

PRESENT.

The Mayor, Councillor FT Longmire (Chairperson), Councillors WB Bott AM, DJ Davey, JE Doyle, GJ Law, GJ Poidevin, FM Schirmer, MS Shields and NW Wales APM.

ALSO PRESENT.

Mr BJ Corcoran (General Manager), Mr B Parr (Director Environmental Services), Mr JJ Babbs (Director Engineering Services) and Mr ID Rich (Director Corporate and Community Services).

BEREAVEMENTS.

One minutes silence was observed in sympathy for the passing of :-

Jean Majorca Elliott
Evelyn Olive Black
Henrietta Alice Renshaw
Kevin Nicholson
Julia Mary Anderson
Mathew Bogie
Doris Linda Bruce

NOTIFICATION OF PECUNIARY/CONFLICTS OF INTEREST IN MEETING BUSINESS ITEMS

Councillor Wales declared a non-pecuniary conflict of interest in the Director Environmental Services Report Item 4 - Adoption of the Draft Corowa Local Environmental Plan 2011 - Landfill/Transfer Station under Section (442(1) of the Local Government Act and Clause 59(1)(b) of Council's Code of Meeting Practice as his wife works for and he lives on the property owned by AllHill Pty Ltd.

MINUTES.

311/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Davey and Doyle that the Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting held on 19 July 2011 with the inclusion that Councillor Schirmer's absence following the afternoon tea adjournment was due to her being unwell be confirmed.

GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT.

312/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Poidevin and Wales that the General Manager's Report be dealt with.

9.15 a.m. Councillor Law arrived at the meeting.

2. ROADS TO RECOVERY PROGRAM

313/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Schirmer and Poidevin that Corowa Shire Council call on the Federal Government to :-

- Recognise the successful delivery of the Roads to Recovery Program by Local Government since 2000;
- Continue the Roads to Recovery Program on a permanent basis to assist Local Government meet its responsibilities of providing access for communities;
- Continue the Roads to Recovery Program with the current administrative arrangements; and
- Provide an increased level of funding under a future Roads to Recovery Program that recognises the shortfall of funding on local roads of \$1.2 billion annually

- Issue a press release highlighting the beneficial works undertaken under the RTR program AND FURTHER a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Prime Minister, Minister for Infrastructure and Transport, Leader of the Opposition and Opposition Transport Spokesman.

ADOPTION OF GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT.

314/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Bott and Poidevin that the balance of the General Manager's Report be adopted.

DIRECTOR CORPORATE AND COMMUNITY SERVICES' REPORT.

315/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Poidevin and Davey that the Director Corporate and Community Services' Report be dealt with.

ADOPTION OF DIRECTOR CORPORATE AND COMMUNITY SERVICES' REPORT.

316/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Bott and Poidevin that the balance of the Director Corporate and Community Services' Report be adopted.

DIRECTOR ENGINEERING SERVICES' REPORT.

317/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Law and Doyle that the Engineering Services Report be dealt with.

1. MATTERS REFERRED FROM THE PREVIOUS MEETING

MULWALA BRIDGE CROSSING

318/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Bott and Davey that Council meet with the RTA and seek comment as to the proposed new Mulwala Bridge crossings and intended traffic flows in Gulai Road and Melbourne Street, Mulwala.

3. RESEALS TENDER

319/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Shields and Davey that the General Manager be authorised to sign Procurement Australia's letter of appointment as our sole Sealing Tendering Agent.

4. BUDGET MATTERS

320/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Poidevin and Shields that the installation of up-lights for the Monument roundabout artworks proceed with the balance of the necessary funds taken from the budget allocation for sundry parks watering systems.

321/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Law and Shields that the actions of the General Manager in approving the soil conditions investigations at the Corowa Works Depot at a cost of \$24,290.00 be endorsed.

6. LIME SPREADER – STABILISING

322/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Poidevin and Shields that Council :

- Purchase a "Krata Shaka" lime spreading machine at a cost of \$25,000.
- Council retain the Mitsubishi truck No. 426 with crane for the stabilizing team.
- Council consider the purchase of low age good quality used trucks (in lieu of new), and if suitable vehicles are offered at auction then the General Manager be authorised to

permit the purchase by the Director or his approved staff member.

8. HOWLONG WATER PLANT

323/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Poidevin and Shields that the quotation from Aussie Steel Building Systems Pty Ltd for a shed 18m x 7.5m x 3.6m be accepted AND the shed be purchased from Water Reserve.

ADDENDUM TO DIRECTOR ENGINEERING SERVICES REPORT

324/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Schirmer and Poidevin that the Addendum to the Director Engineering Services Report be dealt with.

9. TENDERS FOR BITUMEN EMULSION

325/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Schirmer and Law that the following recommendation be adopted and REROC be advised accordingly.

That Council accept Downer EDI Works as the successful tenderer for the supply and delivery of Bitumen Emulsion on a rise and fall basis for a period of three years.

ADOPTION OF DIRECTOR ENGINEERING SERVICES' REPORT AND ADDENDUM REPORT.

326/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Wales and Shields that the balance of the Director Engineering Services' Report and Addendum Report be adopted.

DIRECTOR ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES' REPORT.

327/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Davey and Doyle that the Environmental Services Report be dealt with.

3. DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION NO. 2011/161

PROPERTY: 73 Corowa Road, Mulwala
OWNERS: Dr G & Mrs T Gescheit
PROPOSAL: Construction of Balcony Verandah
ZONING: Residential 2(a)

328/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Poidevin and Davey that Development Application No. 2011/161 be approved subject to the following conditions:

1. **INSPECTIONS:** When the building has reached the following stages, 48 hours notice is to be given to Council to enable an inspection to be carried out: For inspections phone: 02 6033 8960.
 - (a) **Commencement:** At the commencement of building work. (Note: This inspection can be carried out at the same time as the next required inspection) and
 - (b) **Pre Slab:** After excavation for and prior to the placement of any footings; and
 - (c) **Slab, Footings Etc:** Prior to pouring any in-site reinforced concrete building element, pad footings, etc and
 - (d) **Frame:** Prior to covering of the framework for any floor, wall, roof or other building element; and

- (e) **Waterproofing:** Prior to covering waterproofing in any wet areas; and
- (f) **Stormwater:** Prior to covering any stormwater drainage connections; and
- (g) **Plumbing/sewer:** Prior to covering any hot and cold water service pipes, sanitary drainage and sanitary plumbing systems while under pressure test.
- (h) **Final:** After building work has been completed and prior to occupation or use of the building.

NOTE: If any of the mandatory critical stage inspections are not done, Council will not be able to issue an Occupation Certificate.

Reason: To ensure compliance with the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000, (Clause 162A, 163) associated legislation and Council requirements.

Notice of Commencement: Notice of commencement of building work and appointment of the Principal Certifying Authority shall be lodged with Council, in writing, at least two days prior to commencement of construction. (See enclosed form).

- 2. BALUSTRADES:** All balconies/decks 1 metre or more above ground level must be provided with an approved balustrades. Balustrades to be 1 metre above floor level for balconies and 865 mm above floor level for stairs. No part of the balustrade shall allow a 125 mm diameter sphere to pass through (BCA 3.9.2).
- 3. STORMWATER:** All stormwater shall be piped to the existing stormwater disposal system.
- 4. PRIVACY SCREENS:** That approved 1.8m high privacy screens be erected at both ends of the existing balcony.

Voting

For: Councillors Longmire, Law, Davey, Bott, Doyle, Shields, Poidevin, Schirmer and Wales.

Against: Nil.

4. ADOPTION OF DRAFT COROWA LOCAL ENVIRONMENTAL PLAN 2011

Councillor Wales declared a non-pecuniary conflict of interest in the Director Environmental Services Report Item 4 - Adoption of the Draft Corowa Local Environmental Plan 2011 - Landfill/Transfer Station under Section (442(1) of the Local Government Act and Clause 59(1)(b) of Council's Code of Meeting Practice as his wife works for and he lives on the property owned by AllHill Pty Ltd and he left the Chambers.

329/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Poidevin and Law that :

- 1. Council consider this report, its attachments and all submissions in accordance with section 68 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act.
- 2. Council formally acknowledge receipt of all submissions as presented.
- 3. Council adopt the Corowa Local Environmental Plan 2011 and the Local Environmental Plan 2011 Maps separately tabled as altered in this report.
- 4. Council advise the Director-General of the Department of Planning and Infrastructure that:
 - (a) Council requests the Director-General of the NSW Department of Planning and Infrastructure to advise the Minister to make the plan in accordance with Council's

- submission.
- (b) Council has fulfilled its responsibilities under section 68(4) of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act by submitting to the Director-General:
- (i) details of all submissions made to the exhibition of the draft Corowa Local Environmental Plan 2011, and
 - (ii) the draft Corowa LEP 2011 as altered in accordance with the recommendations of this report, and
 - (iii) this report, inclusive of all attachments
5. Council give the General Manager and Director of Environmental Services delegated authority to act in the Council's interests in finalising the draft plan.

Voting

For: Councillors Longmire, Law, Davey, Bott, Doyle, Shields, Poidevin and Schirmer.

Against: Nil.

Councillor Wales returned to the meeting.

ADOPTION OF DIRECTOR ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES' REPORT.

330/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Shields and Davey that the balance of the Director Environmental Services' Report be adopted inclusive of :-

1. BUILDINGS.

2011/103	7 Cobar Court, Corowa	Industrial Shed
2011/116	10-11 Fairway Close, Howlong	Dwelling
2011/148	82-120 Hawkins Street, Howlong	Verandah to Sports Pavilion
2011/153	Tom Roberts Road, Corowa	Outdoor Piggeries
2011/157	103 Hawkins Street, Howlong	Shed
2011/159	18 Matthew Court, Corowa	Carport
2011/167	176 Victoria Street, Howlong	House
2011/169	3 Acacia Court, Corowa	Woodheater
2011/173	157 Hoddle Street, Howlong	Inground Swimming Pool
2011/175	150 Adams Street, Corowa	Convert Shed to Habitable
2011/176	7 Amaroo Court, Mulwala	Fibreglass Swimming Pool
2011/177	34 Jude Street, Howlong	Shed
2011/179	39 Whitehead Street, Corowa	Carport
2011/184	63 Ward Street, Mulwala	Carport
2011/186	118 Lucan Street, Mulwala	Fibreglass Swimming Pool
2011/189	1/56 Melbourne Street, Mulwala	Carport

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATIONS.

The following development applications have been determined under delegated authority by the granting of consent subject to conditions.

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION REGISTERED NO. 2011/045/01

Application for modification of consent for 3 lot subdivision on residential land being Lot 1; Sec 3; DP 758528; 142 Bank Street, Howlong.

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION REGISTERED NO. 2011/164

Application for building envelope on environmentally protected land being Lot 17; DP 753734; Bullecourt Road, Corowa.

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION REGISTERED NO. 2011/172

Application for subdivision – boundary adjustment on residential land being Lot 2; DP 1095639; 14a Riesling Street, Corowa.

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION REGISTERED NO. 2011/142

Application for subdivision – boundary adjustment on residential land being Lot 1; DP 207138 and Lot 221; DP 1103116; 14 Jackson Street, Corowa.

ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING

The meeting adjourned for morning tea at 10.35 a.m.

RESUMPTION OF MEETING

The meeting resumed at 10.50 a.m.

NOXIOUS WEEDS AND ANIMAL INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

331/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Davey and Schirmer that the Noxious Weeds and Animal Inspector's Report be received and adopted.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.MANEX COMMITTEE

332/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Schirmer and Davey that the minutes of the Manex Committee meeting held on Tuesday, 2 August 2011 be adopted inclusive of :-

2. COMMUNICATIONS, VOICEMAIL, EMAIL, BUSINESS CARDS AND WHOS-IN USE

THAT all staff be instructed to ensure that Voice Mail is personalised on their telephones (Mobile and Desk).

THAT all Business Cards with the exception of the General Manager and Directors have direct telephone numbers printed and not departmental telephone numbers.

THAT all staff be instructed to use/change Voice Mail and Out of Office Assistant for email when absent from the office one day or more.

THAT staff be instructed to use the Whose-In program to indicate their movements and absence from the office.

3. RECORDS MANAGEMENT EMAIL MANAGEMENT/HOSTED SERVICES AND ARCHIVING OPPORTUNITIES

THAT the Director Corporate & Community Services continue to explore opportunities for hosted email and email archiving services with a view to implementation and be authorised to proceed with the purchase of the selected service.

4. CEMETERY RECORDS AND GENERAL MANAGEMENT

THAT the Director Engineering Services provide a report regarding the current and proposed future Cemetery Management arrangements.

5. JOB DESCRIPTIONS

THAT a review of all Job/Position Descriptions be undertaken with a view to standardising the format and ensuring the currency of every position description.

6. CEMETERY AND AERODROME FARM LAND LEASING

THAT Council confirm our current arrangements with the Aerodrome lease AND quotations be called for the lease of Lot 123 DP 1153811 Cemetery Road, Corowa being a 35.39 Hectare parcel of land.

7. COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

THAT the following officers be authorised to attend the Community Engagement Activities as Council's representatives.

- **Community Workshop Corowa - Director Corporate and Community Services**
- Tuesday August 23rd - 9.30am - 11.00am @ Oddfellows Hall Corowa
- **Health Workshop - Director Corporate and Community Services**
- Tuesday August 23rd - 11.30am - 1.00pm @ Oddfellows Hall Corowa
- **Aged Services - Director Corporate and Community Services**
- Tuesday August 23rd - 1.30pm - 3.00pm @ Oddfellows Hall Corowa
- **Children and Young People Workshop - Director Corporate and Community Services** - Tuesday August 23rd - 3.30pm - 5.30pm @ Oddfellows Hall Corowa
- **Sport and Recreation Workshop - Director Environmental Services**
- Wednesday August 24th - 6.00pm - 7.30pm @ Oddfellows Hall Corowa
- **Community Workshop Howlong - Director Corporate and Community Services**
- Wednesday August 24th - 1.30pm - 3.30pm @ Howlong Community Hall
- **Sport and Recreation Workshop - Director Corporate and Community Services**
- Monday August 29th - 6.00pm - 7.30pm @ Howlong Community Hall
- **Community Workshop Mulwala - Director Corporate and Community Services**
- Wednesday August 24th - 9.30am - 11.30am @ Mulwala Civic Centre
- **Sport and Recreation Workshop - Mr Geoff Lewis**
- Monday September 5th - 6.00pm - 7.30pm @ Mulwala Civic Centre
- **Business Workshop - General Manager and Economic Development Officer**
- Wednesday October 12th - 7.30am - 9.00am @ Oddfellows Hall Corowa

Community Action Meetings - to help Council prioritise the information that has been gathered from the surveys,

- **Corowa** - Tuesday October 11th - 7.00pm - 8.30pm @ Oddfellows Hall Corowa
- **Howlong** - Tuesday October 18th - 7.00pm - 8.30pm @ Howlong Community Hall
- **Mulwala** - Wednesday October 26th - 7.00pm - 8.30pm @ Mulwala Civic Centre

COROWA SHIRE AND RUTHERGLEN DISTRICT HEALTH SOCIAL AND COMMUNITY SUPPORT COMMITTEE

333/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Schirmer and Doyle that the minutes of the Corowa Shire and Rutherglen District Health, Social and Community Support Committee meeting held on Thursday, 4 August 2011 be adopted inclusive of :-

APOLOGIES

THAT the apologies received from Bruce Corcoran, May Houlihan and Keith Barber be accepted.

MINUTES

THAT the Minutes of the meeting held on 2 June 2011 be adopted.

POLICY AND RESOURCE COMMITTEE

334/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Bott and Shields that the minutes of the Policy and Resource Committee meeting held on Monday, 8 August 2011 be adopted inclusive of :-

APOLOGIES

THAT the apology received from Councillor GJ Law be accepted and leave of absence granted.

1. GENERAL MANAGER(i) LOCAL PREFERENCE POLICY

THAT Council confirm the current Purchasing and Tendering Policy.

(ii) RISK MANAGEMENT OF EVENTS

THAT the following Draft Policy and Application Forms be adopted and advertised for public comment:-

- Special Event Policy;
- The application form for Staging an Event on Council Land;
- The application form for Section 355 Committees to Stage an Event.

THAT Council consider an Events Grant Program whereby event organisers would apply to Council for cash or in-kind assistance for their events.

(iii) ECONOMIC IMPACT OF PROPOSED POKER MACHINE REFORM

THAT Council through REROC and RAMROC pursue the following:-

- Approach other Councils, particularly those based on the Murray River to raise awareness of this issue and consider a joint campaign.
- Work with the local Club Industry to raise awareness of this issue and the likely impacts utilising the media, to seek support for this reform to be blocked by the community at large.
- Approach the State Government through the Local Member to request that they not support this reform.
- Seek through the Local Federal Minister a deputation to the Federal Government, Opposition and Independents to request that they reconsider the proposed reform.

- Seek an appropriate community recovery package if the reform is to be implemented (in any form).

(iv) REVIEW OF PAYMENT OF EXPENSES & PROVISION OF FACILITIES TO THE MAYOR AND COUNCILLORS POLICY

THAT the reviewed Payment of Expenses and Provisions of Facilities to the Mayor and Councillors Policy be adopted and advertised for public comment.

2. DIRECTOR CORPORATE & COMMUNITY SERVICES

(ii) ARTS AND CULTURE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

THAT a committee of up to 12 members be formed with members on the Arts and Culture Advisory Committee selected to reflect the cultural and artistic diversity throughout the Corowa Shire.

(iii) INTERNAL REPORTING POLICY AND PROCEDURE

THAT Council adopt the NSW Ombudsman's June 2011, Model Internal Reporting Policy – Local Government as Council's Internal Reporting Policy and procedures be developed to support this Policy in accordance with the guidelines.

(iv) COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT MEETINGS

THAT the following Councillors be authorised to attend the Community Engagement Activities as Council's representatives.

• **Community Workshop Corowa - Councillor Bott**

Tuesday August 23rd - 9.30am - 11.00am @ Oddfellows Hall Corowa

• **Health Workshop - Councillor Longmire**

Tuesday August 23rd - 11.30am - 1.00pm @ Oddfellows Hall Corowa

• **Aged Services - Councillor Wales**

Tuesday August 23rd - 1.30pm - 3.00pm @ Oddfellows Hall Corowa

• **Children and Young People Workshop - Councillor Longmire**

Tuesday August 23rd - 3.30pm - 5.30pm @ Oddfellows Hall Corowa

• **Sport and Recreation Workshop Corowa - Councillor Longmire**

Wednesday August 24th - 6.00pm - 7.30pm @ Oddfellows Hall Corowa

• **Community Workshop Howlong - Councillor Schirmer**

Wednesday August 24th - 1.30pm - 3.30pm @ Howlong Community Hall

• **Sport and Recreation Workshop Howlong - Councillor Shields**

Monday August 29th - 6.00pm - 7.30pm @ Howlong Community Hall

• **Community Workshop Mulwala - Councillor Davey**

Wednesday August 24th - 9.30am - 11.30am @ Mulwala Civic Centre

• **Sport and Recreation Workshop Mulwala - Councillor Doyle**

Monday September 5th - 6.00pm - 7.30pm @ Mulwala Civic Centre

• **Business Workshop Corowa - Council Committee Members**

Wednesday October 12th - 7.30am - 9.00am @ Oddfellows Hall Corowa

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MAYOR _____

GENERAL MANAGER _____

Community Action Meetings – to help Council prioritise the information that has been gathered from the surveys.

• **Corowa** – Tuesday October 11th – **Councillor Poidevin**
7.00pm – 8.30pm @ Oddfellows Hall Corowa

• **Howlong** – Tuesday October 18th – **Councillor Shields**
7.00pm – 8.30pm @ Howlong Community Hall

• **Mulwala** – Wednesday October 26th – **Councillor Davey**
7.00pm – 8.30pm @ Mulwala Civic Centre

OCCUPATIONAL, HEALTH AND SAFETY COMMITTEE

335/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Davey and Law that the minutes of the Occupational, Health and Safety Committee meeting held on Tuesday, 9 August 2011 be adopted inclusive of :-

1. CONFIRMATION OF THE MINUTES

THAT the minutes of the meeting held on 19 May 2011 be confirmed.

5. WORKS DEPOT EMULSION TANK – SAFE ACCESS

THAT the OH&S Coordinator and Assistant Overseer conduct a risk assessment, and develop a safe system of work and Safe Work Method Statement for climbing the fixed ladder using a Full-Body Fall Arrest Harness and Twin-Tail Lanyard device fitted with an approved Fall Arrest unit.

THAT a review of all fixed ladders and platforms throughout Council's operations be conducted AND inspection for safe access to Howlong's Water Filtration plant's Filter Cells be carried out to identify the risk of falls and implement any necessary control measure to eliminate or control work at heights risks.

6. GENERAL BUSINESS

6.1 THAT a review of the requirement to wear hard hats be discussed with all work gangs via Toolbox Talk meetings by Overseers AND SAFE WORK DISTANCE for wearing hard hats be amended to "O" radius, and require hard hat protection must be worn "where ever lifting plant is on site and available for use".

6.2. THAT ARC Blood Donation Service posters be displayed at Depots and lunch rooms for the promotion and benefits of blood donations by interested Council staff.

THAT the example "How to prevent falls when using mobile plant" be reviewed by Overseers and modified for adoption and implementation onto all Council worksites where risk of falls using mobile plant exist.

6.3 THAT Overseers review the training DVD's and report to the OHS Coordinator their support or not for purchase of these titles.

6.4. THAT Parks and Gardens staff are to be given priority access to old tipper truck, when truck is not available, staff to be transported to job site with a maximum of two adults in utility cab, and return to Depot or worksite to deliver third person to worksite unless all occupants wear seat belts.

DELEGATES' REPORTS.

Councillor Davey reported on the Yarrowonga-Mulwala Bridge Crossing public meeting.
Councillor Bott reported on the Upper Murray Regional Library.
Councillor Doyle reported on Murray Regional Tourism.
Councillor Doyle reported on the Yarrowonga-Mulwala Bridge Crossing public meeting.
Councillor Shields reported on the BCMH Committee tour of Cooloff Howlong.
Councillor Shields reported on the Lowe Square Users meeting.
Councillor Poidevin reported on the BCMH Committee tour of Cooloff Howlong.
Councillor Poidevin reported on the Melbourne Cup Tour Committee and events.
Councillor Schirmer reported on the BCMH Committee tour of Cooloff Howlong.
Councillor Schirmer reported on Murray Arts.
Councillor Schirmer reported on the Corowa Public School Education Week Visit and Opening of their new buildings.
Councillor Schirmer reported on the Corowa Tourism Annual General Meeting.
Councillor Schirmer reported on Murray Catchment Management Authority (CMA) Dinner meeting.

MURRAY CATCHMENT MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY (CMA)

336/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Schirmer and Poidevin that Council invite the CEO of the Murray Catchment Management Authority (CMA) David Leslie to address Council.

Councillor Wales reported on the BCMH Committee tour of Cooloff Howlong.
Councillor Wales reported on the Mulwala Liquor Accord.
Councillor Wales reported on the Lonsdale Reserve Committee.
Councillor Wales reported on the Melbourne Cup Tour and events.
The Mayor reported on the Saleyards Conference held in Dubbo.
The Mayor reported on the Murray Catchment Management Authority (CMA) Dinner meeting.
The Mayor reported on the Corowa Tourism Annual General Meeting.
The Mayor reported on the Balranald Inland Tourism Awards.
The Mayor reported on the Melbourne Cup Tour and events.

MELBOURNE CUP TOUR

337/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Longmire and Poidevin that Council write to the VRC thanking them for the opportunity and involvement in the Melbourne Cup Tour.

ADOPTION OF DELEGATES' REPORTS.

338/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Law and Doyle that the verbal Reports of the Delegates be adopted.

CORRESPONDENCE REQUIRING COUNCIL ACTION AND FOR INFORMATION.2. SUSAN WILTON

MOVED by Councillors Schirmer and Bott that Council design and implement temporary signage for works undertaken under the Howlong Town Improvement Fund.

On the motion being put to the meeting it was lost.

4. LONSDALE RECREATIONAL RESERVE

339/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Bott and Poidevin that a survey and

design be undertaken for the upgrading of Lonsdale Reserve roads and drainage.

SAVERNAKE CEMETERY

340/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Bott and Doyle that Council introduce this item of correspondence and agree to assist the residents with a plaque, road sign and entrance grading.

SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS

341/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Poidevin and Wales that standing orders be suspended.

The Mayor introduced Ms Delia Dary, Department of Primary Industries who updated Council on the Rural Support Worker Program.

RESUMPTION OF STANDING ORDERS

342/11 RESOLVED on the motion of Councillors Schirmer and Law that standing orders be resumed.

The meeting terminated at 12.33 p.m.

CONFIRMED: 20 September 2011.

MAYOR: _____