



**City of
Kalgoorlie
Boulder**

MINUTES

(UNCONFIRMED)

**of the
SPECIAL ELECTORS MEETING
Held at 6:30PM
on
28 FEBRUARY, 2022
in the
Kalgoorlie Town Hall**

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1 DECLARATION OF OPENING/ANNOUNCEMENT OF VISITORS

The Mayor declared the meeting open at 6:30PM welcoming those present.

THE MAYOR WILL READ THE DISCLAIMER TO THOSE PRESENT.

THE RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED IN THIS AGENDA ARE ELECTOR'S RECOMMENDATIONS ONLY AND SHOULD NOT BE ACTED UPON UNTIL COUNCIL HAS RESOLVED TO ADOPT THOSE RECOMMENDATIONS.

THE RESOLUTIONS OF COUNCIL SHOULD BE CONFIRMED BY PERUSING THE MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL MEETING AT WHICH THESE RECOMMENDATIONS WERE CONSIDERED.

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC SHOULD ALSO NOTE THAT THEY ACT AT THEIR OWN RISK IF THEY ENACT ANY RESOLUTION PRIOR TO RECEIVING OFFICIAL WRITTEN NOTIFICATION OF COUNCIL'S DECISION.

THE MAYOR CONFIRMED THAT THE ORGANISERS WILL LIVE STREAM AND RECORD THE MEETING.

2 RECORD OF ATTENDANCE/APOLOGIES/LEAVE OF ABSENCE (PREVIOUSLY APPROVED)

IN ATTENDANCE:

Mayor John Bowler
Cr Glenn Wilson
Cr Deborah Botica
Cr Mandy Reidy
Cr Dave Grills
Cr Terrence Winner
Cr John Matthew
Cr Kirsty Dellar
Cr Amy Astill
Cr Kim Eckert
Cr Suzie Williams
Cr Wayne Johnson

MEMBERS OF STAFF:

Mr Alex Wiese	Acting Chief Executive Officer
Mr David Trevaskis	Deputy Chief Executive Officer
Ms Xandra Curnock	Chief Financial Officer
Mr Tony Bilson	Executive Manager People & Culture
Mrs Emma Holtum	PA to Deputy Chief Executive Officer
Mrs Susie Beamish	PA to Acting General Manager Infrastructure and Environment

VISITORS:

80

PRESS:

3

APOLOGIES – ELECTED MEMBERS:

Cr Michael McKay

APOLOGIES – MEMBERS OF STAFF:

Nil

LEAVE OF ABSENCE:

Nil

3 PURPOSE OF THE MEETING

The Matters to be discussed as requested by electors are:

- Hear the concerns of the Kalgoorlie-Boulder community in respect to the detrimental economic, business, Occupational safety & health, public liability and lifestyle impacts of the vaccination mandates specifically on members of the Kalgoorlie-Boulder community.
- Provide assurance to the community that the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder accepts the financial and public liability risks of adopting the vaccination mandates imposed by the WA State Government on Kalgoorlie-Boulder residents, rate payers and business owners.
- Vote to oppose vaccination mandates and support Pro Choice for the Kalgoorlie-Boulder community, and that this vote be taken at a Special Meeting of Electors.
- Advise the Premier of Western Australia and State Parliament about the concerns of the Kalgoorlie-Boulder community and request them from imposing any further mandates and to revoke any mandates in place now.

4 MOTIONS

MOTION 1

The residents of Kalgoorlie-Boulder request the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder oppose vaccination mandates and supports making Kalgoorlie-Boulder a Pro Choice community by requesting the State Parliament refrain from imposing any further COVID19 vaccine mandate and revoke any mandates in place now.

MOVED BY: CORALIE HURLEY
SECONDED BY: KELLY POPE

CARRIED BY SHOW OF HANDS

MOTION 2

We request the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder to advise the Premier of Western Australia and State Parliament about the concerns of the Kalgoorlie-Boulder community regarding the mandatory COVID19 vaccination policy.

MOVED BY: CORALIE HURLEY
SECONDED BY: KELLY POPE

CARRIED BY SHOW OF HANDS

MOTION 3

We request the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder to make public their Risk Assessment regarding the mandatory COVID19 vaccination policy.

MOVED BY: CORALIE HURLEY
SECONDED BY: KELLY POPE

CARRIED BY SHOW OF HANDS

The following Elector's spoke for the motions an in general about their concerns of the State Government vaccination mandates.

- Coralie Hurley
- Kelly Pope
- Sebastian Pouemans
- Bob Munro

5 CLOSURE

There being no further business, the Mayor John Bowler, thanked those present for their attendance and declared the meeting closed at 7:10PM.