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# Confirmed Minutes Burke Shire Council Special Meeting Friday 9<sup>th</sup> September 2016 1.00pm Council Boardroom

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### 01. Opening of Meeting

The Chair declared the meeting open at 1.16pm.

#### 02. Record of Attendance

Cr Ernie Camp; Mayor – Chair Cr Paul Poole; Deputy Mayor

Cr John Clarke Cr John Yanner

Sharon Daishe; Chief Executive Officer

Nils Hay; Deputy CEO

Madison Marshall; Executive Assistant (Minutes)

Absent Cr Tonya Murray

Chris Rohan; Works Manager

Brett Harris; Workshop and Fleet Manager Simbarashe Chimpaka; Finance Manager

Martin Powley; Executive Officer

#### 03. Closed Session Reports

That Council move into closed session to discuss confidential items as stated in the *Local Government Regulation 2012* in Chapter 8 Administration, Part 2 Local government meetings and committees, under *Sections 275 (1) (e)*.

(e) Contracts proposed to be made by it

Council moved into closed session at 1.17pm.

Moved: Cr Poole Seconded: Cr Camp

Carried 160909.01 4/0

Move into Open Session

That the meeting resume in open session to consider recommendations arising out of the closed session.

Council resumed open session at 1.23pm.

Moved: Cr Camp Seconded: Cr Clarke

Carried 160909.02 4/0

## 03.01 Confidential - Apply to Minister for exemption to sell land by private treaty [LGRs.236 (f)]

- That the report/attachment be deemed a confidential document and treated as such in accordance with section 275 (1) (e) of the Local Government Regulation 2012 (Chapter 8 Administration, Part 2, Division 3) and that the documents remain confidential unless Council decides otherwise by resolution.
- 2. That council notes the contents of this report; and
- 3. That Council resolves to sell valuable non-current assets, being up to 18 blocks of residential land (lots 22 to 39 on Crown Plan B13610) that are the subject of a Development Management Agreement between Burke Shire Council and Economic Development Queensland; and
- 4. That the land is to be sold by private treaty pending approval under section 236 (f) of the Local Government Regulation 2012 (Qld); and
- That Council applies to the Minister administering the Local Government Act 2009
   (Qld) in accordance with section 236 (f) of the Local Government Regulation 2012 (Qld)
   to exempt the local government from complying with section 227 of the Regulation;
   and
- 6. That Council imposes the following conditions on the sale of the lots in order to satisfy probity issues:
  - a. The following persons are excluded from purchasing lots:
    - i. All employees of Economic Development Queensland
    - ii. All councillors, senior employees, and current and past employees and contractors of BSC involved in granting approval of the development or setting prices for the development; and
  - b. As BSC is a major employer of local people in the socio economic group that will benefit from the development, Council does not seek to exclude other employees from this opportunity; and
  - c. Council also does not seek to exclude parties related to persons specified in 4.a.ii however non-related parties will be given preference in ranking expressions of interest; and
  - d. The codes of conduct applying to EDQ and BSC staff will apply to the extent necessary to ensure that public confidence in the development will be maintained.

Moved: Cr Yanner Seconded: Cr Clarke

Carried 160909.03 4/0

## 04. Closure of meeting

The Chair declared the Meeting close at 1.24pm.

I hereby certify that these pages numbered 1 to 3 - constitute the Confirmed Special Meeting minutes of the Council Meeting of Burke Shire Council held on Friday 9 September 2016.