



## **RECREATION & CULTURE POLICY COMMITTEE**

# **AGENDA**

**3 MARCH 2026**

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act 1993 that a **RECREATION & CULTURE POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING of ORANGE CITY COUNCIL** will be held in the **COUNCIL CHAMBER, CIVIC CENTRE, BYNG STREET, ORANGE** on **Tuesday, 3 March 2026**.

Scott Maunder  
**CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

For apologies please contact Executive Support on 6393 8391.

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## 1 INTRODUCTION

### MEMBERS

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

### 1.1 Apologies and Leave of Absence

### 1.2 Declaration of pecuniary interests, significant non-pecuniary interests and less than significant non-pecuniary interests

The provisions of Chapter 14 of the Local Government Act, 1993 (the Act) regulate the way in which Councillors and designated staff of Council conduct themselves to ensure that there is no conflict between their private interests and their public role.

The Act prescribes that where a member of Council (or a Committee of Council) has a direct or indirect financial (pecuniary) interest in a matter to be considered at a meeting of the Council (or Committee), that interest must be disclosed as soon as practicable after the start of the meeting and the reasons given for declaring such interest.

As members are aware, the provisions of the Local Government Act restrict any member who has declared a pecuniary interest in any matter from participating in the discussion or voting on that matter, and requires that member to vacate the Chamber.

Council's Code of Conduct provides that if members have a non-pecuniary conflict of interest, the nature of the conflict must be disclosed. The Code of Conduct also provides for a number of ways in which a member may manage non pecuniary conflicts of interest.

### RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that Committee Members now disclose any conflicts of interest in matters under consideration by the Recreation & Culture Policy Committee at this meeting.



## 2 COMMITTEE MINUTES

### 2.1 Minutes of the Sport and Recreation Community Committee - 18 February 2026

RECORD NUMBER: 2026/369

AUTHOR: Ben Keegan, Sport and Recreation Coordinator

#### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Sport & Recreation Community Committee met on 18 February 2026 and the recommendations for this meeting are provided to the Recreation & Culture Policy Committee for adoption.

#### LINK TO DELIVERY/OPERATIONAL PLAN

The recommendation in this report relates to the Delivery/Operational Plan strategy “13.3 Provide opportunities for widespread and quality engagement and, where appropriate, shared decision making”.

#### FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

Nil

#### POLICY AND GOVERNANCE IMPLICATIONS

Nil

#### RECOMMENDATION

- 1 That Council acknowledge the reports presented to the Sport & Recreation Community Committee at its meeting held on 18 February 2026.**
- 2 That the minutes of the Sport & Recreation Community Committee from its meeting held on 18 February 2026 be adopted.**

#### FURTHER CONSIDERATIONS

The recommendation of this report has been assessed against Council’s key risk categories and the following comments are provided:

<b>Service/Project Delivery</b>	There is minimal service or project delivery risk associated with noting and adopting the minutes, as no new actions or recommendations are being raised through this report.
<b>Financial</b>	There are no direct financial risks arising from noting and adopting the minutes of the community committee.
<b>Reputation/Political</b>	There is a reputational risk if the minutes are perceived as inaccurate or incomplete, potentially impacting community confidence in Council’s governance processes.
<b>Environment</b>	There are no environmental risks associated with noting and adopting the minutes.
<b>Compliance</b>	There is a compliance risk if the minutes are not an accurate record of proceedings or are not adopted in accordance with Council’s Code of Meeting Practice.
<b>People &amp; WHS</b>	There are no people or work health safety risks associated with this item.
<b>Information Technology/ Cyber Security</b>	There is minimal information technology or cyber security risk, noting the minutes are managed in accordance with Council’s standard record-keeping and publication processes.

**2.1 Minutes of the Sport and Recreation Community Committee - 18 February 2026**

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**SUPPORTING INFORMATION**

The Minutes and Agenda from the meeting are attached for the information of Council.

**ATTACHMENTS**

- 1 Minutes of the Meeting of the Sport & Recreation Community Committee held on 18 February 2026, 2026/339 [↓](#)
- 2 Agenda of the Meeting of the Sport & Recreation Community Committee held on 18 February 2026, 2026/242 [↓](#)

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**Attachment 1 Minutes of the Meeting of the Sport & Recreation Community Committee held on 18 February 2026**

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**MINUTES OF THE SPORT & RECREATION COMMUNITY COMMITTEE**

HELD IN COUNCILLORS WORKROOM, CIVIC CENTRE, BYNG STREET, ORANGE

ON 18 FEBRUARY 2026

COMMENCING AT 5:30 PM

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**1 INTRODUCTION****ATTENDANCE**

Cr Tammy Greenhalgh (Chairperson) (Deputy Mayor), Cr Graeme Judge, Cr Gerald Power, Cr M Ruddy, Cynthia Jarratt, Chris Doucas, Jodie Kelly, Liam Dillon, Shahreen Alford, Judy Tarleton, Mark Thomas, Kate Pulbrook, Peter Solomon, Acting Director Community, Recreation and Cultural Services, Sports and Recreation Coordinator.

**1.1 APOLOGIES****RESOLVED****Cr G Power/Cr G Judge**

That the apologies be accepted from Cr Melanie McDonell, Cr Jamie Stedman and Ken McCarron for the Sport & Recreation Community Committee meeting on 18 February 2026.

**1.2 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY**

The Chairperson conducted an Acknowledgement of Country.

**1.3 DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTERESTS, SIGNIFICANT NON-PECUNIARY INTERESTS AND LESS THAN SIGNIFICANT NON-PECUNIARY INTERESTS**

Nil.

**2 PREVIOUS MINUTES****RESOLVED****Mr C Doucas/Cr M Ruddy**

That the Minutes of the Meeting of the Sport & Recreation Community Committee held on 15 October 2025 (copies of which were circulated to all members) be and are hereby confirmed as a true and accurate record of the proceedings of the Sport & Recreation Community Committee meeting held on 15 October 2025.

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**Attachment 1 Minutes of the Meeting of the Sport & Recreation Community Committee held on 18 February 2026**

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**3 GENERAL REPORTS****3.1 SPORT AND RECREATION COMMUNITY COMMITTEE ACTION PLAN - 18 FEBRUARY 2026**

TRIM REFERENCE: 2026/203

**RECOMMENDATION****Cr G Power/Mr L Dillon**

That the Sport and Recreation Community Committee Action Plan be updated as required.

**THE MEETING CLOSED AT 6.34PM.**



## **SPORT & RECREATION COMMUNITY COMMITTEE**

# **AGENDA**

**18 FEBRUARY 2026**

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act 1993 that a **SPORT & RECREATION COMMUNITY COMMITTEE MEETING** of **ORANGE CITY COUNCIL** will be held in the **COUNCILLORS WORKROOM, CIVIC CENTRE, BYNG STREET, ORANGE** on **Wednesday, 18 February 2026** commencing at **5:30 PM**.

Scott Maunder  
**CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

For apologies, please contact Ben Keegan on 6393 8535.

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### EVACUATION PROCEDURE

In the event of an emergency, the building may be evacuated. You will be required to vacate the building. The Committee Clerk will now identify the emergency muster point.

Under no circumstances is anyone permitted to re-enter the building until the all clear has been given and the area deemed safe by authorised personnel.

In the event of an evacuation, a member of Council staff will assist any member of the public with a disability to vacate the building.

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**1 INTRODUCTION****MEMBERS**

Cr Tammy Greenhalgh (Chairperson) (Deputy Mayor), Cr Graeme Judge, Cr Melanie McDonnell, Cr Gerald Power, Cr M Ruddy, Cr Jamie Stedman, Gary Norton, Cynthia Jarratt, Chris Doucas, Jodie Kelly, Brendan Stuart, Ken McCarron, Liam Dilon, Shahreen Alford, Judy Tarleton, Mark Thomas, Adam Horton, Kate Pulbrook, Peter Solomon, Matthew Chisholm, Director Community, Recreation and Cultural Services, Manager City Presentation, Recreation Planner, Sports and Recreation Coordinator, Community Project Officer

**1.1 Apologies****1.2 Acknowledgement of Country**

I would like to acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we meet today, the people of the Wiradjuri Nation. I pay my respects to Elders past and present, and extend those respects to Aboriginal Peoples of Orange and surrounds, and Aboriginal people here with us today.

**1.3 Declaration of pecuniary interests, significant non-pecuniary interests and less than significant non-pecuniary interests**

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**RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that Committee Members now disclose any conflicts of interest in matters under consideration by the Sport & Recreation Community Committee at this meeting.

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**2    PREVIOUS MINUTES**

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**RECOMMENDATION**

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**ATTACHMENTS**

- 1    Minutes of the Meeting of the Sport & Recreation Community Committee held on 15 October 2025

**MINUTES OF THE SPORT & RECREATION COMMUNITY COMMITTEE**

HELD IN COUNCILLORS WORKROOM, CIVIC CENTRE, BYNG STREET, ORANGE

ON 15 OCTOBER 2025

COMMENCING AT 5:30 PM

**1 INTRODUCTION****ATTENDANCE**

Cr Tammy Greenhalgh (Chairperson) (Deputy Mayor), Cr Graeme Judge, Cr Gerald Power, Cr M Ruddy, Gary Norton, Cynthia Jarratt, Chris Doucas, Brendan Stuart, Ken McCarron, Liam Dillon, Judy Tarleton, Mark Thomas, Adam Horton, Kate Pulbrook, Peter Solomon, Matthew Chisholm, Director Community, Recreation and Cultural Services, Community Project Officer

**1.1 APOLOGIES****RESOLVED****Mr C Doucas/Cr G Judge**

That the apologies be accepted from Cr Melanie McDonell, Cr Jamie Stedman, Jodie Kelly and Shahreen Alford for the Sport & Recreation Community Committee meeting on 15 October 2025.

**1.2 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY**

The Chairperson conducted an Acknowledgement of Country.

**1.3 DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTERESTS, SIGNIFICANT NON-PECUNIARY INTERESTS AND LESS THAN SIGNIFICANT NON-PECUNIARY INTERESTS**

The following Committee members declared a less than significant non-pecuniary interest in item 4.1 2025/2026 Sports Facility Partnership Program – Application Assessments, as sporting organisations they are affiliated with have made application for Council funding:

- Cr Graeme Judge – (Cricket coach - Orange District Junior Cricket Association)
- Kate Pulbrook – (Hockey coach - Orange Hockey Inc.)

**2 PREVIOUS MINUTES****RESOLVED****Cr G Judge/Cr T Greenhalgh**

That the Minutes of the Meeting of the Sport & Recreation Community Committee held on 18 June 2025 (copies of which were circulated to all members) be and are hereby confirmed as a true and accurate record of the proceedings of the Sport & Recreation Community Committee meeting held on 18 June 2025.

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**3 PRESENTATIONS**
**3.1 CHAIRPERSON PRESENTATION - RECREATION & CULTURE POLICY COMMITTEE - 5 AUGUST 2025**

TRIM REFERENCE: 2025/2158

**RECOMMENDATION**
**Cr G Judge/Cr M Ruddy**

That the Sport & Recreation Community Committee members acknowledge the verbal report by the Chairperson, Cr Tammy Greenhalgh on the Recreation & Culture Policy Committee meeting of 5 August 2025.

**4 GENERAL REPORTS**
**4.1 2025/2026 SPORTS FACILITY PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM - APPLICATION ASSESSMENT**

TRIM REFERENCE: 2025/2104

**RECOMMENDATION**
**Cr M Ruddy/Cr G Power**

That Council allocate funds from the 2025/2026 Sports Facility Partnership Program as per the following table:

Organisation	Project	Funding Request	Recommended Funding
Orange City Rugby Club	Installation of a player shelter structure for the No 2 rugby field at Pride Park (Waratah Sports Club).	\$15,000	\$10,773
Orange Waratah Soccer Football Club	Installation of two player shelters for the No 2 soccer field at Waratah Sports Club.	\$15,000	\$9,998
Orange Bridge Club	Upgrade of floor coverings at the Orange Bridge Club Clubhouse.	\$12,446	\$5,261
Orange Hockey Inc.	Supply and install a new scoreboard for Smith Field at the Orange Hockey Centre.	\$9,993	\$9,993
Orange District Junior Cricket Association	Upgrade of cricket pitch at Brendon Sturgeon Oval including the installation of a wider wicket and purchase of a winter season safety cover for football.	\$15,000	\$15,000
Goldseekers Orienteering Club	Installation of permanent orienteering course at Lake Canobolas.	\$1,325	\$1,325
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$68,764</b>	<b>\$52,350</b>

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**4.2 SPORT & RECREATION COMMUNITY COMMITTEE ACTION PLAN**

TRIM REFERENCE: 2025/2150

**RECOMMENDATION**

Cr G Judge/Cr G Power

That the Sport &amp; Recreation Community Committee Action Plan be reviewed and updated.

**THE MEETING CLOSED AT 7.00PM.**

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**3 GENERAL REPORTS**
**3.1 Sport and Recreation Community Committee Action Plan - 18 February 2026**

RECORD NUMBER: 2026/203

AUTHOR: Ben Keegan, Sport and Recreation Coordinator

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Attached for information and discussion is the Sport and Recreation Community Committee Action Plan.

**LINK TO DELIVERY/OPERATIONAL PLAN**

The recommendation in this report relates to the Delivery/Operational Plan strategy "13.3 Provide opportunities for widespread and quality engagement and, where appropriate, shared decision making".

**FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

Nil

**POLICY AND GOVERNANCE IMPLICATIONS**

Nil

**RECOMMENDATION**

**That the Sport and Recreation Community Committee Action Plan be reviewed and updated.**

**FURTHER CONSIDERATIONS**

The recommendation of this report has been assessed against Council's key risk categories and the following comments are provided:

<b>Service/Project Delivery</b>	Changes to the Action Plan may affect timelines or delivery of existing community initiatives.
<b>Financial</b>	New or updated actions may require additional funding or reallocation of existing resources.
<b>Reputation/Political</b>	Community expectations may be impacted if priorities shift or previously endorsed actions are removed.
<b>Environment</b>	Revised actions should consider environmental impacts and alignment with sustainability goals.
<b>Compliance</b>	Updates must align with Council policies, committee terms of reference and relevant legislation.
<b>People &amp; WHS</b>	New or revised actions may introduce workload or safety considerations for volunteers and staff.
<b>Information Technology/ Cyber Security</b>	Digital updates to the Action Plan must ensure secure access and accurate version control.

**SUPPORTING INFORMATION**

An update to the Committee's Action Plan will be a standard item on every agenda for discussion and review.

The Committee Clerk will ensure the Action Plan identifies possible budget and resourcing implications, and also how an item links to Council's Delivery/Operational Plan, or could be proposed for future Delivery/Operational Plans.

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**3.1    Sport and Recreation Community Committee Action Plan - 18 February 2026**

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**ATTACHMENTS**

- 1    Sport & Recreation Community Committee Action Plan - 2025, D25/64745

**COMMUNITY COMMITTEE ACTION PLAN**
**SPORT & RECREATION**

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**Current Actions**

ACTION OR PROJECT	COMMUNITY STRATEGIC PLAN REFERENCE	TASKS	RESPONSIBILITY OF	COST IMPLICATIONS	START DATE	END DATE	COMMENTS/PROGRESS
Installation of Bike Maintenance Stations	1.1 9.1		Ben Keegan	\$1,500		March 2026	<p>Bicycle maintenance stations were installed at the Lake Canobolas Mountain Bike Park and Moulder Park Velodrome.</p> <p>The Moulder Park Velodrome station was removed due to continued vandalism.</p> <p>Bike Station ordered – awaiting delivery.</p>
Explore opportunities to provide additional indoor sports courts	2.1 6.3		City Presentation	Clubs Grant application submitted seeking funding for multi-sport surfacing for the Orange Showground Naylor Pavilion	To be determined and subject to funding		<p>Orange District Basketball Association has recently established two basic basketball courts within the Naylor Pavilion at the Orange Showground, increasing the availability of indoor sporting spaces.</p> <p>Council has also submitted a Clubs Grant application to purchase a modular, trafficable, cushioned sports surface for the Pavilion, which would</p>

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							<p>enable a broader range of sporting organisations to utilise the venue more effectively. The proposed multi-sport surface features high-performance cushioning, slip resistance and line-marking for a range of sports.</p> <p>Importantly, the surface can be removed when required, maintaining the Pavilion's flexibility to host a wide range of community and commercial events.</p>
Develop Open Space and Recreation Strategy	1.1 2.1 13.3		Open Space and Recreation Strategy Project Team		March 2025	June 2026	<p>The Strategy is to provide the evidence base to support the ongoing planning of Orange's public open space and recreation network. The Strategy is to support Council by providing strategies and actions that can support Council in developing contributions plans, negotiating planning agreements, and provide an implementation plan that can support Council's Delivery and Operational Plans.</p> <p>Following two rounds of community consultation, the draft Strategy and Implementation Plan is currently being finalised.</p> <p>Anticipate Strategy and Plan to be reported to March/April Council</p>

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							meeting to then go on public exhibition for 28 days.
Review and update Active Travel Plan including the continued development of the City's shared path network	9.1 13.3		Active Travel Plan Project Team		May 2025	June 2026	<p>Council has engaged The Institute for Sensible Transport to develop Council's new Active Transport Strategy and Implementation Plan. The Active Transport Strategy provides a strategic blueprint to guide investment and policy decisions to increase people's access to walking and cycling.</p> <p>Following two rounds of community consultation, the draft Strategy and Implementation Plan is currently being finalised.</p> <p>Anticipate Strategy and Plan to be reported to March/April Council meeting to then go on public exhibition for 28 days.</p>
Orange Regional Sporting Precinct	2.1		Sports Precinct Project Team	State Government has allocated \$59.5M to the project with a further \$15M from the Federal Government			<p>Construction of the John Davis OAM Stadium has commenced with the successful tenderer, Zauner Construction, now on site.</p> <p>The DA for the athletics facility has been formally lodged, which includes the synthetic running track, lighting, landscaping and new car park.</p>

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							<p>Amenities for the athletics facility have already been approved under a previous DA and with construction part of the Zauner Construction tender for the John Davis OAM Stadium.</p> <p>Upgrade to Huntley Road has been successfully completed.</p> <p>Construction of Car Park 4 (Huntley Road car park closest to Bernie Stedman Field at Sir Jack Brabham Park) is underway and is expected to be completed in April 2026.</p> <p>Contractors are continuing targeted works on several of the multipurpose sports fields to improve overall performance of the playing fields.</p>
Playground projects 2025/2026	1.1 1.2 2.1		Ben Keegan	\$80,000	December 2025	June 2026	<p>Planned playground projects for 2025/2026:</p> <p>Upgrade to Sir Jack Brabham Park to be completed, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Installation of shade structure over existing play equipment</li> <li>• Fencing around playground</li> <li>• Additional park furniture</li> </ul> <p>Council will also install a shade structure over the existing play equipment at Stirling Reserve</p>

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							(corner Stirling Avenue and Isaac Drive).
Indoor playground	2.1 6.3			To be determined	To BC		In November 2025, Council called for expressions of interest to establish and operate a permanent indoor playground in Orange.
Parkour Park	2.1			\$300,000 estimated. Currently unbudgeted.	To be determined		<p>At the Council Meeting on 2 September 2025, Council resolved to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consider allocating \$7,500 in the next quarterly budget review to engage a designer for the proposed Parkour Park in Orange.</li> <li>• Note the estimated total project cost of \$300,000, including soft-fall requirements.</li> <li>• Consider including the \$300,000 project cost in the next quarterly budget review to support delivery within the current Council term and strengthen eligibility for external grant funding.</li> </ul>

### Medium to Long Term Actions

ACTION OR PROJECT	COMMUNITY STRATEGIC PLAN REFERENCE	TASKS	RESPONSIBILITY OF	COST IMPLICATIONS	START DATE	END DATE	COMMENTS/PROGRESS
Pedestrian/Cycle connection between Machin Park north and south (Franklin Road and Gardiner Rd)	9.1		Council Property and Legal Team	To be determined if/when the property is sold.			A flag has been placed on the property file of 79 Gardiner Road so when the property is placed on the market for sale, Council will have the opportunity to consider purchasing.
Installation of half/quarter basketball court at various locations throughout the City	2.1			To be determined			Consideration to be given to installing half or full basketball courts in the north and western areas of the City. Open Space and Recreation Strategy currently being developed will provide direction on needs and potential locations.
Expansion of the Orange Hockey Centre to include an additional artificial turf field (water based) on the existing cricket field.	2.1			To be determined			Orange Hockey completing a major upgrade to the Smith Field with financial support from Council and the State Government.  Given the Association's financial commitment to the upgrade of the Smith Field, construction of an

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							additional synthetic field would only be possible with significant funding from external sources.
Extension of Sir Neville Howse Stadium (PCYC) to accommodate continued growth of user groups	2.1			To be determined			<p>Concept plan completed in 2020.</p> <p>Next phase will be the preparation of DA documentation for the project.</p> <p>Open Space and Recreation Plan to provide commentary on current demand and future needs for additional indoor courts.</p>
Investigate the implementation of an exercise trail for the elderly.	1.1 2.1			To be determined			Project to be considered as part of the Orange Space and Recreation Strategy.
Additional amenities at Brendon Sturgeon Oval	2.1			To be determined			Council to investigate options for possible expansion of the existing amenities building or constructing a separate building at the venue.
Mt Canobolas Mountain Bike Trail Centre	2.1						<p>Council submitted an independent environmental assessment to the State Government and has been advised of the detailed requirements that need to be supplied for further consideration.</p> <p>Council to consider options as part of future budget discussions.</p>

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Future squash court provision in Orange	2.1						The Orange Squash Club continues to use 3 squash courts that have been retained by the owners of One Strength (gym) in Moulder St, however it is unclear if this facility will remain a long-term option for the Club.
Pump Track	2.1						Concept plan developed for a pump track on the old netball courts on Moulder Park. Awaiting a suitable grant program for funding opportunities.
Indoor Learn To Swim Centre	2.1 6.3						Concept plan developed for a purpose-built facility to be constructed within the grounds of the Orange Aquatic Centre. Awaiting a suitable grant program for funding opportunities.