

16th September 2025

To Committee Members,

NOTICE is hereby given that a Rainbow Township Advisory Committee Meeting of the Hindmarsh Shire Council will be held at the Civic Centre Small Meeting Room on Monday 16th September 2025 commencing at 7.30pm.

AGENDA

- 1. Acknowledgement of the Indigenous Community
- 2. Apologies
- 3. Disclosure by Committee members or Councillors or Council Officers of any interest or conflicts of interest in any item on the agenda
- 4. Confirmation of Minutes
- 5. Business Arising from the Minutes
- 6. Correspondence

•	16 days of Activism	Stephanie Lynch	28-08-2025
•	Allocation of funds	Monica Revell	01-09-2025
•	Wimmera River Discovery opening	Mark Fletcher	01-09-2025
•	Shire representation	Monica Revell	02-09-2025

- 7. Events
- 8. General business as notified to the Chair
 - 1. Caravan entrance gates progress
 - 2. Rainbow Silo Operational Plan
- 9. Councillor Report
- 10. Officer Report
- 11. Urgent business

12.	Finance report
13.	Decisions to be made
14.	Meeting Closed
15.	Council Officer Authorisation

1. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE INDIGENOUS COMMUNITY AND OPENING PRAYER

Acknowledgement of the Indigenous Community

We acknowledge that this meeting is being held on the lands of the Wotjobaluk, Jaadwa, Jadawadjali, Wergaia and Jupagalk Nations and we acknowledge them as Traditional Owners of Country.

We recognise the important ongoing role that Indigenous people have in our community and pay our respects to their Elders, past and present.

2. ATTENDANCE & APOLOGIES

Allira Roberts, Graham Nuske, Norelle Eckermann, Greg Roberts, Belinda Eckermann Rob Koning, Colleen Petschel, Bernard Young, Ram Upadhyaya & Mark Fletcher.

APOLOGIES

Roger Aitken, Phil King & Ron Ismay

Apologies be moved and accepted Belinda/Rob AiF C

3. DECLARATION BY COUNCILLORS OR OFFICERS OF ANY DIRECT OR INDIRECT INTEREST IN ANY ITEM ON THE AGENDA.

NA

- General conflict of interest; or
- Material conflict of interest

Declaration of general or material conflict of interest must also be advised by Committee Members at the commencement of discussion of the specific item.

4. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

That the Minutes of the RTAC Committee Meeting held on 18th August 2025 at the Civic Centre Meeting Room, circulated to Committee Members be taken as read and confirmed. Allira/Graham AiF C

5. BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

6. CORRESPONDENCE- IN

•	16 days of Activism	Stephanie Lynch	28-08-2025
•	Allocation of funds	Monica Revell	01-09-2025
•	Wimmera River Discovery opening	Mark Fletcher	01-09-2025
•	Shire representation	Monica Revell	02-09-2025
•	Rainbow caravan park Entrance	Simon Landrigan	15-09-2025

All Correspondence be received Allira/Norelle AiF C

7. EVENTS

8. GENERAL BUSINESS AS NOTIFIED TO THE CHAIR

8.1 Caravan entrance gates

- Ram discussed the contents of Simon's letter and outlined the process
- There is still some confusion about the timeline, why a draftsman has been engaged when the final design has not been decided on etc
- Ram will get Simon to contact the sub committee members to explain further
- Draftsman to start at the end of September.
- The sub-committee will make recommendations in respect to the design of the entrance.

8.2 Rainbow Silo Operational Plan

- Mark outlined the draft of the plan...mentioned that it was very much in draft form
- The following issues of safety, security, signage and cost were discussed
- Belinda asked about the possibility of having signage to promote businesses down the main street... Mark hoped this would be a main focus of the signage.
- Graham asked if the signage was included in the business plan for the project..not sure if he received a direct answer to this one
- Hoping to develop rooms at the bottom of the silo... but no funds at the moment
- Was there a consultation process with the art works?
- Allira offered access to a number of historical photos of the silo that the archives have
- Potentially could co-ordinate Yurunga and the Pella Church as tourist destinations alongside the silo
- Amenities will be needed if people are on site
- The sunrise and sunset will be popular times of use
- Looking into swipe cards to get access... will need to be purchased down the main street
- Is there a chance of rainbow residents getting a discount?
- Fitness option for sporting clubs
- Age limit may deter families... suggestion that maybe anyone under the age of 16 must be supervised. Lots to think about in regard to entrance cost \$15??, opening times, safety and how and when of opening times.

9. COUNCILLOR REPORT (Roger)

No councillors present at the September meeting

10. OFFICER REPORT

- 11 darts Ave has moved to legal proceedings
- October is free green waste month

All reports moved and accepted Rob/Graham AiF C

11.	URGENT BUSINESS	
	NA	

12. FINANCE REPORT

12.1 Summary of Balances in Finance Report.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Finance Report to be accepted Moved Collen/Norelle AiF C.

12.2 Purchase Orders to be raised - \$2,000 or less

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Council Officer raise the following Purchase Orders, being a value of \$2,000 or

Creditor	Value \$	Description of Goods or Services

12.3 Purchase Orders to be raised – Greater than \$2,000

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Council Officer, following approval by Council or the CEO, raise the following Purchase Orders greater than \$2,000.

Moved Seconded

Creditor	Value \$ (> \$2,000)	Description of Goods or Services

13. DECISIONS TO BE MADE

The following decisions are recommendations to Council for endorsement:

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	DECISION
4	Minutes	Confirmation of the Minutes (provisional)
5	Business Arising from Minutes	
6	Correspondence	16 days of Activism Stephanie Lynch 28-08-2025 Allocation of funds Monica Revell 01-09-2025 Wimmera River Discovery Mark Fletcher 01-09-2025 Shire representation Monica Revell 02-09-2025 Rainbow caravan par Simon Landrigan 15-09-2025
7	Events	
8	General Business as Notified to the Chair	
9	Councillor's Report	
10	Officer's Report	Written report tabled
11	Urgent Business	
12.1	Finance Report	Accepted
12.2	Purchase Orders to be Raised (\$2,000 or less)	Bernard Young to write up an invoice and send through to the Shire for the Project 2050 RTAC contribution to be transferred to the Rainbow Progress Association.
12.3	Purchase Orders to be Raised (above \$2,000)	That the Council Officer, following approval by Council or the CEO, raise the following Purchase Orders listed which are greater than \$2,000.

14. MEETING CLOSED

The meeting closed at 20.51pm

NEXT MEETING: Monday 20th October

15. COUNCIL OFFICER AUTHORISATION

*to be completed by the Council Officer

I, Jennie Hauselberger accept the following recommendations made by the Rainbow Town Committee at this meeting held on 16 September 2025:

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	DECISION
4	Minutes	Confirmation of the Minutes
5	Business Arising from Minutes	

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6	Correspondence	Approving the Outward Correspondence and Noting the Inward.
7	Events	
8	General Business as Notified to the Chair	
9	Councillor's Report	
10	Officer's Report	
11	Urgent Business	
12.1	Finance Report	That the Finance Report as provided with the Agenda be approved.
12.2	Purchase Orders to be Raised (\$2,000 or less)	That the Council Officer raise the Purchase Orders listed.

I, Jennie Hauselberger advise that the following items:

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	DECISION
12.3	Purchase Orders to be Raised (above \$2,000)	That the Council Officer, following approval by Council or the CEO, raise the following Purchase Orders listed which are greater than \$2,000.

- Need to be referred to a Council Meeting / CEO for a decision
- Require more Information
- Do No align with the Hindmarsh Shire Council Plan

SIGNED:

Council Officer: Jennie Hauselberger

Dated: 28/9/25