# MINUTES OF THE BLAYNEY SHIRE COUNCIL EXTRAORDINARY MEETING HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMPERS

# HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, ON 21 JULY 2011, COMMENCING AT 6.37 PM

Present:

Crs B Kingham (Mayor), D Bell, G Braddon OAM, A Ewin, S Ferguson, K Radburn and R Reeks.

Acting General Manager (Mr A McCormack), Director Corporate Services (Mr A Franze), Director Engineering (Mr G Baker) and Director Environmental Services (Mr P O'Brien).

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

The Mayor opened the meeting with an acknowledgment of Country.

## **CORPORATE SERVICES REPORTS**

# **RECRUITMENT OF GENERAL MANAGER**

#### 1107E/001

#### **RESOLVED:**

- 1. That Council engage a recruitment consultant from the four applicants who expressed interest.
- 2. That Council appoint a General Manager Recruitment Panel to decide:
  - a. the successful consultant, and
  - b. to assist the successful consultant to arrive at the applicants for final interview.
- 3. That the Panel comprise the Mayor, Deputy Mayor, Cr Reeks and Acting General Manager. (Radburn/Ferguson)

#### **CLOSED MEETING**

#### 1107E/002 RESOLVED:

 That the meeting now be closed to the public in accordance with Section 10A of the Local Government Act, 1993 for consideration of the following matters: (Ewin/Ferguson)

## **CONFIDENTIAL MEETING REPORTS**

## **COUNCILLOR/STAFF INTERACTION**

This matter is considered to be confidential under Section 10A(2) (a) of the Local Government Act, as it deals with personnel matters concerning particular individuals.

#### 1107E/003 RESOLVED:

- 1. That this report be noted.
- 2. That Council confirm its support and appreciation for Council's staff.
- 3. That, in order to consolidate appreciation of the responsibilities of Councillors and staff, CENTROC or any

- accredited provider, be asked to conduct a workshop in relation to the Code of Conduct. This Code is currently under review.
- 4. That Council's Communication between Councillors and Staff Policy be reviewed.
- 5. That, pending the agreement being attained on 22 July 2011, the Mayor issue a media release (draft attached).
- 6. That, pending the agreements, Council gratification for the resolution of the issue. (Ferguson/Braddon)

#### 1107E/004 RESOLVED:

That as consideration of the matters referred to in the closed meeting has been concluded, the meeting now be opened to the public. (Ewin/Reeks)

There being no further business, the meeting concluded at 7.02pm.

The Minute Numbers 1107E/001 to 1107E/004 were confirmed on 8 August 2011 and are a full and accurate record of proceedings of the Extraordinary Meeting held on 21 July 2011.

Cr BR Kingham <b>MAYOR</b>	Mr A McCormack ACTING GENERAL MANAGER	