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ATTENDANCE	Cr Jane Pickels, Division Six (Chair) Mayor Kelly Vea Vea Cr Terry O'Neill, Division One Cr Simon West, Division Four *(Via videoconference)* Cr Alaina Earl, Division Five Cr Rachel Anderson, Division Seven Cr Viv Coleman, Division Eight *(Via videoconference)*
COMMITTEE APOLOGIES/ LEAVE OF ABSENCE	Nil
OBSERVERS	Cr Vern Russell, Division Two
OFFICERS PRESENT	Mr Cale Dendle, Chief Executive Officer Mr Jason Devitt, Director Infrastructure Services Mr Michael Buckley, Manager Parks and Recreation Mr Darrin Anderson, Manager Corporate Properties Mr Graham Bebington, Acting Manager Engineering Services Mr Chris McColl, Acting Manager Roads Infrastructure Mrs Brianna Baggow, Public Affairs and Media Officer Mrs Kylie Dowd, Executive Assistant, Engineering and Infrastructure *(Via Videoconference)* Ms Pagean Bailey, Compliance and QA Officer Ms Teika Kirkman, Executive Assistant to the Office of the Mayor and CEO

MEETING MINUTES

1. OPENING

The Chair, Cr Jane Pickels declared the meeting open at 9.00am and welcomed all in attendance and acknowledged the traditional custodians of the land on which we meet today and paid her respects to their Elders past, present and emerging.

2. APOLOGIES AND LEAVE OF ABSENCES

There are no apologies or leave of absences this meeting.

3. DECLARATION OF CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

There are no declaration of conflicts of interest for this meeting.

NOTE:
Council acknowledges that Chapter 5B Councillors' Conflicts of Interest of the Local Government Act 2009 does not apply to a Councillor if the matter to be resolved relates to a corporation or association that arises solely because of a nomination or appointment of the councillor by the local government to be a member of the board of the corporation or association.

4. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

Engineering and Infrastructure Standing Committee Meeting of Isaac Regional Council held in Council Chambers, Moranbah, commencing at 9.00am on Wednesday 8 July 2026.

Resolution No.: **INF08/26-0070**

Moved: **Cr Rachel Anderson** **Seconded:** **Cr Alaina Earl**

That the minutes from the Engineering and Infrastructure Standing Committee meeting held in Council Chambers, Moranbah on Wednesday 8 July 2026 are confirmed.

Carried

5. OFFICERS REPORTS

5.1 Infrastructure Services Monthly Financial Report

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

As requested a Infrastructure Services monthly financial report is presented to Standing Committee stating the progress made in relation to the budget for the period of the financial year drawn from Councils monthly financial report. Variances are noted by exception.

OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION

That the Committee recommends that Council:

1. Receives the Infrastructure Services financial statements for the period ended 29 July 2026.

Resolution No.: **INF08/26-0071**

Moved: **Cr Rachel Anderson** **Seconded:** **Cr Alaina Earl**

That the Committee recommends that Council:

1. Receives the Infrastructure Services financial statements for the period ended 29 July 2026.

Carried

NOTE:

That the Committee requests an update on the QBC program to be included in the Capital Projects Progress Report each month for Councillors awareness.

ATTENDANCE

Mr Scott Hampton, Program Leader Aquatic Facilities entered the meeting at 9:19am.

5.2 Infrastructure Services 2026-2027 Capital Projects Progress Report – July 2026

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report is to provide an update to the Infrastructure Services Standing Committee and Council of the progress in delivery of the Infrastructure Services 2026-2027 Capital Works Program.

OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION

That the Committee recommends that Council:

1. ***Notes the Roads Infrastructure Department operational report for June 2026. Receives and notes the monthly Infrastructure Services 2026-2027 Capital Projects Progress Summary Report for July 2026.***

Resolution No.: **INF08/26-0072**

Moved: **Cr Rachel Anderson** **Seconded:** **Cr Viv Coleman**

That the Committee recommends that Council:

1. **Receives and notes the monthly Infrastructure Services 2026-2027 Capital Projects Progress Summary Report for July 2026.**

Carried

5.3 Roads Infrastructure Monthly Update July 2026

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report is to provide a monthly update to Council on the current operational status of the Roads Infrastructure Department.

OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION

That the Committee recommends that Council:

1. ***Notes the Infrastructure Department monthly update for July 2026.***

Resolution No.: **INF08/26-0073**

Moved: **Cr Terry O'Neill** **Seconded:** **Cr Viv Coleman**

That the Committee recommends that Council:

1. **Notes the Infrastructure Department monthly update for July 2026.**

Carried

ATTENDANCE

Mrs Brianna Baggow left the meeting at 9:56am and returned at 9:58am.

5.4 Corporate Properties Operational Update May 2026 - July 2026

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report is to provide Council with an update on the Corporate Properties operational program during the period 1 May 2026 to 31 July 2026.

OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION

That the Committee recommends that Council:

1. Notes the Corporate Properties Operational Update May 2026 to July 2026.

Resolution No.: INF08/26-0074

Moved: Cr Rachel Anderson Seconded: Cr Alaina Earl

That the Committee recommends that Council:

1. Notes the Corporate Properties Operational Update May 2026 to July 2026.

Carried

NOTE:

That the Committee request a report on both operational and capital funding programs.

That the Committee request clarification on the current timeframe for tenant allocations through the Isaac Affordable Housing Trust and the factors contributing to the allocation process.

ATTENDANCE

Mayor Kelly Vea Vea left the meeting at 10:29am.

5.5 Parks and Recreation Operational Update as at 31 July 2026

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report is to provide an update to Council on the current operational status of the Parks and Recreation Department.

OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION

That the Committee recommends that Council:

1. Notes the Parks and Recreation Department operational update as at 31 July 2026.

Resolution No.: **INF08/26-0075**

Moved: **Cr Terry O'Neill** **Seconded:** **Cr Simon West**

That the Committee recommends that Council:

1. Notes the Parks and Recreation Department operational update as at 31 July 2026.

Carried

ATTENDANCE

Mayor Kelly Vea Vea entered the meeting at 10:34am.
Mrs Brianna Baggow left the meeting at 11:41am and returned ay 10:56am.

5.6 Regional Pool Status Report as at July 2026

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report provides an overview of the operating and administrative status of the region's swimming pools for the period ending July 2026.

OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION

That the Committee recommends that Council:

1. Receives and acknowledges the status of the region's swimming pools in relation to operating status.

Resolution No.: **INF08/26-0076**

Moved: **Cr Terry O'Neill** **Seconded:** **Cr Alaina Earl**

That the Committee recommends that Council:

1. **Receives and acknowledges the status of the region's swimming pools in relation to operating status.**

Carried

ATTENDANCE

Mr Cale Dendle left the meeting at 11:21am.

6. GENERAL BUSINESS

6.1 Coppabella Intersection

Cr Alaina Earl confirmed that she attended her second TAC Meeting for the year and advised that the Coppabella intersection continues to be monitored.

6.2 E-Scooter Information

Cr Alaina Earl enquired with the Committee about the new laws regarding E-Scooters and who will be sending the communications out.

The Director Infrastructure Services confirmed that once the state releases the new laws that they will be circulated accordingly.

ACTION: DIRECTOR INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES

6.3 School Crossing – Clements Street, Moranbah

Cr Alaina Earl advised the Committee that she had received feedback regarding the fence at the school crossing on Clements Street, with concerns raised that its height may be impacting visibility for traffic controllers. Cr Earl requested that the matter be investigated.

Cr Earl also made the Committee aware of vehicles parking across the access ramp at the crossing and enquired whether any measures could be implemented to address the issue.

ACTION: MANAGER ROADS INFRASTRUCTURE

6.4 School Crossing, Middlemount

Cr Rachel Anderson advised the Committee that the Crossing Supervisor at Middlemount Community School had successfully secured funding for the installation of a new flashing light at the school crossing and was working collaboratively with Council to determine a suitable location for the sign.

6.5 Car Accident Statistics

Cr Alaina Earl advised the Committees that the car accident statistics currently are sitting at 187 fatalities, this is 18 up from this time last year. 29 of those fatalities occurred in Central QLD.

6.6 Signage on Clarke Creek Road, Bogandilla

Cr Viv Coleman advised that some signage on Clarke Creek Road has been damaged and requested if it can be repaired.

The Director Infrastructure Services confirmed that the signage is owned by TMR and that Council will pass this information on.

ACTION: DIRECTOR INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES

6.7 Welcome to Isaac Sign

Cr Alaina Earl advised the Committee that there appears to be no "Welcome to Isaac" signage for motorists entering the Isaac region from the Bowen direction. Cr Earl requested that this matter be investigated to determine whether appropriate signage can be installed.

ACTION: MANAGER ROADS INFRASTRUCTURE

6.8 Signage on Red Hill Road, Moranbah

Cr Viv Coleman advised the Committee that there are currently no signage warning drivers of bends in the road on Red Hill Road. Cr Coleman expressed concern that this poses a safety risk, noting that several vehicles have been observed leaving the roadway in this area. Cr Coleman requested that the matter be investigated, including consideration of appropriate warning signage.

ACTION: MANAGER ROADS INFRASTRUCTURE

6.9 Deceased Animal Removal

Cr Alaina Earl enquired about the appropriate contact for the removal of deceased animals, particularly deer, from roads within town areas.
The Manager Parks and Recreation advised that members of the public can contact Council to request the removal of deceased animals from roadways.

6.10 Walkway on Colonial Drive, Clairview

Cr Viv Coleman requested an update on the status of the walking network plans that include Colonial Drive, Clairview.

The Director Infrastructure Services confirmed that an update on the Region's Walking Network Plans will be provided to the Committee in the near future.

ACTION: MANAGER ROADS INFRASTRUCTURE

6.11 Ilbilbie Hall Carpark

Cr Viv Coleman advised the Committee that the car park area at Ilbilbie Hall is in damaged condition and that there is currently no signage in the area. Cr Coleman requested that these matters be investigated, including any necessary repairs and the installation of appropriate signage.

6.12 Illegal Camping at Clairview

Cr Viv Coleman advised the Committee that she has received reports from local residents regarding travellers illegally camping at the town bus stop, which is not a designated camping area. Concerns were raised that some individuals are using the area as a toilet facility, creating excessive noise, and causing disturbance to nearby residents and the broader community. Cr Coleman requested that the matter be investigated.

ACTION: DIRECTOR COMMUNITY SERVICES

6.13 Road-safety Crash Display

The Acting Manager Engineering Services advised the Committee that he is working with QPS and TMR to find get the appropriate approvals to have the road-safety crash display installed next to the painted rock near Coppabella.

ACTION: ACTING MANAGER ENGINEERING SERVICES

7. CONCLUSION

There being no further business, the Chair declared the meeting closed at 11:21am.

These minutes will be confirmed by the Committee at the Infrastructure Services Standing Committee Meeting to be held on Wednesday 9 September 2026 in Moranbah.