



# **MINUTES**

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**Annual General Meeting of Electors  
Held in the Shirley Humble Room,  
15 Adam Street, Nannup  
Thursday 20 March 2025 commencing at 5.30pm**

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## A G E N D A

### **1. DECLARATION OF OPENING/ANNOUNCEMENT OF VISITORS/ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF COUNTRY:**

Under Section 5.27 of the *Local Government Act 1995*, an Annual General Meeting (AGM) of Electors of a district is to be held once every financial year. A general meeting is to be held on a day selected by the local government but within 56 days of accepting the annual report for the previous financial year (Section 5.27). The matters to be discussed at the general electors' meetings are to be those prescribed under the Act and associated Regulations.

The Shire President to declared the meeting open at 5.30pm and welcomed the public gallery.

The Shire President to acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land, the Wardandi and Bibbulmun people, paying respects to Elders past, present, and emerging.

#### **Audio Recording**

The Presiding Member to advise that the meeting is being audio recorded in accordance with the Local Government Act 1995 and will be published on the Shire's website within 14 days.

Members of the public are reminded that no other visual or audio recording of this meeting by any other means is allowed without the permission of the chairperson.

### **2. RECORD OF ATTENDANCE/APOLOGIES/APPROVED LEAVE OF ABSENCE:**

#### **2.1 ATTENDANCE**

Shire President	Anthony (Tony) Dean	Presiding Member
Deputy Shire President	Vicki Hansen	
Councillor	Lynette Curtis	
Councillor	Patricia Fraser	
Councillor	Cheryle Brown	
Councillor	Timothy Sly	
Councillor	Ian Gibb	
Chief Executive Officer	David Taylor	
Executive Manager Corporate Services	Kim Dolzadelli	
Executive Manager Works and Services	Damon Lukins	
Executive Support Officer	Lisa Atkinson	

#### **2.2 APOLOGIES**

Nil.

## Public Gallery

Chris Buckland, Cheryle Brown, Timothy Sly, Julie Kay, Jenne Taylor, Ian Gibb Dietmar Blanke, Gordon McDonald, Heather Elliott-Smith, Vicki Hansen, Jolin Thompson, Peter Grubb, Sam Morrison, Nicky Barker, Bob Barker, Georgie Heller, Tom Heller, Isobelle Green, Jim Green, Liz Collins, Rita Stallard, Anneli Salo, G Williams, S Williams, Sarah Laverick, Jason Taylor, Stephen Giovinazzo, Christine Farron, Bee Winfield, Ed Stratford, Brad Shehan, Mandy Blount, Rod Archdall, Lisa Marie Tiller, Alan Richards, Peter Lewis, Stuart Seesink, Donna Bindon, Phil Harshaw, Jamie Webster, Davina Gibb, Tober Stanley, Stephen Hitchin, Ellie Mckie, Martin McKie, Lynette Curtis, Patricia Fraser

## 2.3 APPROVED LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Nil.

## 3. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS ELECTORS MEETING

### RECOMMENDATION:

That the Minutes of the Shire of Nannup Annual Electors Meeting held on Thursday 1 February 2024 be confirmed as a true and correct record (Attachment 3.1).

<b>MOVED Cr HANSEN</b>	<b>SECONDED Cr BROWN</b>
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**CARRIED**

## 4. REPORTS OF OFFICERS

### 4.1 2023/24 ANNUAL REPORT INCORPORATING THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Please refer to the 2023/24 Annual Report (Attachment 4.1)

Local governments are required to prepare an annual report (Section 5.53), accept the report (Section 5.54), advertise its availability (Section 5.55) and hold an Annual General Meeting of Electors (AGM) within 56 days of accepting the annual report (Section 5.27).

The annual report is to be accepted (by absolute majority), by the local government no later than 31 December after that financial year (or later with DLGSC approval). The Chief Executive Officer (CEO) is then responsible for giving local public notice of the availability of the annual report as soon as practicable after the report has been accepted (Section 5.55) and must publish the report on the local government's official website within 14 days after acceptance (Section 5.55A).

### OFFICER RECOMMENDATION:

The 2023/24 Annual Report, incorporating the Annual Financial Statements and Auditor Report for the year ended 30 June 2024, should be received and adopted by Council.

**\*Shire President advised the Officer Recommendation should read received as the Annual report had already been adopted by Council\*.**

<b>MOVED MRS STALLARD</b>	<b>SECONDED MR BUCKLAND</b>
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**CARRIED**

## **5. GENERAL BUSINESS**

### **5.1 MOTION #1 – FINDINGS RELATED TO SYNTHETIC DNA CONTAMINATION IN THE PFIZER AND MODERNA COVID-19 VACCINES**

This motion seeks to urgently address the serious health concerns related to synthetic DNA contamination in the Australian COVID-19 vaccines and to ensure informed decision-making for residents and health practitioners in Nannup and beyond. That Council table and:

#### **1. Acknowledge Exhibits and Findings**

Mover brings to the attention of the President and all Council members and tables the following documents regarding disturbing findings related to synthetic DNA contamination in the Pfizer and Moderna COVID-19 vaccines:

##### **Exhibit 1:**

The report by Dr. David Speicher which evidences excessive synthetic DNA Contamination in Pfizer and Moderna vaccine vials used for both adults and children. Dr Speicher's testing revealed DNA contamination levels between 7-145 times higher than Australia's Therapeutic Goods Administration (TGA) limit of 10ng per dose. Dr Speicher's finding highlight that Pfizer vials also contain an SV40 promoter-enhancer-ori sequence, which was not initially disclosed to regulators and can promote nuclear localization and genomic integration of synthetic DNA. The report raises serious concerns about potential long-term health impacts such as genomic integration, exponential cancer risks, and adverse outcomes due to synthetic DNA contamination.

##### **Exhibit 2:**

The letter by the Honourable Russell Broadbent MP, Federal Member for Monash, dated 20 September 2024 (attached). In his letter, Mr Broadbent has called upon the Prime Minister to suspend the use of Pfizer and Moderna COVID-19 vaccines due to the alarming findings contained in Dr Speicher's report. Mr Broadbent has urged an immediate investigation and suspension of these products, pointing out that DNA contamination levels vastly exceed regulatory limits, and that the Australian population must be protected. This letter has been co-signed by twenty-six Australian and world leading doctors, scientists and researchers including Directors of the Australian Academy of Sciences.

**Exhibit 3:**

The follow up letter by the Honourable Russell Broadbent MP, Federal Member for Monash, dated 25 September 2024 (attached) includes a Science Summary created by over fifty of the worlds leading Doctors, Professors, Scientists and Legal Experts from Europe, North America and Australia. These co-signatories also explain in layman's terms the adverse health effects caused by synthetic DNA contamination, emphasizing the risk of genomic integration, increased cancer risk, immune system disruption and potential hereditary effects. The Executive summary States "Excessive synthetic foreign DNA encapsulated in lipid nanoparticles can integrate into human cells, potentially leading genomic instability, cancers, immune system disruption and adverse hereditary effects".

Moved: Gordon McDonald

Seconded: Bee Winfield

Mover	Gordon McDonald
Seconder	Bee Winfield
Speaker 1 Against	Anthony (Tony) Dean
Speaker 2 Support	Rod Archdall
Speaker 3 Against	Chris Buckland
Speaker 4 Neutral	Mandy Blount
Speaker 5 Support	Ed Stratford
Mover (Right of Reply)	Gordon McDonald

**MOTION CARRIED ON MAJORITY****5.2 MOTION #2 – REQUEST TO WRITE TO THE THREE MEDICAL ENTITIES IN NANNUP**

- 1 That the Electors request that Council instructs the Chief Executive Officer to write urgently to the following 3 medical Entities: The Nannup Hospital, The Nannup Hospital, The Nannup Medical Centre and Nannup Pharmacy, using the following words, inserting the appropriate date and then continuing with:

To all Health Practitioners,

Nannup Shire Council

By email: (insert email addresses of medical entities in Nannup)

Dear Health Practitioners,

Re: Urgent Information Regarding DNA Contamination in COVID-19 Vaccines

I write on behalf of the Shire of Nannup to bring to your immediate attention a report by Dr David Speicher PhD, which presents disturbing findings of synthetic DNA contamination in Pfizer and Moderna COVID-19 vaccines.

Dr Speicher's report reveals that the DNA contamination levels in these vaccines exceed Australia's Therapeutic Goods Administration (TGA) limit by up to 145 times. Furthermore, the Pfizer vaccines contain SV40 promoter-sequences, which are well known for facilitating genomic integration and amplifying cancer risk. We the Nannup Council are not medical people, but we

acknowledge the letters from the Honourable Russell Broadbent MP, dated 20 September and 25 September 2024 which were co-signed by over fifty of the world's leading Doctors, Professors, Scientists and Legal Experts from Europe, North America and Australia. We extend findings, and we do endorse them!

Moreover, after reviewing the Science Summary attached to Mr Broadbent's letter dated 25 September, we are gravely concerned about the health implications posed by synthetic DNA contamination, including the dangers of genomic integration, cancer, hereditary defects and immune disruption.

The Shire of Nannup Council has contacted the Prime Minister, joining other Councils and Mr Broadbent in calling for the immediate suspension of these vaccine products and a full investigation into how this contamination went undetected by Australia's regulatory bodies. In the meantime, we believe it is vital that this DNA contamination information is communicated to patients considering the Pfizer or Moderna vaccines, so they can determine their own legally valid informed consent.

Should you have any further questions or require clarification, we recommend contacting both State and Commonwealth health authorities for guidance on the information presented here.

Nannup CEO, David Taylor

- 2 That the letter is published on the Shire of Nannup Website** so to improve transparency and accountability

Mover	Bee Winfield
Seconder	Gordon McDonald
Speaker 1 Against	Cr Ian Gibb
Speaker 2 Support	Rod Archdall
Speaker 3 Against	Heather Elliott Smith
Mover (Right of Reply)	Bee Winfield

#### **MOTION PASSED BY MAJORITY**

Heather Elliott Smith, Diggers Green asked the Presiding Member that after motion 2 can the remaining 3 motions be put on hold so that other electors can put forward their motions as they have been waiting for over an hour.

The Presiding Member announced that he will move on to the other motions to break up the evening. Moved onto the motion moved by Peter Grubb and seconded by Heather Elliott-Smith.

#### **5.6 MOTION #3 – REDUCE THE SPEED LIMIT ON BROCKMAN HIGHWAY 90KM/H TO 60KM/H**

We the Electors of the Shire of Nannup request that the Council advocate on behalf of its residents that Main Roads, in conjunction with the Shire:

- 1 Reduce the speed limit on Brockman Highway from 90km/h to 60km/h for the section between the MTB Park entrance and car park up to Hitchcock Drive/ Brockman Highway intersection to improve safety, enhance the visitor experience, and promote the overall well-being of residents and tourists.



- 2 Implement clear signage notifying drivers of the speed limit change and highlighting the presence of infrastructure that may require more cautious driving.
- 3 Conduct an ongoing review of the impact of the reduced speed limit to assess whether further adjustments are needed for the safety and effectiveness of the new measures.

Moved: Peter Grubb

Seconded: Heather

#### **MOTION PASSED BY A MAJORITY**

#### **5.7 MOTION #4– URGE THE IMMEDIATE SUSPENSION OF THE USE OF ALL COVID-19 VACCINES IN AUSTRALIA**

Electors request that Council instructs the Chief Executive Officer to write to the following: the Prime Minister, Commonwealth Minister for Health and Aged Care, Commonwealth Department of Health and Aged Care, Chief Health Officer, Commonwealth Health Secretary, WA Premier, WA Department of Health and WA Minister for Health.

1. To urge the immediate suspension of the use of all Covid-19 Vaccines in Australia;
2. To engage a body of qualified experts, including the Chief Health Officer and the Gene Technology Technical Advisory Committee to conduct a comprehensive science based evaluation of emerging evidence regarding synthetic DNA contamination in Pfizer and Moderna COVID-19 vaccines;
3. To Investigate excess deaths and hospitalisations in Western Australia following vaccine rollouts, specifically:
  - 3.1 prior to the reopening of state borders; and
  - 3.2 over the longer term.

The original Mover stated that this motion was no longer required.

#### **MOTION LAPSED NO MOVER OR SECONDER**

#### **5.8 MOTION #5 – REVOKE COUNCIL MOTION CARRIED IN OCTOBER 2024**

We request that the Council **REVOKE** the motion carries in October 2021, Resolution 21136 in light of:

- 1 the serious health concerns related to Synthetic DNA contamination in the Australian COVID-19 vaccines now becoming apparent
- 2 The ongoing, way-above average excess deaths and untold disability being seen in the WA community.

**COUNCIL RESOLUTION 21136****MOVED: CR BUCKLAND****SECONDED: CR BROWN**

*That the Nannup Shire Council makes its stance on the COVID-19 vaccinations public. This stance is as per the Government of Western Australia health advice sourced from <https://www.wa.gov.au/organisation/covid-communications/covid-19-coronavirus-vaccines> and includes the following:*

- *The COVID-19 vaccine is an important measure to keep WA safe and healthy, and will help protect ourselves, our families and our community.*
- *It is recommended all eligible Western Australians get the free COVID-19 vaccine.*
- *The Shire of Nannup is aware that our demographic is in the majority 50 years old and over – the demographic most at risk from becoming severely ill and dying from the COVID-19 infection. Therefore, we wholeheartedly encourage every eligible resident to become and remain vaccinated as soon as possible.*
- *The Shire of Nannup publicise its' view on COVID-19 vaccinations via the official Shire of Nannup website, the Nannup Telegraph and an official press release.*

**CARRIED (7/0)**Moved: Bee WinfieldSeconded: Rod Archdall

Mover: Bee Winfield

Seconder: Rod Archdall

Speaker Against Nil

Speaker 1 Support Phil Harshall

**MOTION PASSED BY MAJORITY****5.9 MOTION #6 – PERMIT FOR FOREST OF THE FALLEN DISPLAY**

That the Nannup Electors REQUEST that Council instructs the Shire to:

- 1 Grant a special permit for the “Forest of the Fallen” display to be held at the Anglican Church Grounds on market days. The display will be set up for a period of five (5) hours on one Saturday per fortnight in the Nannup Park or grounds, for the duration of 2025.

Note: The Forest of the Fallen is a silent display. Each stake holds the story of an Australian killed or maimed by the covid gene-vaccines.

Mover: Gordon McDonald

Secunder: Bee Winfield

Mover: Gordon McDonald

Secunder Speak: Nil

### **MOTION PASSED BY MAJORITY**

Shire President, Cr Anthony Dean advised that the motions carried tonight, under the Local Government Act section 5.33, paragraph 1, all decisions made at the electors meeting are to be considered at the next Ordinary Council Meeting, or if that is not practical, at the first Ordinary Council Meeting after that meeting. The Shire President, Cr Anthony Dean announced the decisions at the Electors meeting tonight will go to the Ordinary Council Meeting on 24 April 2025 to be considered by Council.

### **6. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME:**

Shire President, Cr Anthony Dean accepted Heather-Elliott's Question during Section 5- General Business and it would be recorded within Public Question Time.

#### **6.1 Question #1 - Heather Elliott-Smith, Diggers Green**

Heather Elliott-Smith asked in line with the WALGA Submissions to the State Government Waste Avoidance and Resource Recovery Strategy 2030 – Consultation July 2024. Will Nannup Council be making changes to waste management practices to meet the 50% reduction to disposal of organic waste going to landfill (from 2019-20 levels)?

#### **Response 1**

Shire President, Cr Anthony Dean responded at the last South West Local Government Association meeting in Margaret River, the Shire of Dardanup announced they are discontinuing their FOGO scheme due to its inefficiency. The Shire of Augusta-Margaret River is also planning to discontinue their FOGO scheme. The Shire President highlighted a serious issue at the Bunbury/Harvey regional waste facility, with 26,000 tonnes of organic waste in storage. This is a major regional concern. The Shire President requested CEO David Taylor to provide further details.

David Taylor, CEO responded and thanked Heather for her question. He advised that earlier this year, the Shire recruited a part-time sustainability officer. One of the officer's first tasks will be to develop a waste strategy for Nannup. This strategy will evaluate the current waste facility, including its remaining lifespan and potential rehabilitation options. It will also explore various solutions such as expanding the refuse site, creating a transfer station, or considering other waste management alternatives. The strategy will incorporate waste reduction and avoidance initiatives, reviewing WALGA strategies, state initiatives, and available state funding options. Waste management has become a significant issue, with ongoing debate over whether local or State governments should take responsibility for leading the change. The Shire of Nannup does not have the necessary funds to realistically process waste. Changing consumer behaviour is seen as crucial, with suggestions to reduce packaging, use reusable containers, and adopt alternatives such as cloth nappies instead of disposable ones.

The sustainability officer will investigate all available options and create a plan that is both achievable and relevant to Nannup's needs. A key component of the strategy will involve a community initiative program designed to educate residents about reducing waste and adopting more sustainable buying habits. The Shire is actively working on this, and he encouraged everyone to stay tuned for future updates.

## **6.2 Question #2 – Rod Archdall, Blackwood River Drive**

Rod Archdall advised 4 Sundays ago he was in the vegetable garden at 6.20pm he saw a big jet plane coming across the sky from the Margaret River area spewing out smoke. He ran inside to get his phone to film it, he came back out and it just went behind the trees, he filmed it all the way back. He went back to doing gardening and looked up and that trail of smoke started to move back and was right on top of him, it had all linked and joined together. Another half an hour afterwards the whole sky above him was covered in white stuff.

### **Question**

Rod Archdall advised he has this on video if he provides the video to the Shire will the Shire find out what the Aeroplane was and what it was spraying over the town of Nannup one month ago?

### **Response**

Shire President, Cr Anthony Dean responded he assumed it was a jet which is common now and he assumed it was the condensation from the burning of fuel. Shire President, Cr Anthony Dean advised Rod Archdall yes, if he supplies the video to the Shire, the Shire will look into it.

Rod Archdall further advised that when a plane flies as Tony describes it is called a condensation trail, if its condensation it will evaporate quickly, further to that there are things called chem trails where the globalists are spraying us with chemicals.

## **6.3 Question #3 – Bee Winfield, Thomas Road**

### **Question**

Bee Winfield asked if she had the opportunity to show a short 5-minute film?

### **Response**

Shire President, Cr Anthony Dean responded we will leave that until after the meeting, if anyone wants to stay back to watch it, they are welcome to.

## **6.4 Question #4 – Dietmar Blanke, 62 Rinn's Road**

### **Question**

Dietmar Blanke advised he has lived in Nannup for 3 years and frequently walks his dogs along the foreshore park. He has spoken with many people about the condition of the foreshore, especially the river during summer events. He suggested that the Council should allocate funds annually to address the debris and fallen branches in the river and explore potential ways to hold back the water, such as

adding a levy bank. The speaker also pointed out the tourism difference between Nannup and Bridgetown, noting that Bridgetown promotes its river for activities like canoeing, while tourists tend to bypass Nannup and head straight to Bridgetown. He mentioned that there are two lovely caravan parks in Nannup, but the river poses a danger, which highlights the need for improvements.

### **Response**

The Shire President, Cr Anthony Dean responded that the idea of a weir had been explored back in 2011-2013, with input from a mechanical engineering professor from UWA. It was found to be a feasible project, with a location identified near the railway bridge, where the river drops about a meter. The weir would be around a meter tall and would operate between November and December, with water being banked back.

However, there were a few challenges. First, the weir would need to be a concrete structure anchored to the riverbed to withstand the pressure from moving water. Without strong engineering, the flow could lift the weir. Cost was another significant issue, and there were also concerns related to the river's indigenous heritage.

Although these challenges are manageable, the decision ultimately depends on whether the Council sees it as a priority. The Shire is currently working on a community strategic plan, and this issue could be addressed within that. The community's input will be important, especially as the river has deteriorated over the years. The council suggested gathering more information and opinions, as the plan will be finalised by December where issues like this could come into fruition.

### **Question**

Dietmar Blanke asked I would like it to be tabled.

### **Response**

Shire President, Cr Anthony Dean respond it has been tabled.

## **6.4 Question #5 – Mandy Blount, Widdeson Street**

### **Question**

Mandy Blount asked if there is a time frame for toilets being put at tank 7?

### **Response**

Shire President, Cr Anthony Dean responded the short answer is no, we are acutely aware of it and it's in the Shire's strategic plans for 2026.

David Taylor, CEO added the Shire doesn't have direct funding or plans for it yet, but it's a priority on our list. Both the local and biking communities have identified it, and we're working on making it happen. It's not as simple as it may appear.

### **Question**

Mandy Blount asked is there anyway of having portable toilets put there at weekends? I understand it's an expense, but people are defecating in that area where everyone hangs out and there are children there.

**Response**

David Taylor, CEO responded yes, certainly portables can be placed there, and it would simply require budgeting the expense that's attached to it.

**6.5 Question #6 – Ellie McKie, Vasse Highway****Question**

Ellie McKie asked back in 2018, FPC did an aboriginal survey and found a tree of significance in the Barrabup area I notice with the mountain back trail there is numerous sites of significance I was wondering who did that survey? Was it the Shires survey?

**Response**

David Taylor, CEO responded the proposed mountain bike park will primarily use existing fire trails and logging trails. The Shire has not yet completed its survey on Aboriginal heritage and significant trees. Environmental advice from DBCA suggests avoiding rare vegetation complexes and certain trees, which the Shire is following. We have a map showing restricted areas. A dieback assessment has been done, and unfortunately, the area has dieback, which is deteriorated by motorbike activity over the years. The final trail design will be focusing within already disturbed areas such as the fire and forestry tracks, with potential small crossings over the brook and within the old golf course area including around the dam.

**Question**

Ellie McKie asked what time frame is the Shire looking at getting that organised?

**Response**

David Taylor, CEO responded Over the past few days, the Shire has been engaging Aboriginal Heritage. Trail design consultants will be visiting in April 2025 to study the area and create trail alignments. Aboriginal Heritage consultants will also be brought in to provide advice and inform the Shire of any important details. Following this, the construction phase will begin, and a tender process will be completed. The Shire aims to have the project finished by June 2026.

**7. CLOSURE OF MEETING:**

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Shire President, Cr Anthony Dean declared the meeting closed at 7.42pm.

**Attachments**

Item	Attachment	Title
3.1	1	Minutes from Previous Electors Meeting
4.1	1	2023/24 Annual Report