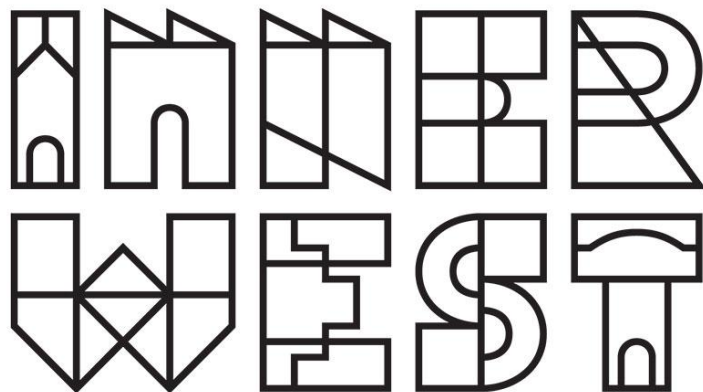


AGENDA



EXTRAORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING

TUESDAY 17 FEBRUARY 2026

5:30 PM

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

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

Statement of Ethical Obligations

The Mayor and Councillors are bound by the Oath/ Affirmation of Office made at the start of the Council term to undertake their civic duties in the best interests of the people of the Inner West Council and to faithfully and impartially carry out the functions, powers, authorities and discretions vested in them under the Local Government Act or any other Act, to the best of their skill and judgement.

It is also a requirement that the Mayor and Councillors disclose conflicts of interest in relation to items listed for consideration on the Agenda or which are considered at this meeting in accordance with Council's Code of Conduct and Code of Meeting Practice.

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- 1 Acknowledgement of Country
- 2 Apologies and Request for Remote Attendance
- 3 Notice of Webcasting
- 4 Statement of Ethical Obligations
- 5 Disclosures of Interest (Part 4 (Pecuniary Interests) and Part 5 (non-pecuniary conflicts of interest) of Council's Code of Conduct)
- 6 Moment of Quiet Contemplation
- 7 Mayoral Minutes

Nil at the time of printing.

- 8 Reports for Noting

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C0226(1) Item 1 General Manager's Presentation

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Item No: C0226(1) Item 1
Subject: GENERAL MANAGER'S PRESENTATION
Prepared By: Peter Gainsford - General Manager

RECOMMENDATION

1. That Council receive and note this report and the presentation delivered by the General Manager.
 2. That Council move into confidential session to deal with the General Manager's presentation, as the information is confidential under section 10A(2)(a) of the *Local Government Act 1993*, because it contains personnel matters concerning particular individuals (other than Councillors).
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STRATEGIC OBJECTIVE

This report supports the following strategic directions contained within Council's Community Strategic Plan:

- 5: Progressive, responsive and effective civic leadership

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The purpose of the meeting is to receive a presentation from the General Manager before Council considers the renewal of his contract. The General Manager's contract concludes in May and Council is required to consider the contract renewal within the month of February.

Council will move into a closed session to deal with the General Manager's presentation, as the information is confidential under section 10A(2)(a) of the *Local Government Act 1993*. The matter is deemed confidential because it contains personnel matters concerning particular individuals (other than Councillors).

Pursuant to section 10A(2), 10(2) and 10A(3) of the *Local Government Act 1993*, the media and public will be excluded from the meeting on the basis the business to be considered is classified as confidential under section 10A(2)(a) of the *Local Government Act 1993*.

ATTACHMENTS

Nil.