

April 12, 2013

OUR SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING

TO BE HELD

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 2013

Dear Sir/Madam,

Your attendance is requested at the OUR SERVICES COMMITTEE Meeting of the Council of the City of Broken Hill to be held in the Council Chamber, Sulphide Street, Broken Hill on **Wednesday, April 17, 2013** commencing directly following the "Our Environment" Committee meeting to consider the following business:

- 1) Apologies
- 2) Confirmation of Minutes
- 3) Disclosure of Interest
- 4) Deputations
- 5) Correspondence
- 6) Reports
- 7) Motions of Which Notice has been Given
- 8) Questions On Notice
- 9) Questions for Next Meeting
- 10) Confidential Matters

GREG WRIGHT  
GENERAL MANAGER

**MINUTES FOR CONFIRMATION**

Minutes of the Our Services Committee of the City of Broken Hill held Wednesday, March 20, 2013.

**OUR SERVICES**

1. BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 106/13 - DATED MARCH 13, 2013 - NOMINATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF INDUSTRY/STAKEHOLDER REPRESENTATIVES ON S355 ADVISORY COMMITTEES (11/9) ..... 4

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OUR SERVICES COMMITTEE

March 13, 2013

BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 106/13

SUBJECT: NOMINATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF  
INDUSTRY/STAKEHOLDER REPRESENTATIVES ON S355  
ADVISORY COMMITTEES 11/9

**Recommendation**

That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 106/13 dated March 13, 2013, be received and carried under delegation.

That Council appoints Margaret Schmidt to the Broken Hill Tidy Towns Advisory Committee.

That Council appoints Glen Ravenscroft, Susan Thomas, Thomas Stanley Dineen, Karrie Lannstrom, Catherine Peeters and Robyn Taylor to the Broken Hill Regional Art Gallery Advisory Group.

**Introduction:**

Council at its meeting held 23 January 2013 resolved Minute No 44210:

*"That Council adopt the revised Section 355 Committee arrangements and the establishment of Asset and Advisory Committees.*

*That Council call for nominations from Industry Representatives / Stakeholders with relevant experience to become members of Council's Advisory Committees.*

*That the General Manager finalise Terms of Reference in consultation with the Advisory Committees and report back to Council.*

*That a report be prepared to increase the pool of volunteers for Council's Section 355 Committees and other Communities Committees".*

Council advertised for nominations for industry / stakeholder representatives on its Section 355 Advisory Groups, which closed on Friday, 22 February 2013. At the close of nominations 23 nominations were received.

**Discussion:**

Council further advertised for vacancies on the Broken Hill Tidy Town Advisory Committee, Broken Hill Regional Art Gallery Advisory Committee and the Broken Hill Airport Working Group which closed on 2 April 2013.

At close of nominations, seven (7) nominations were received and have been summarised below.

For each Advisory Committee a draft purpose statement has been provided as well as information in relation to the number of nominations received and positions available.

**Broken Hill Tidy Towns Advisory Group:**

The Broken Hill Tidy Towns Advisory Group is responsible for providing advice and recommendations to the General Manager and undertaking activities to ensure that Broken Hill remains a self sufficient and sustainable community ensuring best practice waste management and recycling systems whilst maintaining a green and attractive city environment in an environmentally responsible manner.

One (1) application received for five (5) vacant positions.

<b>Name</b>	<b>Experience</b>	<b>Reason for nomination</b>
Margaret Schmidt	Tidy Towns Broken Hill	Re-apply due to elections

**Broken Hill Regional Art Gallery Advisory Group:**

The Broken Hill Regional Art Gallery Advisory Group is responsible for providing advice and recommendations to the General Manager and undertaking activities to ensure that Broken Hill's arts and cultural heritage is promoted, maintained and improved

Six (6) applications received for six (6) vacant positions.

<b>Name</b>	<b>Experience</b>	<b>Reason for nomination</b>
Glen Ravenscroft	6 years Regional Art Gallery Advisory Committee, 3 years Film Broken Hill Advisory Committee	To help promote the Art Gallery and Arts
Susan Thomas	Regional Art Gallery Advisory Committee, President Broken Hill Art Exchange(2001-2003, Patton Village Community and Business Association (2011-2012)	To engage the public art system of Broken Hill City Council. To represent art/ist living and working in the city; to offer assistance to the future directions of the Regional Art Gallery; give support to the galleries operations if required.
Thomas Stanley Dineen	Art Gallery, Alderman BHCC, CMA, DRWSP, Broken Hill Traffic Committee	Interest in the art future of Broken Hill Regional Art Gallery
Karrie Lannstrom	4-5 years on Broken Hill Art Gallery Advisory Committee, carers advocate and youth suicide	I feel that my experience both as an artist and with community self help groups on increasing wellbeing in disadvantaged groups plus my desire for Broken Hill to have a thriving art culture is of use to Broken Hill.
Catherine Peeters	Three and a half years on the Broken Hill Art Gallery Advisory Group	Interest in furthering the communities appreciation of Art, and enjoyment in seeing the pleasure and intrigue that Art often brings.
Robyn Taylor	BA in Cultural Heritage, which included Museum Studies and work experience at the Regional Art Gallery. Involvement in a number of	Loves any art forums, attend many workshops learning new techniques and am a found supporter of our wonderful Regional Art

Name	Experience	Reason for nomination
	Broken Hill groups. Some years ago was a citizen representative on Broken Hill Regional Art Gallery but had to resign due to other commitments.	Gallery.

**Broken Hill Airport Working Group:**

The Broken Hill Airport Working Group is responsible for providing advice and recommendations to the General Manager for progressing and driving the implementation of the Airport Master Plan framework and providing ongoing support to Council for the success of this venture.

There were no application received for this committee.

**Governance Implications:**

**(Including policy, legal and priority or otherwise in Council's adopted Delivery Program)**

Key Direction 5 Our Leadership. Objective 1 – to provide strong leadership, good governance, improved community consultation, internal business processes and plan for the expected reduction of revenue;

**Social Implications:**

**(Community impact and engagement – principally equity, access, participation, and consultation)**

Representation supports the ongoing engagement of the community in the operation of community facilities.

**Economic Implications:**

**(Financial)**

There are no economic implications arising from the recommendations of this report.

**Environmental Implications:**

**(Current and future impacts – aligns with Sections of Council's current adopted State of the Environment Report and Council's adopted Delivery Program)**

There are no environmental implications arising from the recommendations of this report.

**Summary and Conclusion:**

That Council accepts the nominations received to date for the various Section 355 Advisory Groups.

**Attachments**

There are no attachments for this report.

KATE O'NEILL  
GROUP MANAGER BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT  
AND CORPORATE SERVICES

GREG WRIGHT  
GENERAL MANAGER

OUR SERVICES COMMITTEE

March 8, 2013

BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 108/13

SUBJECT: MINUTES OF THE LOCAL TRAFFIC COMMITTEE MEETING NO.  
324 HELD 5 MARCH 2013 11/397

**Recommendation**

That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 108/13 dated March 8, 2013, be received and carried under delegation.

That the Minutes of the Local Traffic Committee No. 324, held March 5, 2013 be received.

324.7.1 That the Loading Zone at Argent Lane be moved to the first parking space in Oxide Street at the Argent Street corner and be altered to a 5 min parking bay.

That public consultation program be undertaken advising all stakeholders of the proposed changes and the reasons for these changes.

324.7.4 That the 50km/hr zone in Brookfield Avenue be extended past the Brown street intersection.

That Council consider sealing of the Brown St at the Brookfield Ave intersection.

**Introduction:**

The purpose of this report is to advise Council of the outcome of the Local Traffic Committee Meeting held 5 March 2013.

**Background:**

The Local Traffic Committee is a technical review committee comprising of Police, RMS, Council and the Local State Member as voting representatives. The Committee is required to advise Council on matters referred to it by Council.

**Governance Implications:**

**(Including policy, legal and priority or otherwise in Council's adopted Delivery Program)**

The Local Traffic Committee is a technical advisory committee comprising Police, RMS, Council and the Local State Member as voting representatives. The Committee is required to advise Council on matters referred to it by Council.

Council may exercise its traffic control and management functions only after consideration by the Local Traffic Committee.

Council is not compelled to accept recommendations of the Local Traffic Committee.

If either the Police or RMS representative on the Traffic Committee disagrees with any Traffic Committee recommendation, or Council resolution on any Traffic Committee recommendation, that member may lodge an appeal with the Regional Traffic Committee for determination.

### **Social Implications:**

#### **(Community impact and engagement – principally equity, access, participation, and consultation)**

Recommendations made by the Local Traffic Committee accord with Council's Delivery Plan, Key Direction 4: *Our Services*; Objective 4.1 : *A High Standard Of Local Facilities, Services and Infrastructure For All Age Groups*; Strategy 4.1.2 : *Provide and maintain safe and serviceable public facilities and infrastructure including roads, footpaths and stormwater drains.*

### **Implications:**

<b>Recommendation Number</b>	
<b>324.7.1</b>	<b>Parking arrangements in Oxide St in the vicinity of the ANZ ATM</b>
Background	Correspondence was sent to the taxi operators to seek their views on the proposal to alter the taxi rank in Oxide St between Argent St and Argent Lane.  In summary, the taxi operator was not in favour of reducing the number of spaces available to them in the taxi rank.
Traffic Committee Recommendation	That the Loading Zone at Argent Lane be moved to the first parking space in Oxide Street at the Argent Street corner and be altered to a 5 min parking bay.  That public consultation program be undertaken advising all stakeholders of the proposed changes and the reasons for these changes.
Governance Implications	Provides a designated 15 min and 5 min parking area in Oxide Street for patrons wanting to use the ANZ ATM.
Social Implications	Reduce the number of Taxi parking to implement a 15 min and a 5 min parking zone if the Loading Zone is not being utilised.
Economic Implications	There are minor economic implications resulting from the need to alter signage
Environmental Implications	There are no environment implications



<b>Recommendation Number</b>	
<b>324.7.4</b>	<b>Request to review the speed zone in Brookfield Avenue near Wyman Street and to consider the sealing of Brown Street at the Brookfield Avenue intersection</b>
Background	Correspondence was received to move the 80km/hr speed zone in Brookfield Ave prior to the Wyman St intersection past the intersection  The correspondence also requested that Council consider sealing Brown St at the Brookfield Ave intersection.
Recommendation	That the 50km/hr zone in Brookfield Avenue be extended past the Brown street intersection.  That Council consider sealing of Brown Street at the Brookfield Avenue intersection.
Governance Implications	Implementation of the recommendation would alter the speed zone in Brookfield Ave in the vicinity of Brown Street (reducing it from 80km/hr to 50km/hr).
Social Implications	Reducing the applicable speed limit at this location would reduce the risk to motorists and other road users in this section of Brookfield Avenue.  Sealing Brown Street at the Brookfield Ave intersection would also reduce the risk to motorists and other road users in this section of Brown Street.
Economic Implications	Minor costs would be incurred in altering the signage to implement the altered speed zone.  The cost to seal Brown Street at the Brookfield Ave intersection may be substantial and would be a matter to be considered as part of a future program of works
Environmental Implications	There are no environment implications

**Summary and Conclusion:**

Discussion, summary and conclusions are included in the minutes of the Local Traffic Committee Meeting No. 324.

**Attachments**

1. Minutes of the Local Traffic Committee Meeting held March 5, 2013 3 Pages
2. Local Traffic Committee - Action List 4 Pages

N P (PAUL) DE LISIO  
GROUP MANAGER INFRASTRUCTURE

GREG WRIGHT  
GENERAL MANAGER

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The Minutes of the Local Traffic Committee Meeting No. 324 have been approved by voting members on line:

All in favour: BHCC, RMS, Local Member, Police Representative  
Yet to vote: Nil  
Against: Nil

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**MINUTES OF LOCAL TRAFFIC COMMITTEE MEETING NO. 324**  
**HELD TUESDAY 5 MARCH, 2013**  
**COMMENCING AT 10.30 AM**  
**FIRST FLOOR COUNCIL ADMINISTRATION BUILDING**

**PRESENT:** Paul DeLisio BHCC Chairman Group Manager Infrastructure  
Damon Edwards BHCC Engineer  
S/C Chris Lockett Police Representative  
Joe Sulich Roads and Maritime Services Representative  
Tanya Ralph BHCC Minute Secretary

**APOLOGIES:** Sergeant Kerri Lane Broken Hill Police Representative  
Stan Dineen Local Member Representative

**ABSENT:** Nil

**MEETING OPEN:** 10:35 am

Welcome to all present.  
Paul DeLisio chaired the meeting

**324.2 APOLOGIES:**

Sergeant Kerri Lane  
Stan Dineen

Received and Noted

**324.3 REPRESENTATION:**

Nil

**324.4 ADOPTION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES:**

It was noted that the previous minutes 323 held 5 February were confirmed via online voting as follows:

All in favour: BHCC, RMS, Local Member, Police  
Yet to vote:  
Against:

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324.5 MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETING or COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS:

- 5.1 Speeding issue in Thomas Street near the War Veterans Home.  
It was noted that the request to lower the speed limit in Thomas Street due to speeding was a result of a petition from concerned residents. The previous recommendation that speed limit remain unchanged was endorsed.

324.6 CORRESPONDENCE:

- 6.1 Guide Dogs NSW – Request to introduce a measure that will make the crossing of Galena Street and the access of the Plaza from the Galena Street footpath a safe travel route for pedestrians.
- 6.2 Mr and Mrs King – Request to extend the 50km zone in Brookfield Avenue past the Brown Street intersection and for Brown Street to be sealed at the Brookfield Avenue intersection.

Received and Noted

324.7 FORMAL ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION:

- 7.1 That consultation be undertaken with the taxi companies to reduce the number of taxi parking spaces from five to four with the fifth taxi parking space in Oxide Street being changed to a 15 min parking space. Also investigate the usage of the Loading Zone and if underused change to a Taxi or 15 min Zone.

*Recommendation: That the Loading Zone at Argent Lane be moved to the first parking space in Oxide Street at the Argent Street corner and be altered to a 5 min parking bay.*

All in favour: BHCC, RMS, Police  
Yet to vote: Local Member  
Against:

- 7.2 'Kiss and Go' Zone for Student Drop Off - Request for use of Chapple Street School Bus Zone at the North Primary School as a 'Kiss and Go' Zone.

A response from Brian Council, Director of Murton Buses mentioned that this zone is to remain a dedicated bus zone and that they meet the requirements of the NSW Transport Department, and in doing so request that Council and the Traffic Committee resist from any proposal to change the current arrangement.

*Recommendation: It is recommended that the request be refused.*

All in favour: BHCC, RMS, Police  
Yet to vote: Local Member  
Against:

- 7.3 Guide Dogs NSW - Request to introduce a measure that will make the crossing of Galena Street and the access of the Plaza from the Galena Street footpath a safe travel route for pedestrians.

Council have engaged a consultant to prepare a Pedestrian Access Mobility Plan. It would be appropriate for the plan to include consideration of access issues for people with disabilities and the Galena St/Talc Street intersection.

*Recommendation: That a report be prepared outlining options that Council can review under a study for the Pedestrian Access Plan that will be undertaken by Council's Consultant.*

All in favour: BHCC, RMS, Police  
Yet to vote: Local Member  
Against:

- 7.4 Mr and Mrs King – Request to change the 80km sign on Brookfield Avenue near Wyman Street to be moved to past Brown Street.

*Recommendation: That the 50km/hr zone in Brookfield Avenue be extended past the Brown street intersection. That Council consider sealing of Brown Street at the Brookfield Ave intersection.*

All in favour: BHCC, RMS, Police  
Yet to vote: Local Member  
Against:

**324.8 LATE ITEMS / CORRESPONDENCE TABLED FOR NEXT MEETING:**

- 8.1 It was noted that there is an extensive taxi zone along Blende Street in front of the Black Lion Inn Hotel, which appears to be underutilised. Council will correspond with the Taxi Companies to determine the current utilisation of this taxi rank.

**324.9 INFORMAL ITEMS:**

Nil

**324.10 GENERAL BUSINESS:**

Nil

**324.11 ACTION ITEMS**

The action item list was reviewed and updated to reflect current status of the various items.

**324.12 NEXT MEETING – FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:**

Nil

**MEETING CLOSED:** 11.35 am

**NEXT MEETING DATE:** 9 April 2013 - First Floor Meeting Room

Date changed due to the Easter Long Weekend and availability of members.

Updated: 12 March 2013

Trim – 11/397 Action List - Local Traffic Committee

Item No.	Recommendation	CRM Number	Responsible Officer	Status/Review Date	Target Date
323.10.3	Barrier Dental Clinic – request for two additional 1 hour parking out the front of Beryl Street The Committee considered that if times parking was to be introduced, two hours would be more appropriate than one hour. Casual observation suggests that parking in the area is adequate.		L131498	Recommendation is that a parking survey be undertaken (as resources allow) to determine the necessity for timed parking in the vicinity of the Barrier Dental Clinic in Beryl St. Applicant advised of the committee's recommendation.	As resources and compelling priorities allow
322.7.2	The West Darling Hotel request No Parking and a Loading Zone in Argent Lane behind the Hotel That further investigations be undertaken. That a report be submitted to a future meeting outlining options for Gawler Place and Argent Lane.	11807/2013	Consultant	Report to be submitted to a future meeting. Referred to Consultant to work on when he works on the issue at Gawler Place. That the necessity for 'no parking' and 'no loading' zones in the vicinity of the West Darling Hotel be considered at the same time as a review of other traffic facilities in the area.	30 June 2013
322.7.3	That the unrestricted parking zone at the Regional Art Gallery car park be altered to a two hour timed parking zone between the hours of 8:00 am – 6:00 pm from Monday to Friday and from 8:00 am – 2:00 pm Saturdays. That the two hour parking restriction be implemented for a trial period of three months and the parking be monitored to determine the effects on the surrounding parking. That Art Gallery Staff have access to Parking Permits to allow them unrestricted parking in the car park during working hours as required. That signage for the Gallery Parking be reviewed. Permits to be issued	11806/2013	Damon Edwards	Quotations to be received for permit zone signage Media release and letter drop to be issued prior to implementation.	31 April 2013
315.7.1			Sonja Stubing	Permits to be made available	Prior to commencement of timed parking
322.6.2	Red Robin Deli - request for Council to investigate issues surrounding Gypsum Street Shopping Area including lane access / loading zone, traffic flow, footpath, and parking. Issues to be investigated and report submitted to Traffic Committee at a future meeting.	11804/2013 12658/2013	L12/1894 Consultant	Correspondence to Mr Werch 17/12/12 Traffic Counters to be installed Adequacy of road width for angle parking Investigate capacity for parking Traffic Counters have been placed in Gypsum Street near the intersection of Rowe Street to monitor the flow of traffic.	26 April 2013
320.6.1	Request – Use of Chapple Street School Bus Zone as a Kiss and Go Zone.	11803/2013	Steve Walsh	Further investigation to be undertaken, details to be provided to the LTC.	22 February 2013

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			L12/1483 D12/17693 Report No. 324 7.2 D13/3264		Letter forwarded to Taxi Companies Response received from Yellow Cabs  Response from Murrumbidgee Buses had mentioned that they meet the requirements of the NSW Transport Department, and in doing so have requested that Council and the Traffic Committee resist from any proposals to change the current arrangement.  Correspondence to be sent to Brett Cumming, Principal of the North School informing of comments from Murrumbidgee Buses and recommendations from the Committee.
			L13/878	Tanya Ralph	Tanya Ralph
320.6.2	Request - Thomas Street Speed Limit to be investigated and request for No Parking Signs at the Entrance and Exit gates to War Veils Homes	11802/2013		Damon Edwards	Trafic Counters placed.  Pending outcome a report will be submitted to the L.T.C.  Counters now replaced after counter tubes were vandalised.  From the data obtained the recommendation is not to reduce the speed limit as speed profile is not extraordinary and there it is recommended that the speed limit is unchanged and no further action required and the applicant be advised.  Forward letter of response to the applicant outlining the committee's recommendations.
290.3.2	75 Thomas Street - Council investigate further to determine the best course of action. That any action necessary be prioritised according to available resources and Council funding.  That Traffic Counts be set up both sides of the Thomas Street residence to determine through traffic and local traffic. That the resident be advised of the proposed preliminary investigation and the practical problems associated with the large drop on the north side of the road.  That the traffic counts be reviewed when considering available options.			L13/497 D13/3744	No further action required
318.7.1	That the B/TCC review traffic facilities in Galena Street in the vicinity of Mercury/Talc Street intersection and the shopping Plaza and prepare a report for the consideration of the Traffic Committee. The report is to include estimated costs for any proposed works.	11150/2012		Consultant	Report to be provided to Committee.  Referred to the consultant to review when working on other traffic facilities in the area.
317.7.2	That the existing traffic facilities at the South Road/Gypsum Street intersection be altered to a) Reverse the priority of the give way so that vehicles turning left from South Road into Gypsum Street will need to give way to vehicles turning right from South Road into Gypsum Street b) That appropriate signage be installed warning motorists of truck turning motions at the South Road/Gypsum Street intersection and at the entry to Peniyya mine off Gypsum Street c) That the required alterations, including any modifications to existing traffic islands or other infrastructure, be carried	11811/2013		David Miranda  Tanya Ralph	Coating to be provided by Council to RMS <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Signs and Markings</li><li>• Truck Crossing Sign</li><li>• Changed traffic conditions</li></ul> RMS order for works to be completed Work in progress, original deadline extended  No Further Action - already gazetted. Correspondence to be sent to Peniyya requesting a copy of their Traffic Management

	out at no cost to Council				Plan for one haulage.	
	That subject to the conditions set out in this recommendation, Council recommend the gazette of Gypsum Street between South Road and the entry to the Penlyra Mine as a 25m B-double access route.	8161/2012 L12/1463			When resources become available Letter sent 20/11/12  Fire advised, no funds available will wait for BHCC to schedule work  Work to be scheduled on low maintenance list and completed when resources become available.	As resources and competing priorities allow
311.6.1	Crystal Lane parking zones be investigated and report submitted with recommendations at a future meeting (between Oxide Street and Iodide Street)	11/15/2012	Consultant		Plan to be drafted and presented to Committee at future meeting	30 June 2013
307.7.1	That parking and speed zones be implemented at the Broken Hill Airport as detailed in the attached aerial photograph. This includes the addition of a drop off zone; consolidation of the taxi ranks; relocation of disabled parking and the removal of the authorised vehicles only parking.	118/10/2013	Damon Edwards		Zones & Signs yet to be implemented.  The disabled signs have been erected, and a request has been forwarded to the maintenance staff to order new signs and erect upon delivery.	31 March 2013
304.7.1	Proposed Drop off Zone, Cathedral and Sacred Heart School. That a parking and traffic study be undertaken to determine parking times during peak morning and afternoon times and the number of vehicles parking long term. That the study also analyse existing traffic facilities and parking zones to determine if and where parking arrangements can be altered to provide a better safer, higher capacity solution for the area.	11809/2013	Steve Walsh Consultant		Inspection / survey to be completed, proposed plans to be submitted to LTC  Traffic counters to be installed	30 June 2013
303.7.1	That an additional disabled zone be established adjacent to the Democratic Club and the Democratic Club be approached to see if they are willing to contribute.	6906/2012 Disability Committee L13/979	David / Bernie Sorja  Tanya Ralph		BHCC will check parking reputations for disability permits in relation to timed parking.  Advise the Democratic Club that the committee consider that there is sufficient disabled parking present and that provision of additional disabled parking would unduly impact availability of normal parking.	22 February 2013  No further action required
301.5.2	That consultation be undertaken with the taxi companies to reduce the number of taxi parking spaces from five to four	11800/2013	Stew Walsh		Correspondence to be drafted Taxi Companies	5 March 2013

	with the fifth taxi parking space in Oxide Street being changed to a 15min parking space. Also investigate the usage of the loading zone and if underused change to a Taxi or 15min Zone.	Report No. 324 7.1		Meeting to be scheduled Check to see if a response has been received from the Taxi Company. Report to be done for the next scheduled meeting. The Loading Zone at Argent Street was moved to the first parking space in Oxide Street at the Argent Street corner and be altered to a 5 minute parking bay. This would provide short-term parking at a distance less than 10m from the ATM. That public consultation program be undertaken advising all stakeholders of the proposed changes and reasons for these changes.	
296.4.2	That Broken Hill City Council review all parking bays and access ways in Gawler Place. That a detailed plan of the above be tabled at a future traffic meeting for further discussion	11153/2012	Consultant	Plan to be drafted and presented to LT Committee at future meeting	30 June 2013
324 7.1	Guide Dogs NSW - Request to introduce a measure that will make the crossing of Galena Street and the access of the Plaza from the Galena Street footpath a safe travel route for pedestrians.		Report Consultant	Council have engaged a consultant to prepare a Pedestrian Access Mobility Plan. It would be appropriate for the plan to include consideration of access issues for people with disabilities and the Galena Street intersection.	31 April 2013
324 7.2	Barry & Cathy King - Request to change the 80km sign on Brookfield Avenue near Wyman Street to be moved to past Brown Street.		Report	That the 50km/hr zone in Brookfield Avenue be extended past the Brown street intersection. That Council consider sealing of Brown Street at the Brookfield Ave intersection.	31 April 2013
324.8.1	Black Lion Inn Hotel - Review the taxi rank adjacent the Black Lion Inn Hotel in Blende Street and correspondence sent to the Taxi Companies to find out if this rank is still utilised and if unused to remove the signage.	L13/	Tanya Ralph	Correspondence to be sent to the Taxi Companies to find out if this Taxi Zone is being utilised, if not arrange for the signage to be removed.	31 April 2013



OUR SERVICES COMMITTEE

April 10, 2013

BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 109/13

SUBJECT: MINUTES S355 ASSET COMMITTEE - BIU BAND HALL AND  
SOCCER COMPLEX COMMUNITY COMMITTEE 12/48

**Recommendation**

That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 109/13 dated April 10, 2013, be received.

That the minutes of the BIU Band Hall and Soccer Complex Community Committee meeting held April 3, 2013 be received and carried under delegation.

**Introduction:**

Council has received minutes from the BIU Band Hall and Soccer Complex Community Committee meeting held April 3, 2013 for endorsement by Council.

**Background:**

Council, at its meeting held April 28, 2010, considered Group Manager Governance and Community Report No. 19/10 and as part of that report's motion; resolved:

“That Council's Section 355 Committees be instructed to submit to Council a copy of the relevant Section 355 Committee's meeting minutes within five working days of each meeting, for endorsement.” (Minute no.42328).

Accordingly, the BIU Band Hall and Soccer Complex Community Committee has submitted minutes from its meeting held April 3, 2013 for Council's endorsement.

**Comment:**

Work requests have been created for all outstanding and new requests for work. The items will be carried out as resources and competing priorities allow.

**Attachments**

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| 1. Minutes of the BIU Band Hall and Soccer Complex Community Committee Meeting held April 3, 2013 | 3 Pages |
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N P (PAUL) DE LISIO  
GROUP MANAGER INFRASTRUCTURE

GREG WRIGHT  
GENERAL MANAGER

B.I.U BAND HALL, and SOCCER Assoc. Management Committee  
GENERAL MEETING held Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> APRIL 2013.- 7pm  
Venue- B.I.U Band Hall – Beryl Street Broken Hill

PRESENT: B.I.U BAND- Ross Mawby  
SOCCER ASSOOC. Peter Pearce-  
Soccer President- Margaret Symes- Secretary Lisa Baker  
COUNCIL Rep: Branco Licul  
Community Reps. PRESIDENT Peter Lake  
SEC/Treasurer: Pauline Rauert

APOLOGIES from- Dave Gallagher, Gordon Langbine, Caroline Dunning and Peter Sliwka

Minutes from last Meeting held 6<sup>th</sup> February 2013 were tabled and read

Moved: Ross Mawby

Seconded: Peter Pearce

**BUSINESS Arising:**

1. Certificate of Currency, Hall Facility Application and Cheque for \$577.00 due from both BIU Band and Soccer Assoc.
2. Quotes for Solar Panels—ongoing, **Peter Lake has in hand.**

OLD Work Requests

1. Soccer Assoc Lights over the Bridge- **Solution has been found.**
2. Soccer- Lights on the Top Oval- **now adjusted.**
3. Tower lights front of Complex-installation of Safety rails- **not completed as yet. Continue to follow up.**
4. Missing Heater from Band Hall- **still waiting new one to be installed**
5. Timers on the Lights- **to be followed up now Daylight saving is about to happen.**
6. Soccer- Main Filter off main water supply- **Request for Peter Pearce to be shown procedure for cleaning no result as yet.**

WORK REQUESTS since last meeting

1. Soccer- **repeated request as follows-**  
Light on Top Field of Soccer grounds East End near gate-  
We believe a broken Socket is responsible for shortening out the light. Evening Training has commenced and evening matches will commence at the beginning of April and without repair lighting on the top ground is not sufficient. Long Term issue
2. Soccer- Main filter coming off main water supply is partly blocked needs attention urgently
3. BIU Band-South end Air Cooler not functioning. Lack of water. The Fan in kitchen keeps cutting out.
4. BIU Band- North end Air Cooler continues to leak water on Floor.

**Both BIU Band Hall requests have been attended to.**

CORRESPONDENCE IN.

1. from City Council- Constitution and Asset Committee Framework

Moved: Branco Licul- to engage in consultation with Council the three main groups, Soccer Assoc, BIU Band and Complex Committee in regard to the newly adopted Constitution and Asset Committee Framework due to their concerns.

Second: Peter Pearce.

2. Certificates of Currency, Hall Facility hire and cheques for \$577.00 received from both BIU Band and Soccer Assoc.
3. from Soccer Assoc. copy of letter sent to Shane Stenhouse Council, regarding recent work engaging Picton Plants, their recommendations re watering to support the turf and to establish root. **Asking Council** to spread the fertiliser on both fields or to loan equipment for the ground keeper to do the job.
4. from Soccer Assoc. - a run down on how the allotted finance to Soccer Assoc. from the 355 committee is spent.
5. from City Council- the second half of Maintenance fund for 2012/13 being \$3,243.00
6. from BIU Band – Electricity Account for March 2013 being \$726.51 applying for reimbursement as per arrangement with Council of 48.55% being \$352.72- **agreed upon**
7. from City Council- advising Caroline Dunning application for this Committee was approved.
8. from City Council- GST return for March.
9. from City Council- Payment by mistake to this account of \$250.00
10. from Branco Licul notifying a Tree branch hazard on Soccer Field, asking an urgent work request
11. from City Council Mayor Wincen Cuy- notifying " Your Hill. Your Home. Your Vision " for 2013. A Community Consultation extravaganza advising times of Sessions.

CORRESPONDENCE OUT:

1. to City Council - Cheque for \$250.00 returned after paid in wrong account.
2. to City Council- March Minutes, application for C.Dunning, Work Requests not attended to and seeking consideration re the Committees financial situation in the future

**Branco Licul-Councillor- stated it is being looked into.**

3. to Soccer Assoc.- Secretary Lisa Baker- asking that confirmation of Delegates be sent to us after the AGM in future, A Copy of the Sporting Bodies Grant Assistanace scheme, and a run down on the way the Maintenance grant from this committee is spent.
4. to City Council- GST return for February as the March Statement isn't available as yet.

FINANCE;

At the end of February 2013 the account held \$8,929.27

REPORTS:

1. Peter Lake reported his investigation re- Solar Panels is still ongoing.  
Moved- Branco Licul that the following letter be sent to Country Energy-  
Seconded: Ross Mawby

This Committee wishes to discuss the ongoing Electricity Account of the BIU Band Hall which includes two Tower lights in Front of the BIU Band Hall / Soccer Assoc. Complex.  
We ask is there any way we can reduce the Rate, such as changing from Business to Residential or any other options that you could suggest.

Peter Lake also intends to attend a display and information scheduled at the Westside Plaza on ZEN Solar.

2. Ross Mawby notified one of the permanent hirers Martial Arts group has discontinued.

GENERAL BUSINESS:

1. Books will go to the Auditor, Peter Stonham, when the April Statement arrives from the Bank.
2. Reimbursement for Hall hire to be paid to BIU Band and Soccer Assoc. being \$577.00
3. Apology from Ross Mawby for next Meeting 5<sup>th</sup> June.
4. Remaining Meeting dates are- June 5<sup>th</sup>, AGM. August 7<sup>th</sup>, October 2<sup>nd</sup>, December 4<sup>th</sup>.

Meeting Closed at 8.30pm.

President's Signature-----Date-----

## OUR SERVICES COMMITTEE

April 5, 2013

BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 110/13

SUBJECT: BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT & CORPORATE SERVICES ACTIVITY  
REPORT FOR MARCH 2013 11/658

**Recommendation**

That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 110/13 dated April 5, 2013, be received and carried under delegation.

The following report is submitted on Group activities for March 2013.

**Discussion:****1. GOVERNANCE (including General Manager's projects)**

<b>Special Projects</b>	<b>Progress</b>	<b>Comment</b>
Strategic Plan (\$33,000)	In-Progress	Plans for Community Consultation progressed throughout March and a theme of "Your Hill. Your Home. Your Vision" was chosen. Advertising and social media updates commenced to inform the community of up coming opportunities for them to participate.
Christmas Float (\$1000)	<b>Completed</b>	The Broken Hill City Council float was created and participated in the Christmas Pageant on Saturday, 1 December 2012. Project is now complete.
Local Government Elections (\$180,000)	<b>Completed</b>	Invoice for the Elections has now been received and processed. This project was delivered under budget and \$20,000 will be provided as a cost saving at the Second Quarter Budget Review.
Local Government Week (\$5000)	<b>Completed</b>	Local Government Week was held in the week commencing Monday, 13 August 2012. Activities include a number of morning teas and community information sessions at various Council facilities and Schools information sessions at the Council Chambers. Project was delivered under budget and surplus funds will be given-up in the September Quarterly Budget Review.
Volunteer Recruitment (\$20,000)	<b>Project Ceased</b>	Following the resolution of Council at its meeting on Wednesday, 19 December 2012, this project has been ceased.

<b>Special Projects</b>	<b>Progress</b>	<b>Comment</b>
Constitutional Recognition (\$5,276)	<b>Completed</b>	Invoice was received and processed in January. Meeting of the Constitutional Recognition Committee is being called for February 2013.
Sister City – Sporting Exchange (\$41,750)	<b>Completed</b>	The Sporting Exchange was to be held between 21 <sup>st</sup> and 29 <sup>th</sup> September. The event was very successful and the Broken Hill Youth were positive ambassadors of the Broken Hill Community. The project was delivered under budget with a proportion of this saving being flagged for preparation activities for the 2013 Sister Cities Conference to be hosted by the Broken Hill City Council.
Sister City – Cultural Exchange (\$41,750)	<b>Project Ceased</b>	Following the resolution of Council at its meeting on Wednesday, 19 December 2012, this project has been ceased. Correspondance has been sent to the Bankstown City Council, Broken Hill City Council Sister City Committee and the High Schools to inform them of this decision.
Civic Ball (\$40,000)	<b>In-Progress</b>	Rehearsals are continuing with 9 Debutantes participating. Ticket Sales commenced in late March. All preparations are progressing.
Volunteers Function -End of Year and Volunteer Week- (\$20,000)	<b>Project Ceased</b>	The End of Year Function for Section 355 Committees was held on Thursday, 13 December and was well attended. Following the resolution of Council at its meeting on Wednesday, 19 December 2012, the recognition of Volunteers more widely in the Broken Hill community in conjunction with Volunteer week will not be progressed.
Christmas Pageant (\$6,000)	<b>Completed</b>	The Christmas Pageant was held on Saturday, 1 December 2012 and was regarded as very successful by all those involved. An event debrief will be held early in the New Year. The project was delivered on time and budget position is still to be determined.
Australia Day Celebrations (\$13,500)	<b>Completed</b>	The Australia Day celebrations have now been completed. Debriefs from the event and final costings will be reported to Council once received and finalised.

**2. CUSTOMER RELATIONS**

<b>Special Projects</b>	<b>Progress</b>	<b>Comment</b>
Community Survey (\$18,050)	<b>Project Ceased</b>	Following the resolution of Council at its meeting on Wednesday, 19 December 2012, this project has been ceased.
Web Communication Consultation (\$10,000)	<b>Project Ceased</b>	Following the resolution of Council at its meeting on Wednesday, 19 December 2012, this project has been ceased.
Community Assistance Policy (\$141,500)	<b>Complete</b>	The Community Assistance Budget is now fully allocated. Further requests received during February are reported separately in the Our Community Business Paper.
Event Sponsorship Policy (\$20,000)	<b>Project Ceased</b>	Following the resolution of Council at its meeting on Wednesday, 19 December 2012, this project has been ceased.

**3. FINANCE**

Information previously reported under the Finance Section of the Report, will now be reported in the Monthly Financial Report.

**4. HUMAN RESOURCES**

<b>Special Projects</b>	<b>Progress</b>	<b>Comment</b>
Human Synergistics (\$35,000)	<b>Complete</b>	Six (6) Managers have completed their leadership effectiveness feedback / debrief sessions and the Senior Management have completed their re-test process. Human Resources Manager is currently undertaking an accreditation to conduct these processes internally.

**5. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY ("IT")**

Network and server uptime for February 2013 was 100%.

<b>Special Projects</b>	<b>Progress</b>	<b>Comment</b>
NBN Project Officer (Original: \$43,000)	<b>Project Ceased</b>	Following the resolution of Council at its meeting on Wednesday, 19 December 2012, this project has been ceased. Correspondance has been sent to applicants to the role.

<b>Capital Projects</b>	<b>Progress</b>	<b>Comment</b>
Desktop Replacement (\$28,000)	<b>Project Ceased</b>	Following the resolution of Council at its meeting on Wednesday, 19 December 2012, this project has been ceased.

<b>Capital Projects</b>	<b>Progress</b>	<b>Comment</b>
Point of Sale System (\$12,587)	<b>Project Ceased</b>	Following the resolution of Council at its meeting on Wednesday, 19 December 2012, this project has been ceased.
Exchange Server Upgrade (\$38,967)	In Progress	Not progressed during March. Civica Authority upgrade was completed during March. This was the focus during March.

<b>Attractive Assets Projects</b>	<b>Progress</b>	<b>Comment</b>
EVA Data Storage System (\$3,905)	Not Commenced	Additional disk storage will be purchased & installed this financial year in order to ensure the continued secure storage of Council data. Hewlett Packard have been contacted for firm pricing. Awaiting reply.
3 * Networked Printers (\$6,000)	As Needed	Sustainability printer has major issues. Uneconomic to carryout further repairs due to age of unit. Quotations have been requested for a replacement unit.
Additional Server RAM Sticks (\$2,580)	<b>Completed</b>	RAM installed.

## 6. QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Responses to questions asked during Public Forum will be responded to in the Council Business Paper Report "Public Forum Questions on Notice"

### Attachments

There are no attachments for this report.

KATE O'NEILL  
GROUP MANAGER BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT  
AND CORPORATE SERVICES

GREG WRIGHT  
GENERAL MANAGER



## OUR SERVICES COMMITTEE

April 4, 2013

BROKEN HILL CITY COUNCIL REPORT NO. 111/13

SUBJECT: INFRASTRUCTURE MONTHLY ACTIVITIES FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 2013 11/514

**Recommendation**

That Broken Hill City Council Report No. 111/13 dated April 4, 2013, be received and carried under delegation.

The table below shows the Cemetery statistics for March 2013.

	Exclusive Rights for Old Graves	Exclusive Rights	Work Permits	Interments			Enquiries		
				Grave	Ashes	Total	Office	On Site	Total
Jul-12	0	7	0	10	3	13	35	17	52
Aug-12	1	19	0	29	12	41	25	20	45
Sep-12	1	6	1	10	6	16	30	25	55
Oct-12	0	4	0	7	10	17	25	17	42
Nov-12	2	10	0	8	6	14	13	21	34
Dec-12	0	5	0	6	6	12	14	18	32
Jan-13	0	3	0	6	7	13	12	13	25
Feb-13	0	9	0	11	10	30	11	18	13
Mar-13	0	7	0	7	6	20	25	18	43
<b>Year to Date (12/13)</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>341</b>

**Notes:** Office enquires are by telephone, post, email, on- site and counter enquiries.

Interments include private burials (ashes) arranged and conducted by Broken Hill City Council employees.

**General**

- Cemetery Officers herbicide spraying has been ongoing in March.
- Only one Cemetery Officer has been onsite for the majority of March while the Road Reseal Program is undertaken.
- 40 new standard roses for the Cremation Rose Garden extension have been planted, irrigation has been installed and mulching completed.

**BROKEN HILL REGIONAL AQUATIC CENTRE**

- Trading hours over the Easter period were reduced slightly (12 hours in total) to reflect the historically low patronage over the period.
- Council and the YMCA have been working on the 25 metre pool concourse works where the concrete needed to be roughed up to provide the area better grip.
- An inspection of the Aquatic Centre with Council's new representative from Statewide was conducted. No significant issues were identified although it recommended that Council review signage painted on the ground.
- The 25m pool will be closed for a short period to facilitate some repairs to the joints during April. Similar repairs will be carried out in the 50m pool after it is shut down for the winter period in May.

**Attendance**

<b>BROKEN HILL REGIONAL AQUATIC CENTRE MONTHLY ATTENDANCES</b>						
<b>Month</b>	<b>2008/09</b>	<b>2009/10</b>	<b>2010/11</b>	<b>2011/12</b>	<b>2012/13</b>	<b>COMMENT</b>
July	619	755	605	NA	2937	Well up on previous years and do not appear to have been impacted by new fees and charges
August	335	728	668	NA	3590	Trend of strong attendances during winter months continues and pleasing to see that there was an increase in numbers in August over July reversing the trend in previous years
September	1598	1201	1603	NA	4458	Smart Card's down on previous months.
October	4490	4433	4065	NA	7530	Strong attendances and pleasing numbers of Smart Cards issued. Only 4 less than the first month they were issued.
November	7774	8161	6908	NA	10475	Very strong attendances, well up on previous years.
December	11623	9295	7485	1001*	10442	The Y took over the management and operation of the Centre from 1 December, 2012.
January	18325	13347	NA	15109*	17272	There has been a strong increase in attendances of some 14% over last year. Health Club visits have increased strongly.
February	12737	8148	NA	10892*	15090	Attendance was up over 38% on February of last year. The introduction of a diverse range of activities is a significant driver of the increased attendances.
March	6255	4740	NA	13386*	11790	2013 Attendance to 25 March. Total March attendance may be impacted by Easter (traditionally low attendances) falling in March rather than in April. Attendance figures compare favourably with prior years.
April	2187	1940	NA	4429		
May	1386	1133	NA	3959		
June	720	967	NA	2690		

## Notes:

1. Attendances from Jan 2011 until December 2011 unknown as the turnstiles were removed during the redevelopment and entry was by voluntary donation.
2. Attendances for December 2011 are not comparable as the redeveloped centre was opened on 11<sup>th</sup> December
3. The 2011-12 implied attendances do not account for free entries which were substantial during December – February due to free day each week of the local school holidays, Official Opening function and Australia Day activities. Attendances for previous years include free entries. These were particularly significant for 2008/09 when the Stage 1 redevelopment was opened.
4. \*Implied attendances → will be affected by the timing of the banking of the turnstile takings and payment of bulk admissions such as school swimming carnivals
5. Turnstile entries prior to April 2012 are regarded as unreliable
6. Children under 4 provided with free admission from 1 July, 2012.

**Extract From YMCA Executive Summary of Monthly Report**

*March has seen the stabilisation of consistent growth throughout the previous three months in relation to membership numbers; however, participation has decreased due to the change in weather. The centre recorded 11,790\* attendances to 25<sup>th</sup> March. This represents on average 471 visits per day.*

*There has been a slight increase in the membership numbers throughout the month which, is contrary to industry trends and organisation data where many recreational centres report negative growth in March. Some key attendance figures include;*

- 2,949 for casual recreational swimming
- 2,531 for aquatic membership
- 3,482 for health and fitness and aquatic memberships
- 1,320 in aquatic education
- 668 for smart card/visit passes
- 159 in casual aqua aerobics

*The centre is well positioned leading into winter and whilst membership numbers are likely to decrease, the YMCA expects the membership base to achieve better than budget results.*

*Learn to Swim numbers have slightly increased throughout the month and the focus now shifts to maintaining a strong student base leading into the cooler months. With the YMCA Aqua Safe program running throughout the year our objective is to retain at least 60% of the existing enrolment base of 330 students.*

*The centre hosted the first ever YMCA Swimathon which generated close to \$4,000, meanwhile an Easter raffle at the centre has generated nearly \$400. The funds, which will be available in April, will provide learn to swim lessons for those in the community suffering a disability.*

*The public notification of the April 25m pool closure was released with minimal patron dissatisfaction. The public have been made aware that the hydro therapy and 50m pool will be open all day as opposed to its normal reduced hours for the duration of the closure.*

*March has exceeded all expectations in that the membership base has slightly increased and learn to swim numbers have been strong. The YMCA will be launching a health and fitness campaign in April which will target new members leading into winter.*

## BROKEN HILL AIRPORT

Passenger numbers for March 2013 were not available at the time of report.

- The Senior Airport Security Officer attended SA branch AAA meeting at Port Lincoln on 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> March.
- Airport staff assisted with the reseal program around the airport grounds during March.

## ROADS

- The sealing program continued throughout March and will continue during the first few weeks of April.
- Emergency Works – Clean Up of Oil Spill on Williams Street on Thursday night prior to Good Friday. Provision of Truck and Operator to load and spread sand to cover spill. Street Sweeper used in following days to clean up the contaminated sand.

## BUILDINGS AND TRADES

- Preparation including cleaning and removal of furniture in the Ground Floor Meeting room for upcoming by-election to be held in April.
- Installation of signs for altered traffic conditions at intersection of South Rd and Gypsum St
- Line marking at Airport Car Park, Reseal Lines, South Road Truck Route, Corner of Iodide and Thomas St, Lane Street (Sulphide to Chloride – Median Road Markings), Crystal/Bromide and Blende/Bromide St Roundabouts (Repainting/Replacement of Concrete Rumble Bars).

## FLEET

- Council is still awaiting delivery of two new compactors, which at this stage have not been delivered to the body builders MacDonald Johnston. The delay appears to be the fitment of the dual steering system.

## PARKS AND GARDENS

- The Asset Planner Parks and Gardens met with representatives of Broken Hill Football League to review the condition of the turf following recent remedial work to repair a number of bare patches. The Football League has now confirmed that Central Football Clubs home games will be played at the ground. The League is also considering scheduling Auskick at the oval on Friday Nights.
- Bike racks for Sturt Park and Patton Street Park and have gathered quotes for the shelter in Sturt Park that may go over the bike racks and seating.
- After an extended hot and dry period during summer and focus on irrigation practices, the condition of the parks and gardens is showing great improvement.

## GRAFFITI AND VANDALISM

<b>Graffiti</b>		
<b>Date</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Details</b>
04-Mar-13	Patton Street Men's Toilet	Graffiti on the doors and the walls of the toilet
11-Mar-13	Picton Oval Canteen - front cement slab	Graffiti on the front slab of concrete in front of canteen.

11-Mar-13	Round House Ladies Toilets	Graffiti on the back of the doors
	Thomas/Chloride Sts and Picton Oval	Graffiti on footpath
<b>Vandalism</b>		
<b>Date</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Details</b>
12-Mar-13	Queen Elizabeth Park	Park bench has been smashed and pieces have been left on ground. CRM submitted to collect pieces.
13-Mar-13	Airport	Thieves cut the lock on the BHCC Airport Compound gate, and also both the Airside and Landside fences near the Western access gate. Nothing appears to have been stolen.
18-Mar-13	Patton Street Park - men's toilets	3 tiles above men's urinal have been removed and stolen.
18-Mar-13	Arboretum	Small fire under one of the old bus seats noticed by some boys who put it out a little before 5pm. Looked like discarded cigarette butts had slowly started a fire in wood chips and old weed matting. Police notified – event number E98736402. Approx. 5:30pm Riddiford Arboretum Committee Member was walking past the seat, smelt smoke and could see that the seat was still smouldering.
19-Mar-13	Airport	Thieves entered the GA parking area and stole a GPS Unit and a Distress Beacon Unit from aircraft OEN. They also entered the Corner Country Workshop and stole 2 full mechanics toolboxes, a set of mechanics sockets, and a compass which is used to align the aircraft navigation instruments.
.March 2013	Airport	Thieves/Vandals attempted to break-in to the NDB Transmission building on Airport Rd, but were unable to get through the door. Both the door and the lock required replacing. Exact date unknown.
.March 2013	Airport	Several incidents of fuel being stolen overnight from vehicles at the airport carpark.

## IN KIND AND EVENTS

- Preparations for St Pats Races including grading of Taxi Road and Road Shoulders, Slashing of Weeds from McGowan Street to Racecourse. Clean up of Traffic Medians on route to Racecourse. Provision of Water Tanker and Driver for Racecourse for Watering Down of Car Park and Other Areas

## MAJOR PROJECTS

### Thomas Street Reconstruction

- The installation of the sub surface drains have been mostly completed
- Work has commenced to reconstruct part of the Thomas/Chloride Street intersection in concrete. This will provide a more durable surface for this location given the stormwater flows that traverse the intersection. A full road closure of Thomas Street at the intersection has been required to facilitate this work.
- Reconstruction work is expected to be completed at the end of April.

### Lane/Oxide St Intersection

- Preparations underway for the reconstruction of the roundabout in Lane/Oxide Street with construction work expected to commence next month.

### **Potosi Interim Haulage Route – Changes to South Road/Gypsum Street Intersection**

- The priority of the give way at the South Road/Gypsum Street intersection has been reversed so that vehicles travelling from South Broken Hill and turning left from South Road are required to give way to vehicles turning right from South Road into Gypsum Street.

### **Bicycle path between Patton Park and the Aquatic Centre**

- The construction of a bike path to connect Patton Park to the Aquatic Centre and other locations is continuing.

### **Aquatic Centre Road Extension and Parking**

- Work continues to complete the overflow carpark and the access road at the aquatic centre.

### **Attachments**

There are no attachments for this report.

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GROUP MANAGER INFRASTRUCTURE

GREG WRIGHT  
GENERAL MANAGER