

City of Nedlands | Special Meeting of Electors Minutes 26 May 2011

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Minutes of the Special Meeting of Electors held at 6 pm on Thursday 26 May 2011 at the Hollywood Subiaco Bowling Club, 42 Smyth Road, Nedlands.

1. Opening and Welcome

Her Worship the Mayor welcomed the public and attendees to the Special Meeting of Electors and declared the meeting open at 6 pm.

The Mayor advised that the purpose of the meeting was the proposed change of use of the area known as Highview Park, currently an A Class Reserve for recreation purposes, to a car park and apparent support of Council for that change.

The Mayor added that she was also aware that a number of people may wanted to raise other issues and she advised that once that formal business of the meeting had been concluded, she would be available to discuss these issues.

The Mayor advised that the advertisement calling the meeting was published in The West Australian on Thursday 12 May 2011, together with notices displayed at the Administration Centre and Libraries.

2. Introduction of Elected Members and Staff

The Mayor introduced Elected Members and Administration staff.

2.1 Record of Attendance / Apologies / Leave Of Absence

Councillors	Her Worship the Mayor, S A Froese Councillor R M Hipkins Councillor M S Negus Councillor J D Bell Councillor R M Binks Councillor B G Hodsdon Councillor I Tan Councillor B Tyson	(Presiding Member) Dalkeith Ward Dalkeith Ward Hollywood Ward Hollywood Ward Hollywood Ward Melvista Ward Melvista Ward
Staff	Mr M Cole Mr I Hamilton Ms C Eldridge Ms D Blake	Director Corporate Services Director Technical Services Director Development Services Director Community and Strategy

Leave of Absence	Councillor K E Collins	Coastal Districts Ward
(Previously Approved)		



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Apologies

Councillor N B J Horley Councillor K A Smyth Councillor I S Argyle Councillor M L Somerville-Brown Mr GT Foster Coastal Districts Ward Coastal Districts Ward Dalkeith Ward Melvista Ward Chief Executive Officer

3. **Procedural Matters**

Her Worship the Mayor outlined the procedures of the meeting.

Meeting procedures

- 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. 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.
- 5. 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.
- 6. The mover of a motion (but not the mover of an amendment) has the right of reply, and this closes the debate.
- 7. 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.
- 8. Each elector has one vote.
- 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 30 May 2011 and will be considered by the Council at its meeting to be held on Tuesday 28 June 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

When addressing the meeting, please use the public microphone and state your name and address for minute taking purposes.



4. Record of Attendance / Apologies from Electors, Guests and Members of the Press

Public There were 40 members of the public present (see attached attendance sheets).

Press The Post Newspaper representative.

5. Discussion of the proposed change of use of the area known as Highview Park, currently an A Class Reserve for recreation purposes, to a car park and apparent support of Council for that change

Mr Paul Morgan spoke in support of the following motion.

Moved – Mr Paul Morgan of 51 Verdun Street, Nedlands Seconded – Mr Greg Leuzzi of 53 Verdun Street, Nedlands

- 1. That this meeting calls on the City of Nedlands to forthwith rescind any decision it may have made to proceed in any form with the proposal or the establishment of a car park in Highview Park.
- 2. That this meeting calls on the City of Nedlands to forthwith reject all and any proposal for the establishment of a car park in Highview Park,

CARRIED BY A MAJORITY SHOW OF HANDS

Declaration of Closure

There being no further business, the Presiding Member thanked everyone for their attendance and declared the meeting closed at 6.10 pm.

Note: In accordance with Section 5.33 of the Local Government Act 1995 a report on the decisions made at the special electors' meeting will be presented to Council at the next ordinary meeting, scheduled for 28 June 2011.



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