



# AGENDA

FOR THE

SWEARING IN OF NEWLY ELECTED  
COUNCILLORS

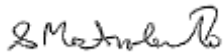
**18 OCTOBER 2021**

# NOTICE OF MEETING

Dear Council Member,

The Swearing in of Newly Elected Councillors will be held on Monday, 18 October 2021 in the Council Chambers, Corner Weld and Haas Streets, Broome, commencing at 5:00 pm.

Regards,



S MASTROLEMBO  
**Chief Executive Officer**

15/10/2021

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**SHIRE OF BROOME**  
**SWEARING IN OF NEWLY ELECTED COUNCILLORS**  
**MONDAY 18 OCTOBER 2021**  
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<b>1. OFFICIAL OPENING</b>
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<b>2. ATTENDANCE AND APOLOGIES</b>
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Attendance:

Invited Guests:

Leave of Absence:

Apologies:

Officers:

Public Gallery:

<b>3. DECLARATION OF FINANCIAL INTEREST</b>
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<b>4. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME</b>
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<b>5. CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER ANNOUNCEMENTS</b>
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The Chief Executive Officer will outline proceedings for the meeting.

**6. SWEARING IN OF NEWLY ELECTED COUNCILLORS**

Section 2.29 of the *Local Government Act 1995* requires a person who has been elected as a Councillor to make a declaration before acting in the office.

The declaration is to be made before a person whom a statutory declaration can be made under the *Oaths, Affidavits and Statutory Declarations Act 2005*.

Honorary Freeman of the Shire, Mr Kim Male JP, will perform the Swearing in Ceremony.

***The following elected Councillors read aloud and signed the Declaration required under the Local Government Act 1995 which was witnessed by Honorary Freeman, Kim Male JP***

**Broome Ward:**

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

**Dampier Ward**

- 1.

## **7. ELECTION OF SHIRE PRESIDENT**

The procedure for electing a Shire President is set out in Schedule 2.3, Division 1, of the *Local Government Act 1995*.

The Chief Executive Officer will call for nominations for Shire President. Nominations are to be in writing to the Chief Executive Officer before the meeting, or during the meeting prior to the close of nominations. Nominations close at the meeting at a time announced by the Chief Executive Officer.

Councillors are to vote on the matter by secret ballot if there is more than one nomination. The Chief Executive Officer is to declare and give notice of the result in accordance with Regulation 11F of the *Local Government (Constitution) Regulations 1998*.

The Shire President will be required to make a declaration as per section 2.29 of the *Local Government Act 1995*.

***The Shire President will assume the Chair and call for nominations for Deputy President.***

## **8. ELECTION OF DEPUTY SHIRE PRESIDENT**

The procedure for electing the Deputy Shire President is set out in Schedule 2.3, Division 2 of the *Local Government Act 1995*.

The Shire President will advise of any nominations received prior to the meeting and call for any further nominations. A secret ballot will be held where there is more than one (1) nomination.

The Chief Executive is to declare and give notice of the result in accordance with **Regulation 11F** of the ***Local Government (Constitution) Regulations 1998***.

The Deputy Shire President will be required to make a declaration as per **section 2.29** of the ***Local Government Act 1995***.

## **9. MEETING CLOSURE**