

Minutes

Council Meeting

23 August 2011

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City of Nedlands

Minutes of an ordinary meeting of Council held in the Council chambers, Nedlands on Tuesday 23 August 2011 at 7.02 pm.

Declaration of Opening

The Presiding Member declares the meeting open at 7.02 pm and drew attention to the disclaimer below.

(NOTE: Council at its meeting on 24 August 2004 resolved that should the meeting time reach 11.00 p.m. the meeting is to consider an adjournment motion to reconvene the next day).

Present and Apologies and Leave Of Absence (Previously Approved)

Councillors	Her Worship the Mayor, S A Froese	(Presiding Member)
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Councillor K E Collins Coastal Districts Ward Councillor N B J Horley **Coastal Districts Ward** Councillor K A Smyth **Coastal Districts Ward** Councillor R M Hipkins (until 10 pm) Dalkeith Ward Councillor M S Negus Dalkeith Ward Councillor J D Bell Hollywood Ward Hollywood Ward Councillor R M Binks Councillor B G Hodsdon Hollywood Ward Councillor M L Somerville-Brown Melvista Ward Councillor I Tan Melvista Ward Councillor B Tyson (from 7.20 pm) (until 10 pm) Melvista Ward

Staff Mr GT Foster Chief Executive Officer

Ms C Eldridge Director Development Services
Mr M Cole Director Corporate Services
Mr I Hamilton Director Technical Services
Ms D Blake Director Community & Strategy
Ms N Borowicz Executive Assistant

Public There were 9 members of the public present.

Press The Post Newspaper and Western Suburbs Weekly

representatives.

Leave of Absence Nil.

(Previously Approved)

Apologies Councillor I S Argyle Dalkeith Ward

Absent Nil.

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1. Public Question Time

Moved – Councillor Negus Seconded – Councillor Bell

That the Items 1.1, 1.2, 1.3 & 1.4 be taken as read aloud as copies of questions and answers have been distributed to Councillors and the public gallery and will be published in the minutes.

(Printed below for ease of reference)

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY 11/-

1.1 Mr B James – 4 Archdeacon Street, Nedlands – Draft Merger Feasibility Study

Mr G Foster, Chief Executive Officer on behalf of Mr B James tabled the following questions received on 26 July 2011 along with the answers in relation to the Draft Merger Feasibility Study.

Question 1

At the Council Meeting of 7th July 2011, the Council was asked "At what stage of development is the Regional Business Plan (RBP)?" The response delivered by the CEO was "The Regional Business Plan is the Draft Merger Feasibility Study as presented by KPMG. It follows exactly the same template and the name change was done with departmental concurrence." Since that meeting, I have been provided with a copy of the Agreement for the Nedlands-Subiaco Regional Transition Group where in the contents of the Business Plan are clearly defined in the Schedule Item 2 as follows:

Item 2 (clause 6.2) Contents of Regional Business Plan (the contents include but are not limited to the undermentioned)

Community and Strategic Plan

- social, economic and environmental planning processes including consultation and priority assessment
- demonstration of productivity/service improvements
- infrastructure renewal schedule for minimum of 4 years
- new infrastructure schedule for minimum of 4 years
- financial information including capital works budget, borrowings, other funding received and rationale for using Country Local Government Fund supplementary funding
- maintenance schedule for renewal/proposed assets
- evaluation and review process
- conduct due diligence of each Participant's financial assets and liabilities, contracts, leases and other legal agreements
- proposed organisational structure for new entity

Infrastructure System Improvements

- IT systems
- record management systems
- archive facilities
- accommodation
- libraries
- community facilities
- depots
- signage
- financial systems
- asset management systems
- data systems
- human resources management systems
- communications
- land

All versions of the RTG process workflow published by the DLG clearly require that a draft Business Plan is to be submitted to the DLG as part of the process. Based on the Business Plan definition copied above from the Agreement, the Draft Merger Feasibility Study does not meet the DLG's requirements. If Council disputes this statement, please provide references from the Draft Merger Feasibility Study to support each of the above points.

Answer 1

Councillors have since been given a copy of a letter received from the Department of Local Government which again covers the matters raised. Mr James has also been given a copy of the letter.

Question 2

If Council continues to maintain that the DLG concurs that the Draft Merger Feasibility Study is in fact a Business Plan, kindly provide some evidence of the DLG's concurrence.

Answer 2

See above.

1.2 Mr C Latchem – 2 Sherwood Road, Dalkeith – Councillor Statements and Comments

Mr G Foster, Chief Executive Officer on behalf of Mr C Latchem tabled the following questions received on 26 July 2011 along with the answers in relation to Councillor Statements and Comments.

Question 1

Will the Mayor give an assurance to the electorate that no Councillor will be allowed to use the Council's website or issue statements under the Council's logo making adverse comments about fellow Councillors and the electorate?

Answer 1

See above.

Question 2

Will Cr Bell apologise for his reference to "Dalkeith crazies" at the Special Council Meeting of 7 July 2011?

Answer 2

Councillor Bell gave an apology at the Council meeting of 26 July 2011.

Question 3

The motion voted on at the Special Council Meeting of 7 July 2011 was that: "The Minister for Local Government be advised that the City of Nedlands resolves to refer a proposal to the Local Government Advisory Board to assess the viability of a merger between the Cities of Nedlands and Subiaco under clause 2 of Schedule 2.1 of the Local Government Act 1995. "On the following day, the Mayor's statement in the Media Release read: "... the Nedlands council will be making a submission to the LGAB to pursue an enquiry into a possible forced merger between the cities of Nedlands and Subiaco." Will the Mayor explain on whose authority she made such a critical change to the agreed wording in the original motion?

Answer 3

The statement was taken out of context. The process to be followed through the LGAB will allow for thorough consultation including public hearings, the receipt of submissions and a poll of all electors.

1.3 Mr K Eastwood on behalf of Nedlands Electors Association – 7 Alexander Place Dalkeith – Proposed Merger between City of Nedlands and City of Subiaco

Mr G Foster, Chief Executive Officer on behalf of Mr K Eastwood tabled the following questions received on 26 July 2011 along with the answers in relation to the proposed merger between the City of Nedlands and the City of Subiaco.

Question 1

The "Exploring the Potential" advertisements appearing in local newspapers to keep the community informed as to what stage the Nedlands/Subiaco merger project had reached, all indicated up to and including 4 June 2011, that the "Merger Process Ends - if one or both councils vote no". This was clearly indicated in a flow chart with a large arrow pointing to the box headed "Merger process Ends". In the "Exploring the Potential" of the 18 June 2011, subsequent to the commencement of a No campaign (Say No to Nedlands - Post 11 July 2011) mounted by Subiaco residents, the flow chart appearing within the advertisement was subtly altered to change the process to require that the proposal now be referred to the LGAB in the event that one or both councils vote No. That change gives the LGAB the power, which they didn't have before the change, to wield a strong influence and become involved to a much bigger degree if either Council said No. Why was it deemed necessary to change the merger rules to this extent?

Answer 1

The change was an error which was to be corrected by Subiaco officers who placed the advertisement on behalf of the RTG Board after a number of people missed it.

Question 2

Who authorised such a change?

Answer 2

See above.

Question 3

Were all councillors from both Councils made aware of the change?

Answer 3

See above.

1.4 Ms K Walker – 3 Burwood Street, Nedlands – Meeting Procedures

Mr G Foster, Chief Executive Officer on behalf of Ms K Walker tabled the following questions received on 26 July 2011 in relation to City of Nedlands Council meeting procedures.

Question 1

In correspondence with Cr Tan of 10.7.11, Cr Tan confirmed to me that she had complied with standing orders in respect to submitting her 'amendment' to the City of Nedlands. However, please could it be explained how did it eventuate that the original motion (published as a recommendation in Agenda) be replaced, without notice, by an amendment'?

Answer 1

It was not an amendment. Councillor Tan submitted an alternative substantive motion, a copy of which had be circulated to all Councillors in accordance with Standing Orders and Standard Meeting Practice.

Question 2

At the meeting of the 7.7.11, and after members of the public had given their speeches, my notes reflect that the order of business progressed directly to Cr Tan's amendment. Please could the Mayor explain why the original published Agenda motion was not read to, debated or voted upon prior to the introduction of any other amendments or motions?

Answer 2

See above. The meeting followed normal meeting procedure.

Question 3

At the meeting of the 7.7.11 Cr Tyson was denied the opportunity to foreshadow a motion and amend a substantive motion, please could the Mayor explain why Cr Tyson was denied this opportunity?

Answer 3

Councillor Tyson foreshadowed a completely contrary motion in the case that the original motion was lost. That original motion was not lost. The meeting followed normal meeting procedure.

1.5 Mr E Walker – 3 Burwood Street, Nedlands – Merger Proposal

Mr G Foster, Chief Executive Officer on behalf of Mr E Walker read aloud the following questions received on 22 August 2011 along with the answers in relation to merger proposal.

Question 1

At the Special Meeting of 14 June 2011 the City of Nedlands resolved not to undertake a postal ballot but an electors poll 'as soon as possible'. Confirmation from the Electoral Commission WA has been

received that the City of Nedlands approached the WAEC on the 7 June 2011 to inquiry into the feasibility 'postal ballot'. Since the 14 June 2011 the WAEC have (sic) not been approached to undertake any service whatsoever on behalf of the City Of Nedlands regarding a poll.

After one simple phone call to the Department of Local Government it was confirmed that unless a poll is enacted under clause 6 Schedule 2 of the Local Government Act 1995 - the State does not fund polls. (Please note the phone calls to both public institutions took a lay person less than 1 hour).

Therefore, did the eleventh hour amendment received by the City of Nedlands from Councillor Negus allow the Councillors time to undertake due diligence to ensure that the manner and form by which the 'poll' was being proposed could actually be realized and be lawfully constituted to replace the agenda item motion of a postal ballot being proposed?

Answer 1

The proposed amendment submitted by Councillor Negus was received in accordance with standing orders. WAEC was previously contacted to provide a cost for such a poll.

Question 2

When and how did the CEO perform due diligence on the alternative motion proposed by Cr Negus?

Answer 2

When it was received.

Question 3

Why did the CEO not advise the Councillors either prior to, during, or after the 14.6. meeting that it is impossible for the State to fund a poll of electors enacted under clause 6 Schedule 2.1 of the Local Government Act 1995?

Answer 3

A request was nevertheless made to the State Government.

Question 4

Why did the City of Nedlands CEO Presiding Member and the 8 Councillors who voted for this motion NOT undertake due diligence to ensure such an amendment put forward by Councillor Negus was a legitimate alternative to the postal ballot option?

Answer 4

This question cannot be answered.

Question 5

Why has the CEO never follow up with the Electoral Commission of WA for a quote and arrangements for a poll as required of the Council resolution of 14.6.11?

Answer 5

The State advised that it would not fund the poll.

Question 6

As the Council has resolved for a poll to be undertaken and it has been shown that the State was never able to fund the poll – will the City of Nedlands fund a poll of electors as soon as possible – as was resolved on 14.6.11?

Answer 6

There is provision for a poll as part of the LGAB process that would be funded by Council.

1.6 Mr G Walker – 3 Burwood Street, Nedlands – Media Release 1 September 2010

Mr G Foster, Chief Executive Officer on behalf of Mr G Walker read aloud the following questions received on 22 August 2011 along with the answers in relation to Media Release 1 September 2011.

Question 1

In a Media Release 1 September 2010 the Presiding Member for Nedlands stated the following:

"Importantly it will also seek to find there is commonality in the visions and values of the two communities," Mayor Froese said. The board will meet monthly to oversee the progress of the cities of Nedlands and Subiaco regional transition group. A monthly update will also be provided for consideration at each local government's council meeting." Please could Council advise if they were provided with a monthly update of the Regional Transition Group's progress for their consideration at each local government's council meeting since the 1 September 2010?

Answer 1

Councillors were provided with copies of update advice as it went to the general community through "Post" advertisement. No requests for further information was sought from any councillor.

1.7 Ms K Walker – 3 Burwood Street, Nedlands – Merger Proposal

Mr G Foster, Chief Executive Officer on behalf of Ms K Walker read aloud the following questions received on 22 August 2011 along with the answers in relation to Merger Proposal.

Question 1

The POST (July 23, page 86) outlines Clause 10.2 of the Regional Transition Group agreement. Here it is reported that the RTG Agreement stipulates that where 50% of the participants wish to terminate this agreement the Department of Local Government shall convene a meeting to be attended by all participant together with representative of the state and the parties shall use reasonable endeavours to resolve outstanding issues and where not successful to canvass alternatives for amalgamation. Did the Department of Local Government convene a meeting of all parties once the City of Subiaco made the City of Nedlands aware that it wished to terminate the RTG Agreement?

Answer 1

The Department did not convene a meeting on the basis that a decision had already been made by both Councils. The Minister and the Department were fully aware of pending decisions. Neither Subiaco nor Nedlands had cause to advise of the termination. Subiaco CEO's report included 2 recommendations. Recommendations are not a Council decision.

Question 2

On the 4.7.11 the City of Subiaco issued its agenda with a recommendation not to vote for the proposal. Under 10.2 this would suggest that Subiaco had outstanding issues that were still to be resolved. These remained unresolved as at the 7.7.11 the City of Subiaco Council voted not to accept the proposal to assess the viability of a merger' with Nedlands. At any point during the 3 day in the lead up to the 7.7.11 meeting by both Cities did the City of Nedlands use any reasonable endevours to resolve outstanding issues with the parties i.e. City of Subiaco and/or the Department of Local Government?

Answer 2

The City of Subiaco did not advise of any outstanding issues. No outstanding issues were raised by Subiaco or the Department.

Question 3

Information from Subiaco Council provided on the 18.8.11 states the following 'On the 8 July 2011 the City of Subiaco advised the City of Nedlands in writing that the City of Subiaco now withdraws from the process of amalgamation.[And] 'No written response was received by the City of Subiaco from the City of Nedlands in relation to the City of Subiaco's correspondence dated the 8 July 2011" Why have (sic) the

City of Nedlands not responded formally to the City of Subiaco's letter acknowledging the City of Subiaco's intent to withdraw?

Answer 3

Subiaco's letter was received by Nedlands on 12 July 2011 and does not require a formal acknowledgement. The City of Nedlands had made a decision on 7 July 2011.

Question 4

Can the City of Nedlands confirm that, in not responding formally to the City of Subiaco letter of 8.7.11, that the City of Nedlands is now in a breach of contract position?

Answer 4

See answer to (3) above.

Question 5

Upon receipt of the letter from the City of Subiaco on the 8.7.11 did the City of Nedlands contact the Department of Local Government to ask when a meeting of the 3 parties should convene as required under clause 10.2 of the RTG Agreement? If so what was the answer?

Answer 5

The decision made by both Councils on 7 July 2011 makes convening of any meeting redundant.

Question 6

The CEO of Nedlands has acknowledged that the proposal currently being examined by the LGAB forms part of a separate process. At what date and exact time did the City of Nedlands proposal that was being considered on the 7.7.11 become part of a separate process to the LGAB?

Answer 6

On 7 July 2011 when Council made a decision.

Question 7

Despite the media statement release by the CEO on the 8.8.11, were all Councillors of the City of Nedlands aware that on the 7.7.11 after the Subaico vote came in with 'no' that the proposal before them became part of a separate process, which enacted a separate process creating a precedent for a force merger situation with Subiaco?

Answer 7

Councillors make a declaration that they have read the papers.

Question 8

Did any official correspondence between CEO Tindale, Mayor Henderson and Cr Rowe and CEO Foster, Mayor Froese and Cr Negus (who were board members of the RTG) take place prior to the

date that the City of Nedlands submitted a separate proposal for a forced merger with Subaico to the LGAB?

Answer 8

No. Subiaco was aware of the recommendation going to Nedlands Council and was fully conversant with the contents of the Administration report and had been thoroughly informed all the way through the report preparation process.

Question 9

If so, is there correspondence where it is discussed that if the Subiaco Council voted by a majority 'no' to the proposal on the 7.7.11 that under 10.2 clause that both Cities were legally obliged to canvass alternatives for amalgamation including the forced merger proposal with participants to the Agreement (i.e a forced merger lone application by either City outside the voluntary agreement process?)

Answer 9

Not applicable.

Question 10

Given that the City of Nedlands maybe challenged legally by the City of Subiaco over the City of Nedlands forced merger proposal to the LGAB, does the City of Nedlands acknowledge that under Regulation 10 of the Local Government Act 1996 the Act makes provision for the City of Nedlands to revoke any decision (by majority) made by Council?

Answer 10

That was not relevant to the issue. Once a matter has been referred to the LGAB it becomes the property of the Board and cannot be withdrawn.

1.8 Mr C Latchem – 2 Sherwood Road, Dalkeith – Merger Proposal

Question 1

On whose authority was the 8 July 2011 Media Release "Nedlands vote sets precedent for Perth council" issued?

Question 2

On what authority did the Mayor use the words "forced merger" in this Media Release when these did not feature in the motion approved by Council at the previous day's meeting?

Question 3

Why did the Mayor not mention this intention in her interview with the Mayor of Subiaco and Geoff Hutchinson on ABC 720 on 8 July, only a few hours before the issue of this Media Release?

Question 4

What is the response of the CEO to reports in the POST and Western Suburbs that the Mayor and CEO of Subiaco are considering legal action against the City of Nedlands on the grounds that the Council:

- 1. is in breach of its undertaking under the RTG agreement
- 2. has misused the documentation prepared for the RTG, and
- 3. has laid down conditions for a merger process which the LGAB could not possibly meet?

Question 5

Will the CEO report on all discussions or correspondence he has had with the LGAB and the Mayor and CEO of Subiaco on these matters?

These questions were taken on notice and will be answered in writing, and both the questions, together with the answers, will be included in the agenda and minutes of the next ordinary Council meeting scheduled for 27 September 2011.

2. Addresses by Members of the Public

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

Mr M Williams, 7 Mayfair Street, Mt Claremont (spoke in opposition to)

D51.11

3. Requests for Leave of Absence

3.1 Councillor Collins – between 14 September 2011 – 5 October 2011

Councillor Collins requested leave of absence between 14 September 2011 to 5 October 2011.

Moved – Councillor Hodsdon Seconded – Councillor Smyth

That Councillor Collins be granted leave of absence between 14 September 2011 to 5 October 2011.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY 11/-

4. Petitions

Nil.

5. 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.

5.1 Councillor Horley – D50.11 - Draft Capital City Planning Framework – Public Comment

Councillor Horley disclosed a financial interest in Item D50.11 - Draft Capital City Planning Framework – Public Comment. Her interest being that her employer, the University of Western Australia is a major land holder in the area. She advised that she would leave the meeting during this matter.

6. Disclosures of Interests Affecting Impartiality

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

6.1 Mr G Foster, Chief Executive Officer – D50.11 – Draft Capital City Planning Framework – Public Comment

Mr Foster disclosed an impartiality interest in D50.11 – Draft Capital City Planning Framework – Public Comment. He disclosed he owns property within the proposed Capital Cities Planning Framework. As the Administration comments only refer to areas within the City of Nedlands and he does not own property within the City his involvement in the report is impartial.

6.2 Ms C Eldridge, Director Development Services – D50.11 – Draft Capital City Planning Framework – Public Comment

Ms Eldridge disclosed an impartiality interest in D50.11 – Draft Capital City Planning Framework – Public Comment. She disclosed she owns property within the proposed Capital Cities Planning Framework. As the Administration comments only refer to areas within the City of Nedlands and she does not own property within the City her involvement in the report is impartial.

6.3 Councillor Hipkins – D50.11 - Draft Capital City Planning Framework – Public Comment

Councillor Hipkins advised he had previously disclosed an impartiality interest in Item D50.11 – Draft Capital City Planning Framework – Public Comment. However, based on advice from Administration he no longer was required to disclose an impartiality interest.

6.4 Councillor Bell – D47.11 – Hampden Broadway North Hollywood Precincts Study – Project Plan 2.0

Councillor Bell disclosed an impartiality interest in Item D47.11 – Hampden Broadway North Hollywood Precincts. He disclosed that he owned property in the area, and as a consequence, there may be a perception that his impartiality on the matter may be affected. He declared that he would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

6.5 Councillor Binks – Item 13.2 – List of Delegated Authority – 11/357

Councillor Binks disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 13.2 List of Delegated Authority - 11/357. He disclosed that he had a previous association with the applicant, and as a consequence, there may be a perception that his impartiality on the matter may be affected. He declared that while the matter had been already determined and the report was only to be received he would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

Councillor Tyson joined the meeting at 7.20 pm.

6.6 Councillor Hodsdon - Item 13.4 Café Located at Mt Claremont Community Centre

Councillor Hodsdon disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 13.4 -Cafe Located at Mt Claremont Community Centre. He disclosed that he had an association with one of the tenders and as a consequence, there may be a perception that his impartiality on the matter may be affected. He advised that he would leave the meeting during this matter.

6.7 Councillor Hodsdon - Item 16.1 - Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011

Councillor Hodsdon disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. He disclosed that he was named in the report and as a consequence, there may be a perception that his impartiality on the matter may be affected. He declared that he would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

6.8 Councillor Bell - Item 16.1 - Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011

Councillor Bell disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. He disclosed that he was named in the report and as a consequence, there may be a perception that his impartiality on the matter may be affected. He declared that he would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

6.9 Councillor Somerville-Brown – Item 16.1 - Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011

Councillor Somerville-Brown disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. He disclosed that he was named in the report and as a consequence, there may be a perception that his impartiality on the matter may be affected. He declared that he would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

6.10 Councillor Tan – D44.11 – No. 98 (Lot 604) Circe Circle, Dalkeith – Overheight Secondary Street Fence

Councillor Tan disclosed an impartiality interest in Item D44.11 - No. 98 (Lot 604) Circe Circle, Dalkeith – Overheight Secondary Street Fence. She disclosed that one of the objectors is a fellow member of the Nedlands Golf Club and as a consequence, there may be a perception that her impartiality on the matter may be affected. She declared that she would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

6.11 Councillor Tan – Item 16.1 - Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011

Councillor Tan disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. She disclosed that she was named in the report and as a consequence, there may be a perception that her impartiality on the matter may be affected. She declared that she would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

6.12 Councillor Negus – Item 16.1 - Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011

Councillor Negus disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. He disclosed that he was named in the report and as a consequence, there may be a perception that his impartiality on the matter may be affected. He declared that he would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

6.13 Councillor Binks – Item 16.1 - Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011

Councillor Binks disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. He disclosed that he was named in the report and as a consequence, there may be a perception that his impartiality on the matter may be affected. He declared that he would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

Councillor Tyson left the meeting at 7.27 pm.

6.14 Councillor Horley – Item 16.1 - Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011

Councillor Horley disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. She disclosed that she was named in the report and as a consequence, there may be a perception that her impartiality on the matter may be affected. She declared that she would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

6.15 Councillor Smyth – Item 16.1 - Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011

Councillor Smyth disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. She disclosed that she was named in the report and as a consequence, there may be a perception that her impartiality on the matter may be affected. She declared that she would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

6.16 Mayor Froese – Item 16.1 - Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011

Mayor Froese disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. She disclosed that she was named in the report and as a consequence, there may be a perception that her impartiality on the matter may be affected. She declared that she would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

6.17 Mayor Froese – Report D48.11 - Draft Bedbrook Place Biodiversity Local Planning Policy

Mayor Froese disclosed an impartiality interest in Report D48.11 – Draft Bedbrook Place Biodiversity Local Planning Policy. She disclosed that she knows one of the land owners and as a consequence, there may be a perception that her impartiality on the matter may be affected. She declared that she would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

Councillor Tyson returned to the meeting at 7.28 pm

7. Declarations by Members That They Have Not Given Due Consideration to Papers

Nil.

8. Confirmation of Minutes

8.1 Ordinary Council meeting 26 July 2011

Moved – Councillor Hipkins Seconded – Councillor Negus

That the minutes of the ordinary Council meeting held 26 July 2011 are to be confirmed subject to: correction to item 10.7 Councillor Argyle – Broadway Parking, Dalkeith Primary School and Post Newspaper as follows: delete the sentence "He also said that the owners of 91 Circe Circle had applied for the city to provide sprinklers so the trees don't die." and replace with "Councillor Argyle requested could the City provide sprinklers to the trees along the boundary facing Circe Circle so the trees die."

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY 12/-

9. Announcements of the Presiding Member without discussion

The Presiding Member tabled the following list of functions she had attended during the past period 27 July 2011 to 23 August 2011

28 July 2011	WALGA	Central Metropolitan Zone	
		Meeting	
29 July 2011		National Tree Planting Day	
3 August 2011	WALGA	Ministerial Dialogue Round Table	
4 August 2011	ICLEI Oceania	ICLEI Oceania Recognition and	
	Recognition and	Waterwise Awards Breakfast	
	Waterwise		
	Awards		
	Breakfast		
4-6 August	WALGA	Local Government Conference	
2011			
22 August	WALGA	Swan Canning Policy Forum	
2011			

Mayor Froese read the following statement:

"Recently, the City issued a media statement which included the expression "possible forced merger between the cities of Nedlands and Subiaco" which may have given the impression that Councillors had voted for this to occur.

I wish to point out that it would be incorrect to take these words out of context. The context of the media release was that of Subiaco resolving not to continue the voluntary process and Nedlands resolving to continue the process via the Local Government Advisory Board. By referring the matter to the Local Government Advisory board, the

matter is now out of the hands of Council and a fuller, independent investigative process will be followed which includes public hearings, submissions and a poll on the matter. I regret any undue concern that the media statement of 8 July 2011 has inadvertently caused and hope that this clarification removes much if not all of that concern.

I would like to give you this quote from Nelson Mandela "Only armchair politicians are immune from committing mistakes. Errors are inherent in political action. Those who are in the centre of political struggle, who have to deal with practical and pressing problems are afforded little time for reflection and no precedents to guide them and are bound to slip many times."

Again I regret any undue concern that the media statement of 8 July 2011 has inadvertently caused and hope that this clarification removes much if not all of that concern."

10. Members announcements without discussion

10.1 Councillor Hipkins – Functions

Councillor Hipkins tabled the following list of functions he had attended in his capacity as Deputy Mayor since the last Council meeting.

28 July 2011	WALGA	Central Zone Meeting			
1 August 2011	Planning	Review of Residential Design			
	Institute	Codes			
3 August 2011	WALGA	Ministerial Dialogue Round Table			
4-6 August	WALGA	Local Government Conference			
2011					
8 August 2011	National Trust	Council Meeting (WALGA			
		nominee)			
10 August	CoN	Special Electors Meeting (chair)			
2011					
11 August	Planning	Health Impacts of Increasing			
2011	Institute	Densities			
13 August	C3 Church	Opening of new church at Dalkeith			
2011					
17 August	WALGA	Envisioning Metro Local			
2011		Government			
17 August	Committee for	Visioning Workshop			
2011	Perth				
19 August	CoN	Tresillian Art Opening			
2011		-			

At the Ministerial Dialogue Round Table I met with Local Government Minister John Castrilli, to discuss local government reform, where I expressed my view that local governments should remain small while regional groups were strengthened. Unfortunately Minister John Day

did not attend the Planning Round Table, his place being taken by Eric Lumsden, Director-General of Planning. I gave him my opinion on the proposed changes to the requirements for granny flats as part of the review of the Residential Design Codes, which is on the agenda later tonight.

At South Perth I attended a WALGA morning workshop for mayors, presidents and CEOs titled "Envisioning Metropolitan Local Government" facilitated by the Portland planning guru Steven Ames. I stayed on for a similar workshop in the afternoon, also facilitated by Steven Ames, put on by the Committee for Perth, titled "Perth @ 3.5 Million and Beyond". The two workshops used the same format and produced similar outputs but the afternoon session comprised a wider selection of participants and came up with more innovative solutions.

At the Planning Institute's workshop on the Health Impacts of Increasing Densities, an interesting recommendation was made that increased densities should not be located along major roads because of poor air quality generated by traffic – contrary to one of the planks of Directions 2031.

10.2 Councillor Negus - Statement

Councillor Negus read the following statement:

"The City of Nedlands decision on 7th July 2011 has turned out to be quite controversial. I believe this is because the decision has been misrepresented by some of our critics.

It has been claimed among other things that this Council has supported an amalgamation with Subiaco without holding a referendum of electors; however this Council has committed to no more than a process to assess the viability of an amalgamation and has twice, before tonight, indicated support for a poll of electors.

Critics have questioned the validity of Councillor Tan moving something other than the advertised administration recommendation, while at the same time accusing administration of having some kind of hidden agenda. Cr Tan's motion added a Nedlands perspective to the administrations recommendation and was supported by a majority of Councillors.

Critics claim Nedlands has proceeded with a proposal for amalgamation, despite Council initiating a process to merely assess the viability of a merger.

Critics claim Nedlands is trying to force a merger, despite council supporting a poll of electors which by its very nature will give the people of both Nedlands and Subiaco the final say in the matter.

Critics claim Council is trying to end the existence of the City of Nedlands. I believe it is the combination of our people, our places and our spaces that makes Nedlands what it is. The very essence of Nedlands will not change if a merger did occur, no more than a person stops existing as an individual, when he/she enters into a relationship with another.

I believe that we all have the right to our own individual views on the amalgamation debate, however I believe the recent Electors meeting confirmed that some people's views border on the extreme, and appear to be at odds with both our Liberal Government and the wider Nedlands Community.

I also believe the meeting was used by certain individuals as a political platform to position themselves for the upcoming Council elections. Others saw it as a golden opportunity for a membership campaign.

While the Special Electors' Meeting, as expected, proved nothing more than an orchestrated witch-hunt of those who have sought to do what is best and fair for the City of Nedlands in the face of impending State directed local government boundary changes; it was encouraging to see some support for Councillors and the new process at the Meeting. Two separate reports prepared recently, the 2009 Price Waterhouse Coopers and 2011 KPMG reports both indicate the amalgamation of some, or all of the Western Suburbs Councils, would result in increased levels of service and substantial savings to the communities concerned.

Council's research has indicated three broad categories or beliefs within our community regarding amalgamation; we have a group who support amalgamation, a small (but very loud) group who oppose amalgamation and then the majority of our residents who do not have enough information to comment either way.

With this information in mind the majority of Nedlands Councillors resolved to refer the matter to the independent Local Government Advisory Board (LGAB), who will undertake an extensive process including consultation, receiving submissions and public hearings all before the most important part of the process being a public poll on the matter.

In the end, it is the people of the City of Nedlands; and not Council, who will decide the future of this City in this matter.

I sincerely hope the process currently being undertaken by the LGAB will provide our residents the information and opportunities they need to make a sound, visionary and informed decision for our much loved City."

10.3 Councillor Somerville-Brown – AITPM Conference, 10-12 August 2011 & WALGA Visioning Forum, 17 August 2011

Councillor Somerville-Brown read the following statement:

"As per council decision of 26 July 2011 I together with Mr Luke Marsden of the city's Technical Services Division attended the national AITPM Conference in Melbourne on 10-12 August 2011.

The Conference program consisted of 38 presentations on a range of topics ranging from urban mobility, integrated transport and land use planning; and the role of different transport modes.

Six sessions were conducted over two days on the following themes:

- Integrated planning
- Access and Mobility
- Liveable communities
- Accommodating a growing population
- The role of transit and making sustainable choices
- Liveable cities, the environment and freight

The conference was attended by over 280 delegates from Australia, New Zealand and overseas and I found the speakers to be generally of a very high quality. Copies of the papers presented at the Conference have been forwarded to Administration for inclusion in Council records and for access from Councillors.

Arrangements were also made through my transport contacts to meet with senior transport representatives at Vic Roads and three inner city councils being Moreland, Stonnington and Boroondara Councils to discuss Council's strategic approaches to traffic management on local roads and parking.

My discussions with transport organisations representatives and Melbourne Councils all suggest that three key themes need to be addressed by the City of Nedlands being:

- 1. Managing existing infrastructure
- 2. Managing parking
- Encouraging public transport, walking and cycling

in order to meet the demands of a sustainable and liveable community. I propose to make a presentation on my observations at the conference, discussion with presenters, participants and Council representatives to a forthcoming Traffic Management Committee and invite all interested Councillors to attend.

All metropolitan Mayors and CEOs were invited to attend a forum at the City of South Perth to develop a future vision for Metropolitan Perth. Mr. Stephen Ames facilitated the Forum. He is the founder of the Oregon Model and has extensive international experience in community & regional planning and visioning.

The Forum was attended by Mayors and CEOs representing of 28 of the 30 metropolitan councils. I attended the Forum together with Cr Hipkins and CEO Graham Foster. The Forum considered the current independent review process to be undertaken by a three member panel chaired by Prof Alan Robson.

WALGA President Mayor Pickard said WALGA representatives had already met with the Prof Alan Robson and were heartened to hear that the panel's focus will be upon evidence-based decision making, with extensive consultation and an inclusive and open process.

The majority of representatives supported the need for reform and expressed a strong desire to fully engage with the independent reform panel conducting the review to ensure Local Government concerns and ideas for potential opportunities are heard and considered.

WALGA is preparing a report on the Forum outcomes for distribution to attendees in due course."

10.4 Councillor Tan - State Council

Councillor Tan read the following statement:

"I would like to thank Administration for sending Councillors a copy of the Minutes of State Council Meeting of 7th August 2011. It contained interesting information that our Officers and various Committees of Council dealing with Community Services, Transport and Road Safety, the Natural Environment and Bushcare would find useful; and I encourage all Councillors and Directors to read this document through carefully.

Of particular interest were the Key Findings in the WALGA submission to the "Review of Caring for our Country: Australia's Natural Resource Management Investment Initiative Discussion Paper" and the Policy Statement on "Natural Resource Management."

I would like the CEO to distribute a copy of the above sections to all members of the Sustainability Committee for their information and further action.

In the light of the findings mentioned above, I would also ask the CEO to re-visit a past decision by Council to approach WESROC CEOs to work towards a regional (and thereby more effective) approach to Sustainability, natural resource management and the protection of Bushland in the Western suburbs, for their re-consideration."

10.5 Councillor Tyson – Sustainability Conference, Material Waste Facility & Nedlands Library - David Bruce Presentation

Councillor Tyson read the following statement:

"I attended a Sustainability Conference in Sydney in June 2011 which gave some interesting and alternate scenarios for Local Government's involvement in issues of solar energy, wind power, recycling, waste management and the auditing and management of Power use in Council buildings. Speakers from Local Government, (both Elected Members and Officers), presented on diverse issues such as successful outcomes with revegetation and natural resource management, protection of endangered species and the best methods of handling the media and community consultation.

It was an opportunity to hear speakers from the fields of architecture for sustainable housing, the latest developments in the economics of providing alternate power sources to both new and existing Council buildings and the smartest ways to keep energy costs down when providing new infrastructure in the community.

The speakers were all practitioners with excellent examples of success in providing cost effective and sustainable outcomes for ratepayers via Local Government; the presenters demonstrated that commitment combined with practicality results in the best service to the community.

Secondly I attended a fact finding tour of the Materials Waste Facility in Bunbury on August 10 2011 through the auspices of PerthWaste who invited the Sustainable Nedlands Committee and Manager to visit the MRF.

We have now a clear understanding of the facility that handles the fortnightly recycling (yellow lid bin) for the City and we were given a very complete and interesting tour of the plant. I thank PerthWaste for their interest and their hard work in a core service to the ratepayers of Nedlands.Plastic bags are now recyclable.

Thirdly I attended the Nedlands Library on August 18th 2011 to hear David Bruce (descendant of 'Ned') give a presentation on his family and its very close links to the people of Nedlands. Thank you to the Nedlands Library librarians for this well received community event."

10.6 Councillor Smyth – Official Opening of C3 Church Crawley's

Councillor Smyth read the following statement:

"On Saturday 13th August 2011 I represented the City of Nedlands at the Official Opening of C3 Church Crawley's new building at 95a Waratah Ave, Dalkeith.

This impressive community celebration was Opened by The Hon Julie Bishop MP for Curtin. The CoN was thanked for their cooperation and long standing use of Dalkeith Hall. Their new lease of the old Village Cinema premises runs for 5 years.

I attended the WALGA AGM on Saturday 6 August 2011. Councillor Somerville-Brown and, Chief Executive Officer attended also.

10.7 Councillor Binks – City of Vincent Official Proclamation

Councillor Binks advised that on Friday 19 August 2011 he attended the City of Vincent Official Proclamation which was very interesting.

11. Matters for Which the Meeting May Be Closed

In accordance with Standing Orders and for the convenience of the public, the Presiding Member is to notify the members of the public that the meeting will be closed for item 17.1 No. 10 (Lot 51) Knutsford Street Swanbourne – Proposed Additions to an Existing Carport and item 17.2 38 (Lot 51) & 40 (Proposed Lot 61 & 62) Jutland Parade, Dalkeith – Outcome of State Administrative Tribunal (SAT) review and Appeal rights, in accordance with Section 5.23(2)(d) of the Local Government Act 1995.

12. Divisional reports and minutes of Council committees and administrative liaison working groups

12.1 Minutes of Council Committees

This is an information item only to receive the minutes of the various meetings held by the Council appointed Committees (N.B. This should not be confused with Council resolving to accept the recommendations of a particular Committee. Committee recommendations that require Council's approval should be presented to Council for resolution via the relevant departmental reports).

Moved – Councillor Hipkins Seconded – Councillor Negus

That the Minutes of the following Committee meetings (in date order) are received:

CEO Performance Review Committee

18 July 2011

Un-confirmed, circulated to Councillors on 9 August 2011

Traffic Management Committee

2 August 2011

Un-confirmed Circulated to Councillors on 9 August 2011

Council Committee

9 August 2011

Un-confirmed Circulated to Councillors on 16 August 2011

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY 12/-

Note: As far as possible all the following reports under items 12.2, 12.3, 12.4 and 12.5 will be moved en-bloc and only the exceptions (items which Councillors wish to amend) will be discussed.

En Bloc

Moved - Councillor Hipkins Seconded - Councillor Negus

That all Committee Recommendations relating to Reports under items 12.2, 12.3, 12.4 and 12.5 with the exception of Report Nos. D44.11, D46.11, D47.11 D51.11 & D52.11 are adopted en bloc.

Mr G Foster, Chief Executive Officer left the meeting at 7.53 pm.

CARRIED 10/2 (Against: Crs. Tyson & Smyth)

12.2 Development Services Report No's D44.11 to D52.11 (copy attached)

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.

D44.11	No.	98	(Lot	604)	Circe	Circle,	Dalkeith	_
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Committee	9 August 2011
Council	23 August 2011

Applicant	Lawrence Scanlan Architects
Owner	Mario & Natalie De Felice
Officer	Elle O'Connor – Planning Officer
Director	Carlie Eldridge – Director Development Services
Director	
Signature	C. Kldridge
File ref	C. Klodnidg e DA11/238: CI2/98-02: M11/14184
Previous Item	Nil
No's	
Disclosure of	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
Interest	had any interest which required it to be declared in
	accordance with the provisions of the Local
	Government Act (1995).

Councillor Tan – Impartiality Interest

Councillor Tan disclosed an impartiality interest in Item D44.11 - No. 98 (Lot 604) Circe Circle, Dalkeith – Overheight Secondary Street Fence. She disclosed that one of the objectors is a fellow member of the Nedlands Golf Club and as a consequence, there may be a perception that her impartiality on the matter may be affected. She declared that she would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

Regulation 11(da) – Not applicable – Recommendation Adopted.

Moved – Councillor Binks Seconded – Councillor Hipkins

That the Recommendation to Council is adopted.

(Printed below for ease of reference)

CARRIED 9/3

(Against: Mayor Froese Crs. Tan & Horley)

Council Resolution / Committee Recommendation

Council approves the application for an over height secondary street fence at No. 98 (Lot 604) Circe Circle, Dalkeith in accordance with the application and plans dated 10 November 2010.

Recommendation to Committee

Council approves the application for an over height secondary street fence at No. 98 (Lot 604) Circe Circle, Dalkeith in accordance with the application and plans dated 10 November 2010 subject to the following conditions:

- 1. the proposed fence in the 9 m primary street setback shall be a maximum height of 1.8 m above natural ground level at the base of the wall and visually permeable in accordance with the Residential Design Codes 2010;
- 2. the 26 m portion of the fence located on the secondary street boundary, behind the 9 m primary setback shall not exceed 1.8 m from natural ground level; and
- 3. the 15.5 m portion of the fence setback 1.5 m from the secondary street boundary shall not exceed 1.8 m above the R.L14.85 deck level.

D45.11	No.15b (Lot 50) Erica Avenue, Mt Claremont -
	Proposed Two Storey Dwelling

Committee	9 August 2011
Council	23 August 2011

Applicant	Residential Building WA
Owner	Arthur & Jeanette Marshall
Officer	Elle O'Connor – Planning Officer
Director	Carlie Eldridge – Director Development Services
Director	151.
Signature	C. Eldridge ER1/15B: DA1/1/161: M11/14177
File ref	ER1/15B : DA ∜ 1/161 : M11/14177
Previous Item	Nil
No's	
Disclosure of	No officer involved in the preparation of this report
Interest	had any interest which required it to be declared in
	accordance with the provisions of the Local
	Government Act (1995).

Regulation 11(da) – Not applicable – Recommendation adopted.

Moved – Councillor Hipkins Seconded – Councillor Negus

That the Recommendation to Council is adopted.

(Printed below for ease of reference)

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY EN BLOC 12/-

Council Resolution / Committee Recommendation / Recommendation to Committee

Council approves an application for a two storey dwelling located at No.15b (Lot 50) Erica Avenue, Mt Claremont in accordance with the application and plans dated 5 May 2011 and the amended plans dated 27 May 2011 subject to the following conditions:

- all storm water from building and paving areas (including driveways) shall be contained on site by draining to soakwells of adequate capacity to contain runoff from a 10 year recurrent storm event and the capacity of soakwells shall be a minimum of 1 cubic meter for every 80 m² of paved or roofed surface on the property;
- 2. all crossovers to street shall be constructed to the Council's Crossover Specifications and the applicant/owner to obtain

- levels for crossovers from the Council's Infrastructure Services under supervision on-site, prior to commencement of works;
- 3. the retaining walls and footings shall be constructed wholly inside the allotment;
- 4. the use of bare or painted metal building materials is permitted on the basis that, if during or following the erection of the development the Council forms the opinion that glare which is produced from the building has or will have a significant detrimental effect upon the amenity of neighbouring properties, the Council may require the owner to treat the building/roof to reduce the reflectivity to a level acceptable to Council; and
- 5. any additional development, which is not in accordance with the original application or conditions of approval, as outlined above, will require further approval by Council.

Advice Notes specific to this approval

- a) All verge development must comply with the Council's Verge Development Policy where verge developments other than lawn require a landscaping plan submitted for approval before commencement and verge developments not complying with this policy shall be modified at the owner's cost.
- b) All internal WC's and ensuites without window access to outside air must be serviced by mechanical ventilation, which is ducted to outside air and the minimum rate of air change must be equal or greater than 25 litres per second.
- Ensure that airconditioner unit(s) comply with c) relevant Australian Standards and that noise emissions comply with the Environmental Protection (Noise) Regulations 1997. Additionally, ensure that any unit is positioned so as to not create unreasonable noise to neighbours or directly emit exhaust air into openings of neighbouring premises.

D46.11	No.103 (Lot 23616) Alfred Road Mour	nt
	Claremont - Retrospective Approval for N	/lt
	Claremont Primary School Farmers Market	

Committee	9 August 2011
Council	23 August 2011

Applicant	Mount Claremont Primary School P & C
Owner	Mount Claremont Primary School
Officer	Coralie Anderson - Senior Statutory Planning Officer
Director	Carlie Eldridge - Director Development Services
Director	151, 1
Signature	C. Eldridge
File ref	AL3/103
Previous Item	D46.08
No's	
Disclosure of	No officer involved in the preparation of this report
Interest	had any interest which required it to be declared in
	accordance with the provisions of the Local
	Government Act (1995).

Regulation 11(da) – Council resolved to require all stallholders to park all vehicles in the area marked for stall holders and not on parking bays external to the site.

Moved – Councillor Horley Seconded – Councillor Negus

That the Committee Recommendation is adopted subject to additional wording being added to clause 2.

CARRIED 11/1 (Against: Cr. Tyson)

Mr G Foster, Chief Executive Officer returned to the meeting at 7.59 pm.

Council Resolution

Council approves the permanent operation of the Farmers Market at the Mount Claremont Primary School in accordance with the application and plans dated 25 March 2011 subject to the following conditions:

- 1. The operating hours for the Market shall be:
 - a) Saturday between the hours of 7:30 am to 1:00 pm; and

- b) one evening market held in the week prior to Christmas, between the hours of 5:30 pm and 9:00 pm;
- 2. the stallholders shall be permitted to be on the site for the purposes of setting up and taking down of the stalls, up to a maximum of 1.5 hours before and after operating hours and stallholders are to park all vehicles in the area marked for stall holders on the approved plans and not on parking bays external to the site;
- 3. the traffic and parking generated by the use shall be managed by the Mount Claremont P & C to the satisfaction of the City and shall include, but not be limited to, the following:
 - a) providing onsite parking during markets hours in accordance with the approved plans;
 - b) providing a minimum of four (4) parking attendants;
 - c) signage which directs traffic to designated parking;
 - d) parking attendants shall be directing traffic and signs shall be erected, for the full duration of the operating hours and all signs shall be removed by 1:00 pm; and
 - e) the control and prevention of parking on the verges of all streets surrounding the school.
- 4. a maximum of 55 stalls shall operate at any one time;
- 5. any additional development, which is not in accordance with the original application or conditions of approval, as outlined above, will require further approval by Council; and
- 6. sufficient waste disposal infrastructure in place to the satisfaction of the City.

Advice Notes

a) The applicants will be required to comply with the City of Nedlands minimum criteria for the operation of temporary food stalls, and the Health Act 1911, and will be subject to applicable fees in this regard.

Committee Recommendation / Recommendation to Committee

Council approves the permanent operation of the Farmers Market at the Mount Claremont Primary School in accordance with the

application and plans dated 25 March 2011 subject to the following conditions:

- 1. The operating hours for the Market shall be:
 - a) Saturday between the hours of 7:30 am to 1:00 pm; and
 - b) one evening market held in the week prior to Christmas, between the hours of 5:30 pm and 9:00 pm;
- 2. the stallholders shall be permitted to be on the site for the purposes of setting up and taking down of the stalls, up to a maximum of 1.5 hours before and after operating hours;
- 3. the traffic and parking generated by the use shall be managed by the Mount Claremont P & C to the satisfaction of the City and shall include, but not be limited to, the following:
 - a) providing onsite parking during markets hours in accordance with the approved plans;
 - b) providing a minimum of four (4) parking attendants;
 - c) signage which directs traffic to designated parking;
 - d) parking attendants shall be directing traffic and signs shall be erected, for the full duration of the operating hours and all signs shall be removed by 1:00 pm; and
 - e) the control and prevention of parking on the verges of all streets surrounding the school.
- 4. a maximum of 55 stalls shall operate at any one time;
- 5. any additional development, which is not in accordance with the original application or conditions of approval, as outlined above, will require further approval by Council; and
- 6. sufficient waste disposal infrastructure in place to the satisfaction of the City.

Advice Notes

a) The applicants will be required to comply with the City of Nedlands minimum criteria for the operation of temporary food stalls, and the Health Act 1911, and will be subject to applicable fees in this regard.

D47.11 Hampden Broadway North Hollywood Precincts Study – Project Plan 2.0

Committee	9 August 2011
Council	23 August 2011

Applicant	City of Nedlands
Owner	Various
Officer	Gabriela Poezyn – Manager Strategic Planning
Director	Carlie Eldridge – Director Development Services
Director	
Signature	C. Klodnidge TPN/127
File ref	TPN/127 /
Previous	D45.10 - 27 July 2011
Item No's	
Disclosure	No officer involved in the preparation of this report had
of Interest	any interest which required it to be declared in
	accordance with the provisions of the Local
	Government Act (1995).

Councillor Bell – Impartiality Interest

Councillor Bell disclosed an impartiality interest in Item D47.11 – Hampden Broadway North Hollywood Precincts. He disclosed that he owned property in the area, and as a consequence, there may be a perception that his impartiality on the matter may be affected. He declared that he would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

Regulation 11(da) – Not applicable – Recommendation adopted.

Moved – Councillor Hipkins Seconded – Councillor Binks

That the Recommendation to Council is adopted subject to the removal of North Hollywood Precinct.

Lost 5/7 (Against: Crs. *Mayor Negus Bell Hodsdon* Somerville-Brown Tan Horley)

Moved – Councillor Hodsdon Seconded – Councillor Tan

That the Recommendation to Council is adopted.

(Printed below for ease of reference)

CARRIED 10/2 (Against: Crs. Hipkins &Tyson)

Council Resolution / Recommendation to Committee

Council:

- 1. endorses that the Project Plan 1.0 for the Hampden Broadway North Hollywood Precincts Study is concluded; and
- 2. adopts Project Plan 2.0 for the Hampden Broadway North Hollywood Precincts Study.

D48.11	Draft	Bedbrook	Place	Biodiversity	Local
	Planni	ng Policy			

Committee	9 August 2011
Council	23 August 2011

Applicant	Nil
Owner	Various property owners affected
Officer	Gabriela Poezyn – Manager Strategic Planning
Director	Carlie Eldridge – Director Development Services
Director	1 -1
Signature	C. Eldridge
File ref	TPN/129
Previous Item	Nil
No's	
Disclosure of	No officer involved in the preparation of this report
Interest	had any interest which required it to be declared in
	accordance with the provisions of the Local
	Government Act (1995).

Regulation 11(da) – Not applicable – Recommendation adopted.

Moved – Councillor Hipkins Seconded – Councillor Negus

That the Recommendation to Council is adopted.

(Printed below for ease of reference)

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY EN BLOC 12/-

Council Resolution / Committee Recommendation / Recommendation to Committee

Council:

- 1. approves for public consultation the proposed draft Local Planning Policy Biodiversity Corridors in the Bedbrook Place locality (BCBP-LPP); and
- 2. instructs Administration to initiate discussions with:
 - a) the Para Quad Association of WA in regards to Reserve 37387, with the view to making a subsequent request to the State government to grant a management order over the land in favour of the City; and
 - b) the Department of Health to investigate methods to protect the existing area of remnant bushland located

along the western boundary of Reserve 2290 (No 6) Selby Street.

D49.11	Draft Local Planning Policy – Setback an	d
	Buildings on the Boundary in Low Densit	y
	Zoning (R10 and R12.5)	

Committee	9 August 2011
Council	23 August 2011

Applicant	City of Nedlands
Owner	City of Nedlands
Officer	Coralie Anderson – Senior Planning Officer
Director	Carlie Eldridge – Director Development Services
Director	1 = 1
Signature	CRS/065
File ref	CRS/065
Previous Item	Nil
No's	
Disclosure of	No officer involved in the preparation of this report
Interest	had any interest which required it to be declared in
	accordance with the provisions of the Local
	Government Act (1995).

Regulation 11(da) – Not applicable – Recommendation adopted.

Moved – Councillor Hipkins Seconded – Councillor Negus

That the Recommendation to Council is adopted.

(Printed below for ease of reference)

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY EN BLOC 12/-

Council Resolution / Committee Recommendation / Recommendation to Committee

Council approves for the purpose of public consultation the proposed Draft Local Planning Policy – Setback and Buildings on the Boundary in Low Density Zoning (R10 and R12.5).

D50.11	Draft Capital City Planning Framework - Public
	Comment

Committee	9 August 2011
Council	23 August 2011

Applicant	N/A
Owner	N/A
Officer	Gabriela Poezyn – Manager Strategic Planning
Director	Carlie Eldridge – Director Development Services
Director	1 1-1 4
Signature	C- Eldridge TPN/135
File ref.	TPN/135 /
Previous Item	Nil
No's	INII
Disclosure of	No officer involved in the preparation of this report
Interest	had any interest which required it to be declared in
	accordance with the provisions of the Local
	Government Act (1995).

Regulation 11(da) - Not applicable - Recommendation adopted.

Moved – Councillor Hipkins Seconded – Councillor Negus

That the Recommendation to Council is adopted.

(Printed below for ease of reference)

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY EN BLOC 12/-

Council Resolution / Committee Recommendation

Council:

- 1. supports the draft Capital City Planning Framework in principle as a coordinated approach to Capital City Planning;
- 2. identifies the following issues and requests that these issues are addressed and/or corrected in the final document:
 - a) the final proposal needs to provide for commuter cyclists and take the local cycle network into account;
 - b) a connection needs to be created between the proposed ferry terminal at JoJo's and the high frequency/high capacity road public transport route

which terminates at the intersection of Princess Road and Fairway;

- c) the Subiaco Waste Water Treatment Plant Odour Buffer be shown in the framework as a non-residential area noting the proposed residential area on Lot 4 (corner Selby Streetand Underwood Avenue) is required to be reduced to the boundary of the odour bufferfrom the existing of the Subiaco Waste Water Treatment Plant;
- d) the proposed high density housing in Carrington Street is not acceptable as it will result in the City being deprived of one of only two service industrial areas which are considered vital to future sustainability;
- e) the proposed high density housing along the Esplanade is not acceptable to the City and should remain earmarked for lower intensity residential development;
- f) it is not appropriate that the Hollywood Aged Care site (Monash Street) is earmarked for medium intensity residential development because this could compromise its current purpose which is to provide for the aged persons accommodation which is vital for future sustainability;
- g) a green link is required through the QEII site to create a connection between the proposed greened Verdun Street road reserve and Kings Park; and
- h) the boundary of Capital Cites Planning Framework being considered for refinement to reflect planning considerations and geography.
- 3. works closely with the City on finalising the framework to ensure integration if the City's Strategic Town Planning.

Recommendation to Committee

Council:

- 1. supports the draft Capital City Planning Framework in principle as a coordinated approach to Capital City Planning;
- 2. identifies the following issues and requests that these issues are addressed and/or corrected in the final document:

- a) the final proposal needs to provide for commuter cyclists and take the local cycle network into account;
- a connection needs to be created between the proposed ferry terminal at JoJo's and the high frequency/high capacity road public transport route which terminates at the intersection of Princess Road and Fairway;
- c) the proposal needs to be amended so that the existing Dogs' Refuge Home WA and DiCom Waste Recovery Facility are not part of the proposed open space area along the southern side of Lemnos Street;
- d) the proposed residential area on Lot 4 (corner Selby Street and Underwood Avenue) is required to be reduced to the boundary of the odour buffer from the existing of the Subiaco Waste Water Treatment Plant;
- e) the proposed high density housing in Carrington Street is not acceptable as it will result in the City being deprived of one of only two service industrial areas which are considered vital to future sustainability;
- f) the proposed high density housing along the Esplanade is not acceptable to the City and should remain earmarked for lower intensity residential development:
- g) the Cooper/Clark Streets area which is more accessible to the public transport should be earmarked for medium density housing;
- h) it is not appropriate that the Hollywood Aged Care site (Monash Street) is earmarked for medium intensity residential development because this could compromise its current purpose which is to provide for the aged persons accommodation which is vital for future sustainability;
- a green link is required through the QEII site to create a connection between the proposed greened Verdun Street road reserve and Kings Park; and
- the boundary of Capital Cites Planning Framework being considered for refinement to reflect planning considerations and geography.

3. works closely with the City on finalising the framework to ensure integration if the City's Strategic Town Planning.

D51.11	Cottesloe Golf Club Inc –Surrender of Lease and
	proposed new twenty-one year Lease with the option of a further twenty-one year term.

Committee	09 August 2011
Council	23 August 2011

Applicant	Cottesloe Golf Club Inc		
Owner	State of WA – Vested to City of Nedlands		
Officer	Neil Scanes – Property Management Officer		
Director	Carlie Eldridge – Director Development Services		
Director	151, 1		
Signature	C. Eldridge		
File ref	Lease/6		
Previous Item	Item C04.03, 11 February 2003		
No's			
Disclosure of	No officer involved in the preparation of this report		
Interest	had any interest which required it to be declared in		
	accordance with the provisions of the Local		
	Government Act (1995).		

Regulation 11(da) – Council resolved to include three conditions as part of the lease to be provided and approved.

Moved – Councillor Horley Seconded – Councillor Smyth

That the Committee Recommendation is adopted subject to additional wording being added to clause 2.

CARRIED 10/2 (Against: Crs. Binks & Collins)

Council Resolution

- 1. approves the surrender of the existing lease between the City and Cottesloe Golf Club Inc; and
- 2. approves and endorses the attached exclusive use lease for a twenty-one year term with the option of a further twenty-one year term between the City and the Cottesloe Golf Club Inc. subject to the inclusion of a clause that includes the provision of the following conditions to be provided to the satisfaction of the City within 5 years of lease commencement. Specific details are to be provided and approved as part of the Development Application;

- the provision of specific, controlled safe pedestrian access including accessible linkages between the North/South and East/West boundaries
- safety issues for residences and pedestrian traffic abutting the golf course, with Council's preference for natural barriers
- appropriate signage warning pedestrians of the risk of errant golf balls; and that if they enter the vicinity of the course they do so at their own risk.

Committee Recommendation

Council

- 1. approves the surrender of the existing lease between the City and Cottesloe Golf Club Inc; and
- approves and endorses the attached exclusive use lease for a twenty-one year term with the option of a further twenty-one year term between the City and the Cottesloe Golf Club Inc. subject to the inclusion of a clause that does not preclude the creation of a safe recreational pathway in the vicinity of the eastern boundary at sometime in the future to the agreement of both parties.

Recommendation to Committee

Council:

- 1. approves the surrender of the existing lease between the City and Cottesloe Golf Club Inc; and
- 2. approves and endorses the attached exclusive use lease for a twenty-one year term with the option of a further twenty-one year term between the City and the Cottesloe Golf Club Inc.

D52.11	Construction	of	the	refurbishment,	additions
	and alteration	s to	the .	John Leckie Pavi	ilion

Committee	9 August 2011
Council	23 August 2011

Applicant	City of Nedlands		
Owner	City of Nedlands		
Officer	Matthew Deal - Manager Property Services		
Director	Carlie Eldridge - Director Development Services		
Director	1		
Signature	C. Eldridge TEN/328		
File ref	TEN/328 /		
Previous Item			
No's			
Disclosure of	No officer involved in the preparation of this report		
Interest	had any interest which required it to be declared in		
	accordance with the provisions of the Local		
	Government Act (1995).		

Regulation 11(da) – Not applicable – Recommendation adopted.

Moved – Councillor Hipkins Seconded – Councillor Negus

That the Recommendation to Council is adopted.

(Printed below for ease of reference)

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY EN BLOC 12/-

Council Resolution / Committee Recommendation / Recommendation to Committee

Council accepts the tender from Gavin Construction for the construction of the refurbishment, alterations and additions to the John Leckie Pavilion at a cost of \$2,551,041.90.

12.3 Technical Services Report No T05.11 (copy attached)

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.

T05.11	Tender No. 2010/11.13 – Weed Control For Hard
	Landscape Areas

Committee	9 August 2011
Council	23 August 2011

Applicant	City of Nedlands		
Owner	City of Nedlands		
Officer	Andrew Dickson – A/Manager Parks Services		
Director	Ian Hamilton – Director Technical Services		
Director			
Signature			
File ref.	TEN/\$12 √		
Previous Item	Item T6.08 – Council Minutes – 9 September 2008		
No's	item 10.00 – Godineii Miinates – 3 Geptember 2000		
Disclosure of	No officer involved in the preparation of this report		
Interest	had any interest which required it to be declared in		
	accordance with the provisions of the Local		
	Government Act (1995).		

Regulation 11(da) – Not applicable – Recommendation adopted.

Moved – Councillor Hipkins Seconded – Councillor Negus

That the Recommendation to Council is adopted.

(Printed below for ease of reference)

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY EN BLOC 12/-

Council Resolution / Committee Recommendation / Recommendation to Committee

Council:

- accepts the tender submitted by Steamwand International trading as Weedtechnics for the supply of thermal and mechanical weed control services for the 2011/12 financial year at a cost of \$82,566.00 excluding GST; and
- 2. accepts the option to extend the contract for two (2), twelve month periods at the end of the initial period ending 30 June 2012, at the principal's discretion.

12.4 Community & Strategy Report No CM07.11 (copy attached)

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.

Policy Review	
	Policy Review

Committee	9 August 2011
Council	23 August 2011

Applicant	City of Nedlands		
Owner	City of Nedlands		
Director	Carlie Eldridge - Director Development Services		
	Mike Cole – Director Corporate Services		
Director	Darla Blake - Director Community and Strategy		
Director	DRI. Ro		
Signature	Notare		
File ref.	CRS/065		
Previous Item	Nil		
No's	1411		
Disclosure of	No officer involved in the preparation of this report		
Interest	had any interest which required it to be declared in		
	accordance with the provisions of the Local		
	Government Act (1995).		

Regulation 11(da) – Not applicable – Recommendation adopted.

Moved – Councillor Hipkins Seconded – Councillor Negus

That the Recommendation to Council is adopted.

(Printed below for ease of reference)

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY EN BLOC 12/-

Council Resolution / Committee Recommendation / Recommendation to Committee

Council approves the following policies:

- 1. Home Business replacing policy 6.1; and
- 2. Records Management (revised)

12.5 Corporate Services Report No's CP28.11 to CP30.11 (copy attached)

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.

CP28.11

Committee	9 August 2011
Council	23 August 2011

Applicant	City of Nedlands
Owner	City of Nedlands
Officer	Rajah Senathirajah – Manager Finance
Director	Michael Cole – Director Corporate Service
Director Signature	null
File ref.	Fin/072-16
Previous Item No's	Nil
Disclosure of Interest	No officer involved in the preparation of this report had any interest which required it to be declared in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act (1995).

Regulation 11(da) – Not applicable – Recommendation adopted.

Moved – Councillor Hipkins Seconded – Councillor Negus

That the Recommendation to Council is adopted.

(Printed below for ease of reference)

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY EN BLOC 12/-

Council Resolution / Committee Recommendation / Recommendation to Committee

Council receives the preliminary Monthly Financial Report for June 2011.

CP29.11 Investment Report – June 2011

Committee	9 August 2011
Council	23 August 2011

Applicant	City of Nedlands
Owner	City of Nedlands
Officer	Rajah Senathirajah – Manager Finance
Director	Michael Cole – Director Corporate Service
Director	
Signature	
File ref.	Fin/071-06
Previous Item	Nil
No's	
Disclosure of	
Interest	had any interest which required it to be declared in
	accordance with the provisions of the Local
	Government Act (1995).

Regulation 11(da) – Not applicable – Recommendation adopted.

Moved – Councillor Hipkins Seconded – Councillor Negus

That the Recommendation to Council is adopted.

(Printed below for ease of reference)

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY EN BLOC 12/-

Council Resolution / Committee Recommendation / Recommendation to Committee

Council receives the Investment Report for the period ended 30 June 2011.

CP30.11 List of Accounts Paid – June 2011

Committee	9 August 2011
Council	23 August 2011

Applicant	City of Nedlands
Owner	City of Nedlands
Officer	Rajah Senathirajah – Manager Finance
Director	Michael Cole – Director Corporate Service
Director	
Signature	I had the
File ref:	Fin/072-16
Previous Item	Nil
No's	
Disclosure of	
Interest	had any interest which required it to be declared in
	accordance with the provisions of the Local
	Government Act (1995).

Regulation 11(da) – Not applicable – Recommendation adopted.

Moved – Councillor Hipkins Seconded – Councillor Negus

That the Recommendation to Council is adopted.

(Printed below for ease of reference)

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY EN BLOC 12/-

Council Resolution / Committee Recommendation / Recommendation to Committee

Council receives the List of Accounts Paid for the month of June 2011.

13. Reports by the Chief Executive Officer

13.1 Common Seal Register Report – July 2011

Moved – Councillor Negus Seconded – Councillor Bell

That the attached Common Seal Register Report for the month of July 2011 is received.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY 12/-

13.2 List of Delegated Authorities – July 2011

Councillor Binks – Impartiality interest

Councillor Binks disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 13.2 List of Delegated Authority - 11/357. He disclosed that he had a previous association with the applicant, and as a consequence, there may be a perception that his impartiality on the matter may be affected. He declared that while the matter had been already determined and the report was only to be received he would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

Moved – Councillor Negus Seconded – Councillor Hodsdon

That the attached List of Delegated Authorities for the month of July 2011 is to be received.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY 12/-

13.3 No. 9 (Lot 54) Iris Avenue, Dalkeith – Proposed Retrospective Amendments to previously Approved Two Storey Dwelling.

Applicant	David Reynolds
Owner	Lasair Property Trust
Officer	Nick Bakker – Planning Officer
Director	Carlie Eldridge – Director Development Services
CEO	Graham Foster – Chief Executive Officer
CEOs	O a do
Signature	Tahasa 1
File ref	ゼ A11/53 : DA09/431
Previous Item No's	Nil
Disclosure of Interest	No officer involved in the preparation of this report had any interest which required it to be declared in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act (1995).

Regulation 11(da) – Not applicable – Recommendation adopted.

Moved – Councillor Hipkins Seconded – Councillor Negus

That the Recommendation to Council is adopted.

(Printed below for ease of reference)

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY 12/-

Council Resolution / Recommendation to Committee

Council approves an application for Retrospective Amendments to a previously approved Two Storey Dwelling at No. 9 (Lot 54) Iris Avenue, Dalkeith in accordance with the application dated 15 February 2011 and the amended plans dated 2 March 2011 and 3 August 2011 subject to the following conditions:

- 1. The applicant is to render the northern boundary wall on the side facing the neighbouring property, to the satisfaction of the City;
- 2. Within 30 days of Councils decision the overheight solid portion of the northern boundary fence located in the 9 m primary setback area is to be reduced to:
 - i. have a maximum pillar height of 2.1 m (including capping) above natural ground level (ngl);
 - i. have a maximum height of 1.8 m for the remainder of the fence'; and
 - iii. to be visually permeable above 1.2 m from ngl in accordance with the Residential Design Codes (RCodes).
- 3. All storm water from building and paving areas (including driveways) shall be contained on site by draining to soakwells of adequate capacity to contain runoff from a ten (10) year recurrent storm event and the capacity of soakwells shall be a minimum of one (1) cubic metre for every 80 m² of paved or roofed surface on the property.
- 4. The retaining walls and boundary fencing and footings shall be constructed wholly inside the allotment.
- 5. The use of bare or painted metal building materials is permitted on the basis that, if during or following the erection of the development the Council forms the opinion that glare which is produced from the building has or will have a significant detrimental effect upon the amenity of neighbouring properties, the Council may require the owner to treat the building/roof to reduce the reflectivity to a level acceptable to Council.
- 6. A grated channel strip-drain shall be constructed across the driveway, aligned with and wholly contained within the property boundary and the discharge from

- this drain to be run to a soakwell situated within the property.
- 7. Any additional development, which is not in accordance with the original application or conditions of approval, as outlined above, will require further approval by Council.

Advice Notes specific to this approval

- a. All internal WC's and ensuites without window access to outside air must be serviced by mechanical ventilation, which is ducted to outside air and the minimum rate of air change must be equal or greater than 25 litres per second.
- b. Property owners are required by law to ensure that mechanical devices located on their property such as air conditioners do not create unreasonable noise to neighbouring properties. It is strongly advised that consultation be undertaken with the air conditioner installer and adjoining neighbour(s) prior to installation of any airconditioner equipment.
- c. In the event of a noise complaint being received by the City, remedial action (including potential relocation or other attenuation measures) may be required or the air conditioner may be prohibited from being used. It is recommended that applicants refer to the City's Visual and Acoustic Privacy Information document and also the online fairair noise calculator online at. Further advice can be sought from Acoustic Engineers who are listed in the Yellow Pages under "Acoustical Consultants".
- d. Prior to the commencement of works, any consents or approvals required under the *Strata Titles Act 1985* will need to be obtained.

Purpose

Council originally considered this application for proposed retrospective works and No. 9 Iris Avenue, Dalkeith at the meeting on 28 June 2011, where it was resolved that the application be referred back to administration for additional information.

Strategic Plan

- KFA 3: Built Environment
 - 3.8 Facilitate appropriate development of existing residential housing to complement the surrounding residential amenity.

Background

Property Address: No. 9 (Lot 54) Iris Avenue, Dalkeith

Zoning MRS: Urban

Zoning TPS2: Residential – R10

Lot Area: 810 m²

The City has previously issued two planning approvals and building licenses for this property, as detailed below:

Date	Action/Comments
January 2008	The City approved a development application (DA07/210) for a proposed two storey dwelling, with basement garage and swimming pool. The plans were approved with a family room and patio with a rear setback of 2.82 m.
March 2009	The above development did not proceed and a new application (DA09/83) for a completely new design was submitted in March 2009.
July 2009	The City approved the second development application (DA09/83) for a two storey dwelling and swimming pool. The application was approved with a condition that the rear setback be a minimum of 6 m.
September 2009	The applicant submitted another application (DA09/431), proposing the following amendments to the previous approval:
	1.8 m brick screen walls on the side and rear boundaries of the property;
	 Increasing the size of the rear alfresco area, this would reduce the rear setback from the required 6 m to 4.26 m;
	Amendments to the front screen wall;
	Retaining walls along the driveway;
	Slight changes to the roof design and front elevations.
October 2009	The above application was assessed and additional information was requested.
August 2010	The City sent out a cancelation letter dated 6 August 2010 notifying of cancelation by 19 August 2010 after no information was received.
September 2010	A phone conversation with the applicant was recorded, where he applicant informed the planning officer that the dwelling had already been constructed with these unapproved amendments and requested the application be cancelled and they will resubmit for retrospective approval.

February 2011	This retrospective application for the unapproved	
	amendments was submitted.	
June 2011	The application was considered at Council where it	
	was resolved that the application be referred back	
	to Administration for additional information.	

Following Councils request for the application to be referred back the applicant has submitted more accurate information which explains a number of details not originally clear when the application was considered at the June Council Meeting. The assessing officer has also inspected the site and noted that there were a number of inaccuracies with the original plans.

The following list outlines the key issues which have now been clarified with the additional information:

- 1. The original plans submitted with this application showed the front fence and pillars stepping down with the slope of the land resulting in a maximum height of 2.1 m above ngl in accordance with the City's requirements.
 - It has become apparent the front fence does not step down with the slope of the land and has been constructed with a maximum top of wall height (including capping) of 2.55 m above ngl. The applicant has now provided accurate plans showing the fence (as built) in comparison to what was originally approved (refer to attachment 1).
- 2. It is also apparent that a solid boundary wall has been built within the 9 m setback area along the northern boundary. As this fence is solid above the 1.2 m required under the RCodes it is recommended the applicant reduce the fence to comply, as per Condition 2.
- Initially the City received two objections in relation to the reduced rear setback. Following a number of discussions with the concerned neighbours both of these objections were withdrawn.
- 4. In the original administration report to Council it was recommended that a number of ground floor north facing windows be screened to remove overlooking issues. It has become apparent that the finished ground floor level (ffl) of 10.00RL is a maximum of 260 mm above the natural ground level (not over 500 mm as originally thought) and therefore complies with the privacy/overlooking requirement of the RCodes.

Proposal Detail

This application is for the following retrospective amendments to DA09/413:

- 1.8 m brick screen walls on top of 500 mm of fill along the north side boundary of the property;
- Increasing the size of the rear alfresco area, resulting in a reduced the rear setback from the required 6 m to 4.26 m;
- Amendments to the front boundary wall;
- A gate house located on the front boundary;
- Retaining walls along the driveway;
- Changes to the roof design and minor changed to the front elevation.

All of the above changes are highlighted on the attached plans.

Consultation

Required by legislation:	Yes ⊠	No 🗌
Required by City of Nedlands policy:	Yes ⊠	No 🗆
Advertising Period 2011	22 March 2011 - 5	April

Comments received: Two letters of objections

Note: A full copy of all relevant consultation feedback received by the City has been given to the City's Councillors prior to the meeting.

Since the July Council Meeting separate meetings were held with the objecting neighbours, to gain a better understanding of their concerns.

Following discussions with the neighbours, a meeting was held at the City's office with the applicant to discuss the City's and the neighbours' concerns.

In this meeting the applicant agreed to:

 Render the side of the northern boundary wall facing the neighbouring property at No. 7 Iris Avenue as per the neighbours request;

2. Reduce the solid wall on northern boundary located within the 9 m setback area, in order to comply with the RCode requirements (refer condition 2 and 3).

Summary of comments received	Officers technical comment
Issue:	Dismiss
The rear setback variation negatively affects neighbouring households.	Following the last Council meeting the assessing officer met with the objecting neighbours, who stated they now have no objection to the reduced rear setback.
	Furthermore; the proposed rear setback is not considered to impact on the neighbouring properties. See discussion below for more detail.
Issue:	Condition
The over height front fence negatively affects the streetscape and amenity.	In the original administration report to Council it was recommended that the front fence be reduced to a maximum height of 2.1 m (including capping) above natural ground level.
	Since the application was referred back, the affected neighbour agreed that they will support the height of the overheight from wall, provided the applicant renders the new dividing fence on the side facing the neighbour's property. The applicant agreed to render the wall to the satisfaction of the affected owner.
	It is therefore recommended condition 1 be included in the approval.

Legislation

- City of Nedlands Town Planning Scheme No. 2 (TPS2)
- Residential Design Codes (RCodes)
- Council Policy Manual
- Fill and Fencing Policy

Discussion

The variations to the legislation are discussed as follows:

Issue: Rear Setback

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RCodes Requirement Acceptable	The Alfresco requires a 6 m setback from the rear boundary.
Development	(Refer to the marked up plan in attachment 8 for details regarding the rear setback requirements).
Performance Criteria	Buildings setback from boundaries other than street boundaries so as to:
	 Provide adequate direct sun and ventilation to the building;
	Ensure adequate direct sun and ventilation being available to adjoining properties;
	Provide adequate direct sun to the building and appurtenant open spaces;
	Assist with protection of access to direct sun for adjoining properties;
	Assist in ameliorating the impacts of building bulk on adjoining properties;
	 Assist in protecting privacy between adjoining properties.
Applicants Proposal	The Alfresco is proposed to be setback 4.26 m from the rear boundary, which intrudes 1.74 m into the 6 m rear setback area.
Applicant justification summary Note: A full copy of the	Approval was initially granted with a 2.82 m setback to the rear boundary. This was granted due in part to the neighbour to the rear of us having a setback of 1.5 m.
applicant justification received by the City has been given to the City's Councillors prior to the meeting.	In resubmitting the plans for approval the applicant amended the alfresco setback to 4.26 m as this would mean more rear yard and still allow for a useable alfresco. Approval was granted with the condition that the rear setback be increased to 6 m in accordance with the RCodes.
	Given approval was originally granted for a 2.82 m set back to the rear, which extended almost the full width of the site, the applicant assumed that seeking approval for a increased 4.26 m set back where only a portion of flat roof and two columns extended into this area would not be a

problem.

Officer technical comment

The setback of the alfresco is further setback than that of the adjoining property to the rear, which has a rear setback of 1.5 m.

Furthermore, no submissions from the neighbouring owners to the rear of the property were received.

The rear setback in relation to the side neighbours' original submissions is considered below.

1. Southern adjoining property

The proposed portion of alfresco located in the 6 m rear setback area has a south side setback in accordance with the RCodes. As the length of the alfresco wall located in the rear setback area is only 1.74 m and is setback from the side boundary in accordance with the RCodes, the impact on this adjoining property is therefore considered minimal.

2. Northern adjoining property

The alfresco is setback 8.5 m from the northern property boundary. The finished ground levels of the northern property at No. 7 Iris Avenue are approximately 500 mm below that of No. 9 Iris Avenue and the properties are separated by a 1.8 m high dividing fence.

Given the information above and that the length of the alfresco wall located in the rear setback area is only 1.74 m it is considered the rear setback complies with the relevant Performance Criteria of the RCodes, as discussed below:

- Provide adequate direct sun and ventilation to the building;
- Provide adequate direct sun to the building and appurtenant open spaces;

The proposed reduced rear setback has minimal impact on the access to direct sun and ventilation of the building as the proposed portion of the alfresco with the reduced setback is located towards the southern side of the property leaving adequate open areas with access to northern sun.

• Ensure adequate direct sun and ventilation

being available to adjoining properties;

 Assist with protection of access to direct sun for adjoining properties;

The proposed rear portion of the dwelling is not considered to have any impact on the provision of sun and ventilation to adjoining properties as it is single storey, is setback from the side properties in accordance with the RCodes and has a maximum wall height of 3 m with a flat roof.

Furthermore, the 1.74 m portion of dwelling located in the 6 m rear setback area is setback 8.5 m from the northern boundary and is not considered to have any impact on the property to the north.

- Assist in ameliorating the impacts of building bulk on adjoining properties;
- Assist in protecting privacy between adjoining properties.

Given the size, location and proposed floor levels for the dwelling at No. 9 Iris Avenue it is not considered to have an adverse impact in terms of bulk and privacy on any of the surrounding properties.

Following Council's request to refer this application back to a later meeting for more information, the assessing officer has met with both adjoining owners to discuss the application and proposed variations in detail. Both adjoining land owners to the north and south confirmed that they are no longer concerned with the rear setback variation.

Issue: Front and Side Boundary Fencing

RCodes/ Town Planning Scheme Requirement Front and side walls and fences in the 9 m primary street setback area shall be a maximum height of 1.8 m above natural ground level at the base of the wall and visually permeable in accordance with the residential design codes.

The City has a working practice relating to fences located within the front setback area, which allows for capping on top of a 1.8 m fence pillar to be a maximum height of 2.1 m.

Performance	Front walls and fences to enable surveillance and
Criteria	enhance streetscape.

Applicants Proposal	"The fence along the front boundary has a maximum height of 2.55 m (including pier capping) above natural ground level, in the north western corner of the site.
	The portion of fence located within the 9m front setback area on the northern boundary is solid to a height of 1.8 m above ngl."
Applicant justification summary Note: A full copy of the applicant justification received by the City has been given to the City's Councillors prior to the meeting.	When on site it was discovered that the undulation of the land meant that the front screen wall did not follow the lay of the land and as such would mean that on completion it would look as though an error had been made.
	Further it was apparent that the track for the open screen gate would be visible from the street and as such unsightly. Therefore we made the change to ensure it looked balanced.
Officer technical comment	As a result of the natural slope of land along the front of the property, the proposed front fence located in the 9 m front setback area is overheight in some portions.
	Although the front fence pillars (specifically in the north west corner) have a maximum height 450 mm above the maximum requirement, the slope of the land should be taken into consideration when assessing the impact of the overheight portion of fence. As the site slopes down approximately 1.75 m from south to north along the front boundary it is accepted that any resulting front fence will be over height at some points.
	Given the proposed front fence provides adequate visual permeability (in accordance with the RCodes) and still maintains a relatively open streetscape it is considered that the front boundary fence meets intent of the RCodes and City's Policy.
	The portion of fence located within the 9 m front setback area on the northern boundary is solid to a height of 1.8 m above ngl and does not comply with the acceptable development criteria of the RCodes.

Although the fence along the front boundary provides adequate visual permeability (in accordance with the RCodes), it is considered the height of the northern portion of fence within the 9 m front setback area is not in keeping with open streetscape of Iris Avenue. In order to complement the design of the front fence and maintain the open streetscape along Iris Avenue, it is recommended this portion of fence be reduced to a maximum height of 2.1 m (to the pillar capping) and be visually permeable above 1.2 m from ngl (as per condition 2 and 3).

Conclusion

Given the information above, it is considered the proposed rear setback complies with the relevant performance criteria of the RCodes and is recommended for approval.

In relation to the front and side boundary fencing located within the 9 m setback area it is recommended the approval be conditioned to reduce the maximum height of the pillars along the northern boundary to 2.1 m above natural ground level with a maximum solid height of 1.2 m in accordance with Clause 6.2.5 of the RCodes. It is also suggested that this be carried out within 30 days of Council's approval.

Given the substantial slope of the land along the front boundary and that the portion of over height fence is relatively minor; it is recommended Council approve the front fence as shown in attachment 8, with the condition that the northern boundary wall is rendered to the satisfaction of the City.

Attachments

- 1. Locality Plan
- 2. Existing Site Survey Plan
- 3. Site and Setout Plan
- 4. Ground Floor Plan
- 5. Internal Dimensions and Front Fence Plan
- 6. Upper Floor Plan
- 7. Elevation Plans
- 8. Additional Plan showing the Front Fence as Constructed

13.4 Café Located at Mt Claremont Community Centre – Part Lot 6987 on Deposited Plan 16726, House Number 19, Haldane Street, Mt Claremont. Proposed three (3) year lease with the option of a further two, one (1) year lease term between the City and R2R Services.

Applicant	R2R Services
Owner	State of WA – Crown Grant to City of Nedlands
Officer	Neil Scanes – Property Management Officer
Director	Carlie Eldridge – Director Development Services
CEO	Graham Foster – Chief Executive Officer
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Signature	Tahasa 1
File ref	Lease/52
Previous	Item CM14.07, 12 June 2007;
Item No's	Item CM18.06, 9 May 2006; and
	Item C24.05, 26 April 2005
Disclosure	No officer involved in the preparation of this report
of Interest	had any interest which required it to be declared in
	accordance with the provisions of the Local
	Government Act (1995).

Councillor Hodsdon – Impartiality interest

Councillor Hodsdon disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 13.4 – Cafe Located at Mt Claremont Community Centre. He disclosed that he had an association with one of the tenders and as a consequence, there may be a perception that his impartiality on the matter may be affected. He advised that he would leave the meeting during this matter.

Councillor Hodsdon left room at 8.32 pm

Regulation 11(da) – Not applicable – Recommendation adopted.

Moved – Councillor Horley Seconded – Councillor Collins

That the Recommendation to Council is adopted.

(Printed below for ease of reference)

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY 11/-

Councillor Hodsdon returned to the meeting at 8.38 pm

Council Resolution / Amended Recommendation to Council

Council:

- 1. accepts the tender from R2R Services for the provision of Café services at the Café located at Mt Claremont Community Centre as per attachment 1;
- 2. If negotiations on the lease do not proceed with R2R Services the City accepts the tender from La Mousse, French Patisserie and Cafe for the provision of Café services at the Café located at Mt Claremont Community Centre as per attachment 1; and
- 3. approves and endorses an exclusive three (3) year lease with the option of a further two, one (1) year terms between the City and accepted tenderer as per attachment 2.

Original Recommendation to Council

Council:

- accepts the tender from R2R Services for the provision of Café services at the Café located at Mt Claremont Community Centre as per attachment 1; and
- 2. approves and endorses an exclusive three (3) year lease with the option of a further two, one (1) year terms between the City and R2R Services as per attachment 2.

Purpose

This report recommends that Council approves and endorses an exclusive three (3) year lease with the option of a further two, one (1) year terms between the City and R2R Services for the provision of Café services at the Café located at Mt Claremont Community Centre, Mt Claremont as per the tender evaluation undertaken by WALGA.

It is presented as a CEO's report with an aim to reduce the time this community facility is vacant.

Strategic Plan

This application is in accordance with the City of Nedlands Strategic Plan 2008-2013. In particular, the following objectives are addressed:

KFA 4: Community Wellbeing

- 4.1 Provide and facilitate access to services and facilities required by the broader community, clubs and community groups.
- 4.3 Provide services that meet community needs.

KFA 5: Governance

- 5.1 Manage the City's resources in a sustainable and responsible manner.
- 5.6 Ensure compliance with statutory requirements and guidelines.

Background

Mt Claremont Café is located within the Mt Claremont Community Centre situated off of Montgomery Avenue, Mt Claremont. The building was constructed in 2004 and incorporates the Café, Mt Claremont Library and Mt Claremont Playgroup.

The land on which the facility resides is legally described as a portion of Lot 6987 on Deposited Plan 167276, House Number 19 Haldane Street, Mt Claremont being part of the land contained in Certificate of Title Volume 2115 Folio 135.

Lot 6987 was transferred to the City in fee simple by way of Crown Grant in Trust in 1992 for the specific use of Community Purposes. However, when this land is no longer required for its stated purpose it may be sold and the value of the land returned to the State Government. With the introduction of the Land Administration Act in 1997, Crown Grants are no longer created and registered at Landgate. For all intent and purposes, this land is vested to the City for "Community Purposes".

The non-staffed Community Centre opened in December 2004 and operates on a rooms-for-hire basis. Rooms are booked through the City's Administration Office located at 71 Stirling Highway, Nedlands. This led to separate groups using the facility with little interaction between the entities.

On 26 April 2005, Item C24.05, Council endorsed the Terms and Reference for the Mt Claremont Community Centre Administrative Liaison Working Group, the purpose of which was to, "investigate and make recommendations on options for improving the usage and functioning of the Mt Claremont Community Centre, aimed at achieving a vital, vibrant and viable Centre".

The Working Group identified that by attracting a Café operator to the Mt Claremont Community Centre, it would assist significantly with turning the facility into a vibrant community centre as opposed to a building that simply provided a number of rooms for hire. Essentially, a Café would provide a focal point, a meeting place, a place to sit and a reason to attend the centre even if not enrolled or engaged in a specific activity or course.

Considering the findings of the Mt Claremont Community Centre Administrative Liaison Working Group, Council resolved on 9 May 2006, Item C18.06, to "call for Expressions of Interest to provide a Café service at the Mt Claremont Community Centre".

On 12 June 2007, Item CM14.07, Council resolved to "enter into a lease between the City and Minaret Investments Pty Ltd trading as Gallery Oasis for the purposes of providing Café services at Mt Claremont Community Centre, rent free, for a term of 5 years and all capital development and on-going costs to be met by the tenant"

The Commercial Tenancy (Retail Shops) Agreement Act 1985 states that a minimum five 5 year lease has to be entered into to allow the lessee to establish and develop a business. This can be a combination of term and option to extend the lease to the required 5 year period.

The Lessee was granted a three (3) year lease term with two options to renew for one (1) year.

The lease commenced on 15 October 2007. This lease was then varied by way of a Deed of Variation of Lease due to initial fit out and operational delays. The executed Deed of Variation of Lease amended the commencement date of the original lease to 18 May 2008.

The tenant, Minaret Investments Pty Ltd failed to exercise their lease renewal option as required by the terms of the lease. The Lessee was required to issue the City a notice prior to 18 February 2011 if it wished to renew the lease for the first initial one (1) year term. The law provides that when an option must be exercised within a specified period, the time condition is an essential term and failure to exercise it within the required time will result in loss of the option entitlement. Therefore, as the Lessee did not serve the required notice of exercise, the Lease expired on 17 May 2011.

As a consequence, the City notified Minaret Investments Pty Ltd to cease operations on or prior to 17 May 2011. The Café has been vacant since that time. However, the previous lessee has been allowed to store their equipment and non perishable stock on-site until a new tenant is chosen. This would allow any new tenant the opportunity to negotiate the purchase of Minaret's equipment should a price be agreed between both parties.

Key Relevant Previous Decisions:

- Item CM14.07, 12 June 2007: Council resolved to approve a five (5) year lease between the City and Minaret Investments Pty Ltd;
- Item CM18.06, 9 May 2006: Council resolved to call for Expressions of Interest to provide a Café service at Mt Claremont Community Centre; and

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 Item C24.05, 26 April 2005: Council resolved to establish to Mt Claremont Community Centre Administrative Liaison Working Group to investigate and make recommendations on options for improving the usage and functioning of the Community Centre, aimed at achieving a vital, vibrant and viable Centre.

Consultation

Required by legislation:	Yes 🛚	No 🗌
Required by City of Nedlands policy:	Yes 🛚	No 🗌

Under Section 3.58 of the Local Government Act 1995, a disposition of land includes to sell, lease or otherwise dispose of local government property. If a local government does not dispose of property via a public auction or the public tender method, the proposal must be advertised for public comments by way of public notice.

Section 1.7 of the Local Government Act 1995 states that local public notices be published in a district newspaper, exhibited on a notice board at the local government's offices and exhibited on a notice board at every local government library.

In order to meet the required legislative criteria, the City prepared a Request for Tender document, RFT 2010/11.18 and advertised for submissions from interested parties looking to provide Café services from the Mt Claremont Community Centre.

Notices appeared in the following publications:

- Western Suburbs Weekly (17 May 2011).
- The Post (21 May 2011); and
- West Australian Newspaper (21-22 May 2011)

Public notices detailing the Request for Tender requirements were displayed at the City's administration buildings notice board along with the notice boards located within the Mt Claremont Library and Nedlands Library to correspond with the publication of the newspaper adverts.

Administration has received in-principal consent to the proposed draft lease from the Minister of Lands pursuant to Section 18 of the *Land Administration Act 1997*.

Legislation

- Local Government Act 1995;
- Local Government (Functions & General) Regulations 1996;
- The Commercial Tenancy (Retail Shops) Agreements Act 1985; and

• Section 18 of the Land Administration Act 1997.

Budget/financial implications

Budget:		
Within current approved budget:	Yes 🖂	No 🗌
Requires further budget consideration:	Yes 🗌	No 🖂
Financial:		

In relation to the proposed draft lease, it is not viable for the City to charge a commercial lease rental to the successful tenderer. The land on which the Café resides is a "Crown Grant in Trust". The trust specifies that the land is to be used for "Community Purposes". The Minister for Lands would more than likely request a portion of any annual lease fee charged by the City if a commercial lease fee was sought.

The City will instead charge a peppercorn annual rental to the successful tenderer as it is assumed that in the short term, profitability for a Café on site may be limited. Limited parking at the Centre, along with the fact that the facility is located in a residential area with limited visual impact and passing vehicle traffic, indicates that significant level of trade will not be attained in the short term until a reputation is built up by the proposed proprietor.

The City will be responsible for all costs in relation to the preparation of the lease by McLeod's Barristers and Solicitors. To date, fees of \$2,941.33 has been settled by the City, some of which pertained to communication with the previous tenant's default in relation to the previous lease.

The cost of publishing the Tender notification in the media was \$3,182.85.

It is intended that there will be a positive impact on the City's budget by increasing patronage and attracting more users to the Community Centre over the long term that will offset the stated newspaper and lease preparation costs.

The City has also recently installed a water meter and gas sub-meter onto the premises to delineate the services used by the Café. It was thought that separate service accountability is prudent so that specific utilities can be directly apportioned to the Café as opposed to estimating a split between Café and non-Café utility usage at the Mt Claremont Community Centre as has previously been the case. Total cost of installation amounted to \$1,628.

The successful tenderer will be responsible to pay a \$6,000 tenancy bank guarantee bond on commencement of the lease. This is to be held to enable the City to draw on the guaranteed monies should any amounts payable remain unpaid for 7 days after becoming due and/or to recover the cost of rectifying any breach of the lessee's covenants 14 days after being notified of any breach.

The proposed lease specifies that the successful tenderer will be responsible for all maintenance, cleaning, utility fees and insurance of the leased area. In addition, the tenant will be responsible for all set up and any approved fit-out works prior to any new Café operation commencing.

Risk Management

The City has complied with all relevant legislation.

The Minister for Lands has granted in principle consent to the lease. The City has complied with Section 3.58 of the Local Government Act in regards leasing of local government property. The Request for Tender method has been undertaken and the proposal has been advertised accordingly. The Tenders received by the City have been evaluated by WALGA in accordance with the criteria documented in the tender invitation document.

The City has adhered to The Commercial Tenancy (Retail Shops) Agreements Act 1985 and set the lease term for a period of five (5) years. However, by installing a combination of term (three (3) years) and option (two, one (1) year options), this provides the City with an exit point after three (3) years should the lessee fail to exercise their option after the initial three (3) year term. In addition, the City is unable to set specific hours of operation under this act so has no input into the hours of operation. The successful tenderer has the discretion to open or close the business at times of their choice. However, City Administration is satisfied that the proposed lessee's opening hours will be of a regular and predictable nature as per their tender submission.

The proposed tenderer has been vetted by WALGA and reference checks conducted. As a result of these checks, a positive outcome was ascertained with verification of experience, competency, personnel and equipments clarified.

The proposed tenderer is aware that the premise is suitable for a Café with a Medium Food Classification. Catering would push up any business to a High Food Classification which the premises is not suitable for and does not meet Councils intention for a Café - to provide a meeting place and central "hub" for Centre users. Provision has been made in the proposed draft lease, Clause 9.6 that prevents such an occurrence happening.

The following Risk Management currently applies to the vacant Café premises:

Risk	Likelihood	Consequence	Level of risk	Risk acceptance	Criteria for Management of Risk
Cost of reactive maintenance increases	Almost certain	Medium	15	High	Unacceptable
Loss of City reputation	Likely	Major	16		Unacceptable
Not complying with Strategic Plan	Almost certain	Medium	15	High	Unacceptable
Risk of vandalism to vacant Café	Possible	Medium	9	Moderate	Management Control Required
Risk of break-in	Possible	Medium	9	Moderate	Management Control Required
Negative media coverage	Likely	Major	16		Unacceptable
Community complaints relating to loss of Café amenity	Almost certain	Medium	15	High	Unacceptable

Discussion

The tender for the provision of Café Services at the Mt Claremont Community Centre was advertised in both the West Australian and local newspapers. Deadline for submissions was 22 June 2011 at 12:00 pm.

The City received two tenders at the conclusion of the tender advertising period from:

- 1) La Mousse, French Patisserie and Café
- 2) R2R Services

Both of the tenders were assessed, scored and complied with the relevant tender criteria by WALGA. WALGA were chosen to review the tender as one of the submission applicants is an associate of a City councillor. As this could potentially be perceived as a conflict of interest, the City appointed WALGA to undertake the tender submission review on behalf of the City in order to achieve a transparent, independent review of the two submissions.

Page 10 of the Tender recommendation report compiled by WALGA (Attachment 1) details some information from the R2R Services submission that refers to certain information that was not detailed in the City's tender documentation, namely that the City will provide:

- the kitchen, fitted out to an acceptable standard;
- food storage, preparation and refrigeration and other equipment, fixtures, fittings, furniture and furnishings to the kitchen and dining room complex;
- Telecommunications equipment, installation and connection; and
- Provision of computers and IT connection.

R2R Services has since been notified by City Administration that as per the City's tender document, the successful tenderer is responsible to fit out the premises at its cost.

The only fixtures and fittings provided by the City is the exhaust fan, stove, pantry cupboards, work top surfaces and fire extinguishers and fire blanket as detailed in the draft lease annexure.

All equipment within the Café inclusive of office furniture is the property of the previous tenant who is willing to negotiate a price on those items.

All installation for telephone /internet connection would be the responsibility of the Café tenant.

The City will not provide computers or IT connection to the facility.

R2R Services were contacted to clarify the above points. R2R Services stated that they were aware of the stated facts in the tender documents and draft lease.

R2R Services stated that their submission intended to document what is and what isn't provided or what could and what could not be provided as part of an overall service offering and therefore a matter for discussion should they be appointed as the preferred supplier.

R2R Services re-confirmed that they are aware of the stated facts in the City's tender document and draft lease and based on these facts are interested in proceeding with their submission.

The premise is suitable for a Café or delicatessen style food business activity, which includes some food preparation, reheating of food and refrigerated food storage. There is no grease trap and so any food preparation must be suitable to not require the provision of a grease trap. Patron seating capacity is limited to forty (40) persons total for both the inside and alfresco areas.

The aim of the Café is to provide a meeting place and central "hub" for Centre users, where users can meet and interact socially. This will assist with the centre's intended role of bringing together local

residents in order to foster local relationships and community connection, thereby creating a sense of local community.

Café operations are located in the kitchen area of the Centre, the Zamia room located directly off of the kitchen area as well as the alfresco area outside that room. The key idea is to attract people in order to contribute to a greater usage, viability and vibrancy of the centre as a whole.

The Café has the potential to increase usage of the Centre and also to generate additional income in terms of increased Centre usage. This would increase Centre viability without imposing any additional costs on the City.

Tender

The tenders were evaluated in accordance with the criteria documented in the tender invitation. The following tables set out the criteria used for the evaluation:

	Type of business and how it tributes to a vibrant Community itre.	Weighting 25%	
busi the prov	cribe the nature and scope of the iness you intend to provide, including main goods and services to be vided. At minimum, refer to the owing:		
(a)	The nature of the business that the respondent intends to provide. (Note the business must comply with the requirements of The Food Act 2008 (the Act), Food Regulations 2009, Food Safety Standards (Australia) and maintain current Food Business Registration as defined in section 1.7, Policies that May Affect Selection);	"Type of Business"	Tick if attached □
(b)	List the main types of goods and services that will be provided by the business;		
(c)	Provide a sample daily Café menu and list of main goods for sale (with prices);		
(d)	Any other incidental items to be sold from the Café;		
(e)	State whether the business agrees to be available to cater for at least "most" of the community functions		

	held at the Centre. If so, provide a sample catering menu (with prices). Note: there is no obligation on the part of the City or Centre users to provide catering business to the Café tenant. However, the Café tenant will be the only catering business on site.		
(f)	State the intended opening hours of the business, including days and times;		
(g)	Explain how the proposed goods and services will complement existing users of the Community Centre and provide an opportunity for interaction between these users.		
(h)	Supply details and provide an outline of the type of business you propose to provide in an attachment titled "Type of Business".		
B) of K	Skills, Experience and Training (ey Personnel	Weighting 25%	
dem their nece to effe	ders should provide information that constrates that the respondent and key personnel possess the essary experience, skills and training provide the proposed business ctively. Provide as a minimum the wing information:		
(a)	Provide specific details of your previous experience in supplying similar goods and services;		
(b)	Specify the results and outcomes achieved in your experience of providing similar goods and services;	Skills, Experience and Training	Tick if attached
(c)	(c) Demonstrate competency and a proven track record of achieving these outcomes;		
(d)	Curriculum vitae of respondent;		
(e)	List of key personnel to be providing services, including the role, skills, experience and any relevant qualifications of each person;		
(f)	Respondent's membership to any		

relevant professional or business association; and (g) List any relevant training undertaken by the respondent and/or key personnel and provide any certificates held. Supply details and provide an outline of your own and your personnel's skills, experience and training in an attachment titled "Skills, Experience & Training"		
C) Resources & Financial Capacity Tenderers should provide and submit information on the following:	Weight 50%	
 (a) A Business Plan; (b) Demonstrate Business competence; (c) Capacity to run a successful business; (d) Demonstrate financial capacity and sustainability; (e) Attach a financial profile inclusive of a profit and loss statement and latest financial return; (f) Provide two financial referees; (g) Demonstrate ability to supply and sustain the necessary Plant, equipment and materials; and 	Resources & Financial Capacity	Tick if attached
 (h) Full and complete details of any fitout works proposed to be undertaken; Supply details as requested pertaining to financial and business acumen. In addition, provide a plant/equipment/fit-out schedule in an attachment. Label responses under "Resources & Financial Capacity". 		

Conclusion

After considering WALGA's assessment of the tenders submitted and R2R's comments in relation to the stated points above, it is proposed that the submission received from R2R Services is accepted, as per WALGA's recommendation. R2R Services submission attained the best score in the evaluation process undertaken by three WALGA officers. The total average score was 55.83%.

Attachments

1. Proposed lease between the City and R2R Services

14. Elected Members Notices of Motions of Which Previous Notice Has Been Given

Disclaimer: Where administration has provided any assistance with the framing and/or wording of any motion/amendment to a Councillor who has advised their intention to move it, the assistance has been provided on an impartial basis. The principle and intention expressed in any motion/amendment is solely that of the intended mover and not that of the officer/officers providing the assistance. Under no circumstances is it to be expressed to any party that administration or any Council officer holds a view on this motion other than that expressed in an official written or verbal report by Administration to the Council meeting considering the motion.

14.1 Councillor Hipkins – Review of Residential Design Codes

In accordance with Standing Orders, Councillor Hipkins gave notice of his intention to move the following at this meeting.

Moved – Councillor Hipkins Seconded – Councillor Collins

That: by the 31 August 2011, the City of Nedlands lodges an objection to the proposed change to the Residential Design Codes which would increase the permitted size of ancillary accommodation (now called Supplementary Accommodation) and remove the restriction that the said accommodation shall be occupied by a family member.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY 12/-

Council Resolution

That by the 31 August 2011, the City of Nedlands lodges an objection to the proposed change to the Residential Design Codes which would increase the permitted size of ancillary accommodation (now called Supplementary Accommodation) and remove the restriction that the said accommodation shall be occupied by a family member.

Administration Comment

The City Administration is completing a review of the proposed changes to the R Codes. Given the short timeframe for submissions this review will be submitted as an administrative technical submission. The review will be sent to Councillors before submission for comment.

Any decision on this NOM will be submitted as a council comment in addition to the administrative technical comment.

In regards to the NOM issue of ancillary accommodation I provide the following comments:

The proposed changes do not add the ability to have an additional dwelling to a lot over 730sqm, because the ability already exists within the City's scheme for ancillary accommodation. The change proposes changes to status of the people who could live in such accommodation. It does not impact on the number of people that could be accommodated and the additional 10sqm in the size of the accommodation is unlikely to result in additional people.

If the proposed changes are implemented a new use being Supplementary Accommodation could be created. Under the City's current Scheme, this would be a use not listed and as such would require advertising to neighbours. The impact of the availability of this new use is:

- more lots in Nedlands would be able to build additional accommodation (up to 70sqm in size) as this type of accommodation would be available to lots that are over 450sqm: and
- as there would be no family restriction on this supplementary accommodation current and prospective home owners of eligible lots would have the opportunity to supplement their incomes making housing more affordable

The difference between a group dwelling e.g. duplex and the proposed supplementary accommodation is that supplementary accommodation comprises a predominant dwelling.

Any decision on this NOM will be submitted as a council comment in addition to the administrative technical comment.

14.2 Councillor Hipkins – Local Government Advisory Board assessment of the viability of the merger of the Cities of Nedlands and Subiaco

In accordance with Standing Orders, Councillor Hipkins gave notice of his intention to move the following at this meeting.

Moved – Councillor Hipkins Seconded – Councillor Hodsdon

That:

The City of Nedlands advises the Local Government Advisory Board that it has requested the Board only to assess the viability of a merger of the Cities of Nedlands and Subiaco and not to initiate a process for a forced merger of the two cities.

Amendment

Moved – Councillor Negus Seconded – Councillor Somerville-Brown

That the City of Nedlands reaffirms to the Local Government Advisory Board and the Community that Council has requested the Board to

- 1. investigate the viability of a merger of the Cities of Nedlands and Subjaco
- 2. afford all opportunity for full public participation, involvement and submissions, by the electors of the districts directly affected by the said investigation, as part of that process and
- 3. that Council supports a poll of the electors to ensure the final outcome of this investigation lies in the hands of each City's electors.

Put motion

Moved Councillor Binks Seconded Councillor Collins

That the amended motion be put

CARRIED10/2

(Against: Crs. Tyson & Smyth)

The amended motion was put and

CARRIED 9/3

(Against: Crs.Hipkins Tyson & Collins)

Put motion
Moved Councillor Binks
Seconded Councillor Tan

That the original motion be put

CARRIED 7/5

(Against: Crs. Hipkins Negus Bell Tyson & Smyth)

The original motion was put and

CARRIED 9/3

(Against: Crs. Hipkins Tyson & Collins)

Council Resolution

That the City of Nedlands reaffirms to the Local Government Advisory Board and the Community that Council has requested the Board to

- 1. investigate the viability of a merger of the Cities of Nedlands and Subjaco
- 2. afford all opportunity for full public participation, involvement and submissions, by the electors of the districts directly affected by the said investigation, as part of that process and
- 3. that Council supports a poll of the electors to ensure the final outcome of this investigation lies in the hands of each City's electors.

Administration comment:

Amongst other things it is the function of the Local Government Advisory Board to consider, and if required, inquire into any proposal made to it under the Act. That is its function and that is the extent of its function in respect to the recent proposal submitted by the City of Nedlands.

To undertake this role, the Board will conduct public hearings, receive submissions and, if necessary, conduct a poll of electors.

The Board then makes a recommendation to the Minister who may, or may not, seek to continue the process. It is not the function of the Board to do other than submit to the Minister. A proposal, once submitted to the Board, cannot be withdrawn and the proposing body has no more formal role to play.

The most significant point is that the Board has now resolved to undertake a formal inquiry and any further resolutions of Council will not change that decision.

The motion would, therefore, appear to be redundant.

15. Elected members notices of motion given at the meeting for consideration at the following ordinary meeting on 27 September 2011

Disclaimer: Where administration has provided any assistance with the framing and/or wording of any motion/amendment to a Councillor who has advised their intention to move it, the assistance has been provided on an impartial basis. The principle and intention expressed in any motion/amendment is solely that of the intended mover and not that of the officer/officers providing the assistance. Under no circumstances is it to be expressed to any party that administration or any Council officer holds a view on this motion other than that expressed in an official written or verbal report by Administration to the Council meeting considering the motion.

15.1 Councillor Hodsdon – Chemical Free Park Trial

That the City

- provides on "Chemical Free" park in the city for 12 months. Chemical free means no Herbicides or insecticide are to be used.
- 2. evaluate the usage and cost of such a park.

This is a trial park and the information gathered on its viability and popularity.

Mr M Cole, Director Corporate Services left meeting at 9.15 pm

15.2 Councillor Hodsdon – Parking Restrictions – North Hollywood

That the City

- 1. sends a letter to ratepayers in the area bounded by Aberdare Road, Kingston Street, Verdum Street and Kitchener Street and those bound by Williams Road, Hampden Road, Stirling Hwy Smyth Road and Monash Avenue to gather the information on whether they would like no parking on both sides of the street Monday to Friday from 9am to 5pm
- 2. should the response be an absolute majority then that street will be actioned with no parking Monday to Friday from 9am to 5pm
- 3. each resident is given one temporary parking permit valid for outside their residence only with the condition that the cars owner is at the residence while the car is there.

15.3 Councillor Hodsdon – Parking Smyth Road and Park Road

That the City

 implements "No parking on verge Monday to Friday from 9am to 5pm" On Smyth Road between Verdun Street and Monash Avenue and the same on Park Street from Hampton Road to Williams Road

15.4 Councillor Hodsdon – Parking near UWA Campus

That the City:

- 1. designates parking bordering UWA campus on Gordon Street and Clifton Street becomes 2 hours only for Monday to Friday from 9am to 5pm.
- 2. the above is to deal with the parking problems being caused by the Hospitals and UWA.

15.5 Councillor Hodsdon – Claremont Library

That the City:

- 1. offers the Town of Claremont the use of the Nedlands Library on a cost recovery basis.
- 2. their library has been burnt down and this will save them the initial capital cost and would lead cost savings to both councils. This will see if "resource sharing" is viable.

15.6 Councillor Hodsdon - Shared use of Depot

That the City:

- 1. offers the Town of Claremont and/or City of Subiaco the use of the Nedlands depot on a cost recovery basis with the aim to providing a joint facility on Lemnos Road.
- 2. the depot is underused. The current facility would have its entrance via Government Road thus alleviating the extra traffic concern on Carrington Street. This will see if "resource sharing" is viable.

15.7 Councillor Hodsdon – Resource Sharing – Planning and Ranger Services

That the City:

1. looks at sharing planning and ranger services with Town of Claremont and the City of Subiaco.

Cost saving and better planning.

Mr M Cole, Director Corporate Services returned to the meeting at 9.16 pm

The meeting adjourned at 9.18 pm and reconvened at 9.26 pm with the following people in attendance:

Councillors	Her Worship the Mayor, S A Froese Councillor K E Collins Councillor N B J Horley Councillor K A Smyth	(Presiding Member) Coastal Districts Ward Coastal Districts Ward Coastal Districts Ward
	Councillor R M Hipkins Councillor M S Negus Councillor J D Bell Councillor R M Binks	Dalkeith Ward Dalkeith Ward Hollywood Ward Hollywood Ward
	Councillor B G Hodsdon Councillor M L Somerville-Brown Councillor I Tan Councillor B Tyson	Hollywood Ward Melvista Ward Melvista Ward Melvista Ward

Staff Mr GT Foster Chief Executive Officer
Ms C Eldridge Director Development Services
Mr M Cole Director Corporate Services
Mr I Hamilton Director Technical Services
Ms D Blake Director Community & Strategy
Ms N Borowicz Executive Assistant

Public There were 2 members of the public present.

Press The Post Newspaper and Western Suburbs Weekly

representatives.

16. Urgent Business Approved By the Presiding Member or By Decision

16.1 Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011

Applicant	City of Nedlands		
Owner	City of Nedlands		
Officer	Michael Cole - Director Corporate Services		
Senior Officer	Graham Foster – Chief Executive Officer		
Senior Officer			
Signature	Kahanon		
File ref.	CRS/010-02		
Previous Item	Nil		
No's	IVII		
Disclosure of	No officer involved in the preparation of this report		
Interest	had any interest which required it to be declared in		
	accordance with the provisions of the Local		
	Government Act (1995).		

The Presiding Member advised that she had approved this item as urgent usiness.

Mayor Froese – Impartiality interest

Mayor Froese disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. She disclosed that she was named in the report and as a consequence, there may be a perception that her impartiality on the matter may be affected. She declared that she would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

Councillor Negus - Impartiality interest

Councillor Negus disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. He disclosed that he was named in the report and as a consequence, there may be a perception that his impartiality on the matter may be affected. He declared that he would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

Councillor Bell - Impartiality interest

Councillor Bell disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. He disclosed that he was named in the report and as a

consequence, there may be a perception that his impartiality on the matter may be affected. He declared that he would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

Councillor Binks - Impartiality interest

Councillor Binks disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. He disclosed that he was named in the report and as a consequence, there may be a perception that his impartiality on the matter may be affected. He declared that he would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

Councillor Tan - Impartiality interest

Councillor Tan disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. She disclosed that she was named in the report and as a consequence, there may be a perception that her impartiality on the matter may be affected. She declared that she would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

Councillor Horley - Impartiality interest

Councillor Horley disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. She disclosed that she was named in the report and as a consequence, there may be a perception that her impartiality on the matter may be affected. She declared that she would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

Councillor Smyth - Impartiality interest

Councillor Smyth disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. She disclosed that she was named in the report and as a consequence, there may be a perception that her impartiality on the matter may be affected. She declared that she would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

Councillor Somerville-Brown - Impartiality interest

Councillor Somerville-Brown disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. He disclosed that he was named in the report

and as a consequence, there may be a perception that his impartiality on the matter may be affected. He declared that he would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

Councillor Hodsdon - Impartiality interest

Councillor Hodsdon disclosed an impartiality interest in Item 16.1 – Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011. He disclosed that he was named in the report and as a consequence, there may be a perception that his impartiality on the matter may be affected. He declared that he would consider this matter on its merits and vote accordingly.

CouncillorTyson left the meeting at 9.28 pm and returned at 9.35 pm

Regulation 11(da) – Council resolved to include additional clauses (3) and (4).

Moved – Councillor Negus Seconded – Councillor Bell

That the Recommendation to Council is adopted subject to the addition of clauses 3 and 4.

CARRIED 9/3 (Against: Crs. Hipkins Tan & Collins)

Councillor Tyson left the meeting again at 9.38 pm

Council Resolution

Council:

- 1. Receives the minutes of the Special Meeting of Electors held 10 August 2011;
- 2. Notes the following resolutions of electors:
 - a) That this meeting calls on the Nedlands Electors Association Inc to lodge a complaint with the Local Government Standards Panel, the Local Government Advisory Board and any other body in relation to the invalid resolution adopted by the Council at its special meeting on Thursday 7th July 2011:

- b) That this meeting censures the Mayor Councillors Bell, Horley, Tan, Negus, Somerville-Brown and Smyth for seeking Hodsdon. to end the existence of the City of Nedlands in a and for its lack of proper merger with Subjaco and adequate consultation with residents the and ratepayers of the City of Nedlands;
- c) This meeting censures the Mayor and named Councillors for seeking a deferral of the Council elections for Mayor and Councillors due this year; and
- d) That this meeting expresses its lack of confidence in them.
- 3. Notes that it appears the Nedlands Electors Association has either misinterpreted or chosen to misrepresent the decision of Council 7 July 2011
- 4. Advises the Nedlands Electors Association it is free to direct complaints to the Local Government Standards Panel, the Local Government Advisory Board or any other body at any time. Council welcomes this action as it may educate the Association about the strict governance standards that the City of Nedlands upholds which will inevitably help the Nedlands Electors Association avoid embarrassment in the future.

Recommendation to Council

Council:

- 1. Receives the minutes of the Special Meeting of Electors held 10 August 2011;
- 2. Notes the following resolutions of electors:
 - a) That this meeting calls on the Nedlands Electors Association Inc to lodge a complaint with the Local Government Standards Panel, the Local Government Advisory Board and any other body in relation to the invalid resolution adopted by the Council at its special meeting on Thursday 7th July 2011;
 - b) That this meeting censures the Mayor and Councillors Bell, Tan, Horley, Negus, Binks, Hodsdon, Somerville-Brown and Smyth for seeking to end the existence of the City of Nedlands in a merger with Subiaco and for its lack

of proper and adequate consultation with the residents and ratepayers of the City of Nedlands;

- c) This meeting censures the Mayor and named Councillors for seeking a deferral of the Council elections for Mayor and Councillors due this year; and
- d) That this meeting expresses its lack of confidence in them.

Purpose

The purpose of this report is to present the resolutions of the Special Meeting of Electors, held on 10 August 2011 to Council for consideration.

Strategic Plan

KFA 5: Governance

To ensure that the processes of Local Government are delivered responsibly and in a transparent, consistent and accountable manner.

5.6 Ensure compliance with statutory requirements and guidelines.

Background

The Special Meeting of Electors was held at the held at 6 pm on Wednesday 10 August 2011 at the Mt Claremont Community Centre, 107 Montgomery Avenue Mt Claremont.

In accordance with Section 5.33 of the Local Government Act 1995, all decisions made at electors' meetings are to be considered at the next ordinary meeting, or if that is not practicable at the next ordinary meeting after that or at a special meeting called for that purpose.

Consultation

The Special Meeting of Electors was advertised in the local press together with notices displayed at the Administration Centre and Libraries.

Legislation

Section 5.33(1) & (2) of Local Government Act 1995.

Budget/financial implications

Not applicable.

Risk Management

Not applicable.

Discussion

The details to be discussed at the meeting being the conduct of the Mayor Sheryl Froese and Councillors Bell, Tan, Horley, Negus, Binks, Hodsdon, Somerville-Brown and Smyth in:

- Dealing with the issue of amalgamation with the City of Subiaco and supporting it without agreeing to conduct a referendum of electors prior to any decision,
- b) Proceeding with a motion that was not advertised in the notice of meeting;
- c) Proceeding with a proposal for amalgamation in direct contradiction to the process published by the Dept of Local Government after the merger was rejected by the City of Subiaco:
- d) Proceeding with a request to the Hon Minister for Local Government to investigate a "forced merger" when the motion passed by the Council only referred to assessment of "the viability of a merger";
- e) Seeking the intervention of the Minister to end the existence of the City of Nedlands, and
- f) Asking the Minister to defer Council elections, the real purpose of which is to deny democratic rights and avoid accountability to the people of Nedlands.

At the meeting, the electors present resolved the following:

- a) That this meeting calls on the Nedlands Electors Association Inc to lodge a complaint with the Local Government Standards Panel, the Local Government Advisory Board and any other body in relation to the invalid resolution adopted by the Council at its special meeting on Thursday 7th July 2011;
- b) That this meeting censures the Mayor and Councillors Bell, Tan, Horley, Negus, Binks, Hodsdon, Somerville-Brown and Smyth for seeking to end the existence of the City of Nedlands in a merger with Subiaco and for its lack of proper and adequate consultation with the residents and ratepayers of the City of Nedlands:

- c) This meeting censures the Mayor and named Councillors for seeking a deferral of the Council elections for Mayor and Councillors due this year; and
- That this meeting expresses its lack of confidence in them.
 Other than noting the above resolutions, there is no further action required by Council.

Conclusion

The decisions of electors are required to be referred to Council for consideration. The recommendation is that each resolution be noted by Council.

Attachments

Minutes of Special Meeting of Electors held on 10 August 2011

17. Confidential Items

Closure of Meeting to the Public Moved – Councillor Hodsdon Seconded - Councillor Bell

That the meeting be closed to the public in accordance with Section 5.23 (d) of the Local Government Act 1995 to allow confidential discussion on the following Items.

CARRIED 10/1 (Against: Cr. Hipkins)

The meeting was closed to members of the public and press at 9.41 pm.

Councillor Tyson returned to the meeting at 9.45 pm.

17.1 No.10 (Lot 1) Knutsford Street Swanbourne - Proposed Additions to an Existing Carport

This report is presented as a confidential item in accordance with Section 5.23(2)(d) of the Local Government Act 1995.

This item is a confidential CEO report to Council as the application is subject to a State Administrative Tribunal Review (SAT).

An application for review was made by the applicant to the SAT following Council's decision at the Meeting of 24 May 2011. Mediation

was held at the SAT and subsequently amended plans have been lodged by the applicant.

Council Resolution / Recommendation to Council:

Council agrees to vary the conditions of planning approval for proposed additions to an existing carport at No. 10 (Lot 1) Knutsford Street, Swanbourne in accordance with the application dated 2 December 2010 and amended plans dated 22 July 2011 by:

- 1. Deleting existing conditions 1 & 2 and inserting new condition 1 and 5 as follows:
 - i. the proposed aluminium battens around the carport are to be at least 50% visually permeable in accordance with the Residential Design Codes, as per the sketch in attachment 4. i).
 - ii. Council authorises the City's solicitors to prepare and execute a minute of consent orders to be lodged with the State Administrative Tribunal, in order to give effect to the variation of planning approval conditions referred to in Item 1 of this resolution.

17.2 38 (Lot 51) & 40 (Proposed Lot 61 & 62) Jutland Parade, Dalkeith – Outcome of State Administrative Tribunal (SAT) review and Appeal rights.

This report is presented as a confidential item in accordance with Section 5.23(2)(d) of the Local Government Act 1995.

The purpose of this report is to:

- 1. advise the Council of the outcome of the State Administrative Tribunal (SAT) review for the preliminary legal issue relating to Clause 5.11; and
- 2. seek determination from the Council regarding appeal of the decision of the SAT.

Council Resolution

Council:

- 1. determines that the SAT Matter: DR164 and 165 of 2011: Franco and Anor v City of Nedlands not be appealed;
- instructs Administration to assess and provide recommended changes to Town Planning Scheme No.2 – Clause 5.11 Maximum Height, and/or the definition of " mean natural ground level" so that its wording reflects the method of measuring height of buildings that meets the City's objectives.
- 3. request the Department of Planning expedite a scheme amendment in regards to maximum height clause given the delays on processing TPS3.

Opening of Meeting to the Public Moved - Councillor Negus Seconded - Councillor Tan

That the meeting be re-opened to members of the public and the press.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY 11/-

The meeting reopened to members of the public at 9.59 pm.

Councillor Smyth returned to the meeting at 9.59 pm.

In accordance with Standing Orders 12.7(3) the Presiding Member read out the motions passed by the Council whilst it was proceeding behind closed doors and the vote of the members to be recorded in the minutes under section 5.21 of the Act.

Councillor Tyson and Councillor Hipkins left the meeting at 10.00 pm.

Declaration of Closure

There being no further business, the Presiding Member declared the meeting closed at 10.01 pm.

Attachment to Item 13.1

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Common Seal Register Report – July 2011

Common Seal Register Report

July 2011

SEAL NUMBER	DATE SEALED	DEPARTMENT	MEETING DATE / ITEM NO.	REASON FOR USE
570	14 July 2011	Development Services	Delegated Authority	Notification under Section 70A – No 30 (Lot 380) Bedford Street Nedlands - the ancillary accommodation is only to be occupied by members of the same family as the occupiers of the main dwelling.
571	14 July 2011	Development Services	Delegated Authority	Notification under Section 70A – No 25 (Lot 628) Circe Circle Dalkeith – the use of the basement shall be restricted to the uses as depicted in the amended plans submitted dated 20 May 2011 ie. garage & cellar.
572	14 July 2011	Development Services	Delegated Authority	Grant agreement between City of Nedlands and Department of Training & Workforce Development \$5000 grant to conduct an Adult Learners Week activity. (2 copies)
573	20 July 2011	Development Services	Delegated Authority	Notification under Section 70A – No. 47 (Lot 424) Viking Road Dalkeith – the use of the cellar level shall be restricted to the uses as depicted in the plans submitted dated 12 May 2011 ie. cellar
574	20 July 2011	Development Services	Delegated Authority	Notification under Section 70A – No. 88 (Lot 22) Louise Street Nedlands – the ancillary accommodation unit shall only be occupied by a person/s related to the persons occupying the remainder of the dwelling.
575	28 July 2011	Development Services	Council Resolution 24 May 2011 Report D38-11	Lease of a portion of Reserve 7804 (Lot 403 Marine Parade Swanbourne) between the City of Nedlands and The Fellowship of Australian Writers (Western Australian Section) (Inc). (2 copies)

Attachment to Item 13.2

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Delegated Authority Report – July 2011

DELEGATED AUTHORITY REPORT

List of Delegated Authorities - July 2011

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DEL11/342 Infringement Withdrawal 501471

Delegation Type 9C - Withdrawal of Infringement Notices

Date Registered 4/07/2011 at 4:24 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority Director Corporate Services

How Delegation Is Recorded Withdrawal Notice

Applicant Gary Armstrong (Addressee)

DEL11/343

15 (Lot 223) Alexander Road Dalkeith - Two Storey Dwelling, Swimming Pool and Front Fence

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 10:11 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority
How Delegation Is Recorded
Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant Zvonro & Marija Relota (Addressee

DEL11/344 30 (Lot 380) Bedford Street Nedlands - Single Storey Dwelling and Ancillary Accommodation

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 10:13 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority
How Delegation Is Recorded
Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant Webb & Brown-Neaves (Addressee

DEL11/345 33 (Lot 712) Cygnet Crescent Dalkeith - Singlen Storey Dwelling & Front Fence

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 10:14 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority Senior Statutory Planning Officer

How Delegation Is Recorded Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)
Applicant Ecotect Architects (Addressee)

DEL11/346

81 (Lot 582) Archdeacon Street Nedlands - Single Storey Additions/Alterations

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 10:16 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority Senior Statutory Planning Officer

How Delegation Is Recorded Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant Hero Enterprices Pty Ltd (Addresse

DEL11/347

1 (Lot 352) Gainsford Lane Mt Claremont - Swimming Pool

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 10:17 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority
How Delegation Is Recorded

Senior Statutory Planning Officer
Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant Designed Pools (Addressee)

DEL11/348

25 (Lot 628) Circe Circle Dalkeith - Two Storey Dwelling with Undercroft and Swimming Pool

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 10:19 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority

Senior Statutory Planning Officer

Approval Letter (Planning PlAC)

How Delegation Is Recorded
Applicant
Applicant
Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)
M Rodic & Associates (Addressee)

DEL11/349

53 (Lot 524) Archdeacon Street Nedlands - Pergola, Patio and Retaining

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 10:24 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority
How Delegation Is Recorded
Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant Des Marsh (Addressee)

DELEGATED AUTHORITY REPORT

List of Delegated Authorities - July 2011

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DEL11/350

47 (Lot 424) Viking Road Dalkeith - Amendments to Previous Approval (DA09/603) - Cellar and

Upper Terrace Doors Only

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 10:54 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority
How Delegation Is Recorded
Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant Josephene & Blane Brackenridge (

DEL11/351

121 (Lot 46) Victoria Avenue Dalkeith - Two Storey Dwelling

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 11:33 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority

How Delegation Is Recorded

Approval Letter (Planning D'As)

How Delegation Is Recorded Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)
Applicant Manor Home Builders (Addressee)

DEL11/352

14 (Lot 232) Whitfeld Street Floreat - Gazebo

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 11:44 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority Senior Statutory Planning Officer

How Delegation Is Recorded Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant Cool Thatch (Addressee)

DEL11/353

61 (Lot 649) Kingsway Nedlands - Two Storey Additions/Alterations

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 11:46 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority

How Delegation Is Recorded

Approval Letter (Planning D'As)

How Delegation Is Recorded Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)
Applicant Daniel Cassettai Designs (Address

DEL11/354

12 (Lot 800) Hilway Nedlands - Two Storey Dwelling with Baswment Level

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 11:48 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority Manager Statutory Planning

How Delegation Is Recorded Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant Building Corporation WA Pty Ltd (/

DEL11/355

95a (Lot 388) Waratah Avenue Dalkeith - Signs

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 11:50 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority Manager Statutory Planning

How Delegation Is Recorded
Applicant
Applicant
Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)
Darren Hultgren (Addressee)

DEL11/356

119 Rochdale Road Mt Claremont - Two Storey Additions/Alterations

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 12:00 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority
How Delegation Is Recorded
Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant Approval Letter (Planning D A/s)

Applicant BGC (Australia) Pty Ltd (Addressee

DEL11/357

41a (Lot 1) Alderbury Street Floreat - Re-Roof

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 12:04 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority

How Delegation Is Recorded

Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

How Delegation Is Recorded Applicant Applicant

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DEL11/358 22 (Lot 14) Wattle Avenue Dalkeith - Deck and Stairs

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 12:07 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority Manager Statutory Planning

How Delegation Is Recorded Applicant Applicant

DEL11/359 10 (Lot 19) Nidjalla Loop Swanbourne - Two Storey Dwelling

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 12:10 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority
How Delegation Is Recorded
Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant SIA Architects Pty Ltd (Addressee)

DEL11/360 15 (Lot 324) Dalkeith Raod Nedlands - Landscaping, Retaining and Overheight Fence

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 5/07/2011 at 12:12 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority Senior Statutory Planning Officer

How Delegation Is Recorded Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)
Applicant Natalie Hellewell (Addressee)

DEL11/361 Approval to write off of minor rate debts - June 2011 - \$10.14

Delegation Type 3F - Write off of Minor Debts

Position Exercising Delegated Authority

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7/07/2011 at 10:53 AM
Chief Executive Officer

How Delegation Is Recorded Authorisation Form

Applicant City of Nedlands (Addressee)

DEL11/362 Infringement Withdrawn 501469 - Jenny Mills

Delegation Type 9C - Withdrawal of Infringement Notices

Date Registered 7/07/2011 at 3:52 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority Manager Corporate Services

How Delegation Is Recorded Applicant Withdrawal Notice

Applicant Jenny Mills (Addressee)

DEL11/363 SYIF Grant - Alexandra Needoba - Australian Youth Rowing Cup

Delegation Type 10F - Sponsorship of Youth Initiatives Fund

Date Registered 7/07/2011 at 4:35 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority Manager Community Development

How Delegation Is Recorded Authorisation Form

Applicant Alexandra Needoba (Addressee)

DEL11/364 SYIF Grants - Giveney Rose How - ANAC International Aerobic Championships Competition in Las

Vegas, Nevada, USA

Delegation Type 10F - Sponsorship of Youth Initiatives Fund

Date Registered 7/07/2011 at 4:43 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority Manager Community Development

How Delegation Is Recorded Authorisation Form

Applicant Giveney Rose How (Addressee)

DEL11/365 SYIF Grant - Marcus Toleman - Studying abroad in USA

Delegation Type 10F - Sponsorship of Youth Initiatives Fund

Date Registered 7/07/2011 at 4:50 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority Manager Community Development

How Delegation Is Recorded Authorisation Form

Applicant Marcus Toleman (Addressee)

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DEL11/366

Approval for a vehicle on a reserve - DC Cruickshank - Collegians AFC - Alastair Duckett

Delegation Type 1H - Authority to Grant Permission for Vehicle on Reserve

Date Registered 8/07/2011 at 8:41 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority Administraton Officer - Community and St

How Delegation Is Recorded Letter (general)

Applicant Collegians Amateur Football & Spo

DEL11/367

99 (Lot 562) Bruce Street Nedlands - Front Fence

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 11/07/2011 at 11:51 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority
How Delegation Is Recorded
Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant J C Michael (Addressee)

DEL11/368

22 (Lot 164) Louise Street Nedlands - Single Storey Additions/Alterations

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 11/07/2011 at 11:53 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority Senior Statutory Planning Officer

How Delegation Is Recorded Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant Alison Howe (Addressee)

DEL11/369

59 (Lot 39) Wood Street Swanbourne - Overheight Diving Fence on Rear Boundary

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 11/07/2011 at 11:58 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority

Senior Statutory Planning Officer

Approval Letter (Planning PIAC)

How Delegation Is Recorded Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant Nick Allan (Addressee)

DEL11/370

19 (Lot 402) Clifton Street Nedlands - Fencing

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 11/07/2011 at 11:59 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority Senior Statutory Planning Officer

How Delegation Is Recorded Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant William, Cecily & Erin Dyer (Addres

DEL11/371

97 (Lot 302) Dalkeith Road Nedlands - Front Fencing

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 11/07/2011 at 12:01 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority
How Delegation Is Recorded

Senior Statutory Planning Officer
Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant Jayne & Rob Ehlers (Addressee)

DEL11/372

6 (Lot 260) Lupin Hill Grove Nedlands - Re-Roof

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 11/07/2011 at 12:02 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority
How Delegation Is Recorded
Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant Raine & Horne Victoria Park & Sub

DEL11/373

SYIF Grant - Richard Stevenson - Student Exchange (UWA Program)

Delegation Type 10F - Sponsorship of Youth Initiatives Fund

Date Registered 11/07/2011 at 3:39 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority Manager Community Development

How Delegation Is Recorded Authorisation Form

Applicant Richard Stevenson (Addressee)

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DEL11/374

SYIF Grant - Christopher John Webb - Student Exchange to the USA (UWA exchange program)

Delegation Type 10F - Sponsorship of Youth Initiatives Fund

Date Registered 11/07/2011 at 3:42 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Manager Community Development**

How Delegation Is Recorded **Authorisation Form**

Christopher Webb (Addressee) Applicant

DEL11/375 SYIF Grant - Neil Rose - Under 21 National Hockey Championships

10F - Sponsorship of Youth Initiatives Fund Delegation Type

11/07/2011 at 3:47 PM Date Registered

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Manager Community Development**

> How Delegation Is Recorded **Authorisation Form** Neil Rose (Addressee) **Applicant**

DEL11/376

Seal Certification - Seal No. 570 - Notification under Section 70A - No 30 (Lot 380) Bedford Street Nedlands - the ancillary accommodation is only to be occupied by members of the same family as

Delegation Type 1D - Use of Council's Common Seal and Authority to Sign Documents

Date Registered 14/07/2011 at 4:53 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Chief Executive Officer**

How Delegation Is Recorded **Seal Register**

Webb & Brown-Neaves (Addressee **Applicant**

DEL11/377

Seal Certification - Seal no. 571 Notification under Section 70A - No 25 (Lot 628) Circle Dalkeith - the use of the basement shall be restricted to the uses as depicted in the amended

Delegation Type 1D - Use of Council's Common Seal and Authority to Sign Documents 14/07/2011 at 5:27 PM

Date Registered **Chief Executive Officer** Position Exercising Delegated Authority

How Delegation Is Recorded **Seal Register**

Applicant M Rodic & Associates (Addressee)

DEL11/378

Seal Certification - Seal No. 572 - Grant agreement between City of Nedlands and Department of Training & Workforce Development \$5000 grant to conduct an Adult Learners Week activity.(2)

Delegation Type 1D - Use of Council's Common Seal and Authority to Sign Documents

Date Registered 14/07/2011 at 5:53 PM **Chief Executive Officer**

Position Exercising Delegated Authority How Delegation Is Recorded **Seal Register**

> **Applicant** Department of Training and Workfc

DEL11/379

Infringement Withdrawn 501418

Delegation Type 9C - Withdrawal of Infringement Notices

Date Registered 15/07/2011 at 10:38 AM Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Manager Corporate Services**

> How Delegation Is Recorded withdrawal notice **Applicant** Potter (Addressee)

DEL11/380

Community Grants Fund 2011/12 - Dalkeith Road Church of Christ - Carols on the Lawn (Christmas

Carol event)

Delegation Type 10E - Community and Cultural Development Fund

15/07/2011 at 12:19 PM Date Registered

Manager Community Development Position Exercising Delegated Authority

> How Delegation Is Recorded **Authorisation Form**

> > **Applicant** Pastor - Jay Jay Meyer (Addressee)

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DEL11/381

34 (Lot 268) Webster Street Nedlands - Front Fencing, Carport and Deck Additions

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

18/07/2011 at 9:23 AM Date Registered

Senior Statutory Planning Officer Position Exercising Delegated Authority

Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s) How Delegation Is Recorded

Sophie & Aaron Finlay (Addressee) **Applicant**

DEL11/382

10 (Lot 5) Wattle Avenue Dalkeith - Two Storey Dwelling and Swimming Pool

6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications Delegation Type

Date Registered 18/07/2011 at 9:28 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Senior Statutory Planning Officer** Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s) How Delegation Is Recorded

Mathew Crawford (Addressee) Applicant

DEL11/383

11 (Lot 189) Rockton Road Nedlands - Swimming Pool and Retaining

6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications Delegation Type

Date Registered 18/07/2011 at 9:29 AM

Senior Statutory Planning Officer Position Exercising Delegated Authority

Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s) How Delegation Is Recorded **Applicant** Poolscape Pools (Addressee)

DEL11/384

101 (Lot 259) Victoria Avenue Dalkeith - Two Storey Dwelling and Front Fence

6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications Delegation Type

18/07/2011 at 9:41 AM Date Registered

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Senior Statutory Planning Officer**

How Delegation Is Recorded Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s) **Applicant Space Agency Architects (Address**

DEL11/385

148b (Lot 507) Rochdale Road Mt Claremont - Single Storey Dwelling

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 18/07/2011 at 9:46 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Senior Statutory Planning Officer**

How Delegation Is Recorded Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s) Dale Alcock Homes (Addressee)

Applicant

DEL11/386

148a (Lot 508) Roachdale Raod Mt Claremont - Single Storey Dwelling

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

18/07/2011 at 9:49 AM Date Registered

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Senior Statutory Planning Officer** Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s) How Delegation Is Recorded

Applicant Dale Alcock Homes (Addressee)

DEL11/387

Vehicle Crossing place contribution - 21 Carrington Street Nedlands

Delegation Type 4E - Vehicle Crossing Places

Date Registered 18/07/2011 at 9:47 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Manager Engineering Services**

Authorisation Form How Delegation Is Recorded Anonymous (Addressee) **Applicant**

DEL11/388

183 (Lot 78) Stirling Highway Nedlands - Sign

6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications Delegation Type

Date Registered 18/07/2011 at 9:53 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Senior Statutory Planning Officer**

Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s) How Delegation Is Recorded Cockleshell Nominees Pty Ltd (Add **Applicant**



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DEL11/389 16 (Lot 66) Webster Street Nedlands - Front Fence

> Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

18/07/2011 at 9:59 AM Date Registered

Senior Statutory Planning Officer Position Exercising Delegated Authority

Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s) How Delegation Is Recorded Barry & Margaret Nunn (Addressee **Applicant**

DEL11/390 85 (Lot 2) Smyth Road Nedlands - Carport and Patio

6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications Delegation Type

18/07/2011 at 10:01 AM Date Registered

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Senior Statutory Planning Officer** Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s) How Delegation Is Recorded

Axis Building Approvals (Addresse Applicant

DEL11/391 56 (Lot 3) Loch Street Nedlands - Signle Storey Additions/Alterations

6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications Delegation Type

Date Registered 18/07/2011 at 10:02 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Senior Statutory Planning Officer** Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s) How Delegation Is Recorded

Applicant Dale Alcock Homes (Addressee)

DEL11/392 38 (Lot 426) Meriwa Street Nedlands - Shed

> Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

18/07/2011 at 10:09 AM Date Registered

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Senior Statutory Planning Officer** How Delegation Is Recorded Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s)

Applicant Michael Swift (Addressee)

DEL11/393 35 (Lot 253) Leon Road Dalkeith - Single Storey Dwelling

Delegation Type 6A - TPS No 2 - Approval and Refusal of Planning Applications

Date Registered 18/07/2011 at 10:22 AM

Senior Statutory Planning Officer Position Exercising Delegated Authority

How Delegation Is Recorded Approval Letter (Planning D'A/s) Residential Attitudes (Addressee) **Applicant**

DEL11/394 Horticino Landscape Services - Bruce Brunton - Access to Council Reserve adjacent no 15 Iris

Avenue to conduct stump grinding

5A - Use of Reserves During Building Operations on Adjacent Property Delegation Type

Date Registered 19/07/2011 at 12:18 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Manager Engineering Services**

> How Delegation Is Recorded Letter (general)

Applicant Anonymous (Addressee)

DEL11/395 Infringement Withdrawal 501264

> Delegation Type 9C - Withdrawal of Infringement Notices

Date Registered 20/07/2011 at 12:03 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Manager Corporate Services**

Withdrawal Notice How Delegation Is Recorded **Applicant** Jan Massey (Addressee)

DEL11/396 Seal Certification - Seal No. 573 - Notification under Section 70A - No. 47 (Lot 424) Viking Road

Dalkeith - the use of the cellar level shall be restricted to the uses as depicted in the plans Delegation Type 1D - Use of Council's Common Seal and Authority to Sign Documents

20/07/2011 at 2:43 PM Date Registered

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Chief Executive Officer**

How Delegation Is Recorded **Seal Register**

Applicant Josephene & Blane Brackenridge (

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DEL11/397 Seal Certification - Seal No. 574 - Notification under Section 70A - No. 88 (Lot 22) Louise Street

Nedlands - the ancillary accommodation unit shall only be occupied by a person/s related to the

1D - Use of Council's Common Seal and Authority to Sign Documents Delegation Type

Date Registered 20/07/2011 at 2:51 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Chief Executive Officer**

> How Delegation Is Recorded **Seal Register**

> > Beacon Homes Pty Ltd (Addressee Applicant

DEL11/398 Infringement Withdrawal 500995

> Delegation Type 9C - Withdrawal of Infringement Notices

Date Registered 27/07/2011 at 10:16 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Manager Corporate Services**

How Delegation Is Recorded **Withdrawal Notice**

Applicant Anonymous (Addressee)

DEL11/399 Seal Certification - seal No. 575 - Lease of a portion of Reserve 7804 (Lot 403 Marine Parade

Swanbourne) between the City of Nedlands and The Fellowship of Australian Writers (Western

1D - Use of Council's Common Seal and Authority to Sign Documents Delegation Type

Date Registered 28/07/2011 at 7:51 AM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Chief Executive Officer**

How Delegation Is Recorded **Seal Register**

Applicant Fellowship of Australian Writers W.

DEL11/400 Infringement Withdrawal 101149 - Julian Zotti

9C - Withdrawal of Infringement Notices Delegation Type

Date Registered 29/07/2011 at 2:46 PM

Position Exercising Delegated Authority **Manager Corporate Services**

Withdrawal Notice How Delegation Is Recorded

Applicant Julian Zotti (Addressee)

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No. 9 (Lot 54) Iris Avenue, Dalkeith – Proposed Retrospective Amendments to previously Approved Two Storey Dwelling.



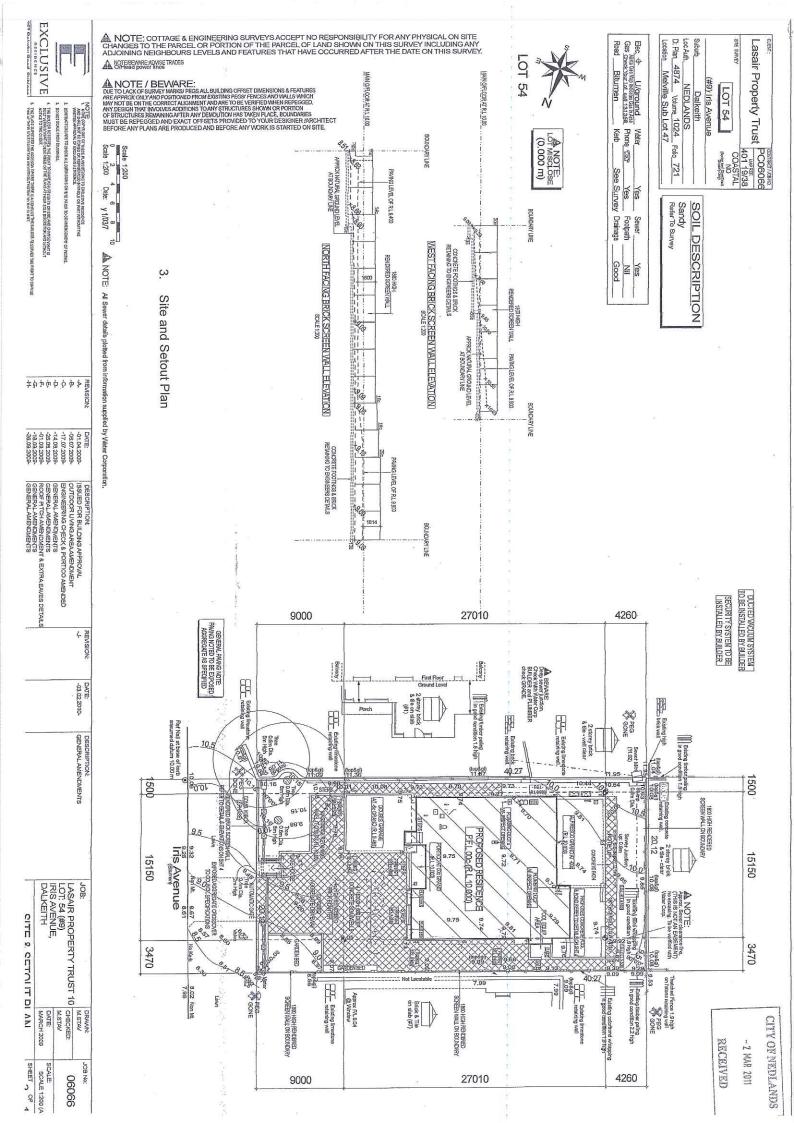
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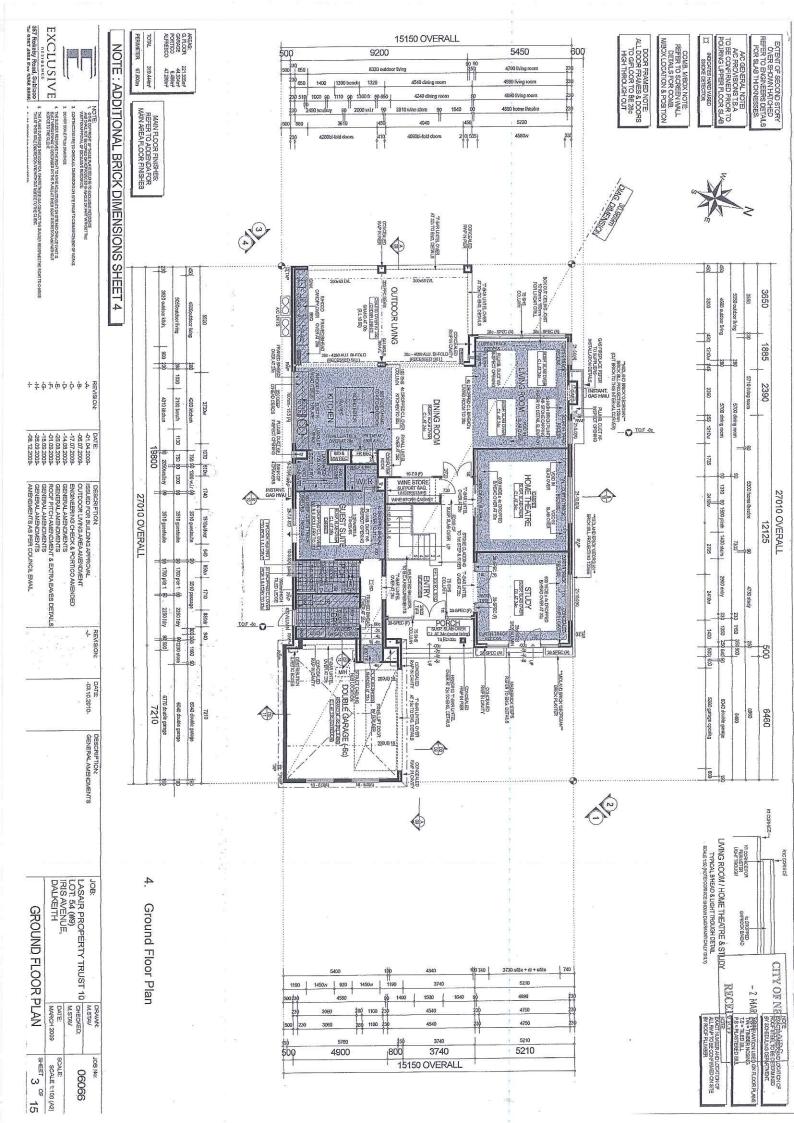
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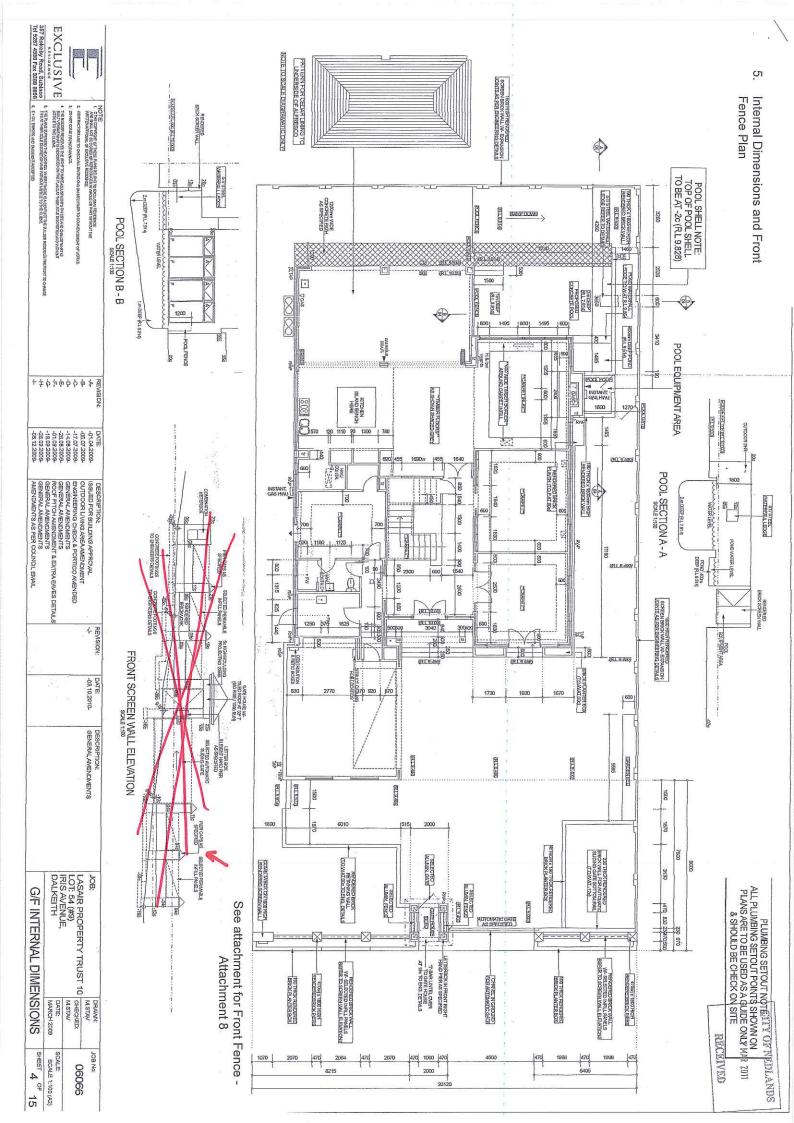
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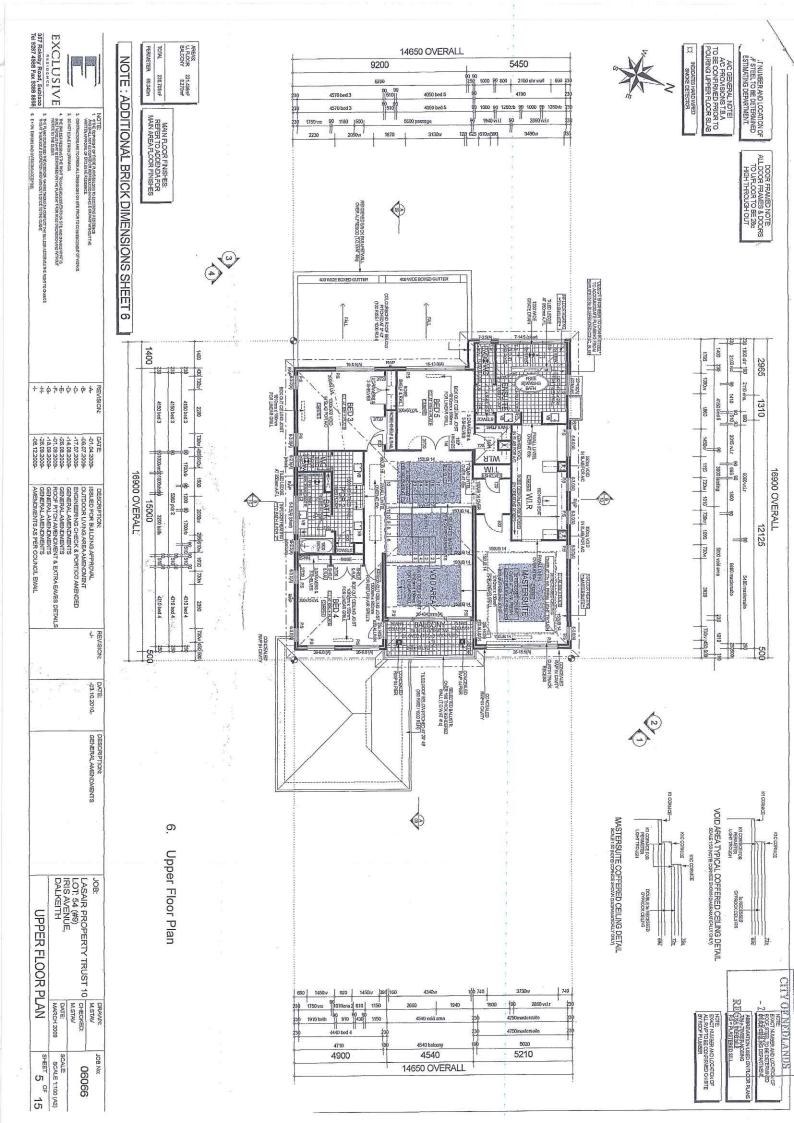
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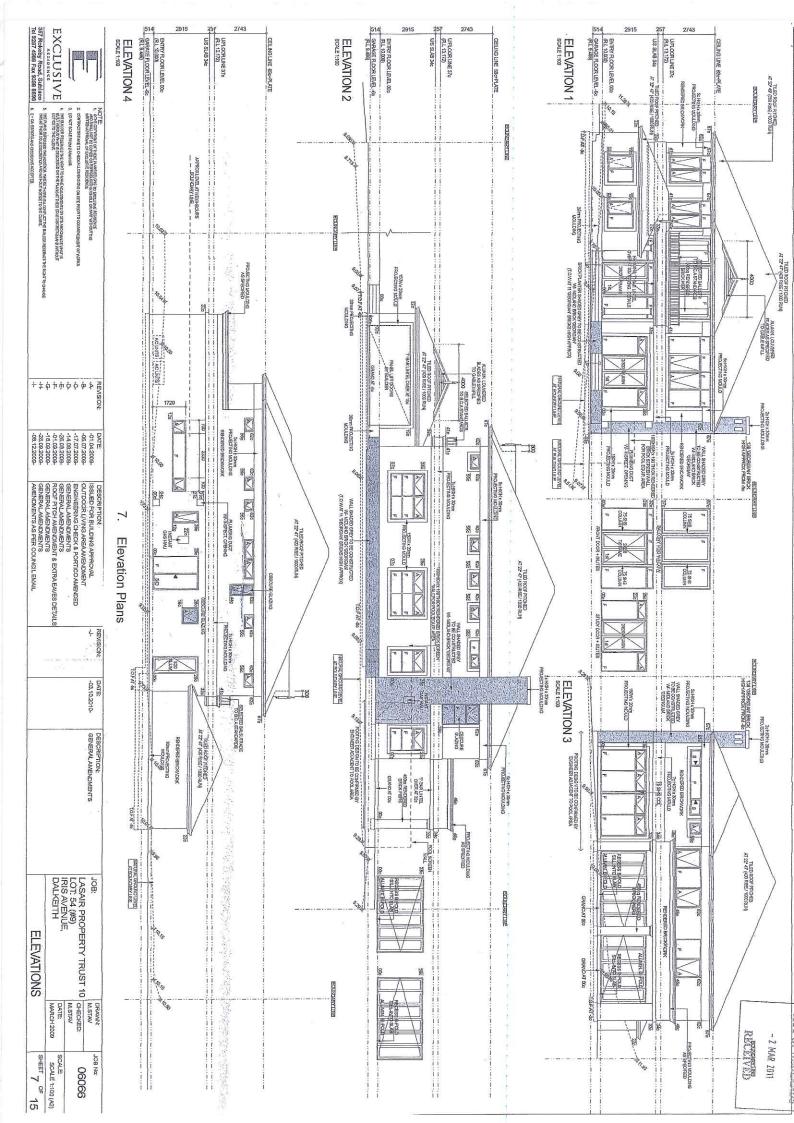
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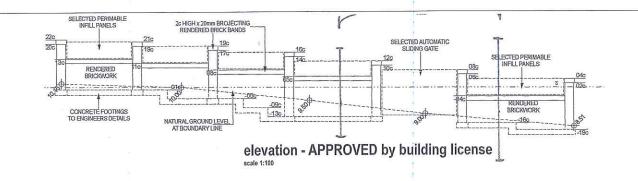




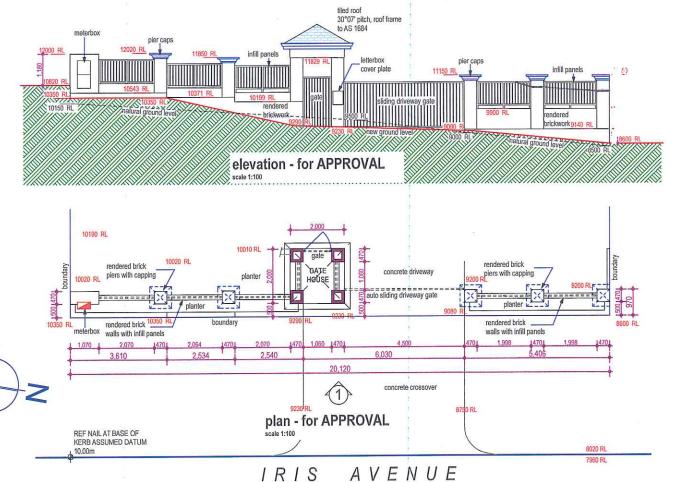














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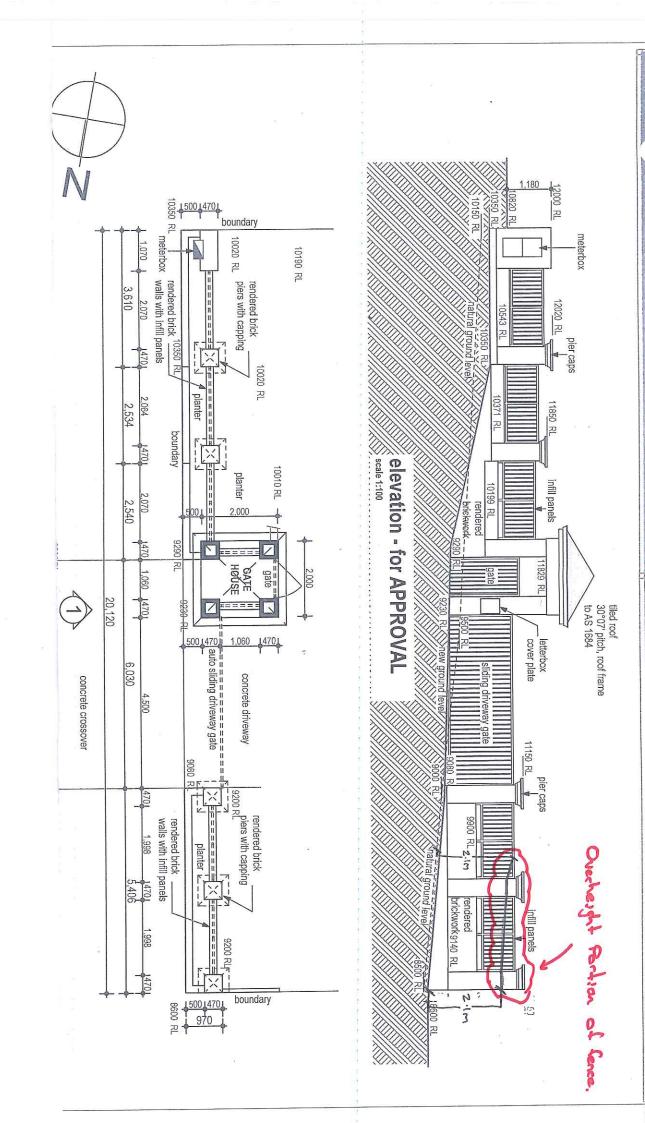
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Council 23 August 2011

Café Located at Mt Claremont Community Centre – Part Lot 6987 on Deposited Plan 16726, House Number 19, Haldane Street, Mt Claremont. Proposed three (3) year lease with the option of a further two, one (1) year lease term between the City and R2R Services.

Draft: 2 August 2011

Lease of Café at Mt Claremont **Community Centre**

City of Nedlands

[insert successful tenderer]

[insert guarantor(if applicable)]



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Tenant Guide

FORM 6

Commercial Tenancy (Retail Shops) Agreements Act 1985

[section 6A]

TENANT GUIDE

FOR NEW RETAIL SHOP LEASES FROM 1 JULY 1999

TO THE NEW TENANT ("LESSEE")

Entering into a lease of retail shop premises for your business means you are entering into a contract that creates binding legal obligations between yourself and the Landlord ("Lessor").

Before you enter into a lease, you should fully understand your obligations, liabilities and rights under the lease.

The Commercial Tenancy (Retail Shops) Agreements Act 1985 (and its amendments) contains provisions regulating retail shop leases, many of which will over-ride any contrary provision in a lease.

A lease provision that is contrary to the provisions of the Act has no effect ("void").

To make sure you understand your obligations, liabilities and rights before entering into the lease you should:

- · carefully read this Tenant Guide;
- carefully read any **Disclosure Statement** provided by the landlord or the landlord's agent;
- carefully read any written lease document;
- obtain independent advice.

This Tenant Guide is merely a guide intended to help you to understand some of your legal obligations under a retail shop lease and, in particular, to understand your rights under the Act. You should not rely on this Guide as a substitute for reading the documents and obtaining independent advice before signing any Offer to Lease, Agreement to Lease, or any other related documents.

ADVICE BEFORE ENTERING THE LEASE

The Act provides that your retail lease will "commence" either:

When you take possession of the keys to the shop premises; or When you commence paying rent; or

When both parties sign the lease.

You should get independent advice before doing any of those things.

Experts in the fields of legal, financial, business, taxation and property matters will be able to help you make the decision to enter into a lease or an agreement to lease and the terms of the contract that should be negotiated.

For legal advice, you should consult a solicitor with experience in commercial property and preferably in retail shop leasing matters.

Industry advice is also available from experts in accounting and valuation as well as retail representative groups and tenant advocates. The Western Australia Government's Small Business Development Corporation (SBDC) is also a source of guidance to prospective tenants.

You should understand the terms of the lease before signing it.

All elements in a lease agreement eg. rent, term, options, outgoings and related costs such as documenting the lease need to be understood by you. These matters are open to negotiation with the Lessor but the basis of your agreement is subject to the provisions of the Act.

DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (S.6)

The Lessor must provide you with a "Disclosure Statement" before you enter a new retail shop lease.

You can terminate the lease at any time up to 60 days after the lease was "entered into" -

- if the *Disclosure Statement* is not given to you at least seven days before the lease is "entered into"; or
- if the **Disclosure Statement** contains false or misleading information.

You can go to the State Administrative Tribunal and get an order for compensation for any pecuniary loss suffered as a result of :

- not being given a Disclosure Statement; or
- false or misleading information contained in a *Disclosure Statement*.

The *Disclosure Statement* is to be in a prescribed form (Regulation 4 Form 1) and is to contain all oral and written agreements and representations made by the Lessor or through his/her agent(s) in negotiations together with relevant information including but not limited to:

- details of the Lessor's property such as the total lettable area, tenancy mix and lettings, support services and management practices;
- details of the shop premises location, area and services together with the terms and conditions of the commercial tenancy such as asking rent, period of lease plus any options to extend the agreement and rent review periods and basis for the review;

• contributions to the landlord's expenses (operating expenses); the Lessor's interest in the shopping centre or building; and – any additional charges payable by the Lessee such as shop fitout or contributions to marketing and sinking funds.

In turn, the Lessor may ask for details of your retailing experience and of your financial capacity to establish and trade profitability and professionally. This may involve you presenting a satisfactory business plan to the Lessor.

If you require any special fitout or services for your tenancy, you will certainly need to formally disclose these to the Lessor along with any other evidence to support your case.

The Lessor doesn't have to lease the shop premises if it appears that a business will not add value to the property investment. Your disclosure, like the Lessor's, must be correct and contain no misleading information. Otherwise, the Lessor could institute legal proceedings against you outside the provisions of the Act.

You should understand the "Disclosure Statement" before signing it.

In signing the *Disclosure Statement* you are acknowledging you understand the basis for the retail lease with the Lessor. It is vital that you satisfy yourself, through prior enquiry, particularly taking appropriate legal and expert advice on all relevant information regarding the retail shop and (where applicable) the shopping centre building and property.

TENANT GUIDE (S.6A)

A new retail shop lease must include this "Tenant Guide" at the front of the lease.

<u>You can terminate the lease</u> at any time up to 60 days after the lease was "entered into" if there was no "*Tenant Guide*" provided with the lease.

You can go to the State Administrative Tribunal and get an order for compensation for any pecuniary loss suffered as a result of not being given a "Tenant Guide".

PREMISES COVERED BY THE ACT (S.3)

Generally

- The Act covers a retail shop where the premises are being used wholly or
 predominantly for a business involving the sale of goods by retail. However other
 premises trading in a retail shopping centre (where there are 5 or more retail shops)
 are also covered by the Act.
- The Act and its requirements only apply to retail shop leases when the shops have a retail floor area that does not exceed 1,000m².

A prospective retail tenant should establish the area under the lease and have this surveyed (if none is available) as early as possible in the agreement – especially in preparation for a net rent lease.

Specifically

Certain types of specified business are also covered including drycleaning, hairdressing, beauty therapy, shoe repair and video stores and some petrol station agreements.

If you are not sure whether your business is covered by the Act, get advice.

TERM OF THE RETAIL SHOP LEASE (S.13)

Minimum of 5 years

If you are entering a new retail shop lease for the first time, the Act provides you with a right to a minimum of a 5 year lease to help you establish and develop your business. this can be a combination of term and options to extend your lease to the 5 year period (Regulation 6 Form 3).

Can be longer ... or shorter

The tenure you negotiate can be greater than five years. Under some circumstances, you can also agree with the Lessor to a term shorter than five years but this must be <u>your</u> decision. (The approval of the State Administrative Tribunal should be sought in these circumstances). It would be prudent to take expert advice on the implications for your business if you do not take up the Act's 5 years' tenancy right.

Fixed period

A lease is for a fixed period.

At the end of the lease

At the end of the current term and your use of any options, the Lessor does not have to renew the agreement and the Lessee has no further rights to occupy the premises. All outstanding obligations under the lease should have been satisfied at this time. After the expiry of the lease agreement your continued occupancy of the premises will be at the Lessor's sole discretion. This interim period may be on a month to month basis.

Options in the lease

It is in your commercial interests to ensure that any options you hold to extend your occupancy are recorded by you allowing a sufficient lead time to exercise the option by the date set out in the terms of the lease. That option will lapse unless you inform the Lessor that you wish to renew your lease (exercising your option) in the manner and timeframe as set out in the lease document.

STRUCTURING YOUR LEASE

Assume you won't be able to renew

You should not rely on a new lease being entered into at the end of the lease period.

Therefore you should:

Base your cashflows on the assumption that the lease will probably not be renewed.

- Adopt a prudent business practice, which amortizes the costs of your business, and the cost of the goodwill, if you purchased the business, over the period of the lease.
- Recognise the worth or value of the goodwill of your retail business is directly related
 to the tenure you hold. The balance of the current lease term and any options are
 prime factors that the market will assess in determining the goodwill attached to your
 business.
- Decide on the level of profit that you expect to achieve over the period of the lease.

Does the lease include redevelopment or relocation clauses?

Commercial and retail property investments need to be constantly promoted. This can involve redevelopment of premises with works by the Lessor that can significantly impact on your retail business. To safeguard your interests you will need to carefully consider any redevelopment or relocation clause in the proposed lease. If you agree to such a clause you should negotiate to ensure that your retail business will not be in any worse situation as a result of the Lessor's capital works initiatives. This clause could provide you with a commitment from the Lessor for a new shop in the redevelopment. This could also provide for a new location and rental levels comparable with your current position.

Compensation issues also need to be specified in cases where your trade will be affected due to a less favourable shop location or higher rental structure or no new shop can be provided for your business.

Can the Act help?

The Act empowers the Registrar of the State Administrative Tribunal to consider special circumstances in approving redevelopment and relocation applications by the Lessor. The interests of both Lessee and Lessor are considered in these cases but may not meet all your requirements that you have negotiated earlier in establishing the lease terms and conditions.

RENT REVIEW (S.11)

Only use one method of review at a time

If you have agreed to a review of your shop rental, then at each review time a single basis of rent review is to apply. For example, this single basis to be specified in the **Disclosure Statement** (Regulation 4 Form 1) can include, but is not limited to:

- Market Rent.
- Consumer Price Index (CPI).
- Percentage increase.
- An agreed formula or combination, eg. CPI + 10%.

The lease, however, cannot give the Lessor the right to choose the greatest return from a range of rent types at any one review.

Can use a different method next time

The types of review may vary over the life of the lease, for example Year 1 CPI, Year 2 Market rent, Year 3 a fixed increase then a higher rate if turnover exceeds an agreed level, Year 4 Market rent, year 5 CPI + a percentage increase.

No "ratchet" clauses

In a rent review your rent can not be held above the current market level (via a ratchet clause) such that the rent can never fall or go below a fixed level. The lease must allow your rent to rise or fall to a level supported by market evidence.

The role of the Act and the State Administrative Tribunal

In a market rent review, the Act provides that both parties can:

- (i) initiate the market rent review process;
- (ii) appoint a single licensed valuer to determine the new rental; or
- (iii) each appoint a valuer to represent their interests.

In the case of disagreement the new rent may be referred to the State Administrative Tribunal for determination.

Until both parties agree to the new rent level or the Tribunal determines the new rent, the current rent will continue to apply. Once the higher or lower rent is agreed, adjustments will be backdated to the review date. The rate of repayment between the parties can be varied at the Tribunal's discretion if the Tribunal has determined the rent.

RENT BASED ON TURNOVER (S.7 AND S.8)

Steps needed to base the rent on turnover

The Act provides that if you have agreed to a rent based on the turnover of your business then that agreement must be based on an agreed formula and must be formalised in writing on a prescribed form (Regulation 5 Form 2).

The Act also recognises the confidentiality of such figures to a retail business and limits the release and use of this information strictly in accordance with your agreement with the Lessor.

CONTRIBUTION TO LANDLORD EXPENSES (S.12)

Only "operating" expenses not "capital" expenses

The landlord's expenses are described in the Act as operating expenses. Leases can also refer to them as "outgoings or variable outgoings". They are costs in operating, repairing or maintaining the Lessor's premises including any building common areas. Typically these costs are the rates and taxes, cleaning, airconditioning, security, insurances and other valid expenses of running the property. No capital expenditures (eg. asset replacement) are recoverable operating expenses.

Operating expenses and their payment are to be set out in the *Disclosure Statement* (Regulation 4 Form 1) and the budget attached to the lease provided by the Lessor.

You can not be asked to pay management fees – these are costs to the Lessor that are not recoverable from retail tenants.

Contributions are negotiable, but not to exceed your "relevant proportion"

Your contributions to landlord expenses are negotiable. Whilst you may agree to a different form of contribution, the Act provides that the upper limit of the operating expenses that you can be reasonably asked to contribute to is your relevant proportion.

This share at the start of the accounting year is represented by the area of your shop's retail floor area in relation to the total lettable area of the shopping centre or cluster of shops.

ie: <u>retail floor area in shop</u> total lettable area = relevant proportion

The State Administrative Tribunal can decide on any disagreements in these matters and in certain circumstances can vary the relevant proportion during the year.

Other expenses directly attributable to your business (called "referable" expenses) for example, specialised cleaning incurred by only a few tenants, are subject to the relevant proportion limit of the shops incurring those costs.

NOTE: Rental agreements are generally –

on a "net" basis (rent plus a contribution to operating expenses); or

on a "gross" basis (an all inclusive payment for all your shop occupancy costs); or

another similar version.

You should seek expert advice as to the basis that best suits your business operations.

Audit and accounting standards – Lessor's obligations

The Lessor is obliged to comply with audit and accounting standards and timetables for preparing budgets, providing end of financial year expenditure statements and distributing audit costs particularly on net rental agreements.

Lessor to provide estimates and statements

In "net" lease arrangements, the Act provides that you will not have to pay a contribution to the Lessor's operating expenses until one month after the Lessor provides you with an annual estimate of expenditure for each operating expense.

The Lessor is also required to supply you with an audited operating expenses statement within 3 months after the previous accounting period has ended. If this is not done you do not have to contribute to the Lessor's operating expenses until you have received the audited statement.

SINKING FUNDS (S.12A)

Act protects your contributions

If your retail shop is in a shopping centre and you have agreed to contribute to a fund for major repair and maintenance works, your contributions are protected under the Act. These moneys are subject to accounting and audit provisions with no funds being able to be expended on capital works. These are the rightful responsibility of the Lessor and would include the construction of new extensions and the replacement of major plant and equipment.

OTHER FUNDS AND RESERVES (S.12B)

Other contributions are also protected

The Act also extends protection to any other fund and reserves that you agree to contribute to for specific or marketing or promotion purposes. Again the Lessor is required to properly account for the collection, administration, expenditure and auditing of these funds.

HOURS OF OPERATING (S.12C)

Your opening hours are flexible

A provision in a retail shop lease which requires you to open your premises at specified hours or times is invalid (void) under the Act.

As you have the discretion to open (or close) your business at times of your choice the Lessor can not refuse to renew your lease because of your actions. If in the future you believe this to be the reason that your lease was not renewed you may apply in writing to the State Administrative Tribunal for compensation.

STANDARD TRADING HOURS AND THE COSTS OF OPERATION

Your retail business will be responsible for a share (limited to the "relevant proportion") of agreed operating expenses arising from trading within standard trading house.

NOTE: "Standard Trading Hours" are prescribed as -

- (a) 8.00am to 6.00pm Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday;
- (b) 8.00am to 9.00pm Thursday; and
- (c) 8.00am to 5.00pm Saturday.

(see Regulation 5A).

If your retail shop is enclosed in a shopping centre then for practical reasons the opening and closing times (core hours) for the centre may be less than the standard trading hours. These matters will need to be clarified in disclosure by the Lessor.

If you do not open outside standard trading hours, you can not be required to make a contribution to the expenses related to the extended hours.

If you open outside the standard trading hours, you will be charged a contribution to the expenses related to the extended hours. These are referable expenses and are limited to the relevant proportion of those shops which open during the extended hours.

ASSIGNMENT AND SUB-LEASING (S.10)

Your responsibilities if you sell or sub-lease your business

If you choose to sell your business during the term of your lease, you (as the Assignor) and any guarantor to your lease can not be held liable for the performance of the ingoing tenant

(the Assignee) or for any moneys including any rent owed by the ingoing tenant from the assignment date.

The Lessor can not withhold consent to an assignment, except on reasonable grounds. The Lessor may however recoup reasonable expenses in investigating the proposed assignee for your lease.

Your are entitled to assume the Lessor's approval to the assignment if you have not received a reply within 28 days after seeking that approval in writing.

If you choose to sub-lease part of your premises you will be required to seek the Lessor's approval and also provide a *tenant Guide* and *Disclosure Statement* to your Lessee. The sub-lease will not exclude you from you existing liabilities to the Lessor.

VOID CLAUSES (S.15)

Lease provisions and other oral and written agreements cannot include clauses that are contrary to any provision in the Act.

In addition, the lease or other side agreements or oral agreements can not -

- require you to pay key money (s.9), which is any moneys or other benefits in addition to rent paid to the Lessor or others for the right to lease retail shop premises;
- require you to disclose your turnover figures to the Lessor unless you agree on turnover as a basis for your rent assessment (s.7) and have completed Regulations 5 Form 2;
- prevent you from choosing to disclose the rent you have agreed to third parties (s.11) such as other retail tenants or their Valuers; or
- require you to contribute to any fund that applies those moneys to capital expenditure (s.12) such as new building works in shopping centres.

Some clauses may appear to create or limit aspects of the lease in an unfair or "unfriendly" way. If you are uncomfortable with the effect of any clauses in the lease, seek expert advice.

COMPENSATION BY LANDLORD (S.14)

The Act provides that, for shopping centre properties, the Lessor can not adversely affect your retail business trading in a retail shopping centre through action or inaction in:

- inhibiting your access and that of customers to your shop premises;
- disrupting trading conditions causing loss of profits to your business; or
- not properly repairing, maintaining or cleaning the shopping centre premises or common areas.

You should keep in mind the type and quality of services provided by the Lessor in relation to your contributions and those of all tenants in the centre. A Merchants Association can assist in coordinating the interests of all retail tenants to ensure the quality of management, cleaning and other property services support your retail business.

Only after your written request and a reasonable time has been given to the Lessor to correct the problems should you take your grievance to the State Administrative Tribunal. To support a claim, you need to demonstrate to the Tribunal that your business sales, gross profits, expenses and net profits have been adversely affected by the Lessor.

DISPUTES BETWEEN THE LESSEE (TENANT) AND LESSOR (LANDLORD)

The Act may be able to help

If you cannot resolve a dispute over any aspect of your retail shop lease with the Lessor or through the Lessor's property agents, the Act authorises the State Administrative Tribunal to deal with these disputes as "a question arising". Either the lessee or the lessor may initiate this action with the Tribunal by making an application to the Tribunal and paying the appropriate fee. A matter or question may be dealt with through a compulsory conference or mediation process under the *State Administrative Tribunal Act* 2004.

Advice in such matters can be obtained from solicitors with property experience, the SBDC, industry sources, tenant advocates and retail representative groups.

To avoid disputes, get everything in writing

To reduce the possibility of a dispute, before entering a lease you should obtain confirmation in writing of any oral representations made during the negotiations. These representations should be included in the **Disclosure Statement** and might include:

- customer traffic numbers:
- exclusive rights to sell product lines;
- other tenancies as competitors:
- the existence and continuance of major tenants in the centre; and
- marketing support by the Lessor and related costs.



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Details

Parties

City of Nedlands

of 71 Stirling Highway, Nedlands, Western Australia

(Lessor)

[insert details of successful tenderer]

of

(Lessee)

[if required by the City]

of

(Guarantor)

Background

- A The Lessor is registered as proprietor of the Land, subject to a crown grant in trust.
- B A building is constructed on a portion of the Land and is known as the Mt Claremont Community Centre (**Centre**).
- C Comprising part of the Centre is a café (Café).
- D The Lessee was the successful tenderer following a request for tender by the Lessor for the fit-out and operation of the Café.
- E The Lessor has agreed, subject to the prior approval of the Minister for Lands, to grant the Lessee a lease of the portion of the Land comprising the Cafe, more particularly described in **Item 1** of the Schedule (**Premises**), on the terms and conditions contained within this agreement.

Agreed terms

Grant of Lease

- (1) The Lessor, subject to paragraph (2) below, leases to the Lessee the Premises for the Term subject to -
 - (a) all Encumbrances and any Reservations;
 - (b) the payment of the Amounts Payable; and

- (c) the performance and observance of the Lessee's Covenants.
- (2) This Lease is subject to and conditional on the approval of the Minister for Lands under the *Land Administration Act 1997*.

Lessee's General Covenants

2. Rent and Other Payments

The Lessee AGREES with the Lessor:

(a) **Rent**

To pay to the Lessor the Rent in the manner set out at **Item 5** of the Schedule clear of any deductions whatsoever.

(b) **Outgoings**

- (i) To pay to the Lessor or to such person as the Lessor may from time to time direct punctually all the following outgoings or charges (if applicable), assessed or incurred in respect of the Premises:
 - (A) local government rates, taxes and charges and including charges for rubbish or garbage removal;
 - (B) water, drainage and sewerage rates, charges for disposal of stormwater, meter rent and excess water charges;
 - (C) telephone, electricity, gas and other power and light charges including but not limited to meter rents and the cost of installation of any meter, wiring, internet connections or telephone connection AND the Lessee shall ensure where possible that any accounts for all charges and outgoings in respect of telephone, electricity, gas and other power and light charges are taken out and issued in the name of the Lessee;
 - (D) Fire and Emergency Services Authority (F.E.S.A) levies;
 - (E) land tax and metropolitan regional improvement tax (if any) on a single ownership basis;
 - (F) premiums, excesses and other costs arising from the insurance obtained by the Lessor pursuant to **clause 26**. For the avoidance of doubt, the parties agree:
 - (I) that if such premium or cost does not include a separate assessment or identification of the Premises or the Land, the Lessee must pay a proportionate part of such premium or cost for the Premises determined by the Lessor acting reasonably; and
 - (II) such insurance will include insurance for the full replacement value of buildings; and
 - (G) any other consumption charge or cost, statutory impost or other obligation incurred or payable by reason of the Lessee's use and occupation of the Premises.

(ii) If the Premises are not separately charged or assessed the Lessee will pay to the Lessor a proportionate part of any charges or assessments referred to in **clause 2(b)(i)** being the proportion that the Premises bears to the total area of the land or premises included in the charge or assessment, or the amount the Lessor determines, acting reasonably, as the Lessee's proportion of such charges. The Lessor is intending to install separate gas and water meters prior to the Commencement Date, however until separate meters have been installed the Lessee acknowledges and agrees that the Lessor has determined, upon the basis of past consumption of the Café and the remaining portion of the Centre, that the Lessee will be required to pay 50% of water and gas consumption incurred for the Centre, until such time as a separate meters are installed.

(c) Interest

Without affecting the rights, powers and remedies of the Lessor under this Lease, to pay to the Lessor interest on demand on any Amounts Payable which are unpaid for 14 days computed from the due date for payment until payment is made and any interest payable under this paragraph will be charged at the Interest Rate.

(d) Costs

- (i) To pay to the Lessor on demand:
 - (A) all duty, fines and penalties payable under the *Duties Act* 2008 and other statutory duties or taxes payable on or in connection with this Lease;
 - (B) all registration fees in connection with this Lease; and
 - (C) legal costs of and incidental to the instructions for the preparation, execution and stamping of this Lease.
- (ii) To pay to the Lessor all costs, legal fees, disbursements and payments incurred by or for which the Lessor is liable in connection with or incidental to:
 - (A) the Amounts Payable or obtaining or attempting to obtain payment of the Amounts Payable under this Lease;
 - (B) any breach of an obligation or agreement by the Lessee or an Authorised Person;
 - (C) the preparation and service of a notice under Section 81 of the *Property Law Act* 1969 requiring the Lessee to remedy a breach even though forfeiture for the breach may be avoided in a manner other than by relief granted by a Court;
 - (D) any work done at the Lessee's request; and
 - (E) any action or proceedings arising out of or incidental to any matters referred to in this **clause 2(d)** or any matter arising out of this Lease.

3. Accrual of Amounts Payable & Payment of Money

3.1 Accrual of Amounts Payable

Amounts Payable accrue on a daily basis.

3.2 Payment of Money

Any Amounts Payable to the Lessor under this Lease must be paid to the Lessor at the address of the Lessor referred to in the Lease or as otherwise directed by the Lessor by Notice from time to time

4. Keys and Access

4.1 No additional copies without approval

Unless otherwise approved by the Lessor in writing, the Lessee must not have additional sets of keys copied or cut.

4.2 Notify the Lessor of lost keys

- (a) The Lessee must notify the Lessor of any loss of keys immediately; and
- (b) To ensure all keys conform with the Lessor's master keys, the Lessor will arrange for replacement keys to be issued to the Lessee at the Lessee's cost.

4.3 No change of locks without approval

- (a) The Lessee must not change any of the Premises' locks, without the prior approval of the Lessor.
- (b) If the locks are changed the Lessee must provide the Lessor with keys to access all areas of the Premises.

4.4 Cost of re-entry

If the Lessor requires access to the Premises pursuant to its powers under this Lease, and is unable to access the Premises due to an unauthorised change in locks, the Lessor may take all such measures to enter the Premises and to re-secure the Premises, and the Lessee will bear all costs associated with such measures.

5. Goods and Services Tax

(a) Lessee must Pay

If GST is payable on the Basic Consideration or any part thereof or if the Lessor is liable to pay GST in connection with the Lease of the Premises or any goods, services or other Taxable Supply supplied under this Lease then, as from the date of any such introduction or application:

- (i) the Lessor may increase the Basic Consideration or the relevant part thereof by an amount which is equal to the GST Rate; and
- (ii) the Lessee shall pay the increased Basic Consideration on the due date for payment by the Lessee of the Basic Consideration.

(b) **Increase in GST**

If, at any time, the GST Rate is increased, the Lessor may, in addition to the GST Rate, increase the Basic Consideration by the GST Adjustment Rate and such amount shall be payable in accordance with this clause.

(c) **GST** invoice

Where the Basic Consideration is to be increased to account for GST pursuant to this clause the Lessor shall in the month in which the Basic Consideration is to be paid, issue a Tax Invoice which enables the Lessee to submit a claim for a credit or refund of GST.

6. Insurance

6.1 Insurance required

The Lessee must effect and maintain with insurers approved by the Lessor (noting the Lessor's and the Lessee's respective rights and interest in the Premises) for the time being:

- (a) adequate public liability insurance for a sum not less than the sum set out at **Item 6** of the Schedule in respect of any one claim or such greater amount as the Lessor may from time to time reasonably require; and
- (b) insurance to cover the Lessee's fixtures, fittings, equipment and stock against loss or damage by fire, fusion, smoke, lightning, flood, storm, tempest, earthquake, sprinkler leakage, water damage and other usual risks against which a Lessee can and does ordinarily insure in their full replacement value, and loss from theft or burglary.

6.2 Details and Receipts

In respect of the insurances required by **clause 6.1** the Lessee must:

- (a) on demand supply to the Lessor details of the insurances and give to the Lessor copies of the certificates of currency in relation to those insurances;
- (b) promptly pay all premiums and produce to the Lessor each policy or certificate of currency and each receipt for premiums or certificate of currency issued by the insurers; and
- (c) notify the Lessor immediately:
 - (i) when a material event occurs which gives rise or might give rise to a claim under or which could prejudice a policy of insurance; or
 - (ii) when a policy of insurance is cancelled.

6.3 Not to Invalidate

The Lessee must not do or omit to do any act or thing or bring or keep anything on the Premises which might;

- (a) render any insurance effected under **clause 6.1** and/or **clause 26** on the Premises, or any adjoining premises, void or voidable;
- (b) cause the rate of a premium to be increased for the Premises or any adjoining premises (except insofar as an approved development may lead to an increased premium).

6.4 Reports

Each party must report to the other promptly in writing and in an emergency verbally:

- (a) any material damage to the Premises of which they are or might be aware; and
- (b) any circumstances of which they are aware and which are likely to be a danger or cause any damage or danger to the Premises or to any person on the Premises.

6.5 Settlement of Claim

The Lessor may, but the Lessee may not without prior written consent of the Lessor, settle or compromise any claims under any insurance required by **clause 6.1.**

6.6 Lessee May be Required to Pay Excess on Insurances

The Lessee AGREES with the Lessor that it shall be responsible to pay any excess payable in connection with the insurances referred to in **clause 6.1** and/or **clause 26** in the event that it is determined by the insurer or otherwise that a claim arises out of or in connection with the negligence of the Lessee.

6.7 Lessee's equipment and possessions

The Lessee ACKNOWLEDGES it is responsible to obtain all relevant insurances to cover any damage and/or theft to its property. The Lessor does not take any responsibility for the loss or damage of the Lessee's property.

6.8 Failure to Comply with Insurance Requirements

If the Lessee fails to comply with any of its obligations under this **clause 6**, the Lessor may, by serving written notice upon the Lessee, require that such default be remedied within 28 days and in the event that the Lessee fails to comply with such notice, then the Lessor may, in its absolute discretion, immediately terminate this Lease.

7. Indemnity

7.1 Lessee responsibilities

- (1) The Lessee is subject to the same responsibilities relating to persons and property to which the Lessee would be subject if during the Term the Lessee were the owner and occupier of the freehold of the Premises.
- (2) The Lessee is responsible and liable for all acts or omissions of the Lessee's Agents on the Premises and for any breach by them of any covenants or terms in this Lease required to be performed or complied with by the Lessee.

7.2 Indemnity

- (1) The Lessee indemnifies, and shall keep indemnified, the Lessor from and against all actions, claims, costs, proceedings, suits and demands whatsoever which may at any time be incurred or suffered by the Lessor, or brought, maintained or made against the Lessor, in respect of:
 - (a) any loss whatsoever (including loss of use);
 - (b) injury or damage of, or to, any kind of property or thing; and
 - (c) the death of, or injury suffered by, any person,

caused by, contributed to, or arising out of, or in connection with, whether directly or indirectly:

- (d) the use or occupation of the Premises by the Lessee or the Lessee's Agents;
- (e) any work carried out by or on behalf of the Lessee on the Premises;
- (f) the Lessee's activities, operations or business on, or other use of any kind of, the Premises;
- (g) any default by the Lessee in the due and punctual performance, observance and compliance with any of the Lessee's covenants or obligations under this Lease; or
- (h) an act or omission of the Lessee.

7.3 Obligations Continuing

The obligations of the Lessee under this clause:

- (a) are unaffected by the obligation of the Lessee to take out insurance, and the obligations of the Lessee to indemnify are paramount, however if insurance money is received by the Lessor for any of the obligations set out in this clause then the Lessee's obligations under clause 7.2 will be reduced by the extent of such payment.
- (b) continue after the expiration or earlier determination of this Lease in respect of any act, deed, matter or thing occurring or arising as a result of an event which occurs before the expiration or earlier determination of this Lease.

7.4 No indemnity for Lessor's negligence

The parties agree that nothing in this clause shall require the Lessee to indemnify the Lessor, its officers, servants, or agents against any loss, damage, expense, action or claim arising out of a negligent or wrongful act or omission of the Lessor, or its servants, agents, contractors or invitees.

7.5 Release

- (1) The Lessee:
 - (a) agrees to occupy and use the Premises at the risk of the Lessee; and
 - (b) releases to the full extent permitted by law, the Lessor from:
 - (i) any liability which may arise in respect of any accident or damage to property, the death of any person, injury to any person, or illness suffered by any person, occurring on the Premises or arising from the Lessee's use or occupation of the Premises by; and
 - (ii) loss of or damage to the Premises or personal property of the Lessee;

except to the extent that such loss or damage arises out of a negligent or wrongful act or omission of the Lessor, or its servants, agents, contractors or invitees.

(2) The release by the Lessee continues after the expiration or earlier determination of this Lease in respect of any act, deed, matter or thing occurring or arising as a result of an event which occurs before the expiration or earlier determination of this Lease.

8. Maintenance, Repair and Cleaning

8.1 Generally

- (1) The Lessee AGREES during the Term and for so long as the Lessee remains in possession or occupation of the Premises to maintain, replace, repair, clean and keep the Premises (which for the avoidance of doubt includes the Lessor's fixtures) and Appurtenances in Good Repair having regard to the age of the Premises at the Commencement Date PROVIDED THAT this subclause shall not impose on the Lessee any obligation:
 - (a) to carry out repairs or replacement that are necessary as a result of fair and reasonable wear and tear, EXCEPT when such repair or replacement is necessary because of any act or omission of or on the part of the Lessee (or its servants, agents, contractors or invitees), or the Lessor's insurances are invalidated by any act, neglect or default by the Lessee (or its servants, agents, contractors or invitees); and
 - (b) in respect of any structural maintenance, replacement or repair EXCEPT when such maintenance, repair or replacement is necessary because of any act or omission of or on the part of the Lessee (or its servants, agents, contractors or invitees), or by the Lessee's particular use or occupancy of the Premises.
- (2) In discharging the obligations imposed on the Lessee under this subclause, the Lessee shall where maintaining, replacing, repairing or cleaning:
 - (a) any electrical fittings and fixtures;
 - (b) any plumbing;
 - (c) any air-conditioning fittings and fixtures;
 - (d) any gas fittings and fixtures,

in or on the Premises use only licensed trades persons, or such trades persons as may be approved by the Lessor and notified to the Lessee, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld.

8.2 Cleaning of Premises

The Lessee must at all times keep the Premises clean, tidy, unobstructed and free from dirt and rubbish.

8.3 Repair Damage

Unless such damage is the Lessor's responsibility pursuant to the terms of the Lease, the Lessee must promptly repair at its own expense to the satisfaction of the Lessor, any damage to the Premises, regardless of how the damage is caused and replace any of the Lessor's Fixtures and Fittings which are or which become damaged.

8.4 Lessor's Fixtures and Fittings

- (a) The Lessor's Fixtures and Fittings will remain the property of the Lessor and must not be removed from the Premises at any time.
- (b) The Lessor's Fixtures and Fittings must be present and accounted for at the termination of each twelve month period of the Term.

8.5 Prevent Erosion

The Lessee must take such reasonable action as is necessary to prevent, if it has occurred as a result of the Lessee's use of the Premises; and rectify or otherwise restore the effects of erosion, drift or movement of sand, soil, dust or water on or from the Premises.

8.6 Maintain Surroundings

- (a) The Lessee must regularly inspect and maintain in good condition any part of the Premises which surrounds any buildings including but not limited to any flora, gardens lawns, shrubs, hedges and trees; and
- (b) The Lessee may not remove any trees, shrubs or hedges without first consulting with and obtaining the approval of the Lessor, except where necessary for urgent safety reasons.

8.7 Pest Control

- (a) The Lessee must keep the Premises free of any vermin and the cost of extermination will be borne by the Lessee.
- (b) The Lessee must engage a licensed pest controller to annually inspect the Premises for termite infestation:
 - (i) Any pest control treatment required as a result of the inspection must be completed by a licensed pest controller within two weeks of the inspection;
 - (ii) The Lessee must provide to the Lessor a copy of the certificate issued by the licensed pest controller by May 1 annually; and
 - (iii) All costs and expenses arising from the inspection and any work undertaken as a result of the inspection must be borne by the Lessee.

8.8 Comply with all reasonable conditions

The Lessee must comply with all reasonable conditions that may be imposed by the Lessor from time to time in relation to the Lessee's maintenance of the Premises.

8.9 Painting

- (a) The Lessee must on or before each repainting date as stated in **Item 10** of the Schedule paint with at least 2 coats of paint those parts of the Premises usually painted internally.
- (b) All painting carried out on the Premises must be carried out by a registered painting contractor; and the registered painting contractor or other person engaged by the Lessee to paint the Premises must:
 - (i) do so in a proper manner using good quality materials;
 - (ii) have the colour and quality of the materials approved in writing by the Lessor before the work commences;
 - (iii) comply will all reasonable directions given or requests made by the Lessor; and
 - (iv) be finished in a proper and workmanlike manner.

8.10 Drains

- (1) The Lessee must keep and maintain the waste pipes drains and conduits originating in the Premises or connected thereto in a clean clear and free flowing condition and must pay to the Lessor upon demand the cost to the Lessor of clearing any blockage which may occur in such waste pipes, drains and conduits between the external boundaries of the Premises and the point of entry thereof into any trunk drain unless such blockage has been caused without neglect or default on the part of the Lessee.
- (2) The Lessee must not permit the drains, toilets, grease traps (if any) and other sanitary appliances on the Premises to be used for any purpose other than that for which they were constructed and must not allow any foreign matter or substance to be thrown therein.

9. Operation of Cafe

9.1 Handling of Food on the Premises

Where food is sold or handled in any way on the Premises, the Lessee shall:

- (a) provide adequate facilities for the hygienic handling of such food, including facilities for the washing of hands and utensils;
- (b) notwithstanding any other provision of this Lease, not permit or allow food vendor or handler to breach the provisions of the *Food Act* 2008 and *Health Act* 1911 or any order, regulation or other by-law or local law or direction made relating to food or its preparation or handling;
- (c) without limiting the generality of the obligations in the foregoing paragraphs the Lessee will take adequate measures at all times to the satisfaction of the Lessor to safeguard any food being sold or distributed on the Premises from flies and dust; and
- (d) obtain all necessary permits and approvals under the provisions of the *Food Act* 2008 and *Health Act* 1911 and any associated legislation or any equivalent replacement or reenactment thereof.

9.2 Operation of Business

The Lessee must:

- (a) conduct its business on the Premises at all times in a proper efficient and reputable manner and must not use the Premises nor permit the Premises to be used for any illegal, immoral or improper use or purpose;
- (b) not without the prior written consent of the Lessor use or permit to be used any other method in lighting the Premises other than by electricity and will not use or permit or suffer to be used any method of heating other than by electricity, gas or oil;
- (c) keep in force all licences and permits required for the carrying on of any business conducted by it in or upon the Premises; and
- (d) deliver to the Lessor any notices or orders served on or received by the Lessee in respect of the Premises or the conduct of the Lessee's business on the Premises; and
- (e) operate a Cafe from the Premises during the Term.

9.3 Maximum Trading Hours

The Lessee and the Lessor AGREE THAT the Lessee may not carry on business from the Premises outside the times of 7 am to midnight seven days per week.

9.4 Minimum Trading Hours

- (1) The Lessee acknowledges and agrees that the Lessor has determined that a peppercorn Rent is payable, upon the basis of the community benefits that an operating café will provide to patrons and visitors of the Centre.
- (2) A peppercorn rent will be payable PROVIDED the Lessee operates the Café during the Minimum Trading Hours. In the event the Lessee is unable or unwilling to operate the Café during the Minimum Trading Hours, the Lessee and the Lessor covenant and agree that Rent will be payable in accordance with the provisions of **Item 5(ii)** of the Schedule.

9.5 No alcohol or Liquor Licence without consent

- (1) The Lessee must not suffer or permit a person to use or allow the Premises to be used for the consumption of alcohol, without first obtaining the written consent of the Lessor.
- (2) The Lessee must not sell or supply liquor from the Premises or allow liquor to be sold or supplied from the Premises, without first obtaining the written consent of the Lessor.
- (3) The Lessee must not make an application for a licence or permit under the *Liquor Control Act* 1988 for the Premises, without the prior written consent of the Lessor.

9.6 Cafe restrictions and requirements

- (1) The Lessee acknowledges and agrees that the Café is only suitable for a Medium Food Classification, and unless otherwise agreed by the Lessor in writing the Lessee must ensure that the number of patrons using at the café at any one time does not exceed forty (40).
- (2) The Lessee acknowledges and agrees that the Café must not be used for private functions or private catering purposes. However, the Café may be used to provide catering for the Centre.
- (3) In relation to functions held at the Centre, the Lessor and the Lessee covenant and agree the Lessee must cater for functions, when requested by the Lessor in writing, and such catering must be provided at a reasonable cost, and within any budget constraints specified by the Lessor when engaging the Lessee for that purpose.

10. Fit-out Requirements

10.1 Generally

The Lessee agrees with the Lessor to undertake and complete the Fit-out Works (if any) specified in **Annexure 3** of this Lease:

- (a) in accordance with approved plans;
- (b) at its full cost and expense;
- (c) using new materials, unless otherwise approved by the Lessor; and
- (d) in a proper and workman-like manner.

10.2 Complete Fit-out Works by Completion Date

The Lessee agrees with the Lessor to use its reasonable endeavours to complete the Fit-out Works on or before the Completion Date as specified in **Annexure 3**.

10.3 Delay in Completion

- (1) Subject to **clause 10.3(2)** the parties AGREE the Completion Date may be extended for a period determined by the Lessor acting reasonably and in consultation with the Lessee, in the event the Fit-out Works cannot be completed on or before the Completion Date for a reason or reasons beyond the reasonable control of the Lessee, including but not limited to:
 - (a) acts of God, including fire, bushfire, lightning, storm, tidal wave, cyclone, hurricane, earthquake, landslide, mudslide, washouts and flood;
 - (b) epidemics, public health scares or outbreaks of disease;
 - (c) war, revolution or other state of armed hostility of a like nature;
 - (d) insurrection, civil disturbances or riot (except where arising within the custodial areas);
 - (e) collisions or accidents which constitute a major catastrophe, an example being an aircraft crash or nuclear contamination;
 - (f) unavailability or lack of reasonable availability in the State of labour and or building and construction materials; and
 - (g) a strike, lockout, or other industrial disturbance or restraint of labour, involving employees,
- (2) To permit the Lessor to consider extending the Completion Date in accordance with **clause** 10.3(1), the Lessee must provide to the Lessor reasonable evidence within a reasonable period of time, as to the reason for and the extent of the delay and the reasonable steps taken by the Lessee to overcome that delay.

10.4 Obtain All Necessary Approvals

The Lessee COVENANTS AND AGREES to obtain at its expense all necessary statutory approvals for the Fit-out Works, including without limitation planning and building approvals.

10.5 Insurance for Fit-out Works

The Lessee COVENANTS AND AGREES with the Lessor that prior to commencing the Fit-out Works:

- (a) to effect and maintain a public risk insurance policy covering the respective rights and interests of the Lessor and the Lessee for an amount of not less than \$10 million dollars for any one claim covering all usual and necessary insurable risks arising out of the Fitout Works; and
- (b) to ensure that all consultants and contractors engaged to do any work in regard to the Fitout Works have adequate and appropriate insurance cover for the work that they are engaged to perform.

10.6 Indemnity

The Lessee COVENANTS AND AGREES to indemnify and keep indemnified the Lessor from and against all claims, demands, writs, actions and suits which may be brought or made against it

by any person or persons in connection with loss of life or loss, injury or damage claimed to have been suffered to any property or by any person or persons arising out of or in connection with the Fit-out Works.

11. Use

11.1 Restrictions on Use

(a) Generally

The Lessee must not and must not suffer or permit a person to:

- (i) use the Premises or any part of it for any purpose other than for the purpose set out at **Item 7** of the Schedule; or
- (ii) use the Premises for any purpose which is not permitted under any Written Law.

(b) No offensive or illegal acts

The Lessee must not and must not suffer or permit a person to do or carry out on the Premises any harmful, offensive or illegal act, matter or thing.

(c) No nuisance

The Lessee must not and must not suffer or permit a person to do or carry out on the Premises any thing which causes a nuisance, damage or disturbance to the Lessor or to owners or occupiers of adjoining properties.

(d) No dangerous substances

The Lessee must not and must not suffer or permit a person to store any dangerous compound or substance on or in the Premises, otherwise than in accordance with the following provisions:

- (i) any such storage must comply with all relevant statutory provisions;
- (ii) all applications for the approval or renewal of any licence necessary for such storage must be first approved by the Lessor;
- (iii) the Lessor may within its absolute discretion refuse to allow the storage of any particular dangerous compound or substance on the Premises; and
- (iv) upon the request of the Lessor, the Lessee will provide a manifest of all dangerous compounds or substances stored on the Premises.

(e) No harm or stress

The Lessee must not and must not suffer or permit a person to do any act or thing which might result in excessive stress or harm to any part of the Premises.

(f) No signs

The Lessee must not and must not suffer or permit a person to display from or affix any signs, notices or advertisements on the Premises without the prior written consent of the Lessor.

(g) Toilets

The Lessee must not use or permit toilets or other sanitary appliances on the Premises to be used for any purpose other than that for which they were constructed and must not allow any act or thing to be done that might choke or otherwise affect or damage the same.

(h) No smoking

The Lessee must not suffer or permit a person to smoke inside any building or other enclosed area on the Premises

11.2 Lessee to Observe Copyright

In the event that the Lessee or any person sub-leasing, hiring, or in temporary occupation of the Premises provides, contracts for, or arranges for the performance, exhibition or display of any music or work of art the copyright of which is not vested in the Lessee or that person, the Lessee shall ensure that all obligations in regard to payment of copyright or licensing fees with the owner or licensor of the copyright are met before any such performance, exhibition or display is held.

11.3 No Warranty

The Lessor gives no warranty:

- (a) as to the use to which the Premises may be put; or
- (b) that the Lessor will issue any consents, approvals, authorities, permits or licences required by the Lessee under any Written Law for its use of the Premises.

11.4 Premises Subject to Restriction

The Lessee accepts the Premises for the Term subject to any existing prohibition or restriction on the use of the Premises.

11.5 Indemnity for Costs

The Lessee indemnifies the Lessor against any claims or demands for all costs, on a solicitor client basis, reasonably incurred by the Lessor by reason of any claim in relation to any matters set out in this **clause 11**.

12. Alterations

12.1 Restriction

The Lessee must not without prior written consent from the Lessor; from any other person from whom consent is required under this Lease and required under any Written law in force from time to time, including but not limited to the planning approval of the Lessor under a local planning scheme of the Lessor;

- (a) make or allow to be made any alteration, addition or improvements to or demolish any part of the Premises; or
- (b) subject to the performance of the Lessee's obligations in **clause 8.6**, remove any flora or fauna, alter or cut down any flora, or sell, remove or otherwise dispose of any flora, sand, gravel, timber or other materials from the Premises.

12.2 Consent

- (a) If the Lessor and any other person whose consent is required under this Lease or at law consents to any matter referred to in **clause 12.1** the Lessor may:
 - (i) consent subject to conditions; and
 - (ii) require that the works be carried out in accordance with plans and specifications approved by the Lessor or any other person giving consent; and
 - (iii) require that any works be carried out to the satisfaction of the Lessor under the supervision of an engineer or other consultant; and
- (b) if the Lessor consents to any matter referred to in **clause 12.1**:
 - (i) the Lessor gives no warranty that the Lessor will issue any consents, approvals, authorities, permits or policies under any Written Law for such matters; and
 - (ii) the Lessee must apply for and obtain all such consent approvals, authorities, permits or policies as are required at law before undertaking any alterations, additions, improvements or demolition.

12.3 Cost of Works

All works undertaken under this **clause 12** will be carried out at the Lessee's expense.

12.4 Conditions

If any of the consents given by the Lessor or other persons whose consent is required under this Lease or at law require other works to be done by the Lessee as a condition of giving consent, then the Lessee must carry out those other works at the Lessee's expense.

12.5 Compliance with Plans

The Lessee acknowledges that:

- (a) it shall not carry out any works on the Premises without first obtaining the consent of the Lessor to such works; and
- (b) any works approved by the Lessor on the Premises shall be carried out in accordance with plans or requirements or other restraints which relate to the Premises.

13. Statutory Obligations & Notices

13.1 Comply with Statutes

The Lessee must:

- (a) comply promptly with all statutes and local laws from time to time in force relating to the Premises;
- (b) apply for, obtain and maintain in force all consents, approvals, authorities, licences and permits required under any statute for the use of the Premises specified at **clause 11**;
- (c) ensure that all obligations in regard to payment for copyright or licensing fees are paid to the appropriate person for all performances, exhibitions or displays held on the Premises; and

(d) comply promptly with all orders, notices, requisitions or directions of any competent authority relating to the Premises or to the business the Lessee carries on at the Premises.

13.2 Indemnity if Lessee Fails to Comply

The Lessee indemnifies the Lessor against:

- (a) failing to perform, discharge or execute any of the items referred to in clause 13.1; and
- (b) any claims, demands, costs or other payments of or incidental to any of the items referred to in clause 13.1.

13.3 No Fetter

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Lease, the Parties acknowledge that the Lessor is a local government established by the *Local Government Act 1995*, and in that capacity, the Lessor may be obliged to determine applications for consents, approvals, authorities, licences and permits having regard to any Written Law governing such applications including matters required to be taken into consideration and formal processes to be undertaken, and the Lessor shall not be taken to be in default under this Lease by performing its statutory obligations or exercising its statutory discretions, nor shall any provision of this Lease fetter the Lessor in performing its statutory obligations or exercising any discretion.

14. Report to Lessor

The Lessee must immediately report to the Lessor:

(a) Vandalism

any act of vandalism or any incident which occurs on or near the Premises which involves or is likely to involve a breach of the peace or become the subject of a report or complaint to the police and of which the Lessee is aware or should be aware;

(b) **Pollution**

any occurrence or circumstances in or near the Premises of which it becomes aware, which might reasonably be expected to cause, in or on the Premises, pollution of the environment;

(c) Notices, etc

all notices, orders and summonses received by the Lessee and which affect the Premises and immediately deliver them to the Lessor;

(d) **Defects**

any accident to or defect or want of repair in any services or fixtures, fittings, plant or equipment in the Premises and of any circumstances known to the Lessee that may be or may cause a risk or hazard to the Premises or to any person on the Premises.

15. Lessee to Comply with Offer

The Lessee shall at all times comply with the Offer submitted by it and with any acceptance by the Lessor of that Offer.

16. Minimise nuisance to neighbours

- (1) The Lessee acknowledges that the Premises are located in close proximity to residential premises.
- (2) The Lessee must take all reasonable action to minimise and prevent disruption, nuisance and disturbance to surrounding residential premises.
- (3) The Lessee must comply with all reasonable conditions and directions that may be imposed by the Lessor from time to time in relation to the minimisation and prevention of disruption, nuisance and disturbance to surrounding residential premises.

17. Obligations on Termination

17.1 Restore Premises

Prior to Termination, the Lessee at the Lessee's expense must restore the Premises to a condition consistent with the observance and performance by the Lessee of the Lessee's Covenants under this Lease.

17.2 Remove Lessee's Property prior to Termination

Prior to Termination, unless otherwise mutually agreed between the parties, the Lessee must remove from the Premises all property of the Lessee which is not a fixture (other than air-conditioning plant and fire equipment, security alarms and security systems and other fixtures and fittings which in the opinion of the Lessor form an integral part of the Premises) and promptly make good to the satisfaction of the Lessor any damage caused by the removal.

17.3 Lessor can Remove Lessee's Property on Re-Entry

On re-entry the Lessor will have the right to remove from the Premises any property of the Lessee and the Lessee indemnifies the Lessor against all damage caused by the removal of and the cost of storing such property.

17.4 No removal of Lessor's fixtures

The Lessee must not remove from the Premises destroy alter or otherwise dispose of (without the prior written consent of the Lessor), at any time during the Term or on the determination of the Term, any Appurtenances, Equipment or Lessor's Fixtures which will remain the property of the Lessor at all times.

17.5 Peacefully Surrender

On Termination the Lessee must:

- (a) peacefully surrender and yield up to the Lessor the Premises in a condition consistent with the observance and performance of the Lessee's Covenants under this Lease; and
- (b) surrender to the Lessor all keys and security access devices held by the Lessee.

17.6 Obligations to continue

The Lessee's obligations under this clause will survive termination.

No Absolute Caveat or Other Interest

18.1 No Absolute Caveat or other interest

The Lessee nor any person on behalf of the Lessee must not lodge at Landgate any absolute caveat or any other interest including any lease, mortgage, charge over the Land or Premises or part thereof, without the prior written consent of the Lessor.

18.2 Subject to Claim Caveat

Nothing in this **clause 18** prevents the Lessee from lodging a caveat expressed to be subject to claim to protect the Lessee's interest under this Lease. Any caveat lodged by the Lessee in accordance with this clause must be withdrawn by the Lessee upon the expiration or earlier determination of this Lease.

18.3 Removal of interest

If any caveat or other interest is lodged without the consent of the Lessor, the Lessee irrevocably appoints the Lessor (or any person authorised by the Lessor for that purpose) jointly and severally:

- (a) for the Term of this Lease;
- (b) for any holding over under this Lease; and
- (c) for a period of six (6) months after Termination of this Lease

to be the agent and attorney of the Lessee in its name and on its behalf to sign and lodge at Landgate;

- (d) a withdrawal of any absolute caveat lodged by or behalf of the Lessee;
- (e) a withdrawal of any caveat lodged by on or behalf of the Lessee and not withdrawn on Termination; and
- (f) a surrender of the estate granted by this Lease.

18.4 Costs of removal, Indemnity and Ratification

- (a) The Lessee undertakes to ratify all the acts performed by or caused to be performed by the Lessor, its agent or attorney under this clause; and
- (b) the Lessee indemnifies the Lessor against:
 - (i) any loss arising from any act done under this clause; and
 - (ii) all costs and expenses incurred in connection with the performance of any act by the attorney on behalf of the Lessee including the withdrawing of any caveat effecting the Land the registration of this Lease to exercise the power of attorney set out in clause 18.3.

Guarantees

Lease Conditional on Guarantees

This grant of Lease is conditional on:

- (a) if the Lessee is a corporation, a person acceptable to the Lessor providing a guarantee in the terms provided in **clause 20** (the Guarantor); and
- (b) a bank guarantee in the terms provided in **clause 21**.

20. Personal Guarantee

20.1 Personal Guarantee

In consideration of the Lessor entering into a Lease with the Lessee at the request of the Guarantor, the Guarantor hereby jointly and severally:-

- (a) GUARANTEES payment by the Lessee of the Amounts Payable by the Lessee to the Lessor pursuant to this Lease and the observance and performance by the Lessee of the Lessee's Covenants;
- (b) AGREES that if any money payable by the Lessee to the Lessor pursuant to the terms of this Lease shall not be recoverable from the Guarantor under this Guarantee by reason of any legal limitation disability or incapacity on or of the Lessee or by reason of any avoidance of the liability of the Lessee or of any other fact or circumstances then the Guarantor will hold the Lessor fully indemnified at all times against all loss or damage which the Lessor may suffer or incur by reason of any limitation disability incapacity failure fact or circumstances

(Personal Guarantee)

20.2 Guarantor's Covenants

The Guarantor COVENANTS AND AGREES with the Lessor as follows:

- (a) To pay all moneys due and payable to the Lessor by the Lessee under this Lease upon demand.
- (b) The liability of the Guarantor will not be affected by:
 - (i) the granting of any time or other indulgence by the Lessor to any person;
 - (ii) any compounding compromise release abandonment waiver variation or renewal of any term of this Lease or of the right of the Lessor or any omission;
 - (iii) the avoidance of any payment by the Lessee or the Guarantor to the Lessor;
 - (iv) any other dealing matter or thing which but for this provision operates to affect the liability of the Guarantor.
- (c) This Personal Guarantee is an irrevocable and continuing Personal Guarantee and will remain in effect for the benefit of the Lessor in respect of all liabilities of the Lessee arising from this Lease both before and after the determination of the Term.
- (d) All benefits or moneys received by the Lessor from or on account of the Lessee capable of being applied by the Lessor in reduction of any money owing to the Lessor will be taken and applied by the Lessor as payment in gross without any right of the Guarantor to claim any benefit from any moneys so received by the Lessor.
- (e) Upon liquidation or bankruptcy of the Guarantor the Lessor will be entitled to prove for the total indebtedness of the Lessee under this Lease for the Term notwithstanding that the

Rent or other moneys payable by the Lessee to the Lessor under this Lease are not due and payable at the date of the liquidation or bankruptcy of the Guarantor.

- (f) The indemnity given in this clause by the Guarantor will be a principal obligation and may be enforced against the Guarantor without any responsibility on the part of the Lessor to proceed against the Lessee or any other person.
- (g) Upon liquidation or bankruptcy of the Lessee the Guarantor will not prove in competition with the Lessor and the Guarantor authorises the Lessor to provide for all moneys which the Guarantor has paid under this Lease and retain or to appropriate at the discretion of the Lessor any amount received by the Lessor.
- (h) To give effect to this Lease the Guarantor waives in favour of the Lessor all rights of the Guarantor against the Lessee.
- (i) The liabilities of the Guarantor created by this clause shall not be affected by reason of any security taken by the Lessor being or becoming void or defective.
- (j) In the event of any part of this Lease being severed in accordance with the provisions in that behalf contained or implied in this Lease then the Guarantor will not be entitled to rely on or claim the benefit of any severance.
- (k) This Personal Guarantee will remain in force and continue notwithstanding any extension, renewal or assignment of this Lease, and will continue during any period of holding over by the Lessee (whether or not with the Lessor's consent).

20.3 Obligations Effective in All Circumstances

The obligations (expressed or implied) of the Guarantor in this Lease shall apply to and be fully effective in respect of the Lessee's Covenants whether or not:

- (a) the whole or any part of the Lessee's Covenants are enforceable at law or in equity or otherwise pursuant to any express or implied lease, tenancy or other right of occupancy of or interest in the Premises granted by or derived from the Lessor under this Lease or under or pursuant to any antecedent agreement or otherwise enjoyed by the Lessee at law or in equity;
- (b) the Lease is in a form such as to be capable of being registered in the manner referred to in the *Transfer of Land Act* 1893; or
- (c) it is the intention (expressed or implied) of either or both of the Lessor and the Lessee that the Lease be registered in the manner referred to in the *Transfer of Land Act* 1893.

21. Bank Guarantee

21.1 Bank Guarantee

The Lessee must give the Lessor an unconditional and irrevocable undertaking (**Bank Guarantee**) from a bank or financial institution authorised to carry on banking in Australia under the *Banking Act 1959* in the terms provided in **clauses 21.2 to 21.6.**

21.2 Purpose of the Guarantee

The Bank Guarantee will authorise the Lessor to draw on the money guaranteed:

(a) if any Amounts Payable remain unpaid for 7 days after becoming due whether or not a demand or Notice has been given to the Lessee; or

(b) to recover the cost to the Lessor of rectifying any breach of any of the Lessee's Covenants (other than the covenant to pay the Amounts Payable) which has not been rectified by the Lessee within 14 days of being notified of the breach.

21.3 Form of the Guarantee

The Bank Guarantee must be in favour of the Lessor and in a form that is reasonably satisfactory to the Lessor.

21.4 Term of Guarantee

The Bank Guarantee must be enforceable at all times for:

- (a) the Term of the Lease;
- (b) any further term, extension or holding over; and
- (c) a period of three months after termination of the Lease.

21.5 Amount of Bank Guarantee

The amount of the Bank Guarantee shall be at any point in time during the Term or any Further Term be equal to the sum specified in **Item 8** of the Schedule.

21.6 Cost of Bank Guarantee

Any costs associated with meeting this obligation will be paid by the Lessee.

Lessor's Rights & Obligations

22. Quiet Enjoyment

Except as provided in the Lease, subject to the performance of the Lessee's Covenants the Lessee may quietly hold and enjoy the Premises during the Term without any interruption or disturbance from the Lessor or persons lawfully claiming through or under the Lessor.

23. Lessor's Right of Entry

23.1 Entry on Reasonable Notice

The Lessee must permit entry by the Lessor or any Authorised Person onto the Premises without notice in the case of an emergency, and otherwise upon reasonable notice:

- (a) at all reasonable times;
- (b) with or without workmen and others; and
- (c) with or without plant, equipment, machinery and materials;
- (d) for each of the following purposes:
 - (i) to undertake property inspections to inspect the state of repair of the Premises and to ensure compliance with the terms of this Lease;
 - (ii) to carry out any survey or works which the Lessor considers necessary, however the Lessor will not be liable to the Lessee for any compensation for such survey or

- works provided they are carried out in a manner which causes as little inconvenience as is reasonably possible to the Lessee;
- (iii) to comply with the Lessor's Covenants or to comply with any notice or order of any authority in respect of the Premises for which the Lessor is liable; and
- (iv) to do all matters or things to rectify any breach by the Lessee of any term of this Lease but the Lessor is under no obligation to rectify any breach and any rectification under this clause is without prejudice to the Lessor's other rights, remedies or powers under this Lease.

23.2 Costs of Rectifying Breach

All costs and expenses incurred by the Lessor as a result of any breach referred to at **clause 23.1(d)(iv)** together with any interest payable on such sums will be a debt due to the Lessor and payable to the Lessor by the Lessee on demand.

23.3 Notice to Relet

During the last three (3) months prior to the expiry of the Lease the Lessee must:

- (a) permit the Lessor to affix upon any part of the Premises a notice for reletting the same;
- (b) not remove, conceal or deface such notice to relet; and
- (c) permit intending tenants at all reasonable times to view the Premises.

24. Limit of Lessor's Liability

24.1 No Liability for Loss on Premises

The Lessor will not be liable for loss, damage or injury to any person or property in or about the Premises except to the extent that such loss, damage or injury was caused or contributed to by negligent or wilful act or omission of the Lessor or the Lessor's Agents or invitees.

24.2 Limit on Liability for Breach of Lessor's Obligations

- (1) The Lessor is only liable for breaches of the Lessor's Covenants set out in this Lease which occur while the Lessor continues to have the freehold in the Land; and
- (2) the Lessor will not be liable for any failure to perform and observe any of the Lessor's Covenants due to any cause beyond the Lessor's control.

25. Lessor's rights to utilise Premises in emergency

- (1) In the event of an emergency or natural disaster which has an actual or possible impact on residents of the City of Nedlands, the Lessor may issue a notice requiring the Lessee to immediately permit the Lessor to have access to and utilise the Premises for public purposes.
- (2) In the event the Lessor exercises its rights pursuant to subclause (1) above, the Lessor agrees to pay the Lessee reasonable compensation for loss of profit during the period of time the Lessor requires the Premises.

26. Building Insurance

The Lessor shall effect and keep effected insurance to the full insurable value on a replacement or reinstatement value basis of the Premises against damage arising from fire, tempest, storm, earthquake, explosion, aircraft, or other aerial device including items dropped from any device, riot, commotion, flood, lightning, act of God, fusion, smoke, rainwater, leakage, impact by vehicle, machinery breakdown and malicious acts or omissions and other standard insurable risks.

Mutual Agreements

Damage or Destruction of Premises

27.1 Abatement of Lessee's financial obligations

If during the continuance of this Lease the Premises is wholly or partly damaged or destroyed or is rendered wholly or substantially inaccessible through an event described in **clause 27.2**, rendering the Premises or any part of it wholly or substantially unfit for the Lessee's use and occupation or inaccessible, then the Lessee's financial obligations abate in accordance with this clause.

27.2 Abating events

This clause applies in case of fire, lightning, storm, flood, earthquake, explosion, malicious damage, war damage, and any other event beyond the Lessee's control.

27.3 Lessee's financial obligations

Abatement extends to all the Lessee's financial obligations to the Lessor under this Lease, including Rent, and all the rates and taxes and utility charges (**Financial Obligations**).

27.4 Period of Abatement

The period of abatement of the Lessee's Financial Obligations will be from the date of the destruction, damage of the Premises or inaccessibility of the Premises until the date when the Premises are restored, accessible and rendered suitable for the Lessee's use and occupation. For the sake of clarity the abatement shall not apply to any amount that becomes due and payable by the Lessee prior to the date the Premises is wholly or partly damaged or destroyed or is rendered wholly or substantially inaccessible, save that if the Rent has been paid in advance the abatement shall apply to any Rent paid in advance which relates to any period from the date of the destruction, damage or inaccessibility of the Premises.

27.5 Effect of abatement

During and for the period of abatement of the Lessee's Financial Obligations the Lessee's liability to pay the whole or proportion of the Financial Obligations under this Lease, as agreed or determined under clause 27.8, calculated on a daily basis will cease and abate.

27.6 Exception to abatement

The Lessee is not entitled to an abatement of the Lessee's Financial Obligations under this clause if:

(a) the event resulting in the damage, destruction to the Premises or inaccessibility of the Premises is caused or contributed to by the act or negligent omission of the Lessee or the Lessee's employees; or

(b) the Lessor fails to recover the benefit of any insurance for loss or damage to the Building or the Premises because of any act or omission of the Lessee's Agents.

27.7 Lessee's use of premises

If the extent of damage to the Premises enables the Lessee to use and enjoy the whole or part of the Premises for the Lessee's business, THEN the Lessee may continue to use the Premises and conduct its business whilst the Premises are being repaired unless:

- (a) the Lessor reasonably requires such use to cease during the whole or part of the repairs; or
- (b) any public authority prohibits occupation of the Premises in its damaged condition,

and such use by the Lessee will be taken into account when determining the partial abatement of the Lessee's Financial Obligations.

27.8 Determination of abatement

- (1) The parties will endeavour to agree on the commencement and period of abatement of the Lessee's Financial Obligations, and if the Lessee is able to have partial use and enjoyment of the Premises, then the proportion of the abatement of the Lessee's Financial Obligations having regard to the nature and extent of the damage to and use of the Premises.
- (2) If the parties have any dispute regarding the Lessee's entitlement to an abatement of the Lessee's Financial Obligations, its period or amount, the dispute will be determined by a loss assessor:
 - (a) who is then a member of the Insurance Council of Australia Ltd (Council) and is experienced in assessing premises of the nature of the Premises and is nominated by the President for the time being or senior officer of that Council on the application of either party;
 - (b) acting as an expert;
 - (c) who is entitled to accept written submissions and expert reports from either party; and
 - (d) whose costs shall be borne equally by the parties;
 - (e) whose decision is final and binding on the parties.
- (3) If the loss assessor nominated under paragraph (2) above fails to proceed or to determine the dispute, either party may seek the nomination of another loss assessor in accordance with paragraph (2).

28. Option to Renew

If the Lessee at least 14 days, but not earlier than 6 months, prior to the date for commencement of the First Further Term or the Second Further Term (as the case may be) gives the Lessor a Notice to grant the First Further Term or Second Further Term (as the case may be) as specified in **Item 3** of the Schedule and:

- (a) all consents and approvals required by the terms of this Lease or at law have been obtained; and
- (b) there is no subsisting default by the Lessee at the date of service of the Notice in:
 - (i) the payment of Amounts Payable; or
 - (ii) the performance or observance of the Lessee's Covenants,

the Lessor shall grant to the Lessee a Lease for the First Further Term or Second Further Term (as the case may be) as specified in **Item 3** of the Schedule at the Rent and on the same terms as this Lease other than this **clause 28** in respect of the Further Terms previously taken.

29. Assignment, Subletting and Charging

29.1 No Assignment without Consent

The Lessee must not assign the leasehold estate in the Premises nor part with possession, sub-let or dispose of the Premises or any part of the Premises without the prior written consent of the Lessor and any other person whose consent is required under this Lease or at law.

29.2 Change in Ownership of Shares

If the Lessee is a corporation the shares in which are not quoted on any stock exchange in Australia, any change in the beneficial ownership, issue or cancellation of shares in that corporation or any holding company of that corporation within the meaning of the *Corporations Act* 2001 (Cth) will be deemed to be an assignment of the leasehold estate created by this Lease and the Lessee must give the Lessor written notification of the change in ownership of shares within 14 days of the change

29.3 Lessor's Consent to Assignment

Provided all parties whose consent is required under this Lease or at law to an assignment give their consent, then the Lessor may not unreasonably withhold its consent to the assignment of the leasehold estate created by this Lease if:

- (a) the proposed assignee is a respectable and responsible person of good financial standing;
- (b) all Amounts Payable due and payable have been paid and there is no existing unremedied breach, whether notified to the Lessee or not, of any of the Lessee's Covenants;
- (c) the Lessee procures the execution by the proposed assignee of a deed of assignment
- (d) to which the Lessor is a party and which deed is prepared and completed by the Lessor's solicitors; and
- (e) the deed of assignment contains a covenant by the assignee with the Lessor to pay all Amounts Payable and to perform and observe all the Lessee's Covenants; and
- (f) the Lessor's consent to assignment of the Lease, where provided, may be given subject to such reasonable conditions as the Lessor sees fit.

29.4 Release of Lessee upon Assignment

The covenants and agreements on the part of any assignee will be supplementary to the Lessee's Covenants and will not release the assigning Lessee from the Lessee's Covenants, other than to the extent expressly provided in the *Commercial Tenancy (Retail Shops) Agreement Act* 1985.

29.5 Property Law Act 1969

Sections 80 and 82 of the *Property Law Act* 1969 are excluded.

29.6 Costs for Assignment of Lease

If the Lessee wishes to assign or sublet the leasehold estate created by this Lease, the Lessee must pay all reasonable professional and other costs, charges and expenses, incurred by the Lessor or other person whose consent is required under this Lease, of and incidental to:

- (a) the enquiries made by or on behalf of the Lessor as to the respectability, responsibility and financial standing of each proposed assignee;
- (b) any consents required under this Lease or at law; and
- (c) all other matters relating to the proposed assignment of lease,

whether or not the assignment of lease proceeds.

29.7 No Mortgage or Charge

The Lessee must not, without first obtaining the Lessor's consent, mortgage, charge or sub-let the Premises.

30. Default

30.1 Events of Default

- (a) Subject to **clause 30.1(b)**, a default occurs if:
 - (i) any Amounts Payable remain unpaid for one month after becoming due and written notice has been given to the Lessee to pay such Amounts Payable;
 - (ii) the Lessee is in breach of any of the Lessee's Covenants other than the covenant to pay the Amounts Payable for 14 days after written notice has been given to the Lessee to rectify the breach;
 - (iii) an order is made or a resolution effectively passed for the winding up of the Lessee unless the winding up is for the purpose of amalgamation or reconstruction;
 - (iv) a controller, as defined by the *Corporations Act* 2001 is appointed in respect of the Lessee's interest in the Premises under this Lease;
 - (v) a mortgagee takes possession of the Lessee's interest in the Premises under this Lease;
 - (vi) the Premises are vacated;
 - (vii) the registration of the Lessee is cancelled or dissolved under the *Corporations Act*; or
 - (viii) a person other than the Lessee or a permitted Lessee or assignee is in occupation or possession of the Premises or in receipt of a rent and profits.
- (b) For the purposes of **clause 30.1(a)** the Lessor agrees that the Lessee will not be in default under the Lease if, at any time, an administrator, as defined by the *Corporations Act* 2001, is appointed in respect of the Lessee except where the administration comes to an end by reason of the Lessee's creditors resolving that the Lessee should be wound up.

30.2 Forfeiture

On the occurrence of any of the events of default specified in **clause 30.1** the Lessor may:

- (a) without notice or demand at any time enter the Premises and on re-entry the Term will immediately determine;
- (b) by notice to the Lessee determine this Lease and from the date of giving such notice this Lease will be absolutely determined; and
- (c) by notice to the Lessee elect to convert the unexpired portion of the Term into a tenancy from month to month when this Lease will be determined as from the giving of the notice and until the tenancy is determined the Lessee will hold the Premises from the Lessor as a tenant from month to month under clause 32,

but without affecting the right of action or other remedy which the Lessor has in respect of any other breach by the Lessee of the Lessee's Covenants or releasing the Lessee from liability in respect of the Lessee's Covenants.

30.3 Lessor May Remedy Lessee's default

If the Lessee:

- (a) fails or neglects to pay the Amounts Payable by the Lessee under this Lease; or
- (b) does or fails to do anything which constitutes a breach of the Lessee's Covenants,

then, after the Lessor has given to the Lessee notice of the breach and the Lessee has failed to rectify the breach within a reasonable time, the Lessor may without affecting any right, remedy or power arising from that default pay the money due or do or cease the doing of the breach as if it were the Lessee and the Lessee must pay to the Lessor on demand the Lessor's cost and expenses of remedying each breach or default.

30.4 Acceptance of Amount Payable By Lessor

Demand for or acceptance of the Amounts Payable by the Lessor after an event of default has occurred will not affect the exercise by the Lessor of the rights and powers of the Lessor by the terms of the Lease or at law and will not operate as an election by the Lessor to exercise or not to exercise any right or power.

30.5 Essential Terms

Each of the Lessee's Covenants in clauses 2 (Rent and Other Payments); 6 (Insurance), 7 (Indemnity), 8 (Maintenance, Repair and Cleaning), 9 (Operation of Cafe), 11 (Use); 15 (Lessee to Comply with Offer); and 29 (Assignment, Subletting and Charging) is an essential term of this Lease but this clause 30 does not mean or imply that there are no other essential terms in this Lease.

30.6 Breach of Essential Terms

If the Lessee breaches an essential term of this Lease then, in addition to any other remedy or entitlement of the Lessor:

(a) the Lessee must compensate the Lessor for the loss or damage suffered by reason of the breach of that essential term;

- (b) the Lessor will be entitled to recover damages against the Lessee in respect of the breach of an essential term; and
- (c) the Lessee AGREES with the Lessor that if the Term is determined:
 - (i) for breach of an essential term or the acceptance by the Lessor of a repudiation of this Lease by the Lessee; or
 - (ii) following the failure by the Lessee to comply with any notice given to the Lessee to remedy any default,

the Lessee must pay to the Lessor on demand the total of the Amounts Payable under this Lease which would have been payable by the Lessee for the unexpired balance of the Term as if the Term had expired by lapse of time together with the losses incurred or reasonably expected to be incurred by the Lessor as a result of the early determination including but not limited to the costs of re-letting or attempting to re-let the Premises;

- (d) the Lessee agrees that the obligation set out in this **clause 30.6(c)** will survive termination or any deemed surrender at law of the estate granted by this Lease;
- (e) the Lessee may deduct from the amounts referred to at **clause 30.6(c)** the Rent and other money which the Lessor reasonably expects to obtain by re-letting the Premises between the date of Termination and the date on which the Term would have expired by lapse of time; and
- (f) the Lessor must take reasonable steps to mitigate its losses and endeavour to re-let the Premises at a reasonable rent and on reasonable terms but the Lessor is not required to offer or accept rent or terms which are the same or similar to the rent or terms contained or implied in this Lease.

31. Repudiation by Lessee

31.1 Compensation

In the event that the Lessee's conduct (whether by acts or omissions) constitutes a repudiation of the Lessee's obligations under the Lesse) or constitutes a breach of any Lesse covenants, it is agreed that:

- (a) the Lessee shall compensate the Lessor for the loss or damage suffered by reason of the repudiation or breach; and
- (b) the Lessor shall be entitled to recover damages against the Lessee in respect of the repudiation or breach of covenant for the damage suffered by the Lessor during the entire Term of this Lease.

31.2 Entitlement to Recover Damages

The Lessor's entitlement to recover damages shall not be affected or limited in the event that:

- (a) the Lessee abandons or vacates the Premises;
- (b) the Lessor elects to re-enter or to terminate the Lease;
- (c) the Lessor accepts the Lessee's repudiation; or
- (d) the Parties' conduct constitutes a surrender by operation of law.

31.3 Legal Proceedings

The Lessor shall be entitled to institute legal proceedings claiming damages against the Lessee in respect of the entire Term, including the periods before and after the Lessee has vacated the Premises, and before and after the abandonment, termination, repudiation, acceptance of repudiation or surrender by operation of law referred to in **clause 31.2**, whether the proceedings are instituted either before or after such conduct.

32. Holding Over

If the Lessee remains in possession of the Premises after the expiry of the Term with the consent of the Lessor, the Lessee will be a monthly tenant of the Lessor at a rent equivalent to one twelfth of the Rent for the period immediately preceding expiry of the Term and otherwise on the same terms and conditions of this Lease provided that all consents required under this Lease or at law have been obtained to the Lessee being in possession of the Premises as a monthly tenant.

33. Disputes

33.1 Referral of Dispute: Phase 1

Except as otherwise provided any dispute arising out of this Lease is to be referred in the first instance in writing to the Lessor's Representative as nominated in writing by the Lessor from time to time (**the Lessor's Representative**) who shall convene a meeting within 10 days of receipt of such notice from the Lessee or such other period of time as is agreed to by the parties between the Lessor's Representative and an officer of the Lessee for the purpose of resolving the dispute (**the Original Meeting**).

33.2 Referral of Dispute: Phase 2

In the event the dispute is not resolved in accordance with **clause 33.1** of this Lease then the dispute shall be referred in writing to the CEO of the Lessor who shall convene a meeting within 10 days of the Original Meeting or such other date as is agreed to by the parties between the CEO and the Lessee for the purpose of resolving the dispute.

33.3 Appointment of Arbitrator: Phase 3

In the event the dispute is not resolved in accordance with **clause 33.2** of this Lease then unless otherwise required pursuant to the provisions of the *Commercial Tenancy (Retail Shops) Agreements Act* 1985 the dispute shall be determined by a single arbitrator under the provisions of the *Commercial Arbitration Act* 1985 (as amended from time to time) and the Lessor and the Lessee may each be represented by a legal practitioner.

33.4 Payment of Amounts Payable to Date of Award

The Lessee must pay the Amounts Payable without deduction to the date of the award of the Arbitrator or the date of an agreement between the Parties whichever event is the earlier, and if any money paid by the Lessee is not required to be paid within the terms of the award of the Arbitrator or by agreement between the Lessor and the Lessee then the Lessor will refund to the Lessee the monies paid

General Provisions

34. Notice

34.1 Form of Delivery

A Notice to a person must be in writing and may be given or made:

- (a) by a delivery to the person personally; or
- (b) by addressing it to the person and leaving it at or posting it by registered post to the address of the Party appearing in this Lease or any other address nominated by a Party by notice to the other.

34.2 Service of Notice

A Notice to a person is deemed to be given or made:

- (a) if by personal delivery, when delivered;
- (b) if by leaving the Notice at an address specified in **clause 34.1**, at the time of leaving the Notice provided the Notice is left during normal business hours; and
- (c) if by post to an address specified in **clause 34.1**, on the second business day following the date of posting of the Notice.

34.3 Signing of Notice

A Notice to a person may be signed:

- (a) if given by an individual by the person giving the Notice:
- (b) if given by a corporation by a director, secretary or manager of that corporation; or
- (c) if given by a local government, by the CEO or a person authorised to sign on behalf of the local government; or
- (d) by a solicitor or other agent of the person, corporation or local government giving the Notice.

35. Amendments to Lease

Subject to such consents as are required by this Lease or at law, this Lease may be varied by the agreement of the parties in writing.

36. Waiver

36.1 No General Waiver

Failure to exercise or delay in exercising any right, power or privilege in this Lease by a Party does not operate as a waiver of that right, power or privilege.

36.2 Partial Exercise of Right Power or Privilege

A single or partial exercise of any right, power or privilege does not preclude any other or further exercise of that right, power or privilege or the exercise of any other right, power or privilege.

37. Acts by Agents

All acts and things which the Lessor is required to do under this Lease may be done by the Lessor, or the Lessor's Agents.

38. Statutory Powers

The powers conferred on the Lessor by or under any statutes for the time being in force are, except to the extent that they are inconsistent with the terms and provisions expressed in this Lease, in addition to the powers conferred on the Lessor in this Lease.

39. Further Assurance

The Parties must execute and do all acts and things necessary or desirable to implement and give full effect to the terms of this Lease.

40. Severance

If any part of this Lease is or becomes void or unenforceable, that part is or will be severed from this Lease to the intent that all parts that are not or do not become void or unenforceable remain in full force and effect and are unaffected by that severance.

41. Moratorium

The provisions of a statute which would but for this clause extend or postpone the date of payment of money, reduce the rate of interest or abrogate, nullify, postpone or otherwise affect the terms of this Lease do not, to the fullest extent permitted by law, apply to limit the terms of this Lease.

42. Governing Law

This Lease is governed by and is to be interpreted in accordance with the laws of Western Australia and, where applicable, the laws of the Commonwealth of Australia.

Definitions & Interpretation

43. Definitions

In this Lease, unless otherwise required by the context or subject matter:

Alterations means any of the acts referred to in clauses 12.1(a) and 12.1(b);

Amounts Payable means the Rent and any other money payable by the Lessee under this Lease;

Appurtenances means all drains, toilets, grease traps, wash basins, bathrooms, water, gas and electrical fittings and other services contained in or about the Premises or other parts of the Centre;

Authorised Person means an agent, employee or licensee of the Lessor;

Basic Consideration means all consideration (whether in money or otherwise) to be paid or provided by the Lessee for any supply or use of the Premises and any goods, services or other things provided by the Lessor under this Lease (other than tax payable pursuant to this clause);

CEO means the Chief Executive Officer for the time being of the Lessor or any person appointed by the Chief Executive Officer to perform any of her or his functions under this Lease;

Commencement Date means the date of commencement of the Term specified in **Item 4** of the Schedule;

Completion Date means the date for completing the Fit-out Works specified in **Annexure 3**;

Café means that part of the Centre, comprising the café/kiosk;

Encumbrance means a mortgage, charge, lien, pledge, easement, restrictive covenant, writ, warrant or caveat and the claim stated in the caveat or anything described as an encumbrance on the Certificate of Title for the Land;

First Further Term means the further term specified in Item 3(a) of the Schedule;

Fit-out Works means the alterations, extensions installations, fit-out to be carried by the Lessee on the Premises, as specified in **Annexure 3** of this Lease

Further Terms means the further terms specified in Item 3 of the Schedule;

Good Repair means good and substantial tenantable repair and in clean, good working order and condition;

GST has the meaning that it bears in the GST Act;

GST Act means *A New Tax System (Goods and Services Tax) Act 1999 (Cth)* and any legislation substituted for, replacing or amending that Act;

GST Adjustment Rate means the amount of any increase in the rate of tax imposed by the GST Law:

GST Law has the meaning that it bears in section 195-1 of the GST Act;

GST Rate means 10%, or such other figure equal to the rate of tax imposed by the GST Law;

Input Tax Credit has the meaning that it bears in section 195-1 of the GST Act.

Interest Rate means the rate at the time the payment falls due being 2% greater than the Lessor's general overdraft rate on borrowings from its bankers on amounts not exceeding \$100,000.00;

Land means the land described at Item 1 of the Schedule;

Lease means this deed as supplemented, amended or varied from time to time;

Lessee's Agents includes:

- (a) the sublessees, employees, agents, contractors, invitees and licensees of the Lessee; and
- (b) any person on the Leased Premises by the authority of a person specified in paragraph (a).

Lessee's Covenants means the covenants, agreements and obligations set out or implied in this Lease or imposed by law to be performed and observed by the Lessee;

Lessor's Agents means the CEO, an officer or the agent, solicitor, contractor or employee of the Lessor;

Lessor's Covenants means the covenants, agreements and obligations set out or implied in this Lease, or imposed by law to be performed and observed by the Lessor;

Lessor's Fixtures and Fittings means all fixtures, fittings and equipment installed in or provided to the Premises by the Lessor at the Commencement Date or at any time during the Term. An initial list of the Lessor's Fixtures and Fittings installed at the Commencement Date is annexed hereto as **Annexure 2**.

Minimum Trading Hours means those hours specified in Item 9 of the Schedule;

Minister for Lands means the Minister for Lands in her or his capacity as the body corporate continued under section 7 of the *Land Administration Act 1997*;

Notice means each notice, demand, consent or authority given or made to any person under this Lease;

Offer means the offer submitted by the Lessee copy annexed hereto as Annexure 4;

Party means the Lessor or the Lessee according to the context;

Permitted Purpose means the purpose set out in Item 7 of the Schedule;

Premises means the premises described in **Item 1** of the Schedule;

Rent means the rent specified in **Item 5** of the Schedule as varied from time to time under this Lease:

Schedule means the Schedule to this Lease;

Second Further Term means the further term specified in Item 3(b) of the Schedule;

Tax Invoice has the meaning which it bears in section 195-1 of the GST Act;

Taxable Supply has the meaning which it bears in section 195-1 of the GST Act.

Term means the term of years specified in Item 2 of the Schedule; and

Termination means the date of:

- (a) expiry of the Term or any Further Term by effluxion of time;
- (b) sooner determination of the Term or any Further Term; or
- (c) determination of any period of holding over.

Written Law includes all acts and statutes (State or Federal) for the time being enacted and all regulations, schemes, ordinances, local laws, by-laws, requisitions, orders or statutory instruments made under any Act from time to time by any statutory, public or other competent authority.

44. Interpretation

In this Lease, unless expressed to the contrary:

(a) Words importing:

- (i) the singular include the plural;
- (ii) the plural include the singular; and
- (iii) any gender include each gender;
- (b) A reference to:
 - (i) a natural person includes a body corporate or local government; and
 - (ii) a body corporate or local government includes a natural person;
- (c) A reference to a professional body includes a successor to or substitute for that body;
- (d) A reference to a Party includes its legal personal representatives, successors and assigns and if a Party comprises two or more persons, the legal personal representatives, successors and assigns of each of those persons;
- (e) A reference to a statute, ordinance, code, regulation, award, town planning scheme or other law includes a regulation, local law, by-law, requisition, order or other statutory instruments under it and any amendments to re-enactments of or replacements of any of them from time to time in force:
- (f) A reference to a right includes a benefit, remedy, discretion, authority or power;
- (g) A reference to an obligation includes a warranty or representation and a reference to a failure to observe or perform an obligation includes a breach of warranty or representation;
- (h) A reference to this Lease or provisions or terms of this Lease or any other deed, agreement, instrument or contract include a reference to:
 - (i) both express and implied provisions and terms; and
 - (ii) that other deed, agreement, instrument or contract as varied, supplemented, replaced or amended;
- (i) A reference to writing includes any mode of representing or reproducing words in tangible and permanently visible form and includes facsimile transmissions;
- (j) Any thing (including, without limitation, any amount) is a reference to the whole or any part of it and a reference to a group of things or persons is a reference to any one or more of them;
- (k) If a Party comprises two or more persons the obligations and agreements on their part bind and must be observed and performed by them jointly and each of them severally and may be enforced against any one or more of them;
- (l) The agreements and obligations on the part of the Lessee not to do or omit to do any act or thing include:
 - (i) an agreement not to permit that act or thing to be done or omitted to be done by an Authorised Person; and
 - (ii) an agreement to do everything necessary to ensure that that act or thing is not done or omitted to be done;

(m) Except in the Schedule headings do not affect the interpretation of this Lease.



Schedule

Item 1 Land and Premises

Land

Lot 6987 on Deposited Plan 167276 being the whole of the land comprised in Certificate of Title Volume 2115 Folio 135.

Premises

That part of the Land known as Eco Centre Café/Kiosk situated at Canning River Eco Education Centre as shown in the plan annexed hereto as **Annexure 1** including fixtures and fittings belonging to the Lessor therein and all additions or modifications and replacements from time to time; and

Item 2 Term

3 years commencing on [insert date] 2011 and expiring on [insert date]

2014.

Item 3 Further Terms

First Further Term

(a) 1 year commencing on 2014 and expiring on 2015.

Second Further Term

(b) 1 year commencing on 2015 and expiring on 2016.

Item 4 Commencement Date

[to be inserted]

Item 5 Rent

- (i) Subject to paragraph (ii), one peppercorn per annum payable on the Lessor's demand.
- (ii) The Lessee acknowledges that in consideration of the Lessee operating a Café from the Premises for the Minimum Hours the Lessor has agreed to impose a peppercorn rent. However, in the event the Lessee does not operate a Café from the Premises for the Minimum Hours, the Lessee and Lessor covenant and agree that Rent will be payable on the Premises in the amount of \$5,000 (five thousand dollars) per annum (payable monthly in advance) with the first payment due within 14 days of the Lessor issuing a notice requiring the payment of rent at commercial rates.

Item 6 Public Liability

Ten million dollars (\$10,000,000.00).

Item 7 Permitted purpose

Cafe or delicatessen style food business activity, which includes some food preparation, reheating of food and refrigerated food storage. There is no grease trap and therefore, but excludes any preparation of food that requires the provision of a grease trap.

Item 8 Amount of Bank Guarantee

\$6000 (Six thousand dollars)

Item 9 Minimum Trading Hours

9 am to 5 pm, Monday to Sunday, unless otherwise agreed.

Item 10 Repainting Dates

At the end of the Term, unless otherwise advised by the Lessor in writing.



Signing page

EXECUTED by the parties as a Deed

THE COMMON SEAL of the City of Nedlands was hereunto affixed by authority of a resolution of the

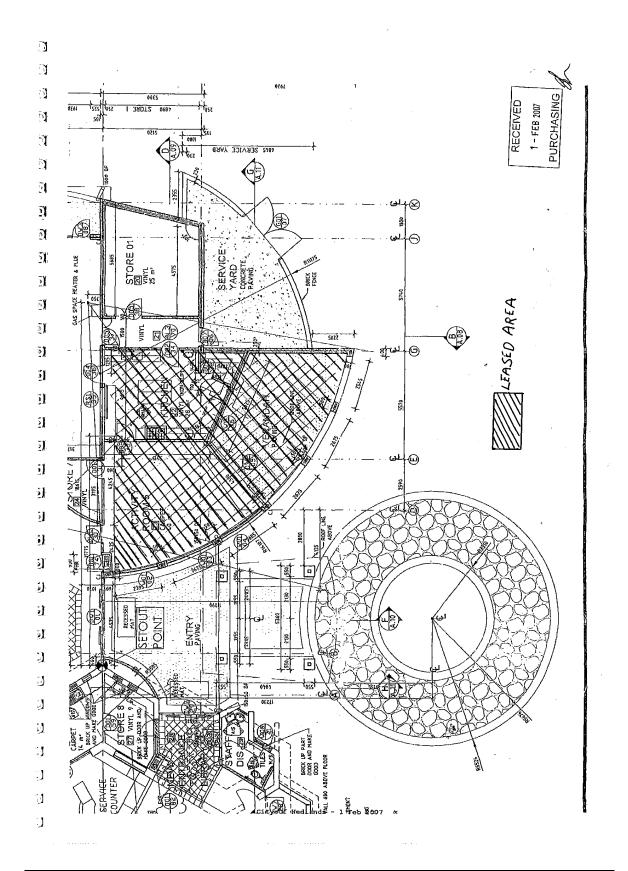
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Council in the presence of:	
Signature of Mayor	Full name of Mayor
Signature of Chief Executive Officer	Full name of Chief Executive Officer

Insert signing clauses of lessee and guarantors

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Annexure 1 - Sketch of Premises



Annexure 2 - Lessor's Fixtures & Fittings

- Exhaust Fan
- Stove
- Pantry cupboards
- Work top surfaces
- Fire extinguishers and fire blanket

Annexure 3 – Fit-out Requirements

Internal fit-out to be carried out by the Lessee at its cost, and such fit-out must be completed so that the Café is operational within two months of the Commencement Date.

Annexure 4 – Lessee's Offer

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Attachment to Item 16.1

Council 23 August 2011

Report on the Decisions from the Special Meeting of Electors Held on 10 August 2011

Minutes of the Special Meeting of Electors held on Wednesday 10 August 2011 at 6.00pm in the Banksia Room, Mt Claremont Community Centre, 107 Montgomery Ave, Mt Claremont.

1. Opening and Welcome

The Presiding Member, Cr M Hipkins, welcomed the public and attendees to the Special Meeting of Electors and declared the meeting open at 6.04 pm.

The Presiding Member advised that the advertisement calling the meeting was published in The West Australian on Wednesday 27 July 2011 and the Post newspaper on Saturday 30 July 2011, together with notices displayed at the Administration Centre and Libraries.

- 2. Introduction of Elected Members and Staff
- 2.1 Record of Attendance / Apologies / Leave of Absence

Councillors	Councillor R M Hipkins	(Presiding Member)
	Councillor N B J Horley	Coastal Districts Ward
	Councillor K A Smyth	Coastal Districts Ward
	Councillor I S Argyle	Dalkeith Ward
	Councillor M S Negus	Dalkeith Ward
	Councillor J D Bell	Hollywood Ward
	Councillor R M Binks	Hollywood Ward
	Councillor B G Hodsdon	Hollywood Ward
	Councillor I Tan	Melvista Ward
	Councillor B Tyson	Melvista Ward

Staff Mr GT Foster Chief Executive Officer
Mr M Cole Director Corporate Services
Ms D Blake Director Community & Strategy

Ms N Borowicz Executive Assistant

Apologies Her Worship the Mayor, S A Froese

Councillor K E Collins Coastal Districts Ward
Councillor M L Somerville-Brown Melvista Ward

2.2 Record of Attendance / Apologies from Electors, Guests and Members of the Press

Apologies received from:

Premier, Hon Colin Barnett, MLA Minister for Local Government, Hon J Castrilli, MLA Member for Nedlands, Hon W Marmion, MLA Member for South West Region, Hon N Hallet, MLC

Leader of the Opposition, Hon Eric Ripper, MLA Opposition Spokesman, Mr P Papalia, MLA Mr Stephen Lipple.

Public: There were 192 members of the public present.

Press: The Post Newspaper representatives (2) and Western Suburbs Weekly representative.

3. Procedural Matters

The Presiding Member outlined the procedures of the meeting.

- 1. Electors only may speak except with approval of the person presiding.
- 2. Only an elector may vote.
- 3. An elector does not have to vote.
- 4. Each elector has one vote.
- 5. When addressing the meeting, a person is to
- a) rise and remain standing unless unable to do so by reason of sickness or disability;
- b) state his or her name for recording in the minutes;
- c) address the meeting through the person presiding.
- 6. No motion or amendment is open to debate until it has been seconded. Only one amendment on any one motion shall be received at a time and such amendment shall be disposed of before any further amendment can be received; but any number of amendments may be proposed.
- 7. The mover of a motion (but not the mover of an amendment) has the right of reply, and this closes the debate.
- 8. An elector may rise and move without discussion, "that the question be now put", which, on being duly seconded and carried by a majority, will result in submission of the motion at once to the meeting, after the mover has replied.
- 9. Voting is determined by show of hands or other form of open voting determined by the person presiding.
- 10. A simple majority carries the vote.
- 11. The person presiding is to determine questions of order and procedure not stated above but an elector may move a motion of dissent from a ruling of the person presiding, which if seconded, shall be put without discussion.
- 12. Minutes of this meeting will be available for inspection by members of the public as from Monday 15 August 2011 and will be considered by the Council at its meeting to be held on Tuesday 23 August 2011.
- 13. The decisions of this meeting are not binding on the Council, but as required by the Local Government Act, the reasons for any Council decision on a decision of this meeting are to be recorded in the minutes of the Council meeting.

Definition of Elector

An elector is defined in the Local Government Act 1995. An elector is a person who is eligible to vote in an election of the City of Nedlands.

Speaking at Electors Meetings

The Presiding Member added that while he would give some leniency to the mover and seconder of motions, he asked that other speakers contain their addresses to 3 minutes.

4. The details of the matter discussed at the meeting were:

The Presiding Member acknowledged the presence of the Deputy Mayor from the City of Subjaco and the Hon Max Trenorden MLC.

The Presiding Member read aloud the details of the matter to be discussed being the conduct of the Mayor Sheryl Froese and Councillors Bell, Tan, Horley, Negus, Binks, Hodsdon, Somerville-Brown and Smyth in,

- a) Dealing with the issue of amalgamation with the City of Subiaco and supporting it without agreeing to conduct a referendum of electors prior to any decision,
- b) Proceeding with a motion that was not advertised in the notice of meeting;
- Proceeding with a proposal for amalgamation in direct contradiction to the process published by the Dept of Local Government after the merger was rejected by the City of Subiaco;
- d) Proceeding with a request to the Hon Minister for Local Government to investigate a "forced merger" when the motion passed by the Council only referred to assessment of "the viability of a merger";
- e) Seeking the intervention of the Minister to end the existence of the City of Nedlands, and
- f) Asking the Minister to defer Council elections, the real purpose of which is to deny democratic rights and avoid accountability to the people of Nedlands.

Motions were moved in the following terms:

4.1 Professor Martyn Webb, 102 Circe Circle, Dalkeith

Moved – Professor M Webb, 102 Circe Circle, Dalkeith Seconded – Ms Kerry Walker, 3 Burwood Street, Nedlands

That this meeting calls on the City of Nedlands to forthwith rescind the invalid resolution adopted by the Council at its special meeting on Thursday 7th July 2011.

Professor Webb spoke in support of the motion.

4.1.1 Mr Ken Eastwood, 7 Alexander Place, Dalkeith

Mr Eastwood moved the following amendment on two grounds, it was no longer possible to rescind the resolution adopted by Council at its special meeting on Thursday 7th July 2011 as it had already been acted upon and the resolution did not satisfy s2.1 of the Local Government Act 1995.

Moved – Mr Ken Eastwood, 7 Alexander Place, Dalkeith Seconded – Mr Mal Jacoby, 29 Jutland Parade, Dalkeith

That this meeting calls on the Nedlands Electors Association Inc to lodge a complaint with the Local Government Standards Panel, the Local Government Advisory Board and any other body in relation to the invalid resolution adopted by the Council at its special meeting on Thursday 7th July 2011.

4.1.2 Cr Irene Tan

Cr Tan raised a procedural motion stating that as the amendment was different from the original motion, it should be foreshadowed and moved if the original motion was lost.

4.1.3 Mr Ray Tauss, 20 Broome Street, Nedlands

Mr Tauss spoke in support of the original motion and the amendment.

4.1.4 Mrs Toni James, 4 Archdeacon Street, Nedlands

Mrs James moved that the motion be put.

Moved – Mrs Toni James, 4 Archdeacon Street, Nedlands Seconded – Mr Bill James, 4 Archdeacon Street, Nedlands

That the amendment be put.

CARRIED BY A MAJORITY SHOW OF HANDS

The amendment, moved by Mr Ken Eastwood and seconded by Mr Mal Jacoby That this meeting calls on the Nedlands Electors Association Inc to lodge a complaint with the Local Government Standards Panel, the Local Government Advisory Board and any other body in relation to the invalid resolution adopted by the Council at its special meeting on Thursday 7th July 2011.

was put and

CARRIED BY A MAJORITY SHOW OF HANDS

The substantive motion, moved by Professor M Webb and seconded by Ms Kerry Walker, and subsequently amended, as moved by Mr Ken Eastwood and seconded by Mr Mal Jacoby –

That this meeting calls on the Nedlands Electors Association Inc to lodge a complaint with the Local Government Standards Panel, the Local Government Advisory Board and any other body in relation to the invalid resolution adopted by the Council at its special meeting on Thursday 7th July 2011.

was put and

CARRIED BY A MAJORITY SHOW OF HANDS

4.2 Mr Ken Eastwood, 7 Alexander Place, Dalkeith

Moved – Mr Mr Ken Eastwood, 7 Alexander Place, Dalkeith Seconded – Mr Richard Fernandez, 31 Loftus Street, Nedlands

That this meeting censures the Mayor and Councillors Bell, Tan, Horley, Negus, Binks, Hodsdon, Somerville-Brown and Smyth for seeking to end the existence of the City of Nedlands in a merger with Subiaco and for its lack of proper and adequate consultation with the residents and ratepayers of the City of Nedlands.

Mr Eastwood spoke in support of the motion.

4.2.1 Hon Max Trenorden, 23 Selby Street, Daglish

Mr Trenorden spoke against the merger proposal and then spoke in support of his Bill before State Parliament that seeks to amalgamate the effort, the intent and the intellectual property of local government, based on the South Australian Model.

4.2.2 Mr Noel Younginian, 1 Colin Street, Dalkeith

Mr Younginian spoke against the merger proposal and hadn't heard one person speak for it.

4.2.3 Mr Neil Davis, 49 Haldane Road, Mt Claremont

Mr Davis spoke against the merger proposal.

4.2.4 Mr Arthur Auguste, 256 Marine Parade Swanbourne

Mr Auguste wanted to hear from one of the Councillors who voted for the motion.

4.2.5 Cr John Bell

Cr Bell spoke in support of the merger proposal

4.2.6 Mr Bill Moss (no address given)

Mr Moss moved that Cr Bell be no longer heard.

Moved Mr Bill Moss Seconded Ms Toni James, 4 Archdeacon Street, Nedlands

That Cr Bell be no longer heard

was put and

CARRIED BY A MAJORITY SHOW OF HANDS

4.2.7 Mr Blair Berglin, 15 Whitfield Street, Floreat

Mr Berglin, who is also President of the Hackett Civic Association, spoke in support of the merger proposal.

4.2.8 Ms Kerry Walker, 3 Burwood Street, Nedlands

Ms Walker moved that the motion be put.

Moved – Ms Kerry Walker, 3 Burwood Street, Nedlands Seconded – Prof Martyn Webb, 102 Circe Circle Dalkeith

That the motion be put.

CARRIED BY A MAJORITY SHOW OF HANDS

The motion by Mr Ken Eastwood and seconded by Mr Richard Fernandez –

That this meeting censures the Mayor and Councillors Bell, Tan, Horley, Negus, Binks, Hodsdon, Somerville-Brown and Smyth for seeking to end the existence of the City of Nedlands in a merger with Subiaco and for its lack of proper and adequate consultation with the residents and ratepayers of the City of Nedlands.

was put and

CARRIED BY A MAJORITY SHOW OF HANDS

4.3. Mr Robert van Straalen, 3 Vincent Street, Nedlands

Moved – Mr R van Straalen, 3 Vincent Street, Nedlands Seconded – Mrs Toni James, 4 Archdeacon Street, Nedlands

This meeting censures the Mayor and named Councillors for seeking a deferral of the Council elections for Mayor and Councillors due this year.

Mr van Straalen spoke in support of the motion.

4.3.1 - Mrs Toni James, 4 Archdeacon Street, Nedlands

Mrs Toni James spoke in support of the motion.

4.3.2 - Mrs Faye Blythe, 8 Garland Road, Dalkeith

Mrs Blythe expressed concern that contrary to assurances given at the beginning of the meeting discussion was now being personalized, peoples names had been used with some malice and she was disgusted.

4.3.3 - Mr Ross Horley, 13 Whitney Crescent, Mt Claremont

Mr Horley guestioned what would happen after this motion was moved.

4.3.4 – Mr Leo McManus, 48 Adderley Street, Mt Claremont

Mr McManus spoke in support of the motion.

4.3.5 Ms Kerry Walker, 3 Burwood Street, Nedlands

Ms Walker moved that the motion be put.

Moved – Ms Kerry Walker, 3 Burwood Street, Nedlands Seconded – Mr Ken Eastwood, 7 Alexander Place, Dalkeith

That the motion be put.

CARRIED BY A MAJORITY SHOW OF HANDS

The motion moved by Mr van Straalen and seconded by Mrs Toni James –

This meeting censures the Mayor and named Councillors for seeking a deferral of the Council elections for Mayor and Councillors due this year.

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4.4. Mr Colin Latchem, 2 Sherwood Road, Dalkeith

Moved – Mr Colin Latchem, 2 Sherwood Road, Dalkeith Seconded – Mr Ken Eastwood, 7 Alexander Place, Dalkeith

That this meeting expresses its lack of confidence in them.

Mr Latchem spoke in support of the motion.

4.4.1 Mr John Wetherall, 38 Clifton Street, Nedlands

Mr Wetherall asked if any Councillor who supported the merger proposal would speak to the meeting giving their reasons for support.

4.4.2 Councillor John Bell

Cr Bell spoke on why he was in support of the merger proposal

4.4.3 Ms Kerry Walker, 3 Burwood Street, Nedlands

Ms Walker asked if Mr Colin Latchem could repeat the clause concerning conduct.

4.4.4 Mr Colin Latchem, 2 Sherwood Road, Dalkeith

Mr Latchem responded that he was referring to the Local Government (Rules of Conduct) Regulations 2007.

4.4.5 Professor Martyn Webb, 102 Circe Circle, Dalkeith

Professor Webb asked whether the press release issued by the Mayor could be read out, and asked if Cr Argyle who had a copy could do so.

4.4.6 Councillor lan Argyle

Councillor Argyle read aloud the press release issued by the Mayor on 8 July 2011. Cr Argyle then spoke of his observations and experiences with amalgamations from discussions he had with various elected members, officers and residents in Victoria, Queensland, New South Wales, South Australia and Western Australia.

4.4.7 Councillor Kerry Smyth

Councillor Smyth spoke of her role as a Councillor, and the information she had received and viewed the merger proposal as means to address crumbling infrastructure. Councillor Smyth also spoke of misinformation.

4.4.8 Councillor Nikola Horley

Councillor Horley spoke in support of Councillor Smyth in addressing the meeting and also spoke of her support for the decision made by the Councillors concerned, pointing out that the motion did not advocate an amalgamation but that the viability be examined. She further advised the meeting that a separate motion supporting an amalgamation had been moved by Councillor Hipkins and seconded by Councillor Argyle but that this had not been supported by the named Councillors.

4.4.9 Mrs Elaine Jacoby, 29 Jutland Parade, Dalkeith

Ms Jacoby spoke in support of the motion and questioned the timing of the meeting when a number of people, including the Mayor, Premier, Minister and local Member could not attend.

The Presiding Member then closed discussion on the motion and put it to a vote.

That this meeting expresses its lack of confidence in them.

was put and

CARRIED BY A MAJORITY SHOW OF HANDS

5. Declaration of Closure

There being no further business, the Presiding Member declared the meeting closed at 7.42 pm and thanked everyone for their attendance.