



City of Nedlands

# ***Agenda***

## ***Sustainable Nedlands Committee Meeting***

***14 March 2011***

### **ATTENTION**

This Agenda has yet to be dealt with by the Committee.

The Administration Recommendations, shown at the beginning of each item, have yet to be considered by the Committee and are not to be interpreted as being the position of either the Committee or Council.

The Minutes of the meeting held to discuss this Agenda should be read to ascertain the decision of the Committee.

Before acting on any recommendation of the Committee a check must also be made in the Ordinary Council Minutes following the Committee Meeting to ensure that Council did not make a decision at variance to the Committee Recommendation.

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## City of Nedlands

**Notice of a meeting of the Sustainable Nedlands Committee to be held in the Council Chambers, 71 Stirling Highway, Nedlands on Monday, 14 March 2011 at 7.00 pm.**

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Dear Committee Member

The next Meeting of the Sustainable Nedlands Committee will be held on Monday, 14 March 2011 in the Council Chambers at 71 Stirling Highway, Nedlands at 7.00 pm.

Andrew Melville  
Manager Sustainable Nedlands  
8 March 2011

### **Sustainable Nedlands Committee Agenda**

#### **Declaration of Opening**

The Presiding Member will declare the meeting open at 7.00 pm and will draw attention to the disclaimer below.

#### **Present and Apologies and Leave of Absence (Previously Approved)**

**Leave of Absence**                      None  
*(Previously Approved)*

**Apologies**                              None as at distribution of this agenda.

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### **1. Public Question Time**

A member of the public wishing to ask a question should register that interest by notification in writing to the CEO in advance, setting out the text or substance of the question. Questions tabled at the meeting may be unable to be answered due to the requirement for technical research and will therefore be answered direct afterwards.

Questions must relate to a matter contained within the agenda of this meeting.

### **2. Public Address Session (only for items listed on the agenda)**

Addresses by members of the public who have completed Public Address Session Forms will be invited to be made at this point.

### **3. Disclosures of Financial Interest**

The Presiding Member to remind Councillors and Staff of the requirements of Section 5.65 of the Local Government Act to disclose any interest during the meeting when the matter is discussed.

*A declaration under this section requires that the nature of the interest must be disclosed. Consequently a member who has made a declaration must not preside, participate in, or be present during any discussion or decision making procedure relating to the matter the subject of the declaration.*

*However, other members may allow participation of the declarant if the member further discloses the extent of the interest. Any such declarant who wishes to participate in the meeting on the matter, shall leave the meeting, after making their declaration and request to participate, while other members consider and decide upon whether the interest is trivial or insignificant or is common to a significant number of electors or ratepayers.*

#### **4. Disclosures of Interests Affecting Impartiality**

The Presiding Member to remind Councillors/Staff of the requirements of Council's Code of Conduct in accordance with Section 5.103 of the Local Government Act.

Committee members and staff are required, in addition to declaring any financial interests to declare any interest that may affect their impartiality in considering a matter. This declaration does not restrict any right to participate in or be present during the decision-making procedure.

The following pro forma declaration is provided to assist in making the disclosure.

"With regard to ..... the matter in item x..... I disclose that I have an association with the applicant (or person seeking a decision). As a consequence, there may be a perception that my impartiality on the matter may be affected. I declare that I will consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly."

The member or employee is encouraged to disclose the nature of the association.

#### **5. Declarations by Members That They Have Not Given Due Consideration to Papers**

Members who have not read the business papers to make declarations at this point.

#### **6. Confirmation of Minutes**

##### **6.1 Sustainable Nedlands Committee Meeting – 30 August 2010**

The Minutes of the Sustainable Nedlands Committee held on 6 December 2010 are to be confirmed.

## **7. Items for Discussion**

NOTE: Regulation 11(da) of the Local Government (Administration) Regulations 1996 requires written reasons for each decision made at the meeting that is significantly different from the relevant written recommendation of a committee or an employee as defined in section 5.70 (but not a decision to only note the matter or to return the recommendation for further consideration).

### **7.1 Water Corporation Greywater Reuse Hardstand Proposal**

Attached is the email that Manager Sustainable Nedlands sent to the Committee on the 22 December 2010 following the 6 December 2010 meeting referred to in the Committee's recommendation which stated that:

Moved – John McBain  
Seconded – Kay Whyte

#### **Committee Recommendation**

**The Committee is interested in receiving the results of Thursdays meeting and further supports the reuse of the water source at the City of Nedlands.**

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY 7/-**

Further to this email, please find attached an information update email received on 24 February 2011 from the Water Corporation regarding this project. The Water Corporation seeks advice regarding the City's ongoing support for this project.

### **7.2 Sustainable Nedlands Recycling Tour**

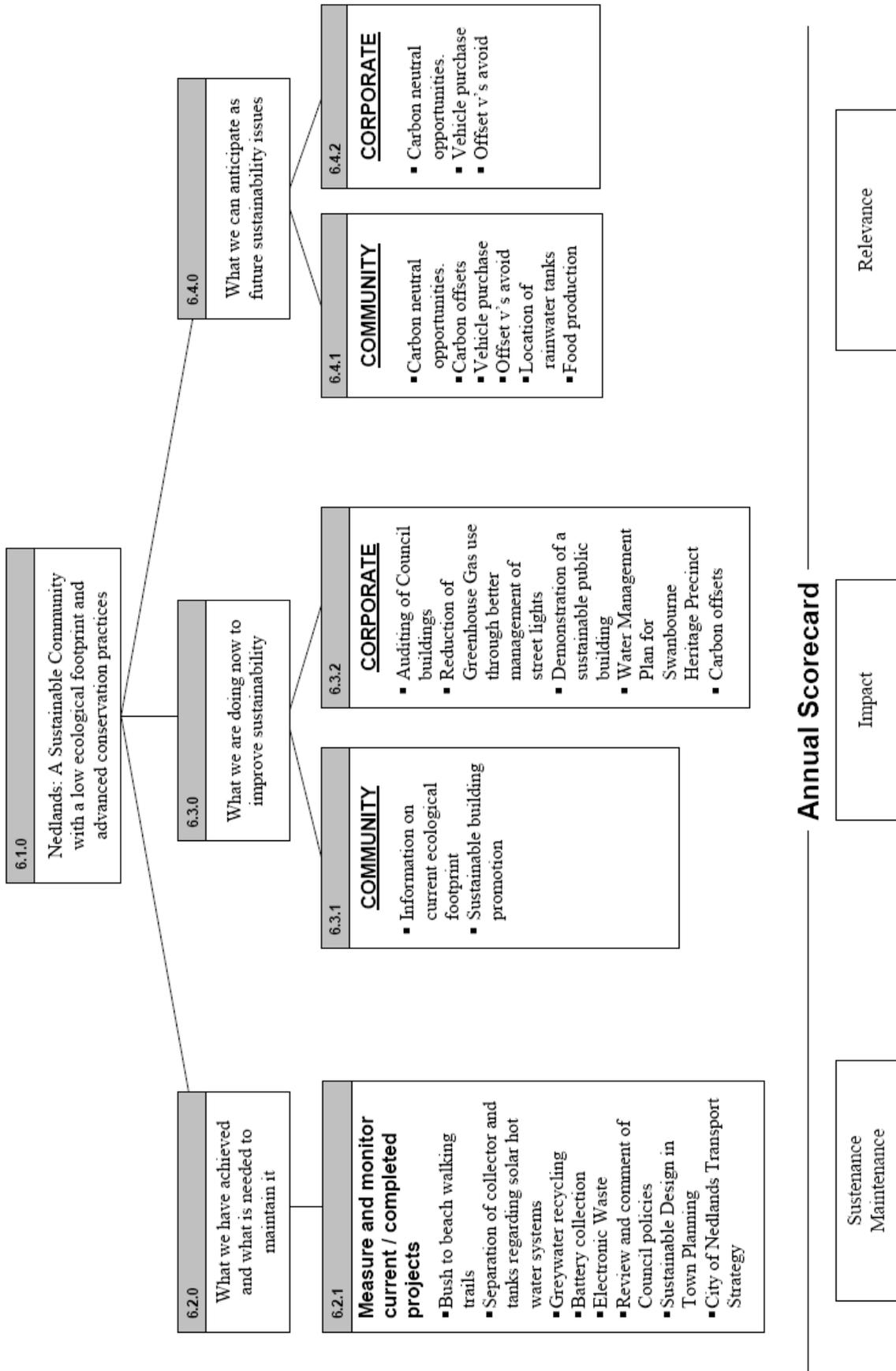
Manager Sustainable Nedlands is currently discussing with the City's kerbside waste and recycling contractor possible dates for the future tour.

### **7.3 Meeting Frequency**

Further to the Committee's request at the previous meeting Councillor Tyson will discuss the frequency of meetings of the Sustainable Nedlands Committee. Please find the Sustainable Nedlands Committee Terms of Reference attached.

## 7.4 Key Policy Objectives

# Framework for Sustainability Projects in Nedlands



**8. Date of Next Meeting**

The next meeting of this Committee is scheduled for Monday, 13 June 2011 commencing at 7.00 pm.

**Declaration of Closure**

There being no further business, the Presiding Member will declare the meeting closed.

Andrew Melville  
Manager Sustainable Nedlands