# MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BARCALDINE REGIONAL COUNCIL HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 71 ASH STREET, BARCALDINE ON TUESDAY 4 DECEMBER 2018 COMMENCING AT 10.38AM

#### **ATTENDANCE**

Councillor R Chandler (Mayor) (In the Chair), Councillors J Gray (Deputy Mayor), G Bettiens, S Dillon, M Rogers, and B Plumb.

## **OFFICERS**

S Boxall (Chief Executive Officer), B Walsh (Deputy Chief Executive Officer), D Howard (District Manager – Alpha and Jericho), F Smallwood (District Manager – Aramac and Muttaburra), R Rolfe (Chief Engineer), A Newton (Minute Secretary) and Hailey Winter (Executive Assistant).

### **LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

Resolution: Moved Cr Dillon Seconded Cr Plumb 2018/12/379 That leave of absence be granted to Councillor Gary Peoples.

Carried 6/0

#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF TRADITIONAL OWNERS**

The Mayor acknowledged the traditional owners of the land, past and present.

## **DECLARATIONS OF COUNCILLORS**

# **Material Personal Interest on any items of Business**

**Cr Bettiens for Item 1 -** "I declare that I have a material personal interest in sections of this matter (as defined by Local Government Act 2009, section 175B). I am the director of Capricorn Plumbing and Drainage and stand to gain a benefit or suffer a loss depending on the outcome of Council's consideration of the tenders for the Aramac and Muttaburra Water Supply Upgrade Stage 1 (for which I am a tenderer). I will be dealing with this declared material personal interest by leaving the meeting while this matter is discussed and voted on."

Conflict of Interest - Nil

**Personal Gifts and Benefits - Nil** 

# **BUSINESS**

Councillor Bettiens declared an interest in the following matter and left the meeting during discussions thereon.

## 1. Aramac and Muttaburra Water Supply Upgrade Stage 1

Summary: Council to consider tenders received for the contract for the Aramac and

Muttaburra water mains upgrade.

Resolution: Moved Cr Dillon Seconded Cr Gray 2018/12/380 That Council:-

- (a) receives the Officer's Report; and
- (b) authorises the Chief Executive Officer to enter into a contract with Capricorn Plumbing and Drainage Pty Ltd for the tendered amount of \$1,063,303.60 excl. GST.

Carried 5/0

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At this stage Councillor Bettiens returned to the meeting.		
As there was no further business, the Mayor declared the meeting closed 11.00am.		
CONFIRMED AS A TRUE AND CORRECT RECORD		
MAYOR:		
DATED:	12 December 2018	