

MEMBERS OF THE CORPORATE AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE:

Mayor Kennedy, Deputy Mayor Hickey, Councillor Boland (Chairperson), Councillor Algate, Councillor Jewitt and Councillor Gillett.

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the *Local Government Act 1993*, that the Corporate and Community Development Standing Committee of the Broken Hill City Council will be held in the Council Chambers on **Tuesday 16 September 2025 at 5:30pm** to consider the following business:

AG	AGENDA						
1	Opening the Meeting						
2	Apologies						
3	Leave of Absence Applications						
4	Prayer						
5	Acknowledgement of Country						
6	Acknowledgement of Broken Hill's Mining History						
7	Minutes for Confirmation						
8	Disclosure of Interest						
9	Reports						
10	Confidential Matters						
11	Conclusion of the Meeting						

STATEMENT OF ETHICAL OBLIGATIONS

All Councillors undertook an Oath or Affirmation at the beginning of their term of office and declared to undertake the duties of the office of Councillor in the best interests of the people of the Broken Hill Local Government Area and the City of Broken Hill; and that they will faithfully and impartially carry out the functions, powers, authorities and discretions vested in them under the *Local Government Act 1993* or any other Act to the best of their ability and judgment.

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<u>JAY NANKIVELL</u> GENERAL MANAGER

MINUTES FOR CONFIRMATION

Minutes of the Corporate & Community Development Committee of the City of Broken Hill held Tuesday, August 19, 2025.

MINUTES OF THE CORPORATE & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE MEETING HELD TUESDAY, AUGUST 19, 2025 (5:30 PM)

PRESENT: Councillor T Kennedy (Mayor) Councillor M Boland (Chairperson),

Councillors B Algate, H Jewitt and E. Gillett.

Councillor A Chandler.

General Manager, Director Corporate and Community, Executive Officer and

Executive Assistant.

Media (nil), Members of the Public (nil).

APOLOGIES: Councillor J Hickey (Deputy Mayor).

Procedural Motion

Moved Mayor Tom Kennedy, Seconded Councillor Bob Algate

That the apology submitted on behalf of Deputy Mayor Hickey be accepted.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

LEAVE OF ABSENCE APPLICATIONS: Nil.

PRAYER

Mayor Kennedy delivered the Prayer.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

Councillor Jewitt delivered the Acknowledgement of Country.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF BROKEN HILL'S MINING HISTORY

Councillor Algate delivered the Acknowledgement of Broken Hill's Mining History.

Councillor Gillett arrived at this point in the meeting (5:32pm).

MINUTES FOR CONFIRMATION

Recommendation

Moved Councillor Bob Algate, Seconded Councillor Hayley Jewitt

That the Minutes of the Corporate & Community Development Committee meeting held Tuesday July 22, 2025 be confirmed.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST

Nil.

REPORTS

1. <u>BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 152/25 - DATED JUNE 03, 2025 -</u> ADOPTION OF THE LIVING DESERT MASTER PLAN D25/24624

Recommendation

Moved Councillor Bob Algate, Seconded Councillor Elaine Gillett

- 1. That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 152/25 dated June 3, 2025, be received.
- 2. That Council notes that the Draft Living Desert Master Plan, Draft Business Plan and Draft Action Plan were placed on public exhibition between 4 July 2025 and 2 August 2025, during which time Council received nil submissions from the public.
- 3. That Council adopts the Draft Living Desert Master Plan, Draft Business Plan and Draft Action Plan.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

2. BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 153/25 - DATED JUNE 18, 2025 ADOPTION OF THE DRAFT ALBERT KERSTEN MINING AND MINERAL
MUSEUM STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN 2025-2028 FOR PUBLIC
EXHIBITION D25/26932

Recommendation

Moved Mayor Tom Kennedy, Seconded Councillor Bob Algate

- 1. That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 153/25 dated June 18, 2025, be received.
- 2. That Council notes the Albert Kersten Mining and Mineral Museum Strategic Business Plan 2025 2028 was placed on public exhibition between 4 July 2025 and 2 August 2025 during which time Council received nil submissions from the public.
- 3. That Council adopts the Draft Albert Kersten Mining and Mineral Museum Strategic Business Plan 2025-2028.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

3. BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 154/25 - DATED JUNE 18, 2025 - ADOPTION OF THE DRAFT BROKEN HILL CITY ART GALLERY STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN 2025-2028 FOR PUBLIC EXHIBITION D25/26941

Recommendation

Moved Councillor Bob Algate, Seconded Councillor Elaine Gillett

- 1. That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 154/25 dated June 18, 2025, be received.
- 2. That Council notes that the Draft Broken Hill City Art Gallery Strategic Business Plan 2025 2028 was placed on public exhibition between 4 July 2025 and 2 August 2025, during which time Council received nil submissions from the public.
- 3. That Council adopts the Broken Hill City Art Gallery Strategic Business Plan 2025 2028.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

4. <u>BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 155/25 - DATED JUNE 18, 2025 - ADOPTION OF THE DRAFT LOCAL APPROVALS POLICY</u> D25/26959

Recommendation

Moved Mayor Tom Kennedy, Seconded Councillor Hayley Jewitt

- 1. That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 155/25 dated June 18, 2025, be received.
- 2. That Council notes that the Draft Local Approvals Policy was placed on public exhibition between 4 July 2025 and 2 August 2025, during which time Council received nil submissions from the public.
- 3. That Council adopts the Draft Local Approvals Policy.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

5. <u>BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 156/25 - DATED JUNE 18, 2025 -</u> ADOPTION OF THE DRAFT LOCAL ORDERS POLICY D25/26961

Recommendation

Moved Councillor Bob Algate, Seconded Councillor Hayley Jewitt

- 1. That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 156/25 dated June 18, 2025, be received.
- 2. That Council notes that the Draft Local Orders Policy was placed on public exhibition between 4 July 2025 and 2 August 2025, during which time Council received nil submissions from the public.
- 3. That Council adopts the Draft Local Orders Policy.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

6. BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 157/25 - DATED JULY 28, 2025 - PUBLIC ART RESTORATION AND PRESERVATION WORKS D25/32444

Recommendation

Moved Councillor Elaine Gillett, Seconded Councillor Bob Algate

- 1. That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 157/25 dated July 28, 2025, be received.
- 2. That the report *Public Art Restoration and Preservation Works Intervention Report* prepared by Delta Conservation be noted as supplied to Councillors in a confidential nature.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

7. BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 158/25 - DATED AUGUST 08, 2025 - PROPOSAL FOR TRIAL PERIOD TO EXCLUDE THE CHANGEROOM FROM THE NORM FOX ALCOHOL PROHIBITED AREA D25/36162

Recommendation

Moved Councillor Bob Algate, Seconded Councillor Hayley Jewitt

- 1. That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 158/25 dated August 8, 2025, be received.
- 2. That the Proposal for trial period to exclude the changeroom from the Norm Fox Alcohol Prohibited Area be adopted by Council.
- 3. That Council endorse the Proposal for trial period to exclude the changeroom from the Norm Fox Alcohol Prohibited Area for the purpose of public exhibition for community comment for a 28-day period.
- 4. That Council receives a further report at the conclusion of the exhibition period, outlining submissions received and any recommendations arising.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

8. BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 159/25 - DATED JULY 25, 2025 - NOMINATIONS FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMUNITY

REPRESENTATIVES TO SECTION 355 COMMITTEES

D25/33378

Recommendation

Moved Councillor Elaine Gillett, Seconded Councillor Hayley Jewitt

- 1. That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 159/25 dated July 25, 2025, be received.
- 2. That Council review and consider the nomination of Chris Harrison for appointment as a community representative on the Memorial Oval Community Committee.
- 3. That Council review and consider the nomination of Marion Browne for appointment as a community representative on the Broken Hill Heritage Advisory Committee.
- 4. That the community representatives be advised of their appointment.

5. That Council notes a round of social media posts on the Broken Hill City Council Facebook page has commenced to promote the Section 355 committees and encourage volunteers to nominate.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

9. BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 160/25 - DATED JULY 29, 2025 - MINUTES OF MEETING - PICTON SPORTSGROUND COMMUNITY

COMMITTEE - HELD 14 JULY 2025 D25/33731

Recommendation

Chairperson

Moved Councillor Bob Algate, Seconded Mayor Tom Kennedy

- 1. That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 160/25 dated July 29, 2025, be received.
- 2. That the Minutes of the Picton Sportsground Community Committee meeting held 14 July 2025 be received.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

There being no further business to consider, the meeting was declared closed at 5:50pm.

The foregoing minutes were read and confirmed at the Corporate and Community
Development Committee meeting held on 16 September 2025.

REPORTS

1.	BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 175/25 - DATED AUGUST 13, 2025 -
	DRAFT SOCIAL AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT POLICY FOR PUBLIC
	EXHIBITION (D25/37098)
2.	BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 176/25 - DATED SEPTEMBER 08,
	2025 - ANNUAL REPORT 2024/2025 - SECTION 355 BROKEN HILL CITY ART
	GALLERY ADVISORY COMMITTEE (D25/41592)
3.	BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 177/25 - DATED AUGUST 15, 2025 -
	MINUTES OF THE SECTION 355 AGEING WELL ADVISORY COMMITTEE
	MEETING HELD 6 AUGUST 2025 (D25/37385)
4.	BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 178/25 - DATED AUGUST 18, 2025 -
	MINUTES OF THE SECTION 355 BROKEN HILL CITY ART GALLERY ADVISORY
	<u>COMMITTEE HELD 31 JULY 2025 (D25/37745)</u>
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5.	BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 179/25 - DATED AUGUST 21, 2025 -
	MINUTES OF THE SECTION 355 YOUTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING
	HELD 12 AUGUST 2025 (D25/38401)

CORPORATE & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

August 13, 2025

ITEM 1

BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 175/25

SUBJECT: DRAFT SOCIAL AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT POLICY FOR PUBLIC EXHIBITION D25/37098

Recommendation

- 1. That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 175/25 dated August 13, 2025, be received.
- 2. That the draft Social and Community Development Policy be placed on public exhibition for a period of 28 days during which time Council will accept submissions from the public.
- 3. That a further report be presented to Council at the conclusion of the public exhibition period outlining submissions received and any resultant amendments to the Policy, with a view to adopting the draft Social and Community Development Policy.

Executive Summary:

Broken Hill is committed to being a city that celebrates the contributions of all its residents, fostering a vibrant, inclusive, and supportive environment for living, working, learning, and visiting. The city strives to be a community where individuals and families are valued and supported, regardless of differences in age, gender, race, religion, culture, ability, sexuality, income level, or place of residence. Focus is placed on core groups such as the aged, youth, individuals with disabilities, those experiencing homelessness, and those impacted by alcohol or drug challenges.

The Draft Social and Community Development Policy incorporates the current policies of Community Services, Positive Ageing, Social and Youth consolidating into one policy to encompass the key focus areas of Community Development.

Report:

Community Development focuses on core groups such as the aged, youth, individuals with disabilities, those experiencing homelessness, and those impacted by alcohol and drug challenges.

The existing Community Services, Positive Ageing, Social and Youth Policies were all last adopted prior to 2009 and are considered obsolete.

Incorporating all the areas into one cohesive policy effectively aligns with the structure of the Community Development umbrella encompassing all areas into one policy.

Community Engagement:

The draft policy will be placed on public exhibition for submissions to be received for a period of 28 days.

Strategic Direction:

Key Direction:	1	Our Community
Objective:	1.6	Our health and wellbeing ensure that we will live life to the full
Strategy:	1.6.1	Maintain awareness of and create strategies and partnerships to address the impact of the social and lifestyle factors affecting the health and wellbeing of residents
	1.6.2	Create opportunities for people to participate in active and healthy recreational activities
	1.6.3 Provide quality health, medical and allied services community need, particularly disability services ar 24 hour medical services, paediatric and other speservices, mental health support services, allied he rehabilitation services	
1.6.4 Ensure the support and information programs and funding for individual childcare, NDIS and other program		Ensure the support and information required to access programs and funding for individuals navigating aged care, childcare, NDIS and other programs are readily available and accessible
	1.6.5	Advocate for the provision of a suitable range of social services in the City including disability, childcare and aged care services
	1.6.6 Create opportunities for people to participate in cultural creative and artistic programs and experience the nature environment to enhance health and wellbeing	

Relevant Legislation:

Local Government Act 1993

Financial Implications:

Nil

Attachments

1. U Draft Social and Community Development Policy 8 09 2025

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DIRECTOR CORPORATE AND COMMUNITY

JAY NANKIVELL GENERAL MANAGER



DRAFT SOCIAL AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT POLICY

QUALITY CONTROL							
EDRMS REFERENCES	12/14 – D25/25988						
RESPONSIBLE POSITION	Director Corporate and Community						
APPROVED BY	Executive Leader Team						
REVIEW DATE	June 2029 REVISION NUMBER 1						
EFFECTIVE DATE	ACTION MINUTE NUMBER						
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1. INTRODUCTION

Broken Hill is committed to being a city that celebrates the contributions of all its residents, fostering a vibrant, inclusive, and supportive environment for living, working, learning, and visiting. The city strives to be a community where individuals and families are valued and supported, regardless of differences in age, gender, race, religion, culture, ability, sexuality, income level, or place of residence. Focus placed on core groups such as the aged, youth, individuals with disabilities, those experiencing homelessness, and those impacted by alcohol or drug challenges, ensuring everyone has the opportunity to thrive.

2. POLICY OBJECTIVE

To enhance the quality of life, independence, and well-being of the residents of Broken Hill by facilitating opportunities for community members to actively participate in planning, development, and coordination of their physical, social, economic, environmental, and cultural needs aligning with Council's Community Strategic Plan and Delivery Program.

3. POLICY SCOPE

The Broken Hill City Council recognises and values the significant contributions of its residents to the community. Council is committed to planning, delivering, and advocating for a wide range of services and facilities that support residents in leading healthy and fulfilling lives. This policy defines Council's roles and responsibilities in achieving this commitment.

4. POLICY STATEMENT

The engagement of Council with community members to build an equitable and vibrant community, characterised by, celebration of place, ease of access to services and facilities, community harmony and participation in community life.

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Council recognises the role of Local Government in maintaining the liveability and quality of life for Broken Hill residents through an effective social planning process and the research and documentation of the social needs of the community, including a range of strategies covering the life cycle.

Council has a critical function in a regional context and the role it plays in supporting, assisting and providing cooperation between all tiers of Government. This is critical as the demand for community, aged care services and youth programs increase and exceeds the capacity of services hindered by human and economic resources.

The remote location of Broken Hill is a physical barrier to access services and opportunities. Council is able to encourage, support, advocate and develop innovative ideas to attract funding and support in the provision of services for Broken Hill.

Council will develop a co-operative relationship with all levels of government, acting as an advocate on identified high needs.

Council will, where appropriate, seek and encourage partnerships amongst local community service providers, residents, and Local/State/Federal Government organisations.

Council will advocate for equitable service delivery and funding.

Broken Hill has a large Indigenous population and has a role to encourage an awareness and recognition of Indigenous culture and heritage within the Broken Hill community.

Council acknowledging it's role in strengthening Broken Hill as a welcoming inclusive culturally diverse community.

Establish a collaborative and proactive planning approach with local providers, Federal and State Governments and other organisations to identify and address the current and emerging needs.

Collaborate with interagency services to support young people and seek grant funding to enhance Youth Week and school holiday programs. Actively encourage the inclusion of young people in the community and where possible, involve young people in the decision-making process on issues affecting young people.

Broken Hill will be a community where peoples basic needs are met by working collaboratively with homeless services to connect community members experiencing homelessness or financial hardship.

Support and encourage advocacy with Federal and State Governments for increased funding for relevant programs and services.

5. <u>R</u>oles and Responsibilities

 Council is responsible to engage and collaborate with services and interagency groups to identify where there is an established need and advocate to fill service gaps on behalf of the local community to other levels of Government.

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- provide residents with information on community services and resources through the Councils Community Directory.
- promote and organise community engagement via surveys, forums, and research initiatives to assist in the identification of community needs and services.
- Council will consult widely in the community when making significant decisions, seek and promote community feedback and engagement via surveys, forums, and research initiatives to assist in the identification of community needs and services.
- Participate in local, regional, and state consultative processes which relate to the provision of services and facilities for the Broken Hill community.

6 Communication

This Policy will be communicated to the community and staff in accordance with Council's Policy, Procedure and Process Framework and Council's Business Paper process. Following adoption by Council the Policy will be made available on Council's website.

7 ASSOCIATED DOCUMENTS

The following documentation is to be read in conjunction with this policy.

- Community Strategic Plan 2040
- Community Engagement Plan 2025
- Disability Inclusion Action Plan 2022-2026
- Liveability Strategy 2043
- NSW Protocol for Homeless People in Public Places

8. REVIEW

Review of this policy will incorporate relevant legislation, documentation released from relevant state agencies and best practice guidelines.

The standard review period will be within each term of Council following the Local Government Elections, or as required to ensure that it meets legislation requirements and the needs of the community and Council. The responsible Council officer will be notified of the review requirements three (3) months prior to the expiry of this policy.

The Community Development Coordinator is responsible for the review of this policy.

9. LEGISLATIVE AND LEGAL FRAMEWORK

This policy is to be read in conjunction with the following:

Local Government Act 1993

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- Liveability Strategy 2043
- Disability Action Inclusion Plan
- NSW Protocol for Homeless People in Public Places

Council employees shall refrain from personal activities that would conflict with proper execution and management of Council's Code of Conduct. Council's Code of Conduct provides guidance for recognising and disclosing any conflicts of interest.

10. **DEFINITIONS**

Council Broken Hill City Council

Community Common, public, shared by all or many

Draft Social and Community Development Policy

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CORPORATE & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

September 8, 2025

ITEM 2

BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 176/25

<u>SUBJECT:</u> <u>ANNUAL REPORT 2024/2025 - SECTION 355 BROKEN HILL CITY ART GALLERY ADVISORY COMMITTEE</u> <u>D25/41592</u>

Recommendation

- 1. That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 176/25 dated September 8, 2025, be received.
- 2. That the 2024/2025 Broken Hill City Art Gallery Advisory Committee Annual Report be received and noted.

Executive Summary:

In accordance with Section 355 of the *Local Government Act 1993* (the Act), Council can delegate some of its functions to a Committee of Council by way of appointment of community members to advise on Council assets or functions. The committees are commonly known and referred to as Section 355 Committees.

Report:

Council's Section 355 Advisory and Asset Committee Manuals (adopted 2024) state committees are required to submit an Annual Report in August and, where relevant, a Financial Report.

Council wrote to the Broken Hill City Art Gallery in August 2025 requesting the Annual Report for the period 2024/2025. Accordingly, the Broken Hill City Art Gallery Advisory Committee has submitted their Annual Report.

Community Engagement:

Community representatives participate in the Section 355 Broken Hill City Art Gallery Advisory Committee.

Strategic Direction:

Key Direction:	4	Our Leadership
Objective:	4.1	Openness and transparency in decision making
Strategy:	4.1.4	Support the organisation to operate within its legal framework

Relevant Legislation:

Section 355 of the Local Government Act 1993.

The Broken Hill City Art Gallery Advisory Committee operates under Council's Section 355 Advisory Committee Framework which includes the Section 355 Advisory Committee Manual and the Broken Hill City Art Gallery Advisory Committee Constitution (both adopted October 2024).

Financial Implications: Nil

Attachments

- 1. Annual Report 2024/2025 Section 355 Broken Hill City Art Gallery Advisory
- Committee

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JAY NANKIVELL GENERAL MANAGER



SECTION 355 COMMITTEE ANNUAL REPORT

Please complete this form as accurately as possible and return to council@brokenhill.nsw.go.au If insufficient room, please supply additional attachments.

SECTION 355 COMMITTEE

Name of Committee: Broken Hill City Art Gallery Advisory Committee

Annual Report Period: July 2024 – June 2025

ANNUAL REPORT							
	Date of Meeting	Meeting held (Y/N)	No quorum				
	29.8.24	Υ					
Number of meetings 1. conducted and dates	6.3.25	Υ					
of meetings	22.4.25	Υ					
	29.5.25	Υ					
Date of Annual General Meeting	6.3.25	Υ					

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ANNUAL REPORT 2024/2025 - SECTION 355 BROKEN HILL CITY ART GALLERY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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		Member Name	29.8.24	6.3.25	22.4.25	29.5.25
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		Cr Alan Chandler	X	X	X	X
		Cr Darriea Turley	APOL	N/A	N/A	N/A
		Cr Michael Boland	-	-	-	APOL
		Ms Kathryn Graham	Х	X	Х	Х
		Ms Maureen Clark	Х	Х	Х	Х
		Mr Clark Barrett	Х	N/A	N/A	Х
		Ms Jenny Cattonar	Х	Х	Х	Х
		Mr Andrew Gosling	APOL	N/A	N/A	Х
2.	Meeting Attendance	Mr Rick Ball	Х	APOL	APOL	X
		Ms Julie Horsburgh	Х	X	Х	Х
		Justice Simon Molesworth	Х	N/A	N/a	N/A
		Ms Cathy Farry	APOL	Х	Х	APOL
		Ms Joanne Crace	APOL	N/A	N/A	N/A
		Ms Krystle Evans	Х	N/A	N/A	N/A
		Cr Elaine Gillett	N/A	Х	Х	X
		Ms Kelly Leonard	N/A	X	Х	X
		Ms Barbara Quayle	N/A	-	-	APOL
		N/A – Not a committee me	mber at the	time of the r	neeting	

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3.	Achievements and highlights over the past year	 120 Year Anniversary of the Gallery Dinner celebrated the heritage of the Gallery Touring exhibition, The Bald Archies, was highly successful and appealed to most sections of the community. The Pro Hart Outback Art Prize with 315 entries nationally was very well supported with a local artist winning the main prize. The Maari Ma sponsored Indigenous Art Prize encourages Indigenous artists in the Far West
4.	 A portrait of late Councillor, David Gallagher, was commissioned by Broken Hill City Council. Commember, Jenny Cattonar, was the successful artist. Adult and Children's workshops continue. 	
5.	Ongoing Issues	 Staffing shortages Loss of 4-year and 2-year Multi-Year funding creates a shortfall of \$100,000 for the Broken Hill Gallery and affects the ability to forward plan for community activities, exhibitions and educational programs. Need for a toilet in the Gallery workshop.
6.	Completed Maintenance	 Public Art Restoration works include: Cerussite Crystal; Untitled (Humanoid Forms); The Ant; Sully's Carpark Totems; Story Poles; Two Miners With Dog; Copperplate Canoe; Miner's Kids; Dragonfly and Locusts; Pro Hart Piano; Catching Yabbies. The Bomber
7.	Financial Report	Not applicable

PRIVACY STATEMENT

Council is collecting your personal information in accordance with the Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998.

The purpose for collecting your personal information is to obtain and record contact details.

The intended recipients of the personal information collected includes Council officers, \$355 Committee members, and contractors or other agents contracted by Council. Your name and contact details will not be made public on Council's website and will be removed from all applications and reports in Council's Business Papers.

The supply of the information is voluntary.

You may make an application for access to your personal information or amendment to information held by Council. Council will consider any such application in accordance with the Act. Enquiries concerning this matter can be directed to the Public Officer council@brokenhill.nsw.gov.gu or addressed to Broken Hill City 240 Blende Street.

Signature		Date	6.9.25	
Printed Name	Maureen Clark	•		
Position	Secretary			

CORPORATE & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

August 15, 2025

ITEM 3

BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 177/25

SUBJECT: MINUTES OF THE SECTION 355 AGEING WELL ADVISORY

COMMITTEE MEETING HELD 6 AUGUST 2025

D25/37385

Recommendation

- 1. That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 177/25 dated August 15, 2025, be received.
- 2. That the Minutes of the Section 355 Ageing Well Advisory Committee meeting held 6 August 2025 be received.

Executive Summary:

Council has received the Minutes of the Section 355 Ageing Well Advisory Committee meeting held 6 August 2025 for endorsement by Council.

Report:

As per Council's Section 355 Advisory Committee Framework and the Terms of Reference of the Ageing Well Advisory Committee (both adopted October 2024), the Committee is required to provide Council with a copy of their meeting minutes following each committee meeting.

Accordingly, the Ageing Well Advisory Committee has submitted minutes from its meeting held 6 August 2025, for Council's endorsement.

Community Engagement:

Community representatives participate in the Section 355 Ageing Well Advisory Committee.

Strategic Direction:

Key Direction:	4	Our Leadership
Objective:	4.1	Openness and transparency in decision making
Strategy:	4.1.4	Support the organisation to operate within its legal framework

Relevant Legislation:

Section 355 of the Local Government Act 1993.

The Ageing Well Advisory Committee operates under Council's Section 355 Advisory Committee Framework which includes the Section 355 Advisory Committee Manual and the Ageing Well Advisory Committee Terms of Reference (both adopted October 2024).

Financial Implications:

Nil

Attachments

- 1. MINUTES OF MEETING AGEING WELL ADVISORY COMMITTEE HELD 6
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DIRECTOR CORPORATE AND COMMUNITY

JAY NANKIVELL GENERAL MANAGER



MINUTES OF THE SECTION 355 AGEING WELL COMMITTEE MEETING HELD 6 AUGUST 2025 AT 3.00PM - GROUND FLOOR MEETING ROOM, COUNCIL ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDING

1. Present

Clr Bob Algate Council Delegate (Chair)

Clr Elaine Gillett Council Delegate

Judy Parr Kirinari - Representative
Cindy Richards LiveBetter - Representative

Larni Baird Southern Cross Care Representative

Marilyn Osborne Integration Officer for Aged and Palliative Care

(PNH NSW)

Chantel Hoskins LiveBetter - Regional Manager

Alison Howse Community Development Officer (BHCC)

Angela Hank Corporate Services (Minute Taker BHCC)

Michelle Rolton Manager Corporate & Customer Experience

(BHCC) Partial attendance –

departed at 3.20pm

Lynette Hunt Corporate Services Officer (BHCC - Presenter)

Partial attendance – departed at 3.20pm

2. Apologies

Clr Hayley Jewitt Council Delegate

Razija Numan Director Corporate and Community (BHCC)
Rachel Merton Community Development Coordinator (BHCC)

Melanie Chynoweth Far West LHD

Julua Hamel Community Representative

Jodie Miller Acting Chief Executive (FWLHD)

3. Acknowledgement of Country - Councillor Bob Algate

We acknowledge the traditional owners of the land upon which we meet today, the land of the Wilyakali people, and pay our respects to their elders; past, present and emerging.

Minutes of the Section 355 Ageing Well Committee Meeting held 6 August 2025 Page 1 of 6



4. Section 355 Inductions

Michelle Rolton presented the Section 355 Inductions via a PowerPoint presentation.

5. Confirmation of Minutes of Previous Meeting

Confirmation of minutes for meeting held 7 May 2025

Moved: Judy Parr Seconded: Clr Elaine Gillett

6. Correspondence

Nil

7. Business arising from previous minutes

8.1 Aged Care Reform Update

Update:

Councillor Algate requested an update regarding the fees charged to recipients. Judy Pair informed the Committee that this remains a common question among clients. There is a level of uncertainty, everyone is awaiting to see the impact.

A loading of 20% to 40% to be applied based on the Modified Monash Model (MMM) rating in additional funding available. Different fees will apply depending on the service, categories such as domestic assistance, gardening, and personal care. Clinical services will remain free of charge. A higher fee is expected for domestic and gardening services with the hourly limits removed being a key requirement for people.

These changes are expected to take effect from 1 November, with the commencement of the new Aged Care Act. Commonwealth Home Support Programme (CHSP) providers are disappearing, and organisations are trying to plan how they will manage in the new environment and how the new higher reporting standards will apply depending on what services organisations provide. At this stage, the situation remains confusing for providers, with many details still to be clarified. It was noted that the Commonwealth Home Support Programme (CHSP) will not transition into the new program until at earliest July 2027.

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8.5 Seniors Information Session

Update:

Funding is now open for the 2026 Seniors Festival. The festival will be held over a two-week period in early to mid-March, celebrating our senior community members.

Community Development Officer is in the final stages of preparing Seniors Festival funding submission. The proposal is for Council to host a Seniors Information Session in an Expo format, bringing together service providers, organisations and community groups to share information, resources and support. The expo will include a morning tea for attendees. Along with the reintroduction of the Seniors Concert. Seniors Festival is specifically for community members aged 60 and over.

Feedback from the Committee is welcomed to help shape and refine these initiatives.

8. Action List

8.4 Western NSW Primary Health Network

Update:

The Community Development team held a meeting in April 2025 and is currently awaiting an update from Scott McDonald regarding the project plan. Stakeholders are still in the process of gathering information and providing feedback. An update will be shared with the Committee once it becomes available.

Maryln Osborne from PHN to make contact with Alison Howse to discuss the follow up.

Moved: Cindy Richards Seconded: Chantel Hoskins

9. General Business

9.1 PHN Visit to Broken Hill

Marilyn Osborne, Integration Officer Aged and Palliative Care from the Primary Health Network (PHN) has confirmed that the PHN Aged Care team will be visiting Broken Hill on 23 and 24 September 2025. The PHN oversee the Care Finders Program and the key reporting. Marilyn is sourcing information to assist providers through this difficult period in the Aged Care sector. The purpose of the visit is to engage with providers and organisations in the Far West and surrounding region.

They will be based at the YMCA Hall for several days to facilitate meetings and discussions.

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9.2 Disability Expo

Judy Parr reported that the recent Disability Expo was a great success. Congratulations to Council for the delivery of the Expo. Several organisations approached Judy during the event to discuss registration options for becoming approved providers in the aged care sector.

Feedback for future Expo's being for an all services Expo and suggestions to hold an all-service interagency meeting as opposed to the sector interagency meetings.

Discussions continued for the need for a strategic focus to remain with the 355 Committee and an operational perspective from interagency meeting groups. A focus will bring more people to the table, transport is an issue that affects ageing, disability and the hospital as an example.

9.3 LiveBetter Regional Manager

Chantel Hoskins introduced herself as the new Regional Manager for LiveBetter in Broken Hill primarily disability based managed from Orange. LiveBetter have appointed this position to remain connected with regional and rural communities and to address issues arising in disability and ageing.

Judy Parr elaborated the connection that Chantel will bring to this committee in regard to community transport, aged care services, carer gateway.

9.4 Southern Cross Care Update

Larni Baird raised that Southern Cross Care is the infancy stages of looking to the rebuild of an existing facility, incorporating a dementia daycare, working with Pathways around the hospital and services regarding diagnosis and prognosis.

9.5 Dementia-friendly Café

A dementia-friendly café will be operating in the Seniors Lounge in Lane Street on Thursdays This initiative provides a welcoming and supportive environment for individuals living with dementia and their carers operated by Far West Local Health Service.

Community Development Officer to share further details with Committee Members once provided.

9.6 Admission Pathway Transition

Larni Baird asked for any community feedback regarding the administration changes at Southern Cross Care Broken Hill.

Community Development Officer provided feedback that it has been

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difficult to contact the Resident Liaison Officer to assist people with the admission process. Larni Baird reported that each residential aged care home now has a Residential Manager who reports to the Regional Operations Manager and a Clinical Manager. There has been a lot of learning with the changes being new to Southern Cross Care Queensland. The admission pathway is being reviewed and working directly with key players such as the hospital.

9.7 Bed availability at Facilities

Harold Williams is at capacity.

St Annes does have some capacity

Aruma Lodge has approximately 3 vacant beds, there are some planned admissions.

There is a large backlog of ACAT assessments due to staffing and resourcing.

SCCBH is in regular communication with the hospital.

10. Next Meeting

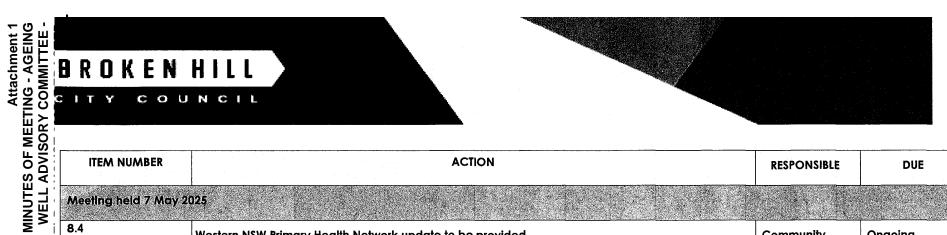
Wednesday, 5 November 2025

11. Meeting Closed

4.18 pm



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i	8.4	Western NSW Primary Health Network update to be provided Marilyn Osborne to follow up and make contact	Community Development Officer	Ongoing
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CORPORATE & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

August 18, 2025

ITEM 4

BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 178/25

SUBJECT: MINUTES OF THE SECTION 355 BROKEN HILL CITY ART

GALLERY ADVISORY COMMITTEE HELD 31 JULY 2025

D25/37745

Recommendation

- 1. That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 178/25 dated August 18, 2025, be received.
- 2. That the Minutes of the Section 355 Broken Hill City Art Gallery Advisory Committee meeting held 31 July 2025 be received.

Executive Summary:

Council has received Minutes from the Section 355 Broken Hill City Art Gallery Advisory Committee meeting held 31 July 2025.

The Council's commission of a portrait of the late David Gallagher APM will reference a photo provided by his family.

Report:

As per Council's Section 355 Advisory Committee Manual and the Constitution of the Broken Hill City Art Gallery Advisory Committee (both adopted October 2024), the Committee is required to provide Council with a copy of their meeting minutes following each Committee meeting.

Accordingly, the Broken Hill City Art Gallery Advisory Committee has submitted Minutes from its meeting held 31 July 2025, for Council's endorsement.

The Minutes will reference Council's commission of a portrait of the late David Gallagher APM, to hang in Council Chambers, and a photo provided by his family.

Community Engagement:

Community representatives participate in the Section 355 Broken Hill City Art Gallery Advisory Committee.

Strategic Direction:

Key Direction:	4	Our Leadership
Objective:	4.1	Openness and transparency in decision making
Strategy:	4.1.4	Support the organisation to operate within its legal framework

Relevant Legislation:

Section 355 of the Local Government Act 1993.

The Broken Hill City Art Gallery Advisory Committee operates under Council's S355 Advisory Committee Framework which includes the Section 355 Advisory Committee Manual and the Broken Hill City Art Gallery Advisory Committee Constitution (both adopted October 2024).

Financial Implications:

Nil

Attachments

- 1. MINUTES OF MEETING BROKEN HILL CITY ART GALLERY ADVISORY COMMITTEE HELD 31 JULY 2025
- 2. PHOTO PROVIDED BY THE FAMILY OF THE LATE DAVID GALLAGHER APM

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JAY NANKIVELL GENERAL MANAGER



ORDINARY MEETING July 31st, 2025

ART GALLERY ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES JULY 2025

Date	31/07/2025	Time Meeting opened: 4.00pm	Time Meeting closed: 4.25pm
Location	Broken Hill C	ity Art Gallery	
Present			Graham, Maureen Clark, Rick Ball, Jenny , Leonard, Andrew Gosling, Barbara Quayle
Apologies	Clark Barrett		
Absent	Cr Michael E	Boland	
Next Meeting	September 2	25 th , 2025 TBC	

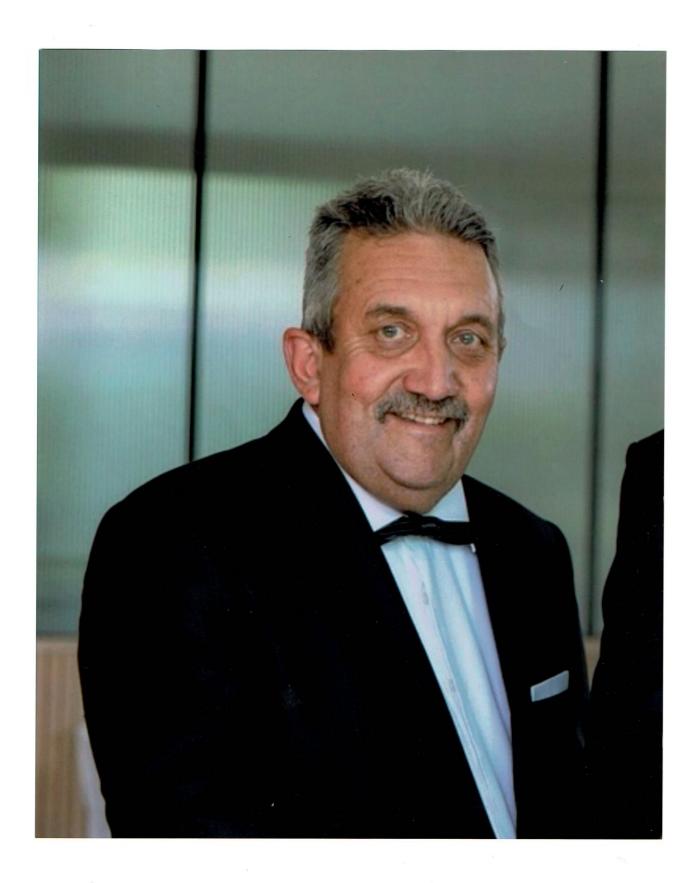
Meeting		
AGENDA	ACTION	
Welcome and Apologies	Apologies: Clark Barrett	
Acknowledgement of Country	Kathy Graham	
Confirmation of Minutes from previous meeting held May 29th	Andrew Gosling, Sec Rick Bal	
Business Arising: Letters sent to Barwon MP Roy Butler, Fed MP Parkes Jamie Chaffey, Shadow Minister for Arts Kevin Anderson, Minister for Arts John Graham for support for multi-year funding from Create NSW to our Gallery. The Council's Commission of a painting of late	Replies from Roy Butler and Jamie Chaffe Other- can expect longer delays- up to 1 weeks.	
 The Council's Commission of a painting of late Councillor, David Gallagher will reference a photo chosen by David's family, not the photo provided by Council which was tabled at May 29 meeting. PHOAP panel 330 entries, 51 chosen 	Photo chosen by David's family is attached.	
Manager's Report:		
Staffing: New position of Gallery Technician filled by Ian Howarth, commenced 1st June 2025. Programs position filled with Priscilla commencing Monday 4th August who will be filling both part time roles – Marketing and Programming.	The AGAC welcomes Ian Howarth to this position. His knowledge is invaluable. Full time role for Priscilla	
Collection Officer's position – interviews being conducted tomorrow.	Undecided at this time.	



AGENDA	ACTION
Programming: Exhibitions Installation next week for round 3 of the Gallery's exhibition calendar: Pro Hart Outback Art Prize Ann Mitchell Aimee Volkofsky	Brett Adlington, CEO Museums & Gallerie NSW will be the guest judge at PHOAP 2025
Isabella Seraphima Opening on Friday 15 th August. Round 4 opening 7 th November, consisting of: Dianne Longley Leroy Johnson Maari Ma Indigenous Art Award	Extra prizes for MMIAA to celebrate 30 years of Maari Ma Health. Congratulatior from the BHAGAC
HSC (possibly move to Geo) Workshops Afterschool art classes continuing with good take up in both primary and high school classes Adult workshops a little slower on the uptake. Will revise workshop programs once Program Officer	
Tours Tour Groups continue with Thursday's Indian Pacific plus ad hoc group tours. Have picked up Tuesday train tours when wet (last three Tuesdays) equating to an additional 150 – 200 each day through the Gallery.	
Attendance Visitation – calendar year to date 7,858, financial year to date – 16,667 as at end of June	
OTHER: Building New 7 panel racking system getting installed in the Paper Room Preservation Needs Assessment Completed in June. Recommendations need to be assessed with a plan of action to be developed. Strategic Plan Currently out for 28 days consultation. Hopefully finalised in August's Council Meeting. Public Art Restoration stage 2 RFQ will go out September for Stage 2 of the Public Art Restoration Project	



AGENDA	ACTION
Acquisitions: Nil	
General Business Suggestion by Elaine to send letter re cuts to multi-year funding to Minister for Local Govt, Ron Hoenig.	
Members' informal welcome to Brett Adlington prior to PHOAP	Details TBC
Meeting Close: 4.25pm	
Next Meeting September 25 th	



CORPORATE & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

August 21, 2025

ITEM 5

BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 179/25

<u>SUBJECT:</u> <u>MINUTES OF THE SECTION 355 YOUTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE</u>

<u>MEETING HELD 12 AUGUST 2025</u> <u>D25/38401</u>

Recommendation

- 1. That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 179/25 dated August 21, 2025, be received.
- 2. That the Minutes of the Section 355 Youth Advisory Committee meeting held 12 August 2025 be received.

Executive Summary:

Council has received the Minutes of the Section 355 Youth Advisory Committee meeting held 12 August 2025 for endorsement by Council.

Report:

As per Council's Section 355 Advisory Committee Framework and the Terms of Reference of the Youth Advisory Committee (both adopted October 2024), the Committee is required to provide Council with a copy of their meeting minutes following each committee meeting.

Accordingly, the Youth Advisory Committee has submitted minutes from its meeting held 12 August 2025, for Council's endorsement.

Community Engagement:

Community representatives participate in the Section 355 Youth Advisory Committee.

Strategic Direction:

Key Direction:	4	Our Leadership
Objective:	4.1	Openness and transparency in decision making
Strategy:	4.1.4	Support the organisation to operate within its legal framework

Relevant Legislation:

Section 355 of the Local Government Act 1993.

The Youth Advisory Committee operates under Council's Section 355 Advisory Committee Framework which includes the Section 355 Advisory Committee Manual and the Youth Advisory Committee Terms of Reference (both adopted October 2024).

Financial Implications:

Nil

Attachments

- 1. MINUTES OF S355 YOUTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING HELD 12
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MINUTES OF THE SECTION 355 YOUTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING HELD TUESDAY, 12 AUGUST 2025 AT 3PM — GROUND FLOOR MEETING ROOM, COUNCIL ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDING 22/148

1. Present

Councillor Alan Chandler Council Delegate (Chair)
Councillor Hayley Jewitt Council Delegate

Alison Howse

Rachel Merton

Angela Hank

Lynette Hunt

Community Development Coordinator (BHCC)

Community Development Coordinator (BHCC)

Corporate Services (BHCC Minute Taker)

Corporate Services Officer (BHCC - Presenter)

Partial attendance – departed at 3.20pm

Angie Krause Y Space Broken Hill Sarah Hinton Y Space Broken Hill

Present via Teams

Nil

2. Apologies

Clr Darriea Turley Council Delegate

Razija Numan Director Corporate and Community (BHCC)

Sophie Durst Headspace Representative

Larnie Brymer Flourish Australia

Absent

Melanie Chynoweth FWLHD Representative
Adam McLean Department of Regional NSW
Andrew Whittaker Police Representative

Matt McCarthy Police Representative

Lyndon Gray

Department Communities and Justice

Alice O'Reilly-Phelps

Department of Community Justice

Kylie Horner Police Linden Cox PCYC

Jim Richards FWLHD Representative
Sarah Molloy Department of Education

Sherree Ferrall Department of Community Justice

Tegan Hinchey-Gerard Maari Ma

Matilda Folwell Catherine Haven/Salvation Army

Lubainah Babuji Lifeline

Abigail Searle Youth Advisory Member

2. Section 355 Inductions

Lynette Hunt presented the Section 355 Inductions via a PowerPoint presentation.

3. Acknowledgement of Country

Acknowledgement of Country - Councillor Hayley Jewitt

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4. Confirmation of Minutes of Previous Meeting

Confirmation of minutes from meeting held 13 May 2025

Moved: Angie Krause
Seconded: Clr Hayley Jewitt

5. Business arising from Previous Minutes

Nil

6. Action List

6.2 School Exit Survey - 11 February 2025

Linden Cox to provide link to PCYC 10-week program for disengaged youth

Update: 12 August 2025

Linden Cox had become unavailable to attend today's meeting and provide the information regarding the PCYC 10-week program for disengaged youth.

Angie Krause will follow up with Linden Cox.

Ongoing

7.1 School Exit Survey – update - 13 May 2025

Community Development Officer to reach out to Sarah Molloy for further information regarding school leavers and representation on this committee

Update: 12 August 2025

Sarah Molloy was not present at this meeting, no further information obtained.

Action completed and removed from action list

7.1 Committee Representative – 13 May 2025

Larni will reach out to a contact at the Department of Communities and Justice (DCJ) who is working out of the Police Station and ask of availability to attend the meetings.

Update: 12 August 2025

Larni was unable to attend this meeting and submitted an apology. Community Development Officer to reach out to Larni for an update.

Ongoing

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7.2 Contact List - 13 May 2025

Community Development Officer to contact the Manager at Plus Community previously known as BH Women's Domestic Violence and Court Advocacy Service (BHWDVCAS) for an alternative contact.

Update: 12 August 2025

Community Development Officer reached out to Plus Community to obtain updated contact details for the Youth Liaison Officer. They have advised that the position is currently vacant.

The former Youth Liaison Officer in 2023-2024 played a valuable role in keeping the committee informed about youth programs and developments in the youth space.

Action completed and removed from action list

7.2 Alternative Suspension Program – 13 August 2024

Angie Krause to distribute Alternative Suspension Program annual report once received and provide an alternative contact person

Ongoing

8.2 Request to Change Meeting Day and/or Time - 13 May 2025

Community Development Officer to liaise with both high school Principals to ascertain if the meetings could be held at the school or an early morning meeting so that the Youth Representatives could attend without affecting their schooling.

Update: 12 August 2025

Community Development Officer initial email sent on 17 June 2025, a follow-up email on 8 July 2025. Willyama High School Principal responded requesting information about the students currently participating in the Youth Advisory Committee. Community Development Officer responded with the requested details, but no further communication has been received since.

It is recommended that future committee meetings continue to be held at the Broken Hill Council Administration Building and meeting invitations continue to go out to the representatives. Committee agreed unanimously.

Action completed and removed from action list

7 General Business

7.1 Alternative Youth Engagement Programs

Discussion on the identified gap of lack of alternative youth engagement program opportunities for young people to be mentored in programs from past success such as Making Tracks. Angie Krause highlighted that education is a key deterrent to youth crime, but Broken Hill currently lacks sufficient alternatives for young people at high risk. There are limited opportunities for work placements and skills-based learning, which restricts young people's access to meaningful pathways and positive outlets.

The YMCA is currently running the Alternative Suspension Program, which is funded under a specific framework with defined guidelines. However, it has been observed that the program is increasingly functioning as an alternative high school, rather than its intended role as a short-term suspension support initiative.

Alison Howse conducted research through the NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research (BOCSAR), focusing on the Broken Hill Local Government Area (LGA). The data

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MINUTES OF THE SECTION 355 YOUTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING HELD 12 AUGUST 2025

Attachment 1
MINUTES OF S355 YOUTH
ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING
HELD 12 AUGUST 2025

from the March 2024 to March 2025 report indicates a notably higher number of male offenders compared to female offenders across various offences.

Angie Krause highlighted the community's lack of juvenile justice supports and, in her role, has not been able to engage or been approached by any person within the juvenile

Community Development Coordinator suggested correspondence to the ministers for Youth, Far West, Education and Local Government to the re-establishment of the past successful programs, the schools and programs such as Alternative Suspension have limitations.

7.2 Community Hub

justice space.

It was suggested that local services collaborate within a shared space, allowing multiple organisations to deliver programs and sessions together. A Community Hub model was identified as a potentially valuable approach to support youth engagement in Broken Hill.

This model has demonstrated success in various regions, offering a coordinated and accessible environment for young people to connect with services, participate in activities, and access support.

Community Development Officer will research existing Community Hub models and provide information to the committee on how such an initiative could be implemented locally.

8 Next Meeting

11 November 2025 at 3pm

9 Meeting Closed

3.50pm

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ITEM NUMBER	ACTION	RESPONSIBLE	DUE	
Meeting Held 5 March 2024				
Item 7.2 Rolling Issues List	Action Rolling issues list to be created.	Council's Administration Officer	Ongoing	
Meeting Held 13 Aug	ust 2024			
Item 2.1 Alternative Suspension Program	Angie Krause to distribute Alternative Suspension Program annual report once received and provide an alternative contact person	Angie Krause	Ongoing	
Meeting Held 11 Feb	ruary 2025			
Item 6.2 School Exit update Update: Meeting held 12 August 2025	Linden Cox to provide link to PCYC 10-week program for disengaged youth. Angle to discuss with Lindon Cox about the 10-week program and other programs the PCYC may be running.	Linden Cox PCYC Angie Krause	Ongoing	
Meeting Held 13 May	2025			
Item 7.1 Committee Representative Update	Larni will reach out to a contact at the Department of Communities and Justice (DCJ) who is working out of the Police Station and ask of availability to attend the meetings. Community Development Officer to contact Larni Brymer for an update.	Larni Brymer Community Development Officer	Ongoing	
Meeting held 12 August 2025				
Item 7.2 Community Hub Model	Alison Howse will research existing Community Hub models and provide information on the background of the program being run in other similar communities.	Community Development Officer	Ongoing	



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