



**MINUTES OF THE GENERAL MEETING OF
BLACKALL-TAMBO REGIONAL COUNCIL
HELD AT THE BLACKALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS
ON TUESDAY 19 JANUARY 2016
COMMENCING AT 8.30 AM**

PRESENT:

Mayor: Cr BR Muir

MEMBERS:

Councillors: JJ Barron, DT Brennan, NJ Dolinski, RC Curnow, TW Johnstone, M Prow

OFFICERS:

Mr Ken Timms, Chief Executive Officer, Mrs Susan Jarvis, Manager of Corporate Services, Miss Ashlee Fry, Minute Clerk

ATTENDANCE:

Lachlan Millar MP, Member for Gregory

CONDOLENCES:

A minutes silence was observed to mark the passing of:
Mr Keith Jackson of Blackall
Mrs Freda Sunderland formerly of Blackall
Mr Ross Harrison of Blackall
Mr Kenneth Hughes formerly of Tambo

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST:

Cr M Prow declared a perceived interest in item 14/01A/16.
Cr M Prow left the Meeting at 9:18am during discussions thereon and returned at 9:30am.

Cr NJ Dolinski declared a perceived material personal interest in item 24/01A/16.
Cr NJ Dolinski left the Meeting at 11:28am during discussions thereon and returned at 11:38am.

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES:

MOTION: Moved: Cr M Prow

Seconded: Cr RC Curnow

“That the Minutes of the General Meeting held on 8 December 2015 be taken as read and confirmed, and that the Mayor be empowered to sign same.”

Minute No. 01/01A/16

CEO to action

Carried

COUNCILLOR PORTFOLIOS:

The Councillors discussed their Portfolio Reports, which are attached to these Minutes (Attachment A).

BUSINESS ARISING:

No actions raised

OPERATIONAL PLAN REPORT

Operational Plan

Council considered the Operational Plan for December 2015 which included the 3rd month (low priority) activities.

MOTION: **Moved: Cr NJ Dolinski** **Seconded: Cr TW Johnstone**

“That Council receive the Operational Plan for work completed on low priority activities for December 2015 as presented.”

Minute No. 02/01A/15 **CEO to action** **Carried**

REPORTS AND COMMITTEE MINUTES:

The Manager of Corporate Services’ Report for December 2015 was presented

MOTION: **Moved: Cr JJ Barron** **Seconded: Cr M Prow**

“That the Manager of Corporate Services’ Report be received for consideration.”

Minute No. 03/01A /15 **MCS to action** **Carried**

Business items discussed from the Manager of Corporate Services’ Report included:

- Traveling stock on stock routes
- Lights in EE Parr Park Christmas Eve
- Policy on Tambo Day Care vaccinations
- Blackall Campdraft paddock

Review of the Tambo Town Common Management Plan

The previous Tambo Town Common Management Plan 2010-2015 was due for review, to update the information in relation to the improvements in the infrastructure on the Town Common with additional water tanks, troughs, pipeline and fencing, including the value of the assets. This plan has been reviewed in consultation with the Town Common Management Committee and amended accordingly.

MOTION: **Moved: Cr DT Brennan** **Seconded: Cr RC Curnow**

“That Council defer the decision to adopt the updated version of the Tambo Town Common Management Plan 2015-2020 affording Council the opportunity to review the amendments and resubmit the amended Plan to the February General Meeting.”

Minute No. 04/01A/16 **MCS to action** **Carried**

Review of the Blackall Town Common Management Plan

The previous Blackall Town Common Management Plan 2010-2015 was due for review, to update the information in relation to the improvements in the infrastructure on the Town Common with additional water tanks, troughs, pipeline and fencing, including the value of the assets. This plan has been reviewed and amended accordingly.

MOTION: **Moved: Cr DT Brennan** **Seconded: Cr RC Curnow**

“That Council defer the decision to adopt the updated version of the Blackall Town Common Management Plan 2015-2020 affording Council the opportunity to review the amendments and resubmit the amended Plan to the February General Meeting.”

Minute No. 05/01A/16 **MCS to action** **Carried**

The Consideration and Comment on the Blackall-Tambo Regional Council Disaster Management Plan.

The previous Blackall-Tambo Regional Council Disaster Management Plan was due to be redrafted to meet the requirements and template outlined in the *Disaster Management Act 2003* and the *Disaster Management Regulation 2014*.

Following a number of disaster management scenario exercises and meetings of the Local Disaster Management Group (LDMG), the redrafted version of the Blackall-Tambo Regional Council Disaster Management Plan and was submitted to Council for consideration and comment.

MOTION: **Moved: Cr DT Brennan** **Seconded: Cr RC Curnow**

“That Council defer the decision to adopt the updated draft version of the Blackall-Tambo Regional Council Disaster Management Plan developed in consultation with the Local Disaster Management Group.”

Minute No. 06/01A/16 **MCS to action** **Carried**

Blackall-Tambo Regional Council Environmental Action Plan in response to the Department of Environment & Heritage Protection Audit Report

Subsequent to the Department of Environment & Heritage Protection (DEHP) Audit Report in November 2015 following the inspections of Council’s environmentally relevant activities, Council developed an Environmental Action Plan to address the non-compliance issues identified at the time.

MOTION: **Moved: Cr M Prow** **Seconded: Cr TW Johnstone**

“That Council consider and approve the Environmental Action Plan designed by the Environmental Health Officer in response to the Department of Environment & Heritage Protection Audit Report on behalf of Council.”

Minute No. 07/01A/16 **MCS to action** **Carried**

The Acting Manager of Works' Report for December 2015 was presented

MOTION: **Moved: Cr TW Johnstone** **Seconded: Cr M Prow**

“That the Manager of Works' Report be received for consideration.”

Minute No. 08/01A/16 **A/MOW to action** **Carried**

Business items discussed from the Acting Manager of Works' Report included the:

- Slashing of grass along the sides of the National Highways

Tender Recommendations for P1 (Disposal of Vehicles)

Tenders were invited for the disposal of vehicles as per Councils Plant Replacement Program. Tenders closed on 12 January, 2016 and a summary of Tenders received are listed below:

Tenderer	Trade Unit	Trade (Incl GST)
PJ McIntosh	6006 Toyota Hilux 4x2 Utility	\$4,200
Christine Kelly	4251 John Deere X595	\$595
Glen Kowald	4251 John Deere X595	\$550
PVT Sales Pty Ltd	4251 John Deere X595	\$500
PVT Sales Pty Ltd	4254 John Deere 997 Z Tracks	\$3,000
PVT Sales Pty Ltd	5201 Russ Minipactor Garbage Truck	\$13,500
PVT Sales Pty Ltd	6006 Toyota Hilux 4x2 Utility	\$7,500

MOTION: **Moved: Cr TW Johnstone** **Seconded: Cr NJ Dolinski**

“That Council resolves to dispose of Plant No. 4251, for a John Deere X595 to Christine Kelly for the tendered price of \$595.00.

That Council resolves to dispose of Plant No. 5201, for a Russ Minipactor Garbage Truck, to PVT Sales Pty Ltd for the tendered price of \$13,500.00.

That Council resolves not to accept any tender for Plant No. 4254, for a John Deere 997 Z Tracks, as Council have received a Dealer Trade from Nowa Power Products for the value of \$3,800.00.

That Council resolves not to accept any tender for Plant No. 6006 as Council currently have work for this asset as this point in time.”

Minute No. 09/01A/16 **A/MOW to action** **Carried**

The Financial Statements as at 31 December 2015 were presented

MOTION: **Moved: Cr NJ Dolinski** **Seconded: Cr TW Johnstone**

“That the Financial Statements as at 31 December 2015 be received for consideration.”

Minute No. 10/01A/16 **A/MF to action** **Carried**

The Chief Executive Officer's Report for December 2015 was presented

MOTION: **Moved: Cr JJ Barron** **Seconded: Cr RC Curnow**

"That the Chief Executive Officer's Report be received for consideration."

Minute No. 11/01A/15 **CEO to action** **Carried**

Provision of Cypress Sawlogs to the Tambo Sawmill

Correspondence was received from the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries in regard to the Blackall-Tambo Regional Council's proposed purchase of sales permit 201304400 from Millmerran Timbers Pty Ltd to provide cypress sawlogs to the Tambo sawmill, which is proposed to be operated by a Council appointed lessee.

MOTION: **Moved: Cr RC Curnow** **Seconded: Cr NJ Dolinski**

"That the correspondence from the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries referring to the provision of cypress sawlogs to the Tambo Sawmill be received for consideration."

Minute No. 12/01A/16 **CEO to action** **Carried**

Councillor Remuneration arrangements effective 1 July 2016

The *Local Government Regulation 2012* requires the Tribunal to determine, on or by 1 December, the maximum amount of remuneration to be paid from 1 July to mayors, deputy mayors, and councillors of all local governments (except Brisbane City Council).

On 30 November 2015, the Tribunal finalised its determination of remuneration arrangements to apply from 1 July 2016. This year, the Tribunal also conducted an extensive review of local government categories to apply from 1 July 2016.

The Tribunal's determination was published in the Government Gazette on 11 December 2015 and its annual report was also published on that date. The Tribunal's 2015 report includes the Tribunal's remuneration determination for 2015 and the remuneration schedule which will apply from 1 July 2016, as well as details of councillor conduct matters heard by the Tribunal during 2015.

MOTION: **Moved: Cr DT Brennan** **Seconded: Cr TW Johnstone**

"That Council maintain the current adopted Blackall-Tambo Regional Council Councillor Remuneration including 2% CPI."

2016-17	Monthly	Annual
Mayor Allowance	\$6,941.10	\$83,293.20
D/Mayor Allowance	\$3,512.88	\$42,154.56
Councillor Allowance	\$1,916.07	\$22,992.84
Councillor Meeting Allowance	\$958.03	<u>\$11,496.42</u>
Total Councillor Allowance		\$34,489.26

Minute No. 13/01A/16 **CEO to action** **Carried**

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST:

Cr M Prow declared a perceived interest in item 14/01A/16.

Cr M Prow left the Meeting at 9:18am and took no further part in discussions.

PW Skewes proposed purchase of Lot 4 on RP 907873

Correspondence was received from P.W Skewes and Co expressing an interest in purchasing Lot 4 RP 907873 which is currently owned by Council. Lot 4 is situated in Garden Street Blackall and adjoins the front portion of Lot 3 RP 907873.

MOTION: **Moved: Cr DT Brennan** **Seconded: Cr TW Johnstone**

“That subject to confirmation from the Department of Local Government and Planning, Council proceed to dispose of Lot 4 on RP 907873 to the owner of Lot 3 on RP 907873 subject to Lot 3 and Lot 4 being amalgamated into one parcel of land and a drainage easement over Tickle Belly Gully being gazetted.”

Minute No. 14/01A/16

CEO to action

Carried

ATTENDANCE:

Cr M Prow returned to the Meeting at 9:30am

Western Queensland Drought Committee – Appeal funds distribution

The Western Queensland Drought Committee Inc communicated with Council via correspondence outlining their Committees' goals which is to provide funds to people on rural properties to be spent in local shops. This helps both country and towns people by concentrating the funds into local businesses and services. The funds are intended for essential personal expenses which may include groceries or medical expenses. The Committees' charity status prevents them from directly contributing to business expenses. The Committee requested assistance in identifying persons in the Blackall-Tambo Region requiring assistance due to the drought.

MOTION: **Moved: Cr JJ Barron** **Seconded: Cr TW Johnstone**

“That Council send the appropriate database to the Western Queensland Drought Committee for distribution of funds to persons in need. Further that the Community Development Officer be Councils representative to work with the Western Queensland Drought Committee Inc on the best way to distribute funds within the Blackall-Tambo Regional Council region.”

Minute No. 15/01A/16

CEO to action

Carried

Quilpie Shire Council – Operations and viability of licenced post offices

Correspondence was received from Quilpie Shire Council in relation to the ongoing viability of rural and remote Licenced Post Offices across Western Queensland.

Quilpie Shire Council considered this matter at its December Ordinary Meeting of Council. Council have since written to Senator the Hon Mitch Fifield, Minister for Communications, outlining their Council's concerns. In particular requesting that

parcel payment rates be raised to \$1.60 for those LPOs who currently receive only \$0.25 per parcel.

MOTION: **Moved: Cr RC Curnow** **Seconded: Cr NJ Dolinski**

“That Council endorse the actions of the Mayor in his support of the Quilpie Shire Council regarding the viability of licenced post offices.”

Minute No. 16/01A/16 **CEO to action** **Carried**

ADJOURNMENT:

The Meeting adjourned for morning tea at and resumed at 9:56 and resumed at 10:20

Drug and Alcohol Management Plan- Blackall Airport

In accordance with Part 99 of the Civil Aviation and Safety Regulations 1998 Council must have a Drug and Alcohol Management Plan in place to conform to these regulations. Notice was received from Civil Aviation Safety Authority that they will be conducting their 5yr Surveillance Audit of the Blackall Airport on the 10th and 11th February.

MOTION: **Moved: Cr JJ Barron** **Seconded: Cr TW Johnstone**

“That the Blackall-Tambo Regional Council Drug and Alcohol Management Plan for Operations at the Blackall Airport be adopted in its entirety.”

Minute No. 17/01A/16 **CEO to action** **Carried**

ATTENDANCE:

The Mayor Cr BR Muir left the Meeting at 10:24am Cr RC Curnow assumed the Chair.

ATTENDANCE:

Cr BR Muir returned to the Meeting and resumed the Chair at 10:25am.

Internal Audit Committee Meeting

The minutes of the Internal Auditor Committee held on Thursday 3rd December 2015 were presented for consideration.

MOTION: **Moved: Cr M Prow** **Seconded: Cr NJ Dolinski**

“That Council receive the minutes of the Internal Audit Committee for consideration. Further that management consider and implement the recommendations.”

Minute No. 18/01A/16 **CEO to action** **Carried**

Telstra Payphone

Correspondence was received from Telstra proposing the removal of one Telstra Payphone (Cabinet Id: 07 4657 63X6) from outside the Library in Shamrock Street, Blackall.

MOTION: **Moved: Cr JJ Barron** **Seconded: Cr M Prow**

“That Council register their objection with Telstra regarding the removal of the public telephone located outside the Blackall Library.”

Minute No. 19/01A/16 **CEO to action** **Carried**

ADDRESS: Lachlan Millar MP entered the meeting.

Suspend Standing Orders

MOTION: **Moved: Cr TW Johnstone** **Seconded: Cr NJ Dolinski**

“That Council suspend standing orders.”

Minute No. 20/01A/16 **CEO to action** **Carried**

ADDRESS: Lachlan Millar MP, Member for Gregory addressed and updated Council on available and potential drought funding opportunities.

Resume Standing Orders

MOTION: **Moved: Cr NJ Dolinski** **Seconded: Cr TW Johnstone**

“That Council resume standing orders.”

Minute No. 21/01A/16 **CEO to action** **Carried**

Supply and Spray Bituminous Products Tender 208/13C/805

George Bourne and Associates advertised for tenders to Supply and Spray Bituminous Products for Job Number 208/13C/805 which closed at 2:00pm on 12 January 2016. Seven submissions were received from:

1. Road Surfaces Group
2. Stabilises Pavement Australia
3. Fulton Hogan Industries
4. RPQ Spray Seal Pty Ltd
5. Queensland Bitumen Pty Ltd
6. Rock N Road Bitumen Pty Ltd
7. SRS Roads Pty Ltd

Qty	Unit	Description	Agreed TMR Contract Rate		Road Surfaces Group Kallangur		Stabilised Paements Australia Bohie		Fulton Hogan Industries Pty Ltd Farleigh		RPQ Spray Seal Pty Ltd Pinkenba		Queensland Central Bitumen Pty Ltd Farleigh		Rock n Road Bitumen Pty Ltd		SRS Roads Pty Ltd Northgate	
			Rate	Amount	Rate	Amount	Rate	Amount	Rate	Amount	Rate	Amount	Rate	Amount	Rate	Amount	Rate	Amount
89,844	L	Primerseal: Cart, heat and spray class AMC5; spray rate 1.4l/m2, excluding supply of binder, including supply of	\$0.70	\$62,890.80	\$0.30	\$26,953.20	\$0.27	\$24,257.88	\$0.26	\$23,359.44	\$0.33	\$29,648.52	\$0.36	\$32,343.84	\$0.15	\$13,476.60	\$0.26	\$23,359.44
141,183	L	Seal, class (PMB S0.3B) Supply, cart, heat and spray class S0.3B spray rate 2.2l/m2, including supply of	\$1.65	\$232,951.95	\$1.19	\$168,007.77	\$1.30	\$183,537.90	\$1.31	\$184,949.73	\$1.29	\$182,126.07	\$1.29	\$182,126.07	\$1.49	\$210,362.67	\$2.80	\$395,312.40
Subtotal			\$295,842.75		\$194,960.97		\$207,795.78		\$208,309.17		\$211,774.59		\$214,469.91		\$223,839.27		\$418,671.84	
GST (10%)			\$29,584.28		\$19,496.10		\$20,779.58		\$20,830.92		\$21,177.46		\$21,446.99		\$22,383.93		\$41,867.18	
TOTAL			\$325,427.03		\$214,457.07		\$228,575.36		\$229,140.09		\$232,952.05		\$235,916.90		\$246,223.20		\$460,539.02	
Comments:					GBA recommends that RSG are awarded the tender due to the best price.		2nd best price		3rd best price		4th best price		5th best price		6th best price		Highest price, also submitted alternative treatment quote, which was \$45R at	

MOTION: Moved: Cr JJ Barron

Seconded: Cr M Prow

“That the tender for Road Surfaces Group be awarded this contract in accordance with the tender analysis. Road Surfaces Group has consistently delivered a high standard of work in the Blackall Tambo region in the past.”

Minute No. 22/01A/16

CEO to action

Carried

Department of Communities, Child Safety and Disability Services – Community Drought Support Package 2015-2016

RAPAD advised Council that the funding application for Community Drought Support Package 2015-2016 for \$82,500 to coordinate the distribution of funds to local community organisations in drought declared communities who will provide the delivery of a range of local community events and activities that contribute to connectedness, social well-being and increase access to support services was successful.

A further \$27,500 was granted to facilitate a Flexible Financial Hardship Fund by brokering to a community based organisation that has the governance and capacity to manage the needs assessment and accountable distribution of financial assistance to community members most adversely affected in drought declared communities within the local government catchment.

MOTION: Moved: Cr RC Curnow

Seconded: Cr NJ Dolinski

“That Council advise RAPAD that Council will set up a Community Committee to recommend to Council the allocation and distribution of drought funds fairly and equally within the region. Further that Administration brings back a proposal for the distribution of funding to Council at the February General Meeting.”

Minute No. 23/01A/16

CEO to action

Carried

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST:

Cr N Dolinski declared a perceived interest in item 24/01A/16.

Cr N Dolinski left the Meeting at 11:28am and took no further part in discussions.

Anzac Audio Visual Presentation Proposal at Blackall

A proposal to deliver an Anzacs audio-visual presentation at Blackall on Monday 11 April 2016 was received by the Mayor. The presentation runs for 90 minutes in two halves. The correspondent will be working in conjunction with the CWA of Blackall where the proceeds from this venture will be shared. The proposed venue for this presentation is the Blackall Cultural Centre.

MOTION: **Moved: Cr RC Curnow** **Seconded: Cr Prow**

“That Council receive the correspondence for consideration and further that administration seeks verification from the correspondent seeking clarification on his expectations regarding Council assistance with the Anzac audio visual presentation at Blackall.”

Minute No. 24/01A/16 **CEO to action** **Carried**

ATTENDANCE:

Cr NJ Dolinski returned to the Meeting at 11:38am

ADJOURNMENT:

The Meeting adjourned at 11:38am and resumed at 11:44am

GENERAL BUSINESS

- Clarification on hosting Australia Day
- Woolscour Working Group
- Paddocks at Blackall Race Club
- Asset Management Plan
- Heartland Festival (Invoice for plant and staff)
- Grants and sponsorship budget review

The Queensland Government is Pushing for the Removal of the Cattle Tick Control Zone

The Queensland Government is pushing ahead with plans to remove the cattle tick control zone or “buffer zone” in favour of having just two biosecurity zones – an infected zone and a tick-free zone. After consulting with industry, the state’s Department of Agriculture reports that the general consensus from stakeholders is that moving from three zones to two is preferable to reduce red tape and confusion.

MOTION: **Moved: Cr JJ Barron** **Seconded: Cr NJ Dolinski**

“That Council formulate a submission that does not support the deregulation of the tick line and forward same to the relevant government departments and RAPAD.”

Minute No. 25/01A/16 **CEO to action** **Carried**

Recognition of Service for Former Employees of Blackall-Tambo Regional Council

MOTION: **Moved: Mayor Muir** **Seconded: Cr RC Curnow**

“That a letter of thanks and appreciation be sent to the former Manager of Works, Mr Les Edmestone, former Supervisor of Works, Mr Darren Webb, and former Executive Assistant, Miss Rebecca Murray for their work ethic and contribution to Council over their period of employment.”

Minute No. 26/01A/16 **CEO to action** **Carried**

Recognition of Voluntary Services Performed by the Blackall SES

MOTION: **Moved: Cr TW Johnstone** **Seconded: Cr JJ Barron**

“That a letter of thanks be forwarded to the Blackall SES in recognition and appreciation for their voluntary services to the community by assisting with the Christmas Eve Street Party held in Blackall.”

Minute No. 27/01A/16 **CEO to action** **Carried**

Donation of Fairy Lights for Winners of the Highly Commended Category of the Blackall Christmas Light Competition

Mr and Mrs Ernie Elliott of Fernvale generously donated a box of fairy lights to the Mayor as a prize to the winners of the “Highly Commended” category of the Blackall Christmas Lights Competition as a gesture of good will to the community of Blackall.

MOTION: **Moved: Mayor Muir** **Seconded: Cr JJ Barron**

“That a letter of thanks be forwarded to Ernie and Pam Elliott of Fernvale in appreciation of their generous donation of fairy lights as a trophy for the Blackall Christmas Light Competition winners in the category of “Highly Commended.”

Minute No. 28/01A/16 **CEO to action** **Carried**

CLOSURE:

There being no further business to consider, the Mayor Cr BR Muir declared the Meeting closed at 12:41pm.

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES:

Confirmed by Council as a true and correct record at the General Meeting held on Tuesday 9 February 2016.

Signed:.....

Attachment A



Blackall-Tambo Regional Council Meeting Report Councillor Portfolios

CR BR MUIR

ATTENDANCE AS A COUNCILLOR:

8 December	Council Meeting
10 December	Trip out to Blackall Airport with Manager of Works – Regarding Terminal site and other matters about town
11 December	Air Terminal pre start meeting at Depot and also out at airport
12 December	Attend Woolscour Annual General Meeting
14 December	Checked up on Young Achiever category awards for Queensland for an enquiry be a citizen Attend the 40 Years SES presentations at the SES Hut for Don Wheeler, Greg Tierney and Ian Murray
15 December	Shockwave Teleconference
16 December	RADF Meeting
17 December	Meeting with David Littlepond LNP Candidate for Maranoa Attended Council break up at Tambo with CEO Travelled back to Blackall to attend the break up at the Blackall yard
22 December	Trip to Tambo to talk to Christine and Ken who own the post office about P.O Viability following a request from Quilpie Mayor Stuart Mackenzie for a letter of support in this matter Also talked to Nichole from the Blackall Post Office on the same matter
23 December	Drafted up a support letter for Stuart Mackenzie for the Quilpie Post Office
24 December	Emailed Support Letter to Stuart Mackenzie and also to Senator Mitch Fifield who is leading up the parliamentary equality Attend Christmas Mardi Gras and also presented Christmas Light Competition winners certificates and cheques
26 December	Checked for water drainage problems around Blackall
29 December	Cleaned debris from several gully trap gratings (the new ones in Ivy Street at the industrial area and Violet Street areas block very quickly) Attend Keith Jackson's graveside funeral service
8 January	Attend big fodder country lunch at the Blackall Saleyards – also spoke to Pauling Hanson and took her for a nostalgic drive around Blackall
9 January	Met with Ted Egan and Nenys Evens regarding a possible ANZAC Presentation at the Blackall Cultural Centre on 11 th April with council and CWA sanction

CR JJ BARRON

ATTENDANCE AS A COUNCILLOR:

8 December Council Meeting

CR DT BRENNAN

ATTENDANCE AS A COUNCILLOR:

8 December	BTRC General Meeting (Blackall)
8 December	Dog Watch Meeting (Teleconference)
10 December	Meeting with Manager Corporate Services to discuss Dog Watch matters including draft regional baiting program for 2016 and distribution of meeting minutes (Blackall)
10 December	LNP Blackall Branch Meeting (Blackall)
12 December	Historical Woolscour Association AGM (Blackall)
13 January	Exchanged emails with MOW regarding a request from a W-DOG syndicate to extend a Round One project end date (Email)
18 January	Meeting with Manager of Corporate Services to discuss W-DOG model matters (Blackall)
15 December – 17 January	Absent from BTRC area on leave. I was always contactable by mobile and email.

CR NJ DOLINSKI

ATTENDANCE AS A COUNCILLOR:

8 December Council Meeting

CR RC CURNOW

ATTENDANCE AS A COUNCILLOR:

8 December	General Council Meeting Blackall
11 January	Australia Day Awards Panel

CR TW JOHNSTONE**ATTENDANCE AS A COUNCILLOR:**

8 December	Council Meeting
9 December	McLean Place Christmas Party- Good attendance over 100 attendees
11 December	Placed Christmas Ad in Barcoo Independent and announced I will be standing for Mayor at the up and coming Local Government Elections
12 December	Historical Woolscour AGM – Disappointed with Site Managers Report that Council do next to nothing. I believe this needs to be addressed so the public know the real goings on
13 December	Attended the silversmith workshop funded by the RADF at the Living Arts Centre
18 December	Supplied office staff and workforce with cards, chocolates and drinks for Christmas break up
20 December	Had continued discussions with Kerry Holden about plans for Christmas Street Party
24 December	Was involved with the setting up and running of Christmas Street party as well as performing Santa duties – believe from feedback an enjoyable night was had by all. A big thankyou to all involved

CR M PROW**ATTENDANCE AS A COUNCILLOR:**

8 December	Council Meeting
11 January	Australia Day Awards Panel Meeting