

INFORMAL MEETING OF COUNCILLORS RECORD

In accordance with Council's Governance Rules (Chapter 5 Rule 1), this form must be completed if there is a meeting of Councillors that:

- Is scheduled or planned for the purpose of discussing the business of Council or briefing Councillors
- Is attended by an absolute majority of Councillors (at least 4) and one member of Council staff; and
- Is not a Council meeting, delegated committee meeting or Community Asset Committee meeting.

Name of meeting:	Councillor Briefing					
Date and time:	Date: 15 August 2023			Time commenced: 9:35am		
Name of officer completing this form:	Sophie Brown					
Councillors present:		In person	Virtual		In person	Virtual
Please mark the Councillors	Cr Cunningham	\boxtimes		Cr Rowe		
present	Cr Gamble		\boxtimes	Cr Sharkey	\boxtimes	
	(Present virtually for some items)					
	Cr Getsom			Cr Whitfield	\boxtimes	
	Cr Kirby	\boxtimes				
Staff present:					In person	Virtual
Please mark the staff present	Eric Braslis (Chief Executive Officer)					
	Lynnere Gray (Acting Chief Executive Officer)					
	Phil Josipovic (Director Infrastructure and ⊠ ☐ Environment)					
	Emma Wheatland (Acting Director Community, Planning and Growth)					
	Other staff:					
	Manager Finance					
	Acting Manager Community Wellbeing					
	Manager Childrens Services					
	Manager Recreation and Community Infrastructure					
	Customer Experience Coordinator Arts and Culture Advisor					
Other people present:	West Wind Energy					
e.g. consultants, presenters.	Tag Energy					
	Opteon Solutions					
	VGV (Valuer General Victoria)					



Matters considered discussed:

Provide a brief list of the matters considered.

* indicates items where a report was provided but was not discussed.

External Presentations

- 2.1 Golden Plains Windfarm Update
- 2.2 Property Valuations

Internal Presentations

- 2.3 Reconciliation Action Plan Update
- 2.4 Best Start Best Life Kindergarten Infrastructure Update
- 2.5 Customer Experience Strategy 12 Month Update

Council Reports* Citizenship Ceremony

- 3.2 * Delegates Report & Informal Meetings of Councillors Records
- 3.3 * Berrybank Windfarm Community Grants 2023
- * Council Plan 2021-2025 Implementation Quarter Four
- 3.5 * Excision of South Steiglitz Road Reserve from Mining Exploration Licence
- 3.6 Debt Collection and Financial Hardship
- * Tender for Minor Civil Works and Plant Hire Panel of Suppliers
- * Review of Instrument of Appointment and Authorisation Planning and Environment Act 1987
- 3.9 * Councillor Expenses and Meeting Attendance Report Quarter Four Ending 30 June 2023
- 3.10 Draft Election Period Policy

Administrative Updates

- 4.1 SMT Only
- 4.2 CEO Only
- 4.3 Councillor Only

Updates for Noting

- 4.4 * Financial Statements for the Year Ended 30 June 2023 Interim Result
- 4.5 * Council Land 66 Brooke Street, Smythesdale
- 4.6 * Operation Sandon Report
- 4.7 * National Local Roads, Transport, and Infrastructure Congress 2023 Mayoral Attendance

Conflict of interest disclosures:

If any meeting attendee declares a conflict of interest, a separate disclosure form must be completed and returned to Governance.

Name	Subject/matter	Did they leave the meeting before discussion on the matter?
Nil		

Once completed, please return this form to governanceadministration@gplains.vic.gov.au