



NOTICE OF SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING

In accordance with Section 254C(2)(b) of the *Local Government Regulation 2009* this notice is to advise that a **Special Council Meeting** will be held via Microsoft TEAMS as follows:

Friday, 31 October 2025 (10.00am to 11.00am)

Microsoft (TEAMS) Meeting ID: 487 859 737 073 6 | Passcode: zB6aS2HL

The attendance of each Councillor is requested. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss a commercial matter in a Closed Session for Councillors only.

Agenda papers for this meeting are attached and will soon be available on Council's website (except for any Closed Business papers) and can be accessed by clicking on the link below:

https://tsirc.qld.gov.au/about-us/meetings/

James William
Chief Executive Officer
30 October 2025

Time: 10.00am to 11.00am

Venue: Microsoft TEAMS Meeting ID: 487 859 737 073 6 | Passcode: zB6aS2HL

ORDER OF BUSINESS

10.00am

- A. WELCOME & QUORUM CONFIRMATION | ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS | OPENING PRAYER | OBSERVANCES
- B. APOLOGIES
- C. CONFLICT OF INTEREST DECLARATIONS

1. RESOLUTION TO CLOSE THE MEETING TO THE PUBLIC

2. Sea Swift Maritime Dispute

[Reason for Closed Discussion: pursuant to section 254J(e) and (g) of the Local Government Regulation 2012 (Qld) to allow the Council to discuss items listed on the agenda under Closed Business, as these matters involve:

- legal advice obtained by the local government or legal proceedings involving the local government including, for example, legal proceedings that may be taken by or against the local government; and
- negotiations relating to a commercial matter involving the local government for which a public discussion would be likely to prejudice the interests of the local government.]

3. RESOLUTION TO RETURN THE MEETING TO OPEN DISCUSSION

4. CONSIDERATION OF MATTERS DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION

11.00am

5. CLOSE OF MEETING & PRAYER



DIRECTORATE: Corporate Services

AUTHOR: Executive Director Corporate Services

RESOLUTION TO CLOSE THE MEETING TO THE PUBLIC

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION:

Council resolves to close the meeting to the public pursuant to section 254J of the *Local Government Regulation 2012* to allow the Council to discuss items listed on the agenda for closed discussion and for the reasons outlined under those items.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

A local government meeting is open to the public unless the local government or committee has resolved that the meeting is to be closed.

Section 254J of the *Local Government Regulation 2012* allows the Council to close its meeting to the public to discuss one or more of the following matters:

- (a) the appointment, discipline or dismissal of the chief executive officer;
- (b) industrial matters affecting employees;
- (c) the local government's budget;
- (d) rating concessions;
- (e) legal advice obtained by the local government or legal proceedings involving the local government including, for example, legal proceedings that may be taken by or against the local government;
- (f) matters that may directly affect the health and safety of an individual or a group of individuals;
- (g) negotiations relating to a commercial matter involving the local government for which a public discussion would be likely to prejudice the interests of the local government;
- (h) negotiations relating to the taking of land by the local government under the *Acquisition of Land Act 1967*;
- (i) a matter the local government is required to keep confidential under a law of, or formal arrangement with, the Commonwealth or a State;
- (j) an investigation report given to the local government under chapter 5A, part 3, division 5 of the Act.

Section 254J(6) of the *Local Government Regulation 2012* stipulates that a local government or a committee of a local government must not make a resolution (other than a procedural resolution) in a local government meeting, or a part of a local government meeting, that is closed.

Interested Parties/Consultation:

N/A

Background / Previous Council Consideration:

N/A

COMPLIANCE / CONSIDERATIONS:

Statutory:	Section 254J of the Local Government Regulation 2012
Budgetary:	N/A
Policy:	TSIRC Standing Orders (Meeting Procedures) Policy – August 2024
Legal:	N/A
Risk:	Council breach of its Statutory requirements above.
	TSIRC Corporate Plan 2025-30
Links to Strategic Plans:	Focus Area 3– A Proactive & Responsible Council
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Malungu Yangu Wakay (The Masig Statement):	In keeping with Article 4 of the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples, in exercising our right to self-determination, we have the right to autonomy or self-government in matters relating to our internal and local affairs, as well as ways and means for financing their autonomous functions.
Standing Committee Consultation:	N/A
Timelines:	Standard Procedure at each Monthly Council Meeting

Nil.

Recommended: Approved:

Víckí Bíshop Vicki Bishop

Executive Director Corporate Services

James William

Chief Executive Officer

ATTACHMENTS:



DIRECTORATE: Corporate Services

AUTHOR: Executive Director Corporate Services

RESOLUTION TO RETURN THE MEETING TO OPEN DISCUSSION

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION:

Council resolves to move out of closed discussions pursuant to Section 254l of the *Local Government Regulation 2012.*

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Section 254I of the *Local Government Regulation 2012* stipulates that a local government meeting is open to the public unless the local government or committee has resolved that the meeting is to be closed.

Interested Parties/Consultation:

N/A

Background / Previous Council Consideration:

N/A

COMPLIANCE / CONSIDERATIONS:

Statutory:	Section 254l of the Local Government Regulation 2012
Budgetary:	N/A
Policy:	TSIRC Standing Orders (Meeting Procedures) Policy – August 2024
Legal:	N/A
Risk:	Council breach of its Statutory requirements above.
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Other Comments:

Nil.

Recommended:

Approved:

Víckí Bíshop Vicki Bishop

Executive Director Corporate Services

James William

Chief Executive Officer

ATTACHMENTS:

Nil.



DIRECTORATE: Corporate Services

AUTHOR: Executive Director Corporate Services

CONSIDERATION OF MATTERS DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION:

For the Council to formally resolve on the matters discussed in its Closed Session.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Section 254J(6) of the *Local Government Regulation 2012* stipulates that a local government or a committee of local government must not make a resolution (other than a procedural resolution) in a local government meeting, or a part of a local government meeting, that is closed.

The open meeting must resume to pass a resolution if any decisions are necessary following the closed–meeting discussion.

Interested Parties/Consultation:

N/A

Background / Previous Council Consideration:

N/A

COMPLIANCE / CONSIDERATIONS:

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