

## **SPECIAL MEETING**

## **AGENDA**

## 30 APRIL 2024

Your attendance is required at a Special meeting of Council to be held in the Council Chambers, 232 Bolsover Street, Rockhampton on 30 April 2024 commencing at 9:00am for transaction of the enclosed business.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

26 April 2024

Next Meeting Date: 14.05.24

## Please note:

In accordance with the *Local Government Regulation 2012*, please be advised that all discussion held during the meeting is recorded for the purpose of verifying the minutes. This will include any discussion involving a Councillor, staff member or a member of the public.

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#### 1 OPENING

#### 1.1 Acknowledgement of Country

## 2 PRESENT

#### Members Present:

The Mayor, Councillor A P Williams (Chairperson)
Deputy Mayor, Councillor M D Wickerson
Councillor S Latcham
Councillor N K Fisher
Councillor G D Mathers
Councillor E W Oram
Councillor M A Taylor

#### In Attendance:

Mr E Pardon - Chief Executive Officer

## 3 APOLOGIES AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE

# 3.1 LEAVE OF ABSENCE - COUNCILLOR CHERIE RUTHERFORD - 25 APRIL 2024 TO 12 MAY 2024

File No: 10072

Authorising Officer: Evan Pardon - Chief Executive Officer

Author: Justin Kann - Manager Office of the Mayor

#### **SUMMARY**

Councillor Cherie Rutherford is seeking leave of absence from Thursday 25 April 2024 up to and including Sunday 12 May 2024.

#### OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION

THAT Councillor Cherie Rutherford be granted leave of absence from Thursday 25 April 2024 to Sunday 12 May 2024 inclusive.

#### **BACKGROUND**

Councillor Cherie Rutherford has advised the Chief Executive Officer she is seeking leave of absence from Thursday 25 April 2024 up to and including Sunday 12 May 2024.

## 4 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN MATTERS ON THE AGENDA

## 5 CLOSED SESSION

In accordance with the provisions of section 254J(3) of the *Local Government Regulation* 2012, a local government may resolve to close a meeting to the public to discuss confidential items, such that its Councillors or members consider it necessary to close the meeting.

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

THAT the meeting be closed to the public to discuss the following items, which are considered confidential in accordance with section 254J(3) of the *Local Government Regulation 2012*, for the reasons indicated.

### 6.1 2024/2025 Budget Briefing

In accordance with section 254J(3)(c) of the *Local Government Regulation 2012* it is considered necessary to close the meeting to discuss the local government's budget.

## 6 CONFIDENTIAL REPORTS

#### 6.1 2024/2025 BUDGET BRIEFING

File No: 8785
Attachments: Nil

Authorising Officer: Ross Cheesman - Deputy Chief Executive Officer

Author: Marnie Taylor - Chief Financial Officer

In accordance with section 254J(3)(c) of the *Local Government Regulation 2012* it is considered necessary to close the meeting to discuss the local government's budget.

#### **SUMMARY**

This report will provide an update to Council on the progress of the 2024/2025 Budget.

## 7 CLOSURE OF MEETING