NARROMINE SHIRE COUNCIL ORDINARY MEETING BUSINESS PAPER – 14 JULY 2021 MAYORAL MINUTE

1. MAYORAL DIARY

<u>June 2021</u>

1 June	Meeting with Business Operator
2 June	Floodplain Management Committee Meeting Meeting with Western NSW Health with regards to COVID Vaccinations
3 June	Economic Development Group Meeting
4 June	Meeting with regards to New Newspaper
6 June	Meeting with High School Representatives and Clontarf
7 June	Meeting with General Manager
	Meeting with Investor
10 June	National Volunteers Day – Thank you Morning Tea
	Meeting with Investor
13 June	Trangie Car Club Rally
14 June	Meeting with Trangie Truck & Tractor Show Representatives
15 June	Meeting with Dugald Saunders MP
16 June	Ordinary Council Meeting
17 June	Inland Rail Hydrology Flood Study Presentation
	Presentation in Chambers for School Students and Teachers from
	Narromine High School
	Trangie Community Connection Farewell for two Executives
18 June	Trangie inspections with General Manager and Director of Infrastructure and Engineering Services
22 June	Flight to Sydney
23 June	Meeting with Minister Lee's Advisors regarding Labour constraints across the Orana Region
	Flight home and began Isolation following Sydney visit.

RECOMMENDATION

That the information be noted.

2. DEPUTY MAYORAL DIARY

<u>June 2021</u>

7 June	Narromine Aviation Museum Meeting
10 June	National Volunteers Day – Thank you Morning Tea
16 June	Local Traffic Committee Meeting
	Ordinary Council Meeting
17 June	Inland Rail Hydrology Flood Study Presentation
22 June	Pre Election Information Session for Candidates.

RECOMMENDATION

That the information be noted.

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3. DELEGATE REPORT – BUSH FIRE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

Cr Colin Hamilton has submitted delegate's reports on the Bush Fire Management Committee meeting held on 24 June 2021 (**See Attachment No. 1**)

RECOMMENDATION

That the information be noted.

Cr Craig Davies Mayor



DELEGATE REPORT

COUNCILLOR REPORT ON ATTENDANCE AT Bush Fire Management Committee

COUNCILLOR Cr. Colin Hamilton

DATE ATTENDED 24 June 2021

1. Main Purpose of Conference/Visit/Meeting

Quarterly Committee Meeting

2. Key Messages/Highlights of Relevance to Council

- The Sappa Bulga & Momo area fire trails are too wet still to assess management works required to bring them up to standard.
- The BRIMS portal closes on Friday, 25 June 2021. Its replacement "GUARDIAN" opens on 1 July 2021. Updating any works proposed or completed in GUARDIAN is not only good for reporting purposes but also for future funding and proof of works in the event of a fire impacting the area.
- Training for GUARDIAN commences 28 June 2021 onwards.
- Acting Executive Officer of Orana NSW Rural Fire Service is to update NSC proposed works schedule from BRIMS onto GUARDIAN on NSC behalf while NSC staff are trained in its use.
- NSC are advised to contact the Manager Community Risk Area Western NSW at NSW Fire Service, regarding any proposed new hazard reduction (HR) works before going through the application process. Tim advised there may be other funding opportunities available for different HR works (apart from roadside slashing) in addition to outside bodies qualifying to carry out the works on Council behalf.

3. Benefits to Narromine Shire Council

Provides a direct avenue of communication between Council and the Orana Fire Control and other agencies to discuss and plan fire prevention activities, programs, and issues around the Orana region.

4. Suggestions for Future Action (if appropriate)

Continued attendance at BFMC meetings and continued close liaison with the regional fire control agencies.

Signature Colin Hamilton

Date 24.06.2021