SHIRE OF NUNGARIN



MINUTES ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING

OF

18th November 2020

3:00 PM

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Council Meeting Minutes

18 November 2020

1. DECLARATION OF OFFICIAL OPENING 3PM

At 3:00pm, the Shire President declared the meeting open and the Affirmation of Civic Duty and Responsibility was read out aloud by Cr Dayman. The Shire President also made acknowledgement of the Traditional Custodians of the land.

2. RECORDING OF ATTENDANCE, APOLOGIES & LEAVES OF ABSENCE

2.1 ATTENDANCE - ALL PRESENT

Shire President Cr P de Lacy
Deputy Shire President Cr G Coumbe
Elected Member Cr KE O'Connell
Elected Member Cr K Dayman
Elected Member Cr W Lee
Elected Member Cr J Davis
Elected Member Cr R Mizia

Chief Executive Officer Mr L Long
Manager of Works Mr A Richardson

2.2 APOLOGIES

Nil

2.3 LEAVES OF ABSENCE

NIL

2.4 NEW REQUESTS FOR LEAVES OF ABSENCE

NIL

3. DELEGATIONS & PETITIONS

3.1 DELEGATIONS

Nil

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3.2 PETITIONS

Nil

4. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

No members of public attended the meeting

4.1 RESPONSE TO PREVIOUS QUESTIONS TAKEN ON NOTICE

Nil

4.2 QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

5. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Councillors / Staff are reminded of the requirements of section 5.65 of the Local Government Act 1995, to disclose any interest during the meeting when the matter is discussed, and also of the requirement to disclose an interest affecting impartiality under the Shire's Code of Conduct.

Councillors / staff are required to submit declarations of interest in writing on the prescribed form.

5.1 FINANCIAL & PROXIMITY INTERESTS

A declaration under this section 5.60 of the Act requires that the nature of the interest must be disclosed. Consequently a member who has made a declaration must not preside, participate in, or be present during any discussion or decision making procedure relating to the matter the subject of the declaration.

Other members may allow participation of the declarant if the member further discloses the extent of the interest and the other members decide that the interest is trivial or insignificant or is common to a significant number of electors or ratepayers.

5.2 DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST THAT MAY CAUSE A CONFLICT

Councillors and staff are required (Code of Conduct), in addition to declaring any financial interest, to declare any interest that might cause a conflict. The member / employee is also encouraged to disclose the nature of the interest. The member / employee must consider the nature and extent of the interest and whether it will affect their impartiality. If the member / employee declares that their impartiality will not be affected then they may participate in the decision making process.

Cr. de Lacy declared an interest affecting impartiality in item 8.4.2 being a committee member.

- Cr. Dayman declared an interest affecting impartiality in item 8.4.2 being a committee member.
- Cr. O'Connell declared an interest affecting impartiality in item 8.4.2 being a committee member.

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- Cr. O'Connell declared an interest affecting impartiality in item 10.1 being related to the departing tenant.
- Cr. Coumbe declared an interest affecting impartiality in item 10.2 applicant being a family member.

6. ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE PRESIDING MEMBER (WITHOUT DISCUSSION)

President's Report UPCOMING DATES

❖ NEWROC Exec plus CBP Meeting
 ❖ GECZ Meeting
 24 November Trayning 9.30am
 ❖ 6 November 9.30am Merredin

Shire Christmas Function
TBC

❖ NEWROC Council Meeting
 ❖ CRC Meeting
 ❖ Shire Council Meeting
 8 December 3pm
 10 December 4.30pm
 16 December 3pm

7. CONFIRMATION OF COUNCIL MINUTES AND RECEIVING OF MINUTES

7.1 ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING 21 OCTOBER 2020

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION/S - ITEM NO 7.1

That the Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting, of the Shire of Nungarin held on 21 October 2020 be received.

COUNCIL DECISION NO 6429

Moved: Cr. Mizia

Seconded: Cr. Coumbe

That the Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting, of the Shire of Nungarin held on 21 October 2020 be received, subject to the following amendment:

Manager of Works Mr. Richardson declared a financial interest in item 8.4.1 being an employee of the Shire and the proposed Acting Chief Executive Officer.

Confirmed 7/0

7.2 MINUTES OF NEWROC COUNCIL MEETING 27 OCTOBER 2020

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION/S - ITEM NO 7.2

That the Minutes of the NEWROC Council meeting held on 27 October 2020 be received.

COUNCIL DECISION NO 6430

Moved: Cr. O'Connell Seconded: Cr. Mizia

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That the Minutes of the NEWROC Council meeting held on 27 October 2020 be received.

Confirmed 7/0

7.3 MINUTES OF EWBG AGM MEETING 1 OCTOBER 2020

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION/S - ITEM NO 7.3

That the Minutes of the EWBG AGM meeting held on 1 October 2020 be received.

COUNCIL DECISION NO 6431

Moved: Cr. Dayman Seconded: Cr. Lee

That the Minutes of the EWBG AGM meeting held on 1 October 2020 be received.

Confirmed 7/0

8. CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS

8.1 URBAN PLANNING

Nil

8.2 INFRASTRUCTURE

8.2.1 Works and Services Report

INFRASTRUCTURE

ATTACHMENT DETAILS

Attachment No	<u>Details</u>
NIL	

Voting Requirement : Simple Majority

Subject Index : N/A
Location / Property Index : N/A
Application Index : N/A
TPS No 3 Zoning : N/A
Land Use : N/A
Lot Area : N/A
Disclosure of any Interest : Nil

Previous Items : All Council Meetings

Applicant : N/A Owner : N/A

Responsible Officer : Alex Richardson (Works Manager)

COUNCIL ROLE

ITEM	SUBJECT HEADING	PAGE
	Advocacy	When Council advocates on its own behalf or on behalf of its community to another level of government / body / agency.
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PURPOSE OF REPORT

For Council to receive the Works Manager and Services report.

SUMMARY AND KEY ISSUES

- Maintenance on machines is continuing as required with servicing and repairing.
- Grader has been grading on Kwelkan South Road, Quanta Cutting Weira Road, Herbert Road
 Virgin Road Bandee North Road and Caridi Road.
- Works are currently being undertaken at the refuse site on a regular basis
- Road counters are on Karomin Road and Kwelkan South Road in preparing for report of gravel roads in the shire for WALGA reports
- Nungarin North Road Regional Road Group bitumen works has been complete some pipe work extensions need to be completed before the claim for of the grant can be finalised.

LOCATION

N/A

BACKGROUND

N/A

CONSULTATION

There has been no specific consultation undertaken in respect to this matter.

STRATEGIC IMPLICATIONS

There are no Strategic Plan implications evident at this time.

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POLICY IMPLICATIONS

There are no significant policy implications evident at this time.

STATUTORY IMPLICATIONS

There are no specific statutory requirements in respect to this matter.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no financial implications evident at this time.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no environmental implications at this time.

SOCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no social implications at this time.

OFFICER COMMENT

Refer to summary and key issues above.

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION/S - ITEM NO 7.3

That the Works and Services Managers report be received

COUNCIL DECISION NO 6432

Moved: Cr. Coumbe Seconded: Cr. Mizia

That the Works and Services Managers report be received

Confirmed 7/0

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8.2.2 Recreation Grounds

INFRASTRUCTURE

ATTACHMENT DETAILS

Attachment No	<u>Details</u>
Nil	

Voting Requirement : Simple Majority
Subject Index : Parks and Gardens

Location / Property Index : Various Application Index : N/A

Land Use : Parks and Gardens

Lot Area : N/A
Disclosure of any Interest : Nil

Previous Items : All Council Meetings

Applicant : N/A Owner : N/A

Responsible Officer : Alex Richardson, Acting Chief Executive Officer

COUNCIL ROLE

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appealable to the State Administrative Tribunal.

When Council advocates on its own behalf or on behalf of its

PURPOSE OF REPORT

For Council to receive Recreation Grounds status report.

SUMMARY AND KEY ISSUES

See officer's comments.

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LOCATION

All Recreation grounds

BACKGROUND

Council has traditionally asked for status reports concerning Recreation Grounds and Gardens generally and this report is provided accordingly.

CONSULTATION

There has been no specific consultation undertaken in respect to this matter.

STRATEGIC IMPLICATIONS

There are no Strategic Plan implications evident at this time.

POLICY IMPLICATIONS

There are no significant policy implications evident at this time.

STATUTORY IMPLICATIONS

There are no specific statutory requirements in respect to this matter.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no financial implications evident at this time.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no environmental implications at this time.

SOCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no social implications at this time.

OFFICER COMMENT

Oval and Cricket:

Reticulation work is being undertaken.

Tennis Courts:

The courts are being mowed as required.

Hockey Ground:

Under care and maintenance.

Bowling green:

Inspected and maintained as required.

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION/S - ITEM NO 8.2.2

That the Recreation Grounds status report be received.

COUNCIL DECISION NO 6433

Moved: Cr. Lee Seconded: Cr. Mizia

That the Recreation Grounds status report be received.

Confirmed 7/0

8.3 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

NIL

8.4 MANAGEMENT / GOVERNANCE / POLICY

8.4.1 Lot 38 Waterhouse Road and First Avenue

MANAGEMENT/GOVERNANCE/POLICY

ATTACHMENT DETAILS

Attachment No	<u>Details</u>
Attachment	Lot 38, Corner First Avenue and First Avenue

Voting Requirement : Simple Majority

Subject Index N/A Location / Property Index N/A Application Index N/A Land Use N/A Lot Area N/A Disclosure of any Interest N/A Previous Items N/A Applicant N/A Owner N/A

Responsible Officer : Alex Richardson, Acting Chief Executive Officer

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PURPOSE OF REPORT

The purpose of the report is to address the questions raised by the lawyer in regards to this address.

SUMMARY AND KEY ISSUES

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To update Council on current issues of vacant land Lot 38 Waterhouse Road and First Avenue. Council to consider options to progress the closure of this issue.

LOCATION

Lot 38 First Avenue and corner of Waterhouse Road, Nungarin.

BACKGROUND

The vacant land in question is from a deceased estate in which the executor had no knowledge of the property being owned by the deceased person. Currently the matter is in the hands of lawyers for overdue rates since 2003.

The lawyer has sent a few questions that need to be addressed going forward

CONSULTATION

There has been no specific consultation undertaken in respect to this matter.

STRATEGIC IMPLICATIONS

There are no Strategic Plan implications evident at this time.

POLICY IMPLICATIONS

There are no significant policy implications evident at this time.

STATUTORY IMPLICATIONS

There are no specific statutory requirements in respect to this matter.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There is financial implications in respect to recover outstanding debt.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no environmental implications at this time.

SOCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no social implications at this time.

OFFICER COMMENT

The block needs attention in regards to fire risk to the adjoining property. Also the outstanding rates issue needs to be addressed.

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OFFICER RECOMMENDATION/S - ITEM NO 8.4.1

That council discuss and make decision on the future use and best outcomes as discussed in the attachment.

COUNCIL DECISION 6434

Moved: Cr. Dayman Seconded: Cr. O'Connell

That Council agrees to accept the transfer of Lot 38 First Avenue, Nungarin at no cost to the Shire.

Confirmed 7/0

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Cr. Dayman declared an interest affecting impartiality in item 8.4.2 being a committee member.

Cr. O'Connell declared an interest affecting impartiality in item 8.4.2 being a committee member.

8.4.2 Community Resource Centre Lease

MANAGEMENT/GOVERNANCE/POLICY

ATTACHMENT DETAILS

Attachment No	<u>Details</u>	
Attachment	Letter and Lease	

Voting Requirement : Simple Majority

Subject Index N/A Location / Property Index N/A Application Index N/A Land Use N/A Lot Area N/A Disclosure of any Interest N/A Previous Items N/A Applicant N/A Owner N/A

Responsible Officer : Alex Richardson, Acting Chief Executive Officer

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PURPOSE OF REPORT

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To consider an extension of the current lease agreement.

SUMMARY AND KEY ISSUES

CRC Lease is due for renewing for the period after the 12 December 2020. Within the current lease there is the option of the lease to be further extended for another 5 years.

LOCATION

Lot 15 Railway Avenue, Nungarin, WA, 6490 (Post Office Building)

BACKGROUND

The Nungarin Community Resource Centre management committee met on Tuesday the 20 October 2020 where the lease is required to be considered at the next Shire Council Meeting.

CONSULTATION

There has been no specific consultation undertaken in respect to this matter.

STRATEGIC IMPLICATIONS

There are no Strategic Plan implications evident at this time.

POLICY IMPLICATIONS

There are no significant policy implications evident at this time.

STATUTORY IMPLICATIONS

There are no specific statutory requirements in respect to this matter.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

The request to have possible ownership of the land and the buildings that preside on the land.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no environmental implications at this time.

SOCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no social implications at this time.

OFFICER COMMENT

That the option to extend is accepted.

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION/S - ITEM NO 8.4.2

That council extend the lease agreement as per the current agreement option of five years.

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COUNCIL DECISION NO 6435

Moved: Cr. Coumbe Seconded: Cr. Mizia

That council extend the lease agreement for a period of 2 years.

Confirmed 7/0

The recommendation was amended to reduce the lease period from five (5) years to two (2) years, to provide the CRC the opportunity to explore operational grants

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8.4.3 **Building Reports**

MANAGEMENT/GOVERNANCE/POLICY

ATTACHMENT DETAILS

Attachment No	<u>Details</u>
Attachment 1	Engineering Reports

Voting Requirement Simple Majority

Subject Index N/A Location / Property Index N/A Application Index N/A Land Use N/A Lot Area N/A Disclosure of any Interest N/A Previous Items N/A Applicant N/A Owner N/A

Responsible Officer Alex Richardson, Acting Chief Executive Officer

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PURPOSE OF REPORT

That the reports be tabled as requests by Councillors for ongoing maintenance requirements and assets valuation.

SUMMARY AND KEY ISSUES

That the dilapidation report be tabled for council.	

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LOCATION

Nungarin Post Office, McCorry's Old Hotel, Nungarin Old Hall, War Memorial and Recreation Centre.

BACKGROUND

The dilapidation reports were undertaken and the reports were being developed to show condition of the building. The works required to be considered for the future planning and budget programs.

CONSULTATION

There has been no specific consultation undertaken in respect to this matter.

STRATEGIC IMPLICATIONS

There are no Strategic Plan implications evident at this time.

POLICY IMPLICATIONS

There are no significant policy implications evident at this time.

STATUTORY IMPLICATIONS

There are no specific statutory requirements in respect to this matter.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There is budget consideration with budget works to be undertaken to the required standards

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no environmental implications at this time.

SOCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no social implications at this time.

OFFICER COMMENT

That the report be received.

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION/S - ITEM NO 8.4.3

That council accept the reports as recommendations.

COUNCIL DECISION NO 6436

Moved: Cr. Davis Seconded: Cr. Lee

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That the item be laid on the table for further investigations and a report be submitted to the 16 December Ordinary Council meeting.

Confirmed 7/0

The recommendation was amended to allow the Chief Executive Officer time to further investigate the implications of the report's recommendations

8.4.4 Staff Christmas Bonus/Party

CORPORATE

ATTACHMENT DETAILS

Attachment No	<u>Details</u>
Nil	

Voting Requirement : Simple Majority

Subject Index : N/A
Location / Property Index : N/A
Application Index : N/A
Land Use : N/A
Lot Area : N/A
Disclosure of any Interest : Nil

Previous Items : Not known Applicant : N/A Owner : N/A

Responsible Officer : Alex Richardson, Acting Chief Executive Officer

COUNCIL ROLE

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PURPOSE OF REPORT

For Council to consider awarding a Christmas bonus to employees as recognition for their efforts over the preceding 12 months. As well as considering a date in December for the annual Christmas Party.

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SUMMARY AND KEY ISSUES

- Council has previously awarded a Christmas bonus to employees to recognise their efforts.
- Since the changes in administration, there has been greater accountability placed on staff and generally, works standards have greatly improved.
- Also to consider a suitable date in December for the Christmas Party.

LOCATION

N/A

BACKGROUND

Council has previously awarded a \$200 bonus to staff at Christmas time in recognition of the hard work over a 12 month period. This amount has been a constant over the last 10+ years and wish to have it reviewed to reflect the changing position of the Shire.

In considering a bonus for 2020, it is considered that given the ongoing changes and improvements to the organisation, and the higher standard expected from workers, there has been a genuine lift in the quality of work performed.

It is therefore requested that Council again consider it appropriate.

CONSULTATION

There has been no specific consultation undertaken in respect to this matter.

STRATEGIC IMPLICATIONS

There are no Strategic Plan implications evident at this time.

POLICY IMPLICATIONS

There are no significant policy implications evident at this time.

STATUTORY IMPLICATIONS

There are no specific statutory requirements in respect to this matter.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

The overall value is yet to be determined. There are sufficient funds in the employee wages account to cover this cost.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no environmental implications at this time.

SOCIAL IMPLICATIONS

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There are no social implications at this time.

OFFICER COMMENT

In total, there are eleven employees identified for a bonus. The employees have worked hard and are continually committed to improving the culture of the Shire and its assets.

Also a Date needs to be considered for the Christmas function to be held for Councillors and Staff.

It should be noted that the CEO is not included in the bonus.

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION/S - ITEM NO 8.4.4

That Council authorises the Chief Executive Officer to provide a Christmas Bonus to employees with the total value of the bonus being determined at the November Council Meeting. A Date to be confirmed and set for the Christmas function.

COUNCIL DECISION NO 6437

Moved: Cr. Mizia

Seconded: Cr. Dayman

That Council

- 1. Authorises the Chief Executive Officer to provide a \$250 Christmas Bonus to employees.
- 2. Approves 11 December 2020 as the date to host the staff Christmas party at the Nungarin Recreation Centre.
- 3. Extends an invitation to the previous Chief Executive Officer Adam Majid to attend the staff Christmas party.

Confirmed 7/0

The recommendation was amended to include a bonus amount and to set the date for the staff Christmas Party.

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8.5	CORPORATE	

8.5.1 Investments Report as at 31 October 2020

CORPORATE

ATTACHMENT DETAILS

Attachment No	<u>Details</u>
Nil	

Voting Requirement : Simple Majority

Subject Index N/A Location / Property Index N/A Application Index N/A Land Use N/A Lot Area N/A Disclosure of any Interest Nil Previous Items Nil Applicant N/A Owner N/A

Responsible Officer : Chief Executive Officer

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PURPOSE OF REPORT

For Council to receive the investment Report as at 31 October 2020.

appealable to the State Administrative Tribunal.

PAGE

SUMMARY AND KEY ISSUES

The Investment Report is presented for Council to receive.

LOCATION

N/A

BACKGROUND

Money held in the Municipal Fund of the Shire of Nungarin that is not required for the time being may be invested in accordance with the *Local Government Act 1995* and the *Trustees Act 1962* Part III.

CONSULTATION

There has been no specific consultation undertaken in respect to this matter.

STRATEGIC IMPLICATIONS

There are no Strategic Plan implications evident at this time.

POLICY IMPLICATIONS

Council Policy 3.07 applies to the investment of surplus funds.

STATUTORY IMPLICATIONS

Local Government Act 1995

6.14. Power to invest

- (1) Money held in the municipal fund or the trust fund of a local government that is not, for the time being, required by the local government for any other purpose may be invested as trust funds may be invested under the *Trustees Act 1962* Part III.
- (2A) A local government is to comply with the regulations when investing money referred to in subsection (1).
- (2) Regulations in relation to investments by local governments may
 - (a) make provision in respect of the investment of money referred to in subsection (1); and
 - [(b) deleted]
 - (c) prescribe circumstances in which a local government is required to invest money held by it; and
 - (d) provide for the application of investment earnings; and
 - (e) generally provide for the management of those investments.

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Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1996

19. Investments, control procedures for

- (1) A local government is to establish and document internal control procedures to be followed by employees to ensure control over investments.
- (2) The control procedures are to enable the identification of
 - (a) the nature and location of all investments; and
 - (b) the transactions related to each investment.

19C. Investment of money, restrictions on (Act s. 6.14(2)(a))

(1) In this regulation —

authorised institution means —

- (a) an authorised deposit-taking institution as defined in the *Banking Act 1959* (Commonwealth) section 5; or
- (b) the Western Australian Treasury Corporation established by the *Western Australian Treasury Corporation Act 1986*;

foreign currency means a currency except the currency of Australia.

- (2) When investing money under section 6.14(1), a local government may not do any of the following
 - (a) deposit with an institution except an authorised institution;
 - (b) deposit for a fixed term of more than 12 months;
 - (c) invest in bonds that are not guaranteed by the Commonwealth Government, or a State or Territory government;
 - (d) invest in bonds with a term to maturity of more than 3 years:
 - (e) invest in a foreign currency.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no financial implications evident at this time.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no environmental implications at this time.

SOCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no social implications at this time.

OFFICER COMMENT

The worksheet below details the investments held by the Shire as at 31 October 2020:

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	SHIRE OF NUNGARIN INVESTMENTS AS AT 31 OCTOBER 2020							
INSTITUTI ON	SHOR T TERM RATING	INVESTM ENT TYPE	ACCOUN T N°	TERM	DATE OF TRANSACTI ON	DATE OF MATURI TY	INTERE ST RATE	PRINCIPA L
MUNICIPAL	. FUND							
CBA	N/A	Operating A/C	12481074	Ongoing	N/A	N/A	Variable	\$1,121,92 2.58
TOTAL								\$1,121,92 2.58

		SHIRE OF NU	INGARIN INV	/ESTMEN	TS AS AT 31	OCTOBER 2	020	
INSTITUTI ON	SHOR T TERM RATIN G	INVESTME NT TYPE	ACCOUNT Nº	TERM	_	DATE OF MATURITY	INTERES T RATE	PRINCIPAL
RESERVE FUNDS								
СВА	N/A	Interest Bearing Cheque A/C	12481082	Ongoing	N/A	N/A	Variable	,
TOTAL								\$627.578.5 8
TRUST		•		•	•	•		
CBA	N/A	Trust a/c	12481090	Ongoing	N/A	N/A	Nil	\$221.38
TOT AL		<u> </u>						\$221.38

	INVESTMENT REGISTER							
	1 OCTOBER 2020 TO 31 OCTOBER 2020							
		CO	MMONWEALTH	I BANK				
ACCOUNT N°	DATE OF	INTERES	OPENING	INTERES	INVESTME	CLOSING		
	MATURIT	T RATE	BALANCE	T EARNT	NT	BALANCE		
	Υ			TO	TRANSFER	31.10.2020		
				31.10.202	S			
				U				
38132004	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION/S - ITEM NO 8.5.1

That the Investment Report as at 31 October 2020 be received.

COUNCIL DECISION NO 6438

Moved: Cr. Mizia

Seconded: Cr O'Connell

That the Investment Report as at 31 October 2020 be received.

Confirmed 7/0

8.5.2 Accounts for Payment - October 2020

CORPORATE

ATTACHMENT DETAILS

Attachment No	<u>Details</u>
Attachment 1	Accounts Paid – October 2020

Voting Requirement : Simple Majority

Subject Index : Finance
Location / Property Index : N/A
Application Index : N/A
Land Use : N/A
Lot Area : N/A
Disclosure of any Interest : Nil

Previous Items : All Council Meetings

Applicant : N/A Owner : N/A

Responsible Officer : Alex Richardson, Acting Chief Executive Officer

COUNCIL ROLE

Advocacy	When Council advocates on its own behalf or on behalf of its community to another level of government / body / agency.
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PURPOSE OF REPORT

That Council receives and note the payment of accounts for the month of September 2020.

SUMMARY AND KEY ISSUES

All payments relate to normal operational matters for the Shire.

LOCATION

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N/A

BACKGROUND

Attachment 1 details all accounts paid since the last reporting period.

Payment Types for Municipal Account:

EFT \$ 380,699.87 Cheque \$ 14,835.99 Direct Debits \$ 5,108.41 TOTAL \$ 400,644.27

Payment Types for Trust Account:

 Cheque
 \$ 0.00

 EFT
 \$ 0.00

 Direct Debits
 \$ 0.00

 TOTAL
 \$ 0.00

The total amount for all payments from all accounts is therefore \$400,644.27.

CONSULTATION

There has been no specific consultation undertaken in respect to this matter.

STRATEGIC IMPLICATIONS

There are no Strategic Plan implications evident at this time.

POLICY IMPLICATIONS

There are no significant policy implications evident at this time.

STATUTORY IMPLICATIONS

There are no specific statutory requirements in respect to this matter.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no financial implications at this time.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no environmental implications at this time.

SOCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no social implications at this time.

OFFICER COMMENT

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Nil

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION/S - ITEM NO 8.5.2

That Council receives and notes the list of accounts paid for October 2020, totalling \$400,644.27, and that the list be recorded in the minutes.

COUNCIL DECISION NO 6439

Moved: Cr. Coumbe Seconded: Cr. Dayman

That Council receives and notes the list of accounts paid for October 2020, totalling \$400,644.27, and that the list be recorded in the minutes.

Confirmed 7/0

8.5.3 Financial Report - October 2020

CORPORATE

ATTACHMENT DETAILS

Attachment No	<u>Details</u>
Attachment 1	Monthly Financial Report 31 October 2020 - Under
	separate cover

Voting Requirement : Simple Majority

Subject Index : N/A
Location / Property Index : N/A
Application Index : N/A
Land Use : N/A
Lot Area : N/A
Disclosure of any Interest : Nil

Previous Items : All Council Meetings

Applicant : N/A Owner : N/A

Responsible Officer : Chief Executive Officer

COUNCIL ROLE

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appealable to the State Administrative Tribunal.

PURPOSE OF REPORT

For Council to consider the monthly financial report for the period ending 31 October 2020.

SUMMARY AND KEY ISSUES

The Local Government Act and Regulations require local governments to prepare monthly reports containing the information that is prescribed.

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LOCATION

N/A

BACKGROUND

Nil

CONSULTATION

Financial Consultant - Darren Long

STRATEGIC IMPLICATIONS

There are no Strategic Plan implications evident at this time.

POLICY IMPLICATIONS

There are no significant policy implications evident at this time.

STATUTORY IMPLICATIONS

Section 6.4 of the Local Government Act 1995 and Regulation 34 of the Local Government (Finance) Regulations 1996.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no financial implications at this time.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no environmental implications at this time.

SOCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no social implications at this time.

OFFICER COMMENT

Nil

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION/S - ITEM NO 8.5.3

That the financial report for the period ending 31 October 2020 be received.

COUNCIL DECISION NO 6440

Moved: Cr. O'Connell Seconded: Cr. Mizia

That the financial report for the period ending 31 October 2020 be received.

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Confirmed 7/0

9. DELEGATES REPORTS

(Elected members who are delegates to other Forums may present a verbal or written report)

Cr O'Connell has submitted a written report.

10. **NEW BUSINESS OF AN URGENT NATURE**

Cr. O'Connell declared an interest affecting impartiality in item 10.1 being related to the departing tenant.

10.1 LATE ITEM Unit A, 20 First Avenue

CORPORATE

ATTACHMENT DETAILS

Attachment No	Details
Attachment 2	Lease Agreement, Property Condition Report, Photos

Voting Requirement Absolute Majority

Subject Index N/A

Location / Property Index Unit A, 20 First Avenue, NUNGARIN

Application Index N/A Land Use N/A Lot Area N/A Disclosure of any Interest N/A Previous Items N/A Applicant N/A Owner N/A

Chief Executive Officer Responsible Officer

COUNCIL ROLE

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PURPOSE OF REPORT

To determine the eligibility of return of bond and 2 days rent paid in advance to previous Tenant and approval of release of funds.

To approve the Pool Manager to take a lease of the property, starting immediately to the end of the Pool season as a form of acceptable accommodation.

SUMMARY AND KEY ISSUES

- To determine the eligibility of return of bond and then the release of bond to previous Tenant.
- To confirm the new tenant to be the Pool Manager
- To discuss the lease beyond the pool season.

LOCATION

Unit A, 20 First Avenue, NUNGARIN, WA 6490

BACKGROUND

The previous Tenant for Unit A, 20 First Avenue, has given notice and wishes to have the bond returned and the 2 days rent paid in advance. The property condition report has been completed with the state in which the house was left. In order to release the funds council need to approve they are happy with allowing the bond being returned as per in the lease agreement.

As the Shire have limited housing the only option available to the Pool Manager was 45 First Avenue. The problem with this housing option is that it is not secure and therefore unsafe for the Pool Manager. Having unit A 20 First Avenue now available the Shire now have suitable and safe housing for the Pool manager to now go into. As the pool season has already started the decision needs to be made urgently so that arrangements can be made.

CONSULTATION

There has been no specific consultation undertaken in respect to this matter.

STRATEGIC IMPLICATIONS

There are no Strategic Plan implications evident at this time.

POLICY IMPLICATIONS

There are no significant policy implications evident at this time.

STATUTORY IMPLICATIONS

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There are no specific statutory requirements in respect to this matter.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

Should Council resolve as recommended the total refund will be \$348,30 (Bond - \$320.00, two (2) days rent \$28.30).

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no environmental implications at this time.

SOCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no social implications at this time.

OFFICER COMMENT

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION/S - ITEM NO 10.1

That Council;

- Approves the request from the tenant for the refund of the bond held by the Shire for the rental of Unit A, 20 First Avenue, Nungarin being \$320.00, from Housing Bonds Deposits GL# 122704.
- Approves the request from the tenant for the refund of two (2) days rent for Unit A, 20 First Avenue, Nungarin amounting to \$28.30, from Lot 75 First Avenue – Unit A Rent MUN GL# 309313
- 3. Approves the lease of the of Unit A, 20 First Avenue being in the name of the Pool Manager for the term of their contract ending 30 April 2021.
- 4. Delegates the Chief Executive Officer to sign any documents pertaining to the lease in (3) above for a period not exceeding 30 April 2021.

COUNCIL DECISION NO 6441

Moved: Cr. O'Connell Seconded: Cr. Dayman

That Council;

1. Approves the request from the tenant for the refund of the bond held by the Shire for the rental of Unit A, 20 First Avenue, Nungarin being \$320.00, from Housing Bonds Deposits GL# 122704.

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- 2. Approves the request from the tenant for the refund of two (2) days rent for Unit A, 20 First Avenue, Nungarin amounting to \$28.30, from Lot 75 First Avenue Unit A Rent MUN GL# 309313
- 3. Approves the lease of the of Unit A, 20 First Avenue being in the name of the Pool Manager for the term of their contract ending 30 April 2021.
- 4. Delegates the Chief Executive Officer to sign any documents pertaining to the lease in (3) above for a period not exceeding 30 April 2021.

Confirmed 7/0

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ITEM SUBJECT HEADING

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Cr. Coumbe declared an interest affecting impartiality in item 10.2 applicant being a family member.

10.2

LATE ITEM Request for donation from the Nungarin Primary School

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION/S - ITEM NO 10.2

That Council with regard to the request from the Nungarin Primary School:

- 1. Approves the donation of two (2) history books "A Piece of String".
- 2. Approves the donation of \$100 from GL # 204218 Governance office expenses other.

COUNCIL DECISION NO 6442

Moved: Cr. O'Connell Seconded: Cr. Dayman

That Council with regard to the request from the Nungarin Primary School:

- 1. Approves the donation of two (2) history books "A Piece of String".
- 2. Approves the donation of \$100 from GL # 204218 Governance office expenses other.

Confirmed 7/0

MOTIONS ON NOTICE 11.

(Automatically sent back to Administration for consideration at the next Council meeting)

Nil.

12. CONFIDENTIAL ITEMS OF BUSINESS

Nil.

13. CLOSURE

There being no further business the meeting closed at 4:34pm.

Presiding Member

16-12-2020