



WELLINGTON
SHIRE COUNCIL

Resolutions in Brief Special Council Meeting

Tuesday 26 May 2026, commencing at 5:00 PM

To be read in conjunction with the Special Council Meeting Agenda 26 May 2026.

Cr Cindy Madeley (Mayor)

Cr Liz Foat (Deputy Mayor)

Cr Edward Lowe

Cr Garry Stephens

Cr Carmel Ripper

Cr Geoff Wells

Cr John Tatterson

Cr Scott Rossetti

David Morcom, Chief Executive Officer

Chris Hastie, General Manager Built & Natural Environment

Arthur Skipitaris, General Manager Corporate Services

Renae Littlejohn, General Manager Development

Ashy Sehgal, Chief Financial Officer

Billie-Jo Thorburn, Acting Manager Customer & Communications

Catie Thomson, Senior Governance and Reporting Officer

APOLOGIES

Cr Catherine Bannerman

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MISSION STATEMENT

Working together to make a difference. We listen and lead to provide quality services that improve life for all.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

We acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of the land, the Gunaikurnai people. We pay our respects to their Elders past and present and acknowledge their ongoing cultural and spiritual connections to their land and waters.

RECOGNITION OF COMMUNITY

We recognise the entire Wellington Shire community, including visitors to our shire, for their collective efforts in protecting and preserving the land, water, air, and history, and for making this a better place to live and work for current and future generations.

1. APOLOGIES

COUNCILLOR BANNERMAN

2. DECLARATION OF CONFLICT/S OF INTEREST

NIL

3. GENERAL MANAGER CORPORATE SERVICES

3.1. DRAFT 2026/27 BUDGET SUBMISSIONS

ACTION OFFICER: MANAGER CORPORATE FINANCE

PUBLIC QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS FROM THE GALLERY

NIL

RECOMMENDATION

That Council receive and consider the attached written submissions and any verbal submissions relating to the Draft 2026/27 Budget.

COUNCILLOR WELLS / COUNCILLOR LOWE

That Council receive and consider the attached written submissions and any verbal submissions relating to the Draft 2026/27 Budget.

CARRIED

4. CLOSURE OF SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING

Meeting declared closed at: 5.03pm.

The live streaming of this Council meeting came to a close at 5.03pm.