

## **CITY OF NEWCASTLE**

**Minutes of the Public Voice Committee Meeting held in the Council Chambers, Level 1, City Administration Centre, 12 Stewart Avenue, Newcastle West on Tuesday 18 October 2022 at 6.10pm.**

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### **PRESENT**

The Lord Mayor (Councillor N Nelmes), Councillors E Adamczyk, J Barrie, J Church, D Clausen, C Duncan, J Mackenzie, C McCabe, C Pull, D Richardson, K Wark, P Winney-Baartz and M Wood.

### **IN ATTENDANCE**

J Bath (Chief Executive Officer), J Rigby (Executive Director City Infrastructure), D Clarke (Interim Executive Director Corporate Services), Lynn Duffy (Acting Executive Director Creative and Community Services), M Bisson (Interim Executive Director Planning and Environment), S Moore (Manager Finance, Property and Performance), E Kolatchew (Manager Legal and Governance), P Emmett (Development Assessment Section Manager), K Sullivan (Councillor Services/Meeting Support), A Knowles (Councillor Services/Minutes), R Garcia (Information Technology and AV Support) and W Haddock (Information Technology).

### **MESSAGE OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

The Lord Mayor read the message of acknowledgement to the Awabakal and Worimi peoples.

### **PRAYER**

The Lord Mayor read a prayer and a period of silence was observed in memory of those who served and died so that Council might meet in peace.

### **REQUEST TO ATTEND VIA AUDIO VISUAL LINK**

#### **PROCEDURAL MOTION**

Moved by Cr Mackenzie, seconded by Cr Adamczyk

The request submitted by Councillor Richardson to attend via audio visual link be received and leave granted.

**Carried**

### **APOLOGIES**

Nil.

### **DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY AND NON-PECUNIARY INTERESTS**

Nil.

## **PUBLIC VOICE SESSIONS**

### **ITEM-1      204 UNION STREET, THE JUNCTION - DA2021/01107 - CENTRE BASED CHILD CARE FACILITY INCLUDING TREE REMOVAL**

Michelle Richards addressed Council and outlined concerns and objections to the development application. Scott Girard and Ben Rapely addressed Council in support of the development application.

**The meeting concluded at 7.17pm.**