

18th November 2015 Ordinary Council Meeting Decisions

Listed below is a brief description of the decisions of Council at its meeting held on the 18th November 2015:

- Council approved, under S.57 (b) of the *Land Use Planning and Approvals Act 1993*, an application for a dwelling within 200m of the rural resource zone for land at lot 2/49 Hillwood Jetty Road subject to the conditions contained within the officer's report.
- Council resolved to continue to support a combined application for rezoning and 11 lot subdivision at 4 Ridge Street & Craighburn Road, Hillwood in accordance with S.39 (2) of the *Land Use Planning and Approvals Act 1993*.
- Due to increased costs of recycling, Council approved an amendment to the Municipal Waste Transfer Station Fees schedule, effectively immediately, to charge for the disposal of recyclable metal at the George Town Waste Transfer Station.
- Council agreed to purchase a monthly sponsorship package of \$250 per month from Tamar FM for a period of 7 months, commencing from December 2015 through to June 2016 and consider further sponsorship for Tamar FM of \$250 per month as part of the annual budget deliberation process in order to align financial approvals with the annual budget process.
- Council agreed to support working with other councils in the northern region to accelerate the replacement of existing minor road lights with LEDs and consider funding arrangements in the 2016/2017 budget considerations.
- Council approved a community grant to the George Town Scouts Group to hold a Christmas Shopping Night Expo in the Graham Fairless Centre on Friday 4th December 2015 to raise funds for the organisation.
- Council agreed to consider the installation of play ground equipment at Lefroy in the budget deliberation process for the financial year 2016/2017 and includes a multi criteria analysis of the project.
- Council endorsed the draft aims, objectives and terms of reference as drawn up by the current members of the young leaders group, now known as the Community Youth Council.

- Council adopted its Council ordinary meeting and Workshop dates for 2016.
- Council agreed to advertise and present its Draft 2016-2026 Strategic Plan inviting submissions on the Plan closing January 2016. Council also agreed that the Draft 2016-2026 Strategic Plan be presented via a community forum to be held early December 2015.
- Council resolved to rescind its Development Incentive Policy No. 30 – Version 04 effective immediately save for existing applications.
- Council received the Draft Policy Development, Approval and Review Policy No. 09 and agreed that the Policy lay on the table until the next ordinary meeting of the Council and that public comment be invited during this time.

For further details on the above Council resolutions, please either refer to the November 18th 2015 Agenda or contact Council's Governance Department on 6382 8800.