AGENDA



EXTRAORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING

TUESDAY 8 JUNE 2021

6.00pm

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Live Streaming of Council Meeting

In the spirit of open, accessible and transparent government, this meeting of the Inner West Council is being streamed live on Council's website. By speaking at a Council meeting, members of the public agree to being recorded and must ensure their speech to the Council is respectful and use appropriate language. A person who uses defamatory, discriminatory or offensive language may be exposed to liability for which Council takes no responsibility. Any part of this meeting that is held in closed session will not be recorded

Pre-Registration to Speak at Council Meetings

Members of the public must register by 2pm of the day of the Meeting to speak at Council Meetings. If you wish to register to speak please fill in a <u>Register to Speak Form</u>, available from the Inner West Council website, including:

- your name;
- contact details;
- item on the Agenda you wish to speak to; and
- whether you are for or against the recommendation in the agenda.

Are there any rules for speaking at a Council Meeting?

The following rules apply when addressing a Council meeting:

- keep your address to the point, the time allowed for each speaker is limited to three minutes. This time limit applies, no matter how many items are addressed by the speaker;
- when addressing the Meeting you must speak to the Chairperson;
- the Chairperson may curtail public participation where the information being presented is considered repetitive or irrelevant; and
- only 3 speakers for and against an Agenda Item are allowed.

What happens after I submit the form?

Your request will then be added to a list that is shown to the Chairperson on the night of the meeting.

Where Items are deferred, Council reserves the right to defer speakers until that Item is heard on the next occasion.

Accessibility

Inner West Council is committed to ensuring people with a disability have equal opportunity to take part in Council and Committee Meetings. At the Ashfield Council Chambers there is a hearing loop service available to assist persons with a hearing impairment. If you have any other access or disability related participation needs and wish to know more, call 9392 5657.

Persons in the public gallery are advised that under the Local Government Act 1993, a person may NOT record a Council meeting without the permission of Council.

Any persons found recording without authority will be expelled from the meeting.

"Record" includes the use of any form of audio, video and still camera equipment or mobile phone capable of recording speech.

An audio recording of this meeting will be taken for the purpose of verifying the accuracy of the minutes.

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1 Acknowledgement of Country

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- 2 Apologies
- 3 Notice of Webcasting
- 4 Disclosures of Interest (Section 451 of the Local Government Act and Council's Code of Conduct)
- 5 Moment of Quiet Contemplation
- 6 Public Forum Hearing from All Registered Speakers
- 7 Condolence Motions

Nil at the time of printing.

8 Mayoral Minutes

Nil at the time of printing.

9 Reports with Strategic Implications

Nil at the time of printing.

10 Reports for Council Decision

Nil at the time of printing.

11 Reports for Noting

Nil at the time of printing.

12 Rescission Motions

ITEM Page C0621(2) Item 1 Notice of Motion to Rescind: C0521(3) Item 1 Notice of Motion:

Local Government Act Amendment Bill (Demerger) - 24 May 2021 **4**

Item No:	C0621(2) ITEM 1
Subject:	NOTICE OF MOTION TO RESCIND: C0521(3) ITEM 1 NOTICE OF MOTION: LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT AMENDMENT BILL (DEMERGER) - 24 MAY 2021
From:	Councillors Anna York, Lucille McKenna OAM and Sam Iskandar

MOTION:

We, the abovementioned Councillors, hereby submit a Notice of Motion to rescind the resolution of Council of 24 May 2021 that a poll be conducted on September 4, on the issue of de-amalgamation of the Inner West Council resolution 2 of **C0521(3)** Item 1 Notice of Motion: Local Government Act Amendment Bill (Demerger), and propose the alternative Motion be adopted as follows:

THAT Council receive and consider the independent cost/benefit analysis on the demerger proposal at the August Council meeting prior to any consideration of the poll.

Background

Council resolved in part on 24 May 2021:

- 2. Pursuant to section 14 of the Local Government Act 1993 (NSW):
 - a) Take a poll of electors on the question of whether the Inner West local government area should be de-amalgamated, so as to restore the former local government areas of Ashfield, Leichhardt and Marrickville; and
 - b) Hold the poll on the day of the 2021 NSW local government elections, being Saturday, 4 September 2021 or such later or other day as may subsequently be proclaimed.

ATTACHMENTS

Nil.