



MINUTES OF THE REGIONAL & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT POLICY COMMITTEE
HELD IN COUNCIL CHAMBER, CIVIC CENTRE, BYNG STREET, ORANGE
ON 4 NOVEMBER 2025
COMMENCING AT 7:51PM

1 INTRODUCTION

ATTENDANCE

Cr T Mileto (Mayor), Cr T Greenhalgh (Deputy Mayor), Cr K Duffy (6:34pm), Cr G Judge, Cr F Kinghorne, Cr D Mallard, Cr M McDonell, Cr S Peterson, Cr M Ruddy, Cr J Stedman, Cr J Whitton

Acting Chief Executive Officer (Maunder), Director Corporate & Commercial Services, Director Development Services, Director Technical Services, Manager Corporate Governance, Chief Financial Officer, Governance Officer, Manager Engineering Services

1.1 APOLOGIES AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE

RESOLVED - 25/599

Cr M McDonell/Cr F Kinghorne

That the apologies be accepted from Cr Power for the Regional & Economic Development Policy Committee of Orange City Council on 4 November 2025.

For: Cr T Mileto (Mayor)(Chairperson), Cr T Greenhalgh (Deputy Mayor), Cr K Duffy, Cr G Judge, Cr F Kinghorne, Cr D Mallard, Cr M McDonell, Cr S Peterson, Cr M Ruddy, Cr J Stedman, Cr J Whitton

Against: Nil

Absent: Cr G Power

1.2 DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTERESTS, SIGNIFICANT NON-PECUNIARY INTERESTS AND LESS THAN SIGNIFICANT NON-PECUNIARY INTERESTS

Nil.

2 COMMITTEE MINUTES

2.1 MINUTES OF THE CLIFTON GROVE COMMUNITY COMMITTEE MEETING 18 SEPTEMBER 2025

TRIM REFERENCE: 2025/2255

RESOLVED - 25/600**Cr F Kinghorne/Cr S Peterson**

- 1 That Council acknowledge the reports presented to the Clifton Grove Community Committee at its meeting held on 18 September 2025.
- 2 That the minutes of the Clifton Grove Community Committee from its meeting held on 18 September 2025 be adopted.

For: Cr T Mileto (Mayor)(Chairperson), Cr T Greenhalgh (Deputy Mayor), Cr K Duffy, Cr G Judge, Cr F Kinghorne, Cr D Mallard, Cr M McDonell, Cr S Peterson, Cr M Ruddy, Cr J Stedman, Cr J Whitton

Against: Nil

Absent: Cr G Power

2.2 MINUTES OF THE LUCKNOW COMMUNITY COMMITTEE MEETING 25 SEPTEMBER 2025

TRIM REFERENCE: 2025/2259

RESOLVED - 25/601**Cr M McDonell/Cr G Judge**

- 1 That Council acknowledge the reports presented to the Lucknow Community Committee at its meeting held on 25 September 2025.
- 2 That Council determine recommendations 4.2(1) and (4) from the minutes of the Lucknow Community Committee meeting of 25 September 2025.
4.2(1) That the Committee allocates \$6,000 to the construction of a footpath on the Cnr of Phoenix Mine Road and Mitchell Highway (at the Lucknow Tavern).
4.2(4) That the Committee Support Officer confirms the radio campaign spend of \$3,445 + GST.
- 3 That the remainder of the minutes of the Lucknow Community Committee from its meeting held on 25 September 2025 be adopted.

For: Cr T Mileto (Mayor)(Chairperson), Cr T Greenhalgh (Deputy Mayor), Cr K Duffy, Cr G Judge, Cr F Kinghorne, Cr D Mallard, Cr M McDonell, Cr S Peterson, Cr M Ruddy, Cr J Stedman, Cr J Whitton

Against: Nil

Absent: Cr G Power

Cr Peterson asked for confirmation of the funding allocation for the footpath on the Cnr of Phoenix Mine Road and Mitchell Highway (at the Lucknow Tavern).

The Director Corporate & Commercial Services advised that the works is to be undertaken through the existing allocation to the Community Committee.

2.3 MINUTES OF THE SPRING HILL COMMUNITY COMMITTEE 30 SEPTEMBER 2025

TRIM REFERENCE: 2025/2260

RESOLVED - 25/602**Cr M Ruddy/Cr J Stedman**

- 1 That Council acknowledge the reports presented to the Spring Hill Community Committee at its meeting held on 30 September 2025.
- 2 That Council determine recommendations 3.2(1) from the minutes of the Spring Hill Community Committee meeting of 30 September 2025.
3.2(1)(c) That the Committee Support Officer requests Councils Works Manager to schedule the installation of the footpath connecting Bellas Café to Grove St (along Seaton St) (est. \$10,000)
3.2(1)(d) That the Committee Support Officer arranges Councils Electrician to schedule the installation of a light in Alf Read Park (est. \$3,000)
3.2(1)(e) That the Committee Support Officer investigate the cost of a slide for the Recreation Ground Playground and then proceed with quote (est. \$4,000)
3.2(1)(f) That the Committee Support Officer liaise with the painting contractor to lock in the Temperance Hall painting works. (est. \$9,880 + GST)
- 3 That the remainder of the minutes of the Spring Hill Community Committee from its meeting held on 30 September 2025 be adopted.

For: Cr T Mileto (Mayor)(Chairperson), Cr T Greenhalgh (Deputy Mayor), Cr K Duffy, Cr G Judge, Cr F Kinghorne, Cr D Mallard, Cr M McDonell, Cr S Peterson, Cr M Ruddy, Cr J Stedman, Cr J Whitton

Against: Nil

Absent: Cr G Power

Cr Kinghorne asked confirmation of the funding allocation for the Spring Hill works.

The Director Corporate & Commercial Services advised that there is \$20,000 annual allocation per committee however Council has also allowed for the committees to hold over funds to the following year providing additional funding in this instance.

2.4 MINUTES OF THE SISTER CITIES COMMUNITY COMMITTEE MEETING 7 OCTOBER 2025

TRIM REFERENCE: 2025/2261

RESOLVED - 25/603**Cr S Peterson/Cr F Kinghorne**

- 1 That Council acknowledge the reports presented to the Sister Cities Community Committee at its meeting held on 7 October 2025.
- 2 That Council determine recommendations 4.2(1) from the minutes of the Sister Cities Community Committee meeting of 7 October 2025.
4.2(1) That the Committee Support Officer along with the committee create a proposal on how we can assist to a maximum value of \$3k or potentially contribute to something like the catering as an example.
- 3 That the remainder of the minutes of the Sister Cities Community Committee from its meeting held on 7 October 2025 be adopted.

For: Cr T Mileto (Mayor)(Chairperson), Cr T Greenhalgh (Deputy Mayor), Cr K Duffy, Cr G Judge, Cr F Kinghorne, Cr D Mallard, Cr M McDonell, Cr S Peterson, Cr M Ruddy, Cr J Stedman, Cr J Whitton

Against: Nil

Absent: Cr G Power

THE MEETING CLOSED AT 7:59PM.