



18th August 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 18th August 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

7. Events

8. General business as notified to the Chair

1. Caravan entrance gates
2. State of the derelict house in Darts Ave

9. Councillor Report

10. Officer Report

11. Urgent business

12. Finance report

13. Decisions to be made

14. Meeting Closed

15. Council Officer Authorisation
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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, Phil King, Ron ismay, Graham Nuske, Roger Aitken, Greg Roberts, Rob Koning & Colleen Petschel

APOLOGIES

Norelle Eckermann

Apologies be moved and accepted Graham/Allira 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 16th June at the Civic Centre Meeting Room, circulated to Committee Members be taken as read and confirmed. *Provisional Allira/Rob AiF C*

5. BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES
NA

**6. CORRESPONDENCE
IN**

Hindmarsh Shire Sport and Recreation Strategy 2025-2035 12-8-25

Correspondence to be acknowledged Rob/Roger AiF C

7. EVENTS
NA

8. GENERAL BUSINESS AS NOTIFIED TO THE CHAIR

Community consultation of Council Plan

- Allira discussed the fact that the plan does not really cater for those with disabilities.
- She discussed limited parking options at the Drs and the hospital
- Allira also mentioned that there needs to be an improvement in the quality of street lighting in a number of areas.
- The RTAC agreed that there needs to be more consideration and consultation with those who are living with a disability so their needs can be catered for in a relevant manner
- Larry mentioned that it would be great to have an overall tourist plan in an endeavour to keep people in the area.
- Graham pinpointed a number of areas that Rainbow was not included in the plan (Reference to Jeparit natural environment & Jeparit- Dimboola tourism corridor
- Roger explained that these specific projects were discussed during the consultation process and that is why they were included.
- Roger also mentioned that we need to work out what we are going to do with The rainbow Vic website...as it is not functional at the moment!

8.1 Caravan entrance gates

- There is some confusion over the design that Simon sent to Graham as it has a 2018 date on it and is actually the designs for the town entrance sign
- We are hoping that this is a misunderstanding/mix up
- If it is not the RTAC has huge concerns of the consultation process involving this project
- The RTAC was requested to set up a small working party to finalise the design...but the correspondence received seems to have skipped this step.
- Hoping that the Shire can provide some clarity and outline the steps moving forward.

8.4. State of the derelict house at 11 Darts Ave

- Discussion on 11 Darts Ave continued with really no progress due to the fact that it is privately owned property (regardless of the safety issues involved)
- The Shire has sent people to investigate the site and take photos
- Hopefully getting some action to ensure safety for the neighbouring occupants

9. COUNCILLOR REPORT (Roger)

- Please send through any items that need to be promoted in the Shire
- Fill out the form so that they can be promoted on the events page

10. OFFICER REPORT

Rainbow Town Advisory Committee Meeting

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Officer Report – Jennie Hauselberger on behalf of Phil King, Manager Community Wellbeing

Rainbow Silo (Llew Schilling Silo)

Tower and steps have been installed, and installation of the elevator is expected to commence soon. External artist has prepared draft images for review by Project Control Group. Development of the operational plan is ongoing for when the silo it will be open for viewing. More information to follow as details are finalised, **but a community meeting to discuss is still being planned (also raised by Greg)**

Rainbow Caravan Park Entrance Project

Draft designs are being prepared based on the style as agreed at the July RTAC meeting. More details will be provided to the Project Working Group as they become available.

Hindmarsh Swimming Pools

Applications are currently open for the Swimming Pool Team Leader and Lifeguards at all pools. Following community consultation there will be slight changes to operating hours at all pools this summer.

Rainbow – hours –

Tuesday – Closed (during school terms)

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 3.30pm – 6:30pm

Saturdays and School Holidays: 2pm – 7pm Sundays: 2pm – 6pm

No closure day during school holidays.

Rainbow Men's Shed

Council has received some further details from Rainbow Neighbourhood House in relation to the proposed construction of an outdoor area to enable hot works (welding) and what the \$2,800.00 contribution from the Rainbow Town Advisory Committee will be used for. This information will be provided to Council at the Next Council Meeting.

2025 Seniors Victoria Festival Month in October 2025

Save the date – Thursday 9 October from 1.00pm – 2.00pm.

Seniors Concert at NMCC, Nhill.

Featuring Melissa Langton – Colour My World performing the songs of Petula Clark.

There will be a bus from Rainbow and Jeparit.

More details to be publicised shortly.

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 Graham/Roger 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	Hindmarsh Shire Sport and Recreation Strategy 2025-2035
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)	
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 20.10pm

15. COUNCIL OFFICER AUTHORISATION

*to be completed by the Council Officer

I _____ accept the following recommendations made by the XX Committee at this meeting held on [DATE]:

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4	Minutes	Confirmation of the Minutes
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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 _____ advise that the following items:

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	DECISION
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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



Dated:

