, that Council:

- i. endorse the draft Planning Proposal to insert a new clause "4.1C Exception to minimum lot size for certain land at El Caballo Blanco/Gledswood Urban Release Area", and forward to the Department of Planning and Infrastructure for Gateway Determination;
- ii. upon favourable Gateway Determination place the draft Planning Proposal on public exhibition for 14 days; and
- iii. require a report be brought back to Council following the completion of the public exhibition.

ORD182/13 THE MOTION ON BEING PUT WAS **CARRIED**

(Councillors Sidgreaves, Copeland, Warren, Symkowiak, Fischer, Dewbery, Campbell, Fedeli and Bligh voted in favour of the Motion. No Councillors against for the Motion. )

**ORD03 2012 Election Costs and Administration of 2016 Local Government Elections, Polls And Referendums**

Resolution: Moved Councillor Sidgreaves, Seconded Councillor Fischer that Council:

- i. note the final costs of the 2012 Local Government Election;
- ii. acknowledge amendments made to s. 296 of the *Local Government Act 1993*, which now allow Councils until March 2015 to enter into a contract with the NSW Electoral Commission for the management and administration of the 2016 Local Government Election, Polls and Referendums; and
- iii. be presented with options into who can manage and administer the 2016 Local Government election at a time prior to March 2015.

ORD183/13 THE MOTION ON BEING PUT WAS **CARRIED**

**ORD04 Request for Sponsorship - Macarthur Collegians Cycling Club Inc**

Resolution: Moved Councillor Sidgreaves, Seconded Councillor Campbell that Council donate \$6,000 from Council Ward Funds and \$1,500 of in kind support.

ORD184/13 THE MOTION ON BEING PUT WAS **CARRIED**

**ORD05 Establishment of Alcohol Free Zones - Currans Hill**

Resolution: Moved Councillor Fischer, Seconded Councillor Sidgreaves that Council:

- i. establish Ilando Way, Currans Hill as an Alcohol Free Zone in accordance with the provisions of Section 644B of the Local Government Act for a period of four years, effective from July 2013 to June 2017;
- ii. establish Currans Hill Drive between Hartley Road and William Mannix Drive, Currans Hill as an Alcohol Free Zone in accordance with the provisions of Section 644B of the Local Government Act for a period of four years, effective from July 2013 to June 2017;
- iii. establish Tramway Drive between Currans Hill Drive and Moore Place, Currans Hill as an Alcohol Free Zone in accordance with the provisions of Section 644B of the Local Government Act for a period of four years, effective from July 2013 to June 2017;
- iv. advise the Camden Local Area Command and all interested parties of the establishment of an Alcohol Free Zone as required as per Ministerial Guidelines and the Local Government Act; and
- v. publicly advise the community of the establishment of the Alcohol Free Zones by a notice published in a local newspaper circulating in an area that includes the zone.

ORD185/13 THE MOTION ON BEING PUT WAS **CARRIED**

**ORD06 Road Safety Program 2013/14**

Resolution: Moved Councillor Fischer, Seconded Councillor Warren that Council:

- i. endorses the Road Safety Program for the 2013/14 financial year;
- ii. accepts RMS funding of \$60,800 under the Local Government Road Safety Program with Council funding being already allocated in the adopted 2013/14 Budget; and
- iii. authorises the relevant documentation to be completed under Council Seal as necessary.

ORD186/13 THE MOTION ON BEING PUT WAS **CARRIED**

**ORD07 Local Biodiversity Strategy for the Camden Local Government Area**

Resolution: Moved Councillor Fedeli, Seconded Councillor Campbell that Council:

- i. endorse the Local Biodiversity Strategy for the draft Camden Local Government Area;
- ii. agree to publicly exhibit the draft Local Biodiversity Strategy for the Camden Local Government Area for a period of 28 days; and
- iii. a further report to be provided to Council detailing the results of the exhibition of the draft Local Biodiversity Strategy for the Camden Local Government Area

ORD187/13 THE MOTION ON BEING PUT WAS **CARRIED**

**ORD08 Local Government Energy Efficiency Program**

Resolution: Moved Councillor Dewbery, Seconded Councillor Sidgreaves that Council:

- i. endorse Council's participation in the Local Government Energy Efficiency Program;
- ii. approve funding of \$10,191.90 to be funded from the existing Works and Services Divisional Funds;
- iii. write to the Australian Government's Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism thanking them for the grant; and

iv. delegate the General Manager to sign the Funding Agreement.

ORD188/13 THE MOTION ON BEING PUT WAS **CARRIED**

**ORD09 Civic Centre Cultural Performance Subsidy**

Resolution: Moved Councillor Fischer, Seconded Councillor Campbell that Council provide \$8,600 (GST exclusive) to the applicants as noted in this report, under Council's Civic Centre Cultural Performance Subsidy, and advise each applicant of the outcome in writing.

ORD189/13 THE MOTION ON BEING PUT WAS **CARRIED**

**ORD10 Public Exhibition of Disability Action Plan 2013 - 2017**

Resolution: Moved Councillor Dewbery, Seconded Councillor Sidgreaves that Council:

- i. adopt the amended Camden Disability Action Plan 2013 – 2017; and
- ii. acknowledge and thank those who made a contribution to the review.

ORD190/13 THE MOTION ON BEING PUT WAS **CARRIED**

**MOTIONS OF RESCISSION**

**ORD11 Notice of Motion of Rescission - Request for Funding for 2013 Christmas in Narellan Event - Narellan Chamber of Commerce & Industry Ltd**

Resolution: Moved Councillor Copeland, Seconded Councillor Warren that Council rescind the Council resolution relating to item No ORD11 – Request for Funding for 2013 Christmas in Narellan Event – Narellan Chamber of Commerce & Industry Ltd of Council Meeting of 23 July 2013.

ORD191/13 THE MOTION ON BEING PUT WAS **LOST**

(Councillors Copeland, Warren, Campbell and Bligh voted in favour of the Motion. Councillors Sidgreaves, Symkowiak, Fischer, Dewbery and Fedeli voted against the Motion.)

**NOTICES OF MOTION**

**ORD12 Notice of Motion - Camden Community Connections Youth Project Camden ANZACS– Ourstory**

Resolution: Moved Councillor Symkowiak, Seconded Councillor Sidgreaves that Council donates a total of \$2,000 from Councillors Consolidated Ward Funds to Camden Community Connections, to be utilised towards the Camden Community Connections youth project "Camden Anzacs – Our Story".

ORD192/13 THE MOTION ON BEING PUT WAS **CARRIED**

**THE MEETING CLOSED AT 8.08PM**