

# **MINUTES**

# Risk Management and Audit Committee Tuesday 27 August 2024

The Committee Meeting of the City of Palmerston held in the Council Chambers, Civic Plaza, 1 Chung Wah Terrace, Palmerston, NT 0830.

Committee business papers can be viewed on the City of Palmerston website www.palmerston.nt.gov.au



Minutes of Risk Management and Audit Committee Meeting held in Council Chambers Civic Plaza, 1 Chung Wah Terrace, Palmerston on Tuesday 27 August 2024 at 5.00pm

# **PRESENT**

COMMITTEE MEMBERS Clare Milikins, Independent Member (Chair)

Craig Kirby, Independent Member (Via

Audio/Audiovisual)

David Ray, Independent Member

Mayor Athina Pascoe-Bell Councillor Amber Garden

STAFF Chief Executive Officer, Luccio Cercarelli

General Manager Infrastructure, Nadine Nilon General Manager Finance and Governance, Wati

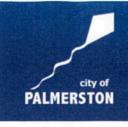
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General Manager Community, Konrad Seidl

Finance Manager, Jeffrey Guilas Governance Lead, Angie Torr

Minute Secretary, Navya Desamala

GALLERY Nil



#### 1 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

City of Palmerston acknowledges the Larrakia people as the Traditional Custodians of the Palmerston region. We pay our respects to the Elders past, present and future leaders and extend that respect to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

#### 2 OPENING OF MEETING

The Chair declared the meeting open at 5.08pm.

#### 3 APOLOGIES AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE

3.1 Apologies

Moved:

Councillor Garden

Seconded:

David Ray

THAT the apology received from Councillor Henderson for 27 August 2024 be received and noted.

CARRIED RMA10/146 - 27/08/2024

3.2 Leave of Absence Previously Granted

Nil

3.3 Leave of Absence Request

Nil

#### 4 REQUEST FOR AUDIO/AUDIOVISUAL CONFERENCING

Moved:

David Ray

Seconded:

Councillor Garden

THAT the Committee note Craig Kirby is attending via Audio/Audiovisual Conferencing who will be physically prevented from attending a meeting due to being a distance greater than 100km from the appointed place of meeting.

CARRIED RMA10/147 - 27/08/2024

### 5 DECLARATION OF INTEREST

#### 5.1 Committee Members

Moved:

Mayor Pascoe-Bell

Seconded:

David Ray

THAT the Declaration of Interest received from Chair Clare Milikins for Item 16.1.2 be received and noted.

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5.2 Staff

Nil

#### 6 CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

6.1 Confirmation of Minutes

Moved:

Mayor Pascoe-Bell

Seconded:

**David Ray** 

THAT the Minutes of the Council Meeting held on 11 June 2024 pages 269 to 274 be confirmed.

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6.2 Business Arising from Previous Meeting

Nil

7 DEPUTATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

Nil

#### 8 CONFIDENTIAL ITEMS

8.1 Moving Confidential Items into Open

Nil

8.2 Moving Open Items into Confidential

Nil

8.3 Confidential Items

Moved:

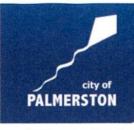
Mayor Pascoe-Bell

Seconded:

Craig Kirby

THAT pursuant to Section 99(2) and 293(1) of the *Local Government Act* 2019 and section 51(1) of the *Local Government (General) Regulations* 2021 the meeting be closed to the public to consider the following confidential items:

Item	Confidential Category	Confidential Clause
16.1.1	Council Performance, Service Delivery and Budget Review	



16.1.2	Council Performance, Service Delivery and Budget Review	disclosed, be likely to cause commercial prejudice to, or confer an unfair commercial advantage on, any person. This item is considered 'Confidential' pursuant to section 99(2) and 293(1) of the Local Government Act 2019 and section 51(1)(c)(i) of the Local Government (General) Regulations 2021, which states a council may close to the public only so much of its meeting as comprises the receipt or discussion of, or a motion or both relating to, information that would, if publicly disclosed, be likely to cause commercial prejudice to, or confer an unfair commercial advantage on, any person.
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16.2.3	Council Project Initiative	This item is considered 'Confidential' pursuant to section 99(2) and 293(1) of the Local Government Act 2019 and section 51(1)(e) of the Local Government (General) Regulations 2021, which states a council may close to the public only so much of its meeting as comprises the receipt or discussion of, or a motion or both relating to information provided to the council on condition that it be kept confidential and would, if publicly disclosed, be likely to be contrary to the public interest.

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# 9 OFFICER REPORTS

# 9.1 Action Reports

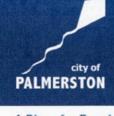
9.1.1 Council Policy Review - Asset Management

Moved:

David Ray

Seconded: Mayor Pascoe-Bell

1. THAT Report entitled Council Policy Review - Asset Management be received and noted.



- 2. THAT the Risk Management and Audit Committee recommend to the Council:
  - a. THAT Council notes there are no changes to the existing policy, other than minor administrative changes and that a report will be provided to Council to adopt the revised Asset Management Policy.

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9.2 Receive and Note Reports

Nil

10 INFORMATION AND CORRESPONDENCE

10.1 Information

Nil

10.2 Correspondence

Nil

11 GENERAL BUSINESS

Nil

12 NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING

Moved:

David Ray

Seconded:

Councillor Garden

THAT the next Risk Management and Audit Committee Meeting be held on Tuesday, 29 October 2024 at 5:00pm in the Council Chambers, Civic Plaza, 1 Chung Wah Terrace, Palmerston.

CARRIED RMA10/152 - 27/08/2024

13 CLOSURE OF MEETING TO PUBLIC

Moved:

Mayor Pascoe-Bell

Seconded:

David Ray

THAT pursuant to section 99(2) and 293(3)(1) of the Local Government Act 2019 and section 51(1)(a) of the Local Government (General) Regulations 2021 the meeting be closed to the public to consider the Confidential items of the Agenda.

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The open section of the meeting closed at 5.24pm for the discussion of confidential matters.

The Chair declared the meeting closed at 6.28pm.

CLARE MILIKINS
Print Name

29 - 10 - 2024 Date