



**SUBMISSION HEARING OF
THE HUME CITY COUNCIL**

MONDAY, 5 JUNE 2023

6:30PM

TOWN HALL BROADMEADOWS

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Minutes of the
SUBMISSION HEARING OF THE HUME CITY COUNCIL
held on Monday, 5 June 2023
at 6:32PM
at the Town Hall Broadmeadows

Attendees: a: Council

Cr Joseph Haweil	Mayor
Cr Karen Sherry	Deputy Mayor
Cr Jarrod Bell	
Cr Chris Hollow	
Cr Jodi Jackson	
Cr Naim Kurt	
Cr Jack Medcraft	
Cr Carly Moore	
Cr Jim Overend	

b: Officers

Ms Sheena Frost	Chief Executive Officer
Ms Rachel Dapiran	Director City Planning and Places
Mr Hector Gaston	Director City Services & Living
Mr Adam McSwain	Director Infrastructure and Assets
Mr Carl Muller	Director Customer & Strategy
Ms Fiona Shanks	Chief People Officer
Mr Fadi Srour	Chief Financial Officer
Mr Chris Bradbury	Acting Governance Manager
Ms Veronica Rowley	Governance Officer

Proceedings to be Recorded

The Mayor reminded Councillors and members of the Gallery that an audio recording of the Council meeting will be made and published to Council's website within 2 working days of the meeting.

Gallery Behaviour

The Mayor reminded the gallery that Council's Governance Rules requires the gallery to be silent at all times, and that members of the gallery must not interject or take part in the debate. Any person who is called to order, may be asked to leave the Chamber. The Mayor advised that notwithstanding this, they will invite members of the gallery to speak, for up to three minutes either in support of or against an officer's recommendation.

ORDER OF BUSINESS**1. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF TRADITIONAL OWNERS**

The Mayor read the following:

Hume City Council would like to acknowledge that we are meeting on Country for which the members and Elders of the Wurundjeri Woi-wurrung people and their forebears have been custodians for many thousands of years. The Wurundjeri Woi-wurrung, which includes the Gunung-Willam-Balluk clan, are the Traditional Custodians of this land. Hume City Council would also like to pay its respects to their Elders, past and present, and to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples who may be here today.

2. PRAYER

The Mayor read the following:

Almighty God, we humbly beseech Thee to vouchsafe Thy blessing upon this Council. Direct and prosper its deliberations to the advancement of Thy glory and the true welfare of the people of the Hume City.

3. APOLOGIES

Cr Trevor Dance and Cr Sam Misho were apologies for this meeting.

4. DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST

Councillors' attention is drawn to the provisions of the *Local Government Act 2020* and Council's Governance Rules in relation to the disclosure of conflicts of interests. Councillors are required to disclose any conflict of interest immediately before consideration or discussion of the relevant item. Councillors are then required to leave the Chamber during discussion and not vote on the relevant item.

5. SUBMISSIONS ON THE PROPOSED ANNUAL BUDGET 2022/23

5.1 The Mayor advised that 62 submissions had been received and included in the agenda for the **Proposed Annual Budget 2023/24**.

5.2 The Mayor advised that at the time of preparing the agenda, there had been 13 individuals had indicated that they would be speaking in support of their submission.

5.3 The Mayor then invited speakers in attendance, via Zoom, to address the Council regarding their submissions. The following people spoke in support of the written submission contained within the report:

5.3.1 Joe Colosimo on behalf of Greenvale United Soccer Club

5.3.2 Anthony Grech on behalf of Craigieburn Football Club

5.3.3 Heather Dodd, resident of Sunbury

5.4 The Mayor then invited the speakers in attendance in person at the hearing, to address the Council regarding their submissions. The following people spoke in support of the written submission contained within the report:

5.4.1 Nat Perri on behalf of Sunbury United Sporting Club Ltd

5.4.2 Anthony Bhnem on behalf of Hume Receptions

5.4.3 Lorraine James, resident of Westmeadows

- 5.4.4 Eman Kammoura on behalf of Roxburgh Park United Soccer Club
- 5.4.5 Bruce Kent on behalf of Greenvale Kangaroos Cricket Club Inc
- 5.4.6 Chris O'Neill, resident of Sunbury
- 5.4.7 Andrew Musgrove on behalf of Gladstone Park Community Centre of Management

5.5 The Mayor advised that a further report would be prepared in the Proposed Annual Budget 2023/2024 and would consider all of the submissions received, and would be presented at a Council Meeting held on Monday 26 June 2023 at 7.00pm at the Town Hall Broadmeadows.

6. CLOSURE OF MEETING

The meeting closed at 7.44pm.