

COBAR SHIRE COUNCIL



WORKS COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA

THURSDAY 8 MAY 2014

~ ORDER OF BUSINESS ~

Business for the meeting will be as follows:

1. Apologies
2. Declaration of Interests
3. General Manager's Report – Part B (Information)
4. Matters of Urgency

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REPORT 1B – ENGINEERING WORKS REPORT

FILE: C6-20-2

AOP REFERENCE: 4.3.2

ATTACHMENT: NO

AUTHOR: *Director of Engineering Services, Peter Graf*

Purpose

To inform Council of completed and ongoing Engineering Works for the month of April 2014.

Background

April 2014 Engineering Works have consisted mainly of maintenance and some construction works on Shire Roads.

Shire Roads/Regional Roads

Roads to Recovery

- MR7518 - RMS Repair project – Road construction underway - gravel spread and compacted;
- SR26- Wilga Downs Road – Causeway headwall constructed, gravel delivered to site;

Special Rate Variation Works

- SR 44 – Old Reservoir Road – formation grade.

Maintenance Work

- MR7518 –Maintenance grading;
- MR7522- Maintenance grading;
- MR416 – The Wool Track – Pot holing, maintenance grading;
- MR461 – Balowra Road – Maintenance grading;
- SR26 – Maintenance grading;
- SR21 – Tallebung Road – Maintenance grading;
- SR46 – Nymagee/Canbelego Road – Causeway washout repairs;
- SR25 – Wilgaroon Road – Maintenance grading.

State Highways

Maintenance Work

- Sign Replacement Works as required – **Ongoing/emergency replacement only;**
- Rest Area Maintenance – **Ongoing;**

Audit Work

- Lillyvale Rest Area – **Ongoing.**

Water and Sewer

Maintenance Work

- Continuation of Sewer Pump Station inspections and Flow Meter Recording Works **Ongoing;**
- Pest control within Sewer Reticulation Network - **Ongoing;**
- Stop valve and hydrant repairs on town water supply reticulation – **Ongoing;**
- Clearing vegetation on the Nyngan to Cobar Pipeline easement (CWB) - **Progressing;**
- Scour valve flushing on 300mm pipeline (CWB) - (Winter activity);
- Major meter reading works (CWB) – **Ongoing;**
- The pump used for Nymagee water supply malfunctioned and had to be replaced temporarily and a new pump has been installed and a backup has been ordered; **Completed;**
- Town water audit commenced 31.03.2014; **Completed- waiting on report;**
- Nyngan pump stations pump and electric motor has been sent for repairs- **Expect the pump returned by mid June 2014;**
- Adjustments made to the current water restrictions for Cobar, Nymagee, Euabalong and Euabalong West are as follows:
 - **Hand held hoses are permitted at any time;**
 - **All fixed sprinklers, irrigation systems, etc be permitted between 4.00pm and 10.00am daily;**
 - **No car washing permitted on hard surfaces.**

These amended water restrictions will commence Thursday 1 May 2014;

- Work started on clearing vegetation around sewer ponds.

RECOMMENDATION

That the information contained in the Engineering Works Report detailing maintenance on shire and regional roads, state highways and water and sewers mains be received and noted.

REPORT 2B – EXPENDITURE FOR ROADS NETWORK

FILE: R5-31 AOP REFERENCE: 4.3.2 ATTACHMENT: YES (PAGE 9-18)

AUTHOR: *Director of Engineering Services, Peter Graf*

Purpose

To provide Council with financial information on the expenditure on Council's Local and Regional Roads

Background

A report detailing the Expenditure on Capital/R2R (grey), Council's Shire Local Roads (blue) and Regional Roads Network (green) is provided as an attachment to this agenda for Council's information.

RECOMMENDATION

That the information detailing the Expenditure for Council's Roads Network be received and noted.

REPORT 3B – TRAFFIC COUNTS ON SHIRE ROADS AND CLASSIFIED ROADS (RR7518)

FILE: R5-34 AOP REFERENCE: 4.3.2 ATTACHMENT: YES (PAGE 19)

AUTHOR: *Construction Supervisor, Brett Hallcroft*

Background

Updating of traffic counts on Regional and Shire Roads is continuing with counts being undertaken over the last month on Tiltagoona Road RR7518.

Current Traffic Count Summary

Rd No.	Road Name	Location of Counter	Date	AADT	% Commercial Vehicles
RR7518	Tiltagoona Road	5 Km from intersection with Barrier Highway	21.03.2014 – 29.04.2014	28	43.8%

RECOMMENDATION

That the information in relation to traffic counts on Shire Roads and Classified Roads (RR7518) be received and noted.

ATTACHMENTS



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