



Shire of
Perenjori
Embrace Opportunity

Shire of Perenjori
Annual Electors Meeting

MINUTES

Thursday 16 February 2023 at 4.30pm
Perenjori Pavilion

1. Declaration of Opening:

The Shire President declared the meeting open at 4.30pm and welcomed those in attendance.

Acknowledgement of Traditional Custodians: -

As per the Shire of Perenjori Policy (N° 1021) we wish to acknowledge the traditional owners of the land upon which the Shire of Perenjori is situated and to demonstrate respect for the original custodians.

I respectfully acknowledge the past and present traditional owners of the land upon which we are meeting, the Badymia people. It is a privilege to be standing on Badymia country.

2. Opening Prayer

The Shire President read the opening prayer.

Acknowledgement of Pioneers: -

I acknowledge the pioneers who settled this country, developed the land and turned it into the productive country we know today.

2. Record of Attendance and Apologies:

Members:	Cr Christopher King (President)
	Cr Daniel Bradford
	Cr Les Hepworth
	Cr Dael Sparkman
	Cr Colin Bryant
	Cr Andrew Fraser
Staff:	Paul Anderson – Chief Executive Officer
	Neville Binning – Manager of Infrastructure Services
	Elinor Pitts – Executive Assistant
Visitors:	Elaine King
	Brian King
	Lisa Smith
	Paul Spencer
	Janice Spencer
Apologies:	Cr Jude Sutherland (Deputy President)

3. Receiving of the Annual Report of the Shire of Perenjori for the year ending 30 June 2022:

Moved:	Ms Lisa Smith
Seconded:	Cr Daniel Bradford
Carried	

4. General Business:

Cr Chris King thanked Phil Logue and Brian Baxter for their contributions to the Shire of Perenjori during their time in Council. Cr King also thanked the administration team for their timely and organised approach to the compliance tasks and deadlines, and wished for it to set a precedent going forward.

Paul Anderson thanked the Councillors for their commitment and contributions to the ongoing improvement of the Shire of Perenjori.

Lisa Smith thanked the Council for their achievements and asked the CEO and President what the plan is going forward over the next twelve months. The CEO explained that there is a backlog of issues which the Shire is working its way through successfully. A few examples were mentioned:

- The replacement of the town hall roof;
- The construction of two modular houses within the townsite.
- Two aged care units are up for tender (funded)
- New water supply for the oval (water quality is being tested and the Shire is looking at different types of grass which may be better suited)
- The Commercial Hub Business Case is still in progression; the Council is waiting for the figures to be presented to them and then they can make a firm decision on whether to proceed.
- The roadworks programme will continue over the next twelve months.

Overall, the progressive development of the Shire of Perenjori will continue over the next twelve months.

Cr Christopher King announced that it will be his last Annual Electors Meeting as he will be retiring from his role as President in October 2023.

5. Closure of Meeting:

The Shire President declared the meeting closed at 4.41pm and thanked those in attendance.

I certify that this copy of the Minutes is a true and correct record of the Annual Electors Meeting held on 16 February 2023.

Signed: 
Presiding Member

Date: 01/02/2024

