

**MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF BLAND HELD IN
THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS WEST WYALONG ON TUESDAY 28 JANUARY 2025,
COMMENCING AT 6.30PM**

An audio recording of the proceedings of this meeting is publicly available on Council's website.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

ATTENDANCE AND APOLOGIES FOR NON-ATTENDANCE

Attendance

Crs B Monaghan (Mayor), H Brooks, M Carnegie, R Crowe, J Funnell, T Lord, L McGlynn, L Minogue

Director Corporate & Community Services (A Balind), Director Technical Services (R Sexton), Manager Operations (W Manners) and Executive Assistant (J Sharpe)

Apologies and Leave of Absence

Cr E Henderson

General Manager (G Baker)

01012025 RESOLVED that the apology submitted by Cr Henderson be accepted and leave of absence granted.

Brooks/Funnell
CARRIED

(Unanimously: Crs Brooks, Carnegie, Crowe, Funnell, Lord, McGlynn, Minogue and Monaghan voting for)

DISCLOSURES OF INTERESTS

Nil

PUBLIC FORUM

At this stage Mr Jeff Gould addressed Council in relation to works on Girral Road West Wyalong.

REPORTS FROM STAFF

Girral Road Project

PROPOSED That Council approve an additional funding allocation of \$3.5m for the Girral Road project, consisting of \$2m from Council's Roads to Recovery program (\$0.5m - 2024-25 and \$1.5m 2025-26) with a supplementary vote of \$1.5m through the March quarterly budget review.

Minogue/Brooks

02012025 RESOLVED that Council suspend standing orders and move into Committee of the Whole.

Lord/McGlynn
CARRIED

(Unanimously: Crs Brooks, Carnegie, Crowe, Funnell, Lord, McGlynn, Minogue and Monaghan voting for)

AMENDMENT PROPOSED that Council complete work up to the amount of the available budget and that a further report detailing options to continue works on the length of road be presented to the March Council meeting.

Lord/McGlynn

On being put to the vote the amendment was lost.

LOST

(2/6: Crs Lord and McGlynn voting for and Crs Brooks, Carnegie, Crowe, Funnell, Minogue, Monaghan voting against)

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On being put to the vote the motion was carried.

Minogue/Brooks
CARRIED

(6/2: Crs Brooks, Carnegie, Crowe, Funnell, Minogue, Monaghan voting for and Crs Lord and McGlynn voting against)

04012025 RESOLVED that Council resume standing orders and move out of Committee.

Lord/Crowe
CARRIED

(Unanimously: Crs Brooks, Carnegie, Crowe, Funnell, Lord, McGlynn, Minogue and Monaghan voting for)

There being no further business the meeting then closed at 7.44pm.

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Chairperson
Mayor Brian Monaghan