
NARROMINE SHIRE COUNCIL
ORDINARY MEETING BUSINESS PAPER – 12 OCTOBER 2022
MAYORAL MINUTE

1. MAYORAL DIARY

September 2022

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| 1 September | Meeting with Shadow Minister for Planning and Public Spaces |
| 2 September | Narromine Show Sponsors Night |
| 3 September | Narromine Show Council Representative |
| 5 September | Murray Darling Association Board Meeting |
| 6 September | Preparation meeting for Philippine Ambassador Dinner |
| | Meeting with Macquarie River Food and Fibre Representatives |
| | Meeting with UGL Representatives |
| 7 September | Meeting with Century 21 Representatives (Orbit Australia) |
| 8 September | Preferred Infrastructure Report ARTC |
| 10 September | Narromine Jets Rugby League Award Day |
| 12 September | Meeting with Potential Investor |
| | CSU Tony McGrane Memorial Scholarship Fund Dinner |
| 13 September | Newell Highway Taskforce Meeting |
| 14 September | Pre-Briefing Meeting |
| | Ordinary Council Meeting |
| 15 September | Local Jobs Employment Network |
| 16 September | Welcome to Ausfly, hosted by Sport Aircraft Association Australia |
| 17 September | AusFly 2022 |
| 18 - 21 September | Murray Darling Association Conference |
| 23 September | DPI Water Infrastructure Meeting |
| | Macquarie River Food and Fibre AGM |
| 26 September | Pre-Briefing Meeting |
| | Extraordinary Council Meeting |
| 27 September | Meeting with Orbit Australia |
| | Meeting with National Emergency Management Agency |
| | Dinner with Philippine Ambassador and Delegation |
| 28 September | Tour of Narromine Shire with Philippine Ambassador |
| | Dinner for Philippine Ambassador |
| 29 September | Meeting with Shadow Minister for Agriculture and Western NSW |

RECOMMENDATION

That the information be noted.

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2. DEPUTY MAYORAL DIARY

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| 2 September | Narromine Show Sponsors Night |
| 3 September | Narromine Show Council Representative |
| 9 September | Meeting with Western NSW Local Health District – Japanese Encephalitis Update |
| 14 September | Pre-Briefing Meeting Ordinary Council Meeting |
| 19 September | Official Opening of NAIDOC Week – Smoking Ceremony |
| 20 September | Inspections and Meeting with Planning Panel with regard to Gravel Quarries |
| 26 September | Pre-Briefing Meeting Extraordinary Council Meeting |
| 28 September | Dinner for Philippine Ambassador |
| 29 September | Inland Rail Councillor Briefing |

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That the information be noted.

3. NEWELL HIGHWAY TASKFORCE MEETING

The Newell Highway Taskforce met on 13 September 2022 to provide an update of improvements including the overtaking lanes on the Newell and Mitchell Highway intersection. There is currently \$575M now available for grade separation for the Inland Rail project including the Tomingley Road.

This is an important highway between Melbourne and Brisbane and is the third busiest freight route. A lot of heavy traffic diverts via Narromine to Eumungerie or the Mitchell Highway.

It is in Council's interests to continue to lobby for better funding and recognition of its importance as a freight and transport route.

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That the information be noted.

Cr Craig Davies
Mayor