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## Moranbah Trader's Breakfast



*Moranbah Business Trader's Breakfast: Cr Roger Ferguson, Lyn Busk, Isaac Regional Council Mayor Cedric Marshall and Ashley*

Isaac Regional Council Mayor Cedric Marshall addressed the Moranbah Business Trader's Association at their first business breakfast in Moranbah. Welcomed by the Trader's President, Ashley Dowd, the Mayor spoke of regional Council developments and challenges and answered questions from the floor.

The breakfast was well attended with over 20 local business people, elected Council members: Councillors Gina Lacey, Roger Ferguson and Anne Baker and Council CEO, Mark Crawley.

Lyn Busk, Membership Liaison Officer for the Trader's, said the breakfast was a good opportunity for people to meet and greet and create useful networks whereby small business and industry could work with Council to promote Moranbah and its future development.

The Mayor congratulated the Trader's on their initiative. He said the feedback received from groups like this was essential for Council to understand the region's opportunities and concerns. He encouraged the audience to continue to provide feedback to Council by talking to elected members or by addressing written comments to the CEO.

The Mayor also spoke briefly about the regular visits and 'Conversations' he and the CEO are making throughout the region as part of Council's ongoing commitment to community participation and engagement processes.

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