

Meeting Summary

Council Meeting

Tuesday 8 March 2011.

The following is a summary of the Council meeting held on Tuesday 8 March 2011. For full details go to

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Public Participation

One member of the public addressed the meeting relating to Correspondence 1 – Sydney Water DA, Goulding Road, Ryde.

Minutes of Council 22 February 2011 and Works & Community Committee were endorsed.

Item 3 Ryde Planning and Business Centre and Options for Existing Ryde Library. The meeting noted the costs of establishing the new City of Ryde Centre of \$1.3M, was split Ryde Library \$1.03M; Planning and Business Centre \$280K. The meeting noted that a 6 month operational review will take place after open (end April/early May).

Item 4 2011 National General Assembly – 19/22 June. The meeting endorsed that the Mayor Cllr Etmekdjian and Deputy Mayor Cllr Petch would attend the Canberra meeting.

Item 5 Constitutional Recognition of Local Government. The meeting endorsed the request of the Australian Local Government Association for support a resolution supporting a referendum on the matter be put in conjunction with the 2013 Federal Election.

Notices of Motion

- 1 Affordable Housing – Cllr O'Donnell. The meeting endorsed that the General Manager prepare a report on Affordable Housing based on findings from a scheme pursued by Canada Bay Council. The report would also outline measures to include views of various interested community organisations.
- 2 No Stopping Sign Charles Street – Cllr Maggio. The meeting endorsed that Council write to the RTA requesting consideration be given to extending existing No Stopping sign along the western side of Charles Street, Putney.

The meeting went into confidential session at approximately 9.15pm.