

Councillor Resolution Report - September 2013

The following report identifies resolutions passed by elected members for the reporting period that were not included in the budget or activities of the 2012/13 Annual Plan. The report provides the minute reference and date, the resolution and the elected member who moved and seconded the item, the action taken to implement the decision and what (if any) resources or budget allocation that has been allocated to the task and the actual costs associated.

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MINUTE	RESOLUTION	ACTIVITY	BUDGET ALLOCATED BY COUNCIL	ACTUAL COST TO DATE	STATUS
393.01.2013	That suitably qualified person(s) undertake a detailed audit of Council's current recreational facilities, excluding the Flinders Arts and Entertainment Centre, to assess compliance with the Building Code of Australia, investigate the state of disabled access, electrical wiring and plumbing and provide a full report to Council to inform a further assessment of the costs required to upgrade these facilities to become compliant into the future. That \$10,000 be included in the half yearly budget review to undertake these assessments and reports. Moved: Mayor C Cox Seconded: Cr M Roberts CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (6-0)	Building, plumbing and maintenance inspections were carried out on Council's community and recreational assets. Contractors have been requested to provide quotes and Indicative costings of recommended improvements. More quotes are required before the report can be completed and provided to Councillors to inform decision making. Vicki Warden is now also assisting the Development Services Officer to complete the report as staff recognise that time is of the essence.	\$10,000	\$2,490 (Building Inspector Costs Only)	In progress
394.01.2013	That Council assist the Cape Barren Island Aboriginal Association Inc. to have the condition of the community hall assessed. That options for assistance with future work on the hall then be presented to Council for consideration. That council allocates up to \$2,000 at the half yearly budget review for this purpose. Moved: Mayor C Cox Seconded: Cr M Cobham CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (6-0)	The hall has been assessed and a quote from a suitably qualified contractor has been obtained. The General Manager has liaised with DHHS in relation to co-funding for the works required but at this time no funding is available to assist in the refurbishment. Council Community Development Coordinator visited Cape Barren Island recently and spoke with Ms. Denise Gardner about the Hall and its needs and is now exploring other grant opportunities to support the refurbishment of the Hall.	\$2,000	\$544 (Flight cost only)	In progress
404.01.2013	That Flinders Council, in full consultation with the community, develop and adopt a comprehensive Cat Management Strategy.	Draft Cat Management Strategy will lay on the table for 28 days (6 Sept).	Nil	Estimated at \$10,000	In progress

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	Moved: Mayor Carol Cox Seconded: Cr P Rhodes CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (6-0)				
454.02.2013	That Flinders Council engage the services of a Conflict Resolution Mediator (or similar) to assist Councillors and any relevant staff members to positively address long-standing & ongoing unresolved conflict issues. Moved: Cr M Cobham Seconded: Deputy Mayor D Williams CARRIED (4-3) For: Mayor C Cox, Deputy Mayor D Williams, Cr M Cobham, Cr M Roberts Against: Cr P Rhodes, Cr G Willis, Cr R Wise	Unable to comply with the resolution due to some elected members not availing themselves for the mediation session. As this is a formal resolution of Council it will stay on the books and in these reports until such time as it is actioned or formally rescinded.			Unable to action
456.02.2013	That Council direct resources to assist the Flinders Island Sports Club committee to investigate ways to ensure future sustainability of the Club, with a view to ensuring the long term viability of this important community asset. Moved: Deputy Mayor D Williams Seconded: Cr G Willis CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (7-0)	The General Manager is engaged with the Club is assessing options for the future.	Nil	Nil	In progress
483.03.2013	That Whitemark's Bakery Park be the location for a Bicycle Rack. Moved: Cr M Cobham Seconded: Cr P Rhodes CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (7-0)	In progress. Bike rack has been ordered.	\$1,000	\$0	Awaiting delivery
484.03.2013	That Council agrees to the installation of a series of Outdoor Exercise Stations (funded via a \$30,000 grant from Healthy Islands Project) on the land leased by Council and commonly known as the Whitemark Foreshore. Additionally that Council provides "in-kind" support i.e. site works and equipment installation to the value of \$5000. This sum of money to come from Council's Public Open Space fund. Moved: Cr M Cobham Seconded: Cr R Wise CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (7-0)	In progress. This directive is included in the 2013/2014 Annual Plan for completion	\$5,000	\$0	In progress
485.03.2013	That Council re-directs the sum of \$10,000 from the Whitemark Entry Project to the Whitemark Foreshore Project and that the combined funds of \$20,000 be used	In progress. This directive is included in the 2013/2014 Annual Plan for completion.	\$30,000	\$0	In progress

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	to purchase a suitable outdoor barbecue and replace the existing "opera house" structure. Council requests the General Manager seek quotes for the demolition of the existing "Opera House" structure and for the design and construction of a basic shelter and BBQ for the site. These quotes are to be presented to Council for formal consideration. Moved: Mayor C Cox Seconded: Cr G Willis CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (7-0)				
529.05.2013	That Council allocates sufficient funds to quantify the cost of upgrading the Emita Hall to a standard fit for public use. Moved: Cr M Roberts Seconded: Cr R Wise CARRIED (5-2) For: Mayor C Cox, Deputy Mayor D Williams, Cr M Cobham, Cr P Rhodes, Cr G Willis Against: Cr M Roberts, Cr R Wise	In progress and included in 2013/2014 Annual Plan.	Nil	Unknown	Community Facilities Audit is in progress
531.05.2013	That Council acquires the capability to support the ongoing temporary use of the Emita Hall by the cubs and scouts. Moved: Cr P Rhodes Seconded: Deputy Mayor D Williams CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (7-0)	The Emita Hall has been closed to the public until such time as the known safety risks are rectified.	Nil	N/A	A series of known safety risks exist with the facility and ongoing use would expose Council and the community to unacceptable risk.
532.05.2013	That the Emita Hall committee and user groups be consulted re the Hall repair/upgrade. Moved: Cr M Roberts Seconded: Cr M Cobham CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (7-0)	Staff have met with the Committee and are actively working towards the upgrade of the Hall.	Nil	N/A	In progress
535.05.2013	That Flinders Council recognises the impact that Cancer has on this small community and assists local runner and Deputy Mayor David Williams in raising funds for the Cure Cancer Foundation through offering Sponsorship as follows: a) Allocating staff resources to the value of \$500 to raise media, local government and community awareness of the 200kms for a Cure event; and	Assistance is being provided.	\$750	Staff time	In progress

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	b) \$250 as a direct donation. Moved: Mayor C Cox Seconded: Cr R Wise CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (6-0)				
560.06.2013	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That Council fund from reserves and to a maximum amount of \$110,000, the work necessary to ensure that the Emita Hall is weather and vermin proof and a safe, useable community facility. 2. That Council obtain at least two quotes from builders re the renovation/repair work that is required on the Emita Hall. 3. The essential work required, as deemed by Council staff together with the Emita Hall Committee, is as follows :- <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) replace existing roof and guttering b) rewire the building as per electricians brief c) ensure that the building is vermin-proof by re-cladding the exterior walls d) provide the toilet facilities with disabled access 4. Provide the services of Council's OH&S Risk Management Officer to investigate, liaise and undertake the necessary work to enable community volunteers to assist, where practicable, in the work required at the Emita Hall. 5. Provide the services of Council's Community Development Staff to seek funding opportunities for the work required to upgrade the Hall's kitchen facilities to at least the minimum standard required for food preparation/serving. Moved: Cr M Cobham Seconded: Cr M Roberts CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (5-0)	Disabled toilet delivered and paid for. A grant application has been submitted by the Community Development Officer to seek funding for works on the Emita Hall.	\$110,000	\$ 5 500 (+ staff time)	In progress
566.06.2013	That Council resolve to grant Community Grant funds to the listed projects. Moved: Cr R Wise Seconded: Cr M Roberts CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (5-0)	All applicants have been notified and funds allocated for reimbursement to applicants as required.	\$4,637.98		Complete
568.06.2013	1. That the Gunn Bequest Grants be allocated to projects	All applicants have been notified and funds	1. \$4,898		Complete

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	as listed. 2. That \$2000 be allocated to CBI Golf Club as an additional Community Grant and that the Community Development Officer be requested to assist the club in sourcing grants for the remainder of the funds required. Moved: Cr M Roberts Seconded: Cr M Cobham CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (5-0)	allocated for reimbursement to applicants as required.	2. \$2,000		
590.07.2013	That in accordance with the provisions of Section 82 of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> , the Budget Estimates for the Financial Year 1 July 2013 to 30 June 2014 be adopted. Moved: Cr P Rhodes Seconded: Cr G Willis CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (7-0)				Complete
591.07.2013	That if the NRM North funding doesn't come through Council will reconsider the budget in light of reduced income. Moved: Mayor C Cox Seconded: Cr M Cobham CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (7-0)	NRM North funding is confirmed but an agreement on an operating and staff model has yet to be agreed.			Ongoing
597.07.2013	That the Flinders Council instructs the General Manager to work with the private land owner and Crown Lands to formalise enduring access for the public to White Beach on Flinders Island. Moved: Cr G Willis Seconded: Cr M Cobham CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (7-0)	Included in the 2013/2014 Annual Plan			Not Started
598.07.2013	That Council include in its Annual Plan for 2013-2014 the following: Action: 2.2.1.1 Council explore the development of a boat launching facility and associated infrastructure adjacent to the Tasports Slip at Lady Barron. Tasks: 1. Cr Willis develops a working group to firstly get community agreement to construct a new boat ramp and then to liaise with users on the design required for the facility and reports back to Council on the preferred approach.	Cl Willis has held a meeting with interested community members.			Ongoing

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	<p>2. Officers approach Crown Land Services and seek information on the current land titles and ownership details of land adjacent to the Tasports Slip area at Lady Barron. This information is presented to Council at a workshop once attained.</p> <p>3. Officers seek cost estimates to secure a lease (or license) for the agreed area to facilitate the development of a car park and boat launching facility.</p> <p>4. Council consider the matter formally and if agreed, provide funding to secure a lease or license for the site and commission the design of the boat ramp and associated infrastructure.</p> <p>5. Council seeks assistance from MAST and Tasports to develop the proposal.</p> <p>6. If funding is secured, Council allocates the required funds as part of its 2014-2015 budget to construct the facility.</p> <p>Moved: Cr G Willis Seconded: Cr M Cobham CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY (7-0)</p>				
614.08.2013	<p>2) That Council directs an application be made to the ASIF Steering Committee to hold the Forum on Flinders Island for 3 days at a date to be determined in 2014.</p> <p>3) That if the application is supported by ASIF, the General Manager provides a report to Council on the Annual Plan revisions required, prior to Council confirming commitment to hosting the Forum.</p> <p>Moved: Cr M Roberts Seconded: Cr R Wise CARRIED (6-1)</p>				In progress
615.08.2013	<p>That Council receives the draft Cat Management Strategy and allows it to lay on the table for 28 days for public comment.</p> <p>Moved: Cr M Cobham Seconded: Deputy Mayor D Williams CARRIED (6-1)</p>	Advertised to the community and laying on the table until 15 September.			In progress