

Prescribed Conflict of Interest - Section 150EG *Local Government Act 2009*

Councillors are ultimately responsible for informing of any prescribed conflict of interest on matters to be discussed at a council or committee meeting (other than ordinary business matters).

When dealing with a Prescribed Conflict of Interest, Councillors must abide by the following procedures:

- A Councillor who has notified the Chief Executive Officer of a Prescribed Conflict of Interest in a matter to be discussed in a council meeting must also give notice during the meeting.
- A Councillor who first becomes aware of a Prescribed Conflict of Interest in a matter during a council meeting must immediately inform the meeting of the conflict of the interest.
- When notifying the meeting of a Prescribed Conflict of Interest, the following details must be provided:
 - if it relates to a gift or loan given by an entity - state the details of gift or loan
 - if it relates to a sponsored travel or accommodation benefit - state the benefit details
 - if it relates to a contract between the Councillor and Local Government or close associate of the Councillor – state details
 - if it relates to an application or submission - state the subject of the application or submission
 - if it relates to appointment/employment matters of Chief Executive Office position - state conflict details

The Councillor must then leave the place of the meeting, including any area set aside for the public, and stay away while the matter is being discussed and voted on, unless the subject Councillor has written notice from the Minister to participate in the matter.

Once the Councillor has left the area where the meeting is being conducted, the council can continue discussing and deciding on the matter at hand.



Declarable Conflict of Interest - Section 150EN Local Government Act 2009

Councillors are ultimately responsible for informing of any Declarable Conflicts of Interest on matters to be discussed at council or committee meetings that might lead to a decision that is contrary to the public interest (other than ordinary business matters).

A Councillor may raise their personal interests in a matter at the meeting to canvas the view of the other Councillors prior to deciding to declare a conflict of interest. If the other Councillors suspect the personal interest might be a conflict of interest, the Councillor may disclose their suspicion and the processes under section 150EW of the LGA.

When dealing with a Declarable Conflict of Interest, Councillors must abide by the following procedures:

- A Councillor who has notified the Chief Executive Officer of a Declarable Conflict of Interest in a matter to be discussed at a council meeting must also give notice during the meeting.
- A Councillor who first becomes aware of a Declarable Conflict of Interest in a matter during a council meeting must inform the meeting of the conflict of interest
- When notifying the meeting of a Declarable Conflict of Interest or it could be reasonably presumed that a conflict exists, Councillors should provide sufficient detail to allow the other Councillors to make an informed decision about how best to manage the Declarable Conflict of Interest in the public interest. The following details must be provided:
 - the nature of the Declarable Conflict of Interest
 - if it arises because of the Councillors relationship with a related party:
 - the name of the related party to the Councillor
 - the nature of the relationship of the related party to the Councillor
 - the nature of the related party's interest in the matter
 - if it arises because of a gift or loan from another person to the Councillor or a related party:
 - the name of the other person
 - the nature of the relationship of the other person to the Councillor or related party
 - the nature of the other person's interest in the matter
 - the value of the gift or loan and the date the gift or loan was made.

After a Councillor has declared a conflict of interest, the Councillor should consider leaving the meeting while the matter is discussed unless they have reasons why their participation would improve making the decision in the public interest.

PRESCRIBED AND DECLARABLE CONFLICT OF INTEREST REGISTER

Council Meeting Date	Councillor	Minute No.	Agenda Item	Reason	Action	How Councillor Voted	Result of Vote
24/04/2024	Cr Shane McCarthy	2.01.05	Office of Colin Boyce MP	Cr Shane McCarthy declared a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.01.05 titled Office of Colin Boyce MP (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being the Vice-Chair of the AgForce Board and left the meeting at 9:55am taking no part in the decision of the meeting	Left meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
24/04/2024	Cr Kelly Carter	2.04.01	COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM – FACILITY INFRASTRUCTURE AND EQUIPMENT STREAM	Cr Kelly Carter declared a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.04.01 titled Community Grant Program – Facility Infrastructure and Equipment Stream (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to Carter Sheds having made a donation to the Hughenden Juniors Rugby League Inc. and left the meeting at 10:32am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
24/04/2024	Cr Kerry Wells	2.04.02	COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM – EVENT STREAM	Cr Kerry Wells declared a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.04.02 titled Community Grant Program – Event Stream (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to Blue Dog Helicopters being a sponsor of the Hughenden Jockey Club Inc. and left the meeting at 10:45am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried

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Council Meeting Date	Councillor	Minute No.	Agenda Item	Reason	Action	How Councillor Voted	Result of Vote
24/04/2024	Cr Pete Fornasier	2.04.02	COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM – EVENT STREAM	Cr Peter Fornasier declared a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.04.02 titled Community Grant Program – Event Stream (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to Rat Engineering being a sponsor of the Hughenden Jockey Club Inc. and left the meeting at 10:45am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
24/04/2024	Cr Kelly Carter	2.04.04	COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM – QUICK RESPONSE STREAM – DONATIONS	Cr Kelly Carter declared a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.04.04 titled Community Grant Program – Quick Response Stream - Donations (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to Carter Sheds having made a donation to Hughenden Juniors Rugby League Inc. and left the meeting at 10:53am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
24/04/2024	Cr Kerry Wells	2.04.05	SPONSORSHIP REQUEST – HUGHENDEN COUNTRY MUSIC FESTIVAL	Cr Kerry Wells declared a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.04.05 titled Sponsorship Request – Hughenden Country Music Festival (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to Blue Dog Helicopters being a sponsor of the Hughenden Country Music Festival and left the meeting at 11:00am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried

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24/07/2024	Cr Shane McCarthy	2.04.06	COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM – EVENT STREAM – EVENT SUPPORT	Cr Shane McCarthy declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.04.06 titled Community Grant Program – Event Stream – Event Support (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being the Captain of the Hughenden Gold Club and left the meeting at 12:37pm taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
24/07/2024	Cr Kelly Carter	2.04.06	COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM – EVENT STREAM – EVENT SUPPORT	Cr Kelly Carter declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.04.06 titles Community Grant Program – Event Stream – Event Support (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being the treasurer of the Hughenden Golf Club Inc and left the meeting at 12:37pm taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
29/04/2024	Mayor Kate Peddle	2.01.01	Special Council Meeting	Kate Peddle declare that I have a Declarable Conflict of Interest to item 2.01.01 titled Employee Matter (as defined by Section 150EN of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being a named person in the Agenda Item Report and left the meeting at 3:11pm taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting and will not be returning to the meeting.	Left meeting		

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22/05/2024	Cr Kerry Wells	2.01.07	DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION (FSC102) – RM & JC CROZIER	Cr. Kerry Wells declare that I have a Declarable Conflict of Interest to item 2.01.07 titled Development Application (FSC102) – RM & JC Crozier (as defined by Section 150EN of the Local Government Act 2009) due to both operating a helicopter service business and left the meeting at 9:30am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left meeting		
22/05/2024	Cr Pete Fornasier	2.01.09	DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION (FSC103) – LOT 1 ON RP731206	Cr. Peter Fornasier declare that I have a Declarable Conflict of Interest to item 2.01.09 titled Development Application (FSC103) – Lot 1 on RP731206 (as defined by Section 150EN of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being contracted to complete works for the applicant and left the meeting at 9:35am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left meeting		
03/06/2024	Cr Kim Middleton	2.01.01	LEASE & INTERIM ACCESS OVER LOT 129 ON SP119557 TO POWERLINK FOR HUGHENDEN CONTRACTOR CAMP	Cr. Kim Middleton declare that I have a Declarable Conflict of Interest to item 2.01.01 titled Lease & Interim Access over Lot 129 on SP119557 to Powerlink for Hughenden Contractor Camp (as defined by Section 150EN of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being a landholder of a lot that will be impacted by this project and left the meeting at 9:01am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left meeting		

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03/06/2024	Cr Kelly Carter	2.01.01	LEASE & INTERIM ACCESS OVER LOT 129 ON SP119557 TO POWERLINK FOR HUGHENDEN CONTRACTOR CAMP	Cr. Kelly Carter declare that I have a Declarable Conflict of Interest to item 2.01.01 titled Lease & Interim Access over Lot 129 on SP119557 to Powerlink for Hughenden Contractor Camp (as defined by Section 150EN of the Local Government Act 2009) due to her personal business Carter Sheds being in negotiations with Powerlink to complete required works for this project and left the meeting at 9:04am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left meeting		
26/06/2024	Cr Kelly Carter	2.01.12	Copperstring 2032 – Project update	Cr. Kelly Carter declare that I have a Declarable Conflict of Interest to item 2.01.12 titled CopperString 2032 – Project Update (as defined by Section 150EN of the Local Government Act 2009) as Carter Sheds is currently negotiating business contracts with CopperString 2032 and are requesting to be allowed to remain in the room for discussion purposes only as the item is an update only and no decision is required	Remained in the room		
26/06/2024	Cr Kim Middleton	2.01.12	Copperstring 2032 – Project Update	Cr. Kim Middleton declare that I have a Declarable Conflict of Interest to item 2.01.12 titled CopperString 2032 – Project Update (as defined by Section 150EN of the Local Government Act 2009) as I am currently in business dealings with CopperString 2032 and are requesting to be allowed to remain in the room for discussion purposes only as the item is an update only and no decision is required	Remained in the room		

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26/06/2024	Cr. Kelly Carter	2.03.02	Request to obtain gravel – Carter Sheds Pty Ltd	Cr. Kelly Carter declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.03.02 titled Request to obtain Gravel – Carter Sheds Pty Ltd (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) as Carter Sheds Pty Ltd is the applicant for Gravel Supply and left the meeting at 11:07am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left meeting		
24/07/2024	Cr. Kim Middleton	2.01.08	HUGHENDEN SALEYARDS MASTERPLAN	Cr Kim Middleton declare that I have a Declarable Conflict of Interest to item 2.01.08 titled Hughenden Saleyards Master Plan (as defined by Section 150EN of the Local Government Act 2009) due to my son Clancy Middleton Jnr being the lease holder of the Hughenden Saleyards and left the meeting at 10:21am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting.	Left Meeting		
28/08/2024	Cr Peter Fornasier	2.02.03	EXCESS WATER WRITE OFF – ASSESSMENT 10016657	Cr Peter Fornasier, declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.02.03 titled Excess Water Write Off – Assessment 10016657 (as defined by Section 150EG of the <i>Local Government Act 2009</i>) due to being the applicant of the Owner of the property being discussed and left the meeting at 10:24am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting.	Left meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried

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Council Meeting Date	Councillor	Minute No.	Agenda Item	Reason	Action	How Councillor Voted	Result of Vote
28/08/2024	Cr Kelly Carter	2.03.01	TENDER 102.2024.1 – PRE-QUALIFIED SUPPLIER OF WET HIRE OF PLANT AND EQUIPMENT	Cr Kelly Carter, declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.03.01 titled TENDER 102.2024.1 – Pre-Qualified Supplier of Wet Hire of Plant and Equipment (as defined by Section 150EG of the <i>Local Government Act 2009</i>) due to being the applicant of the Owner of the property being discussed and left the meeting at 10:47am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting.	Left meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
26/09/2024	Cr Nicole Flute	2.01.01	REMUNERATION REVIEW FOR ACTING MAYOR	Cr Nicole Flute, declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.01.01 titled Remuneration Review for Acting Mayor (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to the item being discussed relating to myself as Acting Mayor and left the meeting at 4:02pm taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting.	Left meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
24/10/2024	Cr Kelly Carter	2.03.02	DRIVEWAY SUBSIDY POLICY	Cr Kelly Carter raised the possibility of having a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to Item 2.03.02 titled Driveway Subsidy Policy due to her personally owned business, Carter Sheds Pty Ltd previously being contracted to complete some of the works under this program. After Council discussion it was decided that Cr Kelly Carter could remain in the room to participate in the debate and decision making, as the item was to decide if Council would consider offering another round of funding under this program and not to approve any applications to the program.	Remained in room	In favour	Carried

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24/10/2024	Cr Nicole Flute	2.04.05	NORTH QUEENSLAND SPORTS FOUNDATION BOARD NOMINATION	Cr Nicole Flute declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.04.05 titled North Queensland Sports Foundation Board Nomination (as defined by section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being a nominee to the board and left the meeting at 1:48pm taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting. I further appoint Cr Kelly Carter to Chair the meeting in my absence.	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
20/11/2024	Cr Kim Middleton	2.02.02	REQUEST CONVERSION TO FREEHOLD – TWELVE LOTS - GHPL23/162606 – Land described as Lot 3 on D15739 and Lot 5 on DG15739 (Ref: 2023/002251)	Cr Kim Middleton declare that I have Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.02.02 titled GHPL23/162606 – Land described as Lot 3 on D15739 and Lot 5 on DG15739 (Ref: 2023/002251) (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) as I am the applicant who owns the property and left the meeting at 11:50am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting.	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
20/11/2024	Cr Kim Middleton	2.03.01	TENDER 102.2024.6 - PRE-QUALIFIED SUPPLIERS REGISTER FOR THE SUPPLY OF GRAVEL AND OTHER RELATED PRODUCTS	Cr Kim Middleton declare that I have Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.03.01 titled Tender 102.2024.6 – Pre-Qualified Suppliers Register for the Supply of Gravel and Other Related Products (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) as I have a gravel quarry operating on one of my properties and left the meeting at 12:25pm taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting.	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried

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20/11/2024	Cr Peter Fornasier	2.04.03	COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM – EVENT STREAM – SPECIAL REQUEST EVENT	Cr Peter Fornasier declare that I have Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.04.03 titled Community Grant Program – Event Stream – Special Request Event (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) as I am an Executive Committee Member of the Hughenden Show Society Inc. and left the meeting at 12:33pm taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
28/01/2025	Cr Peter Fornasier	2.01.04	HOLLIMANS PTY LTD – DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION FSC106	Cr Peter Fornasier declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.01.04 titled Hollimans Pty Ltd – Development Application FSC106 (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being a supplier of Services to Viper Water and left the meeting at 9:55am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
28/01/2025	Cr. Shane McCarthy	2.03.01	DRIVEWAY SUBSIDY PROGRAM – ROUND 4	Cr Shane McCarthy declare that I have a Declarable Conflict of Interest to item 2.03.01 titled Driveway Subsidy Program – Round 4 (as defined by Section 150EN of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being an applicant to the Driveway Subsidy Program and left the meeting at 10:34am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting.	Left Meeting		

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28/01/2025	Cr Kelly Carter	2.03.01	DRIVEWAY SUBSIDY PROGRAM – ROUND 4	Cr Kelly Carter declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.03.01 titled Driveway Subsidy Program – Round 4 (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being a contractor who will be quoting on works to be completed under the Driveway Subsidy Program and left the meeting at 10:35am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
28/01/2025	Mayor Kate Peddle	2.03.01	DRIVEWAY SUBSIDY PROGRAM – ROUND 4	Mayor Kate Peddle declare that I have a Declarable Conflict of Interest to item 2.03.01 titled Driveway Subsidy Program – Round 4 (as defined by Section 150EN of the Local Government Act 2009) due to a family member being an applicant to the Driveway Subsidy Program and left the meeting at 10:35am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting		
30/04/2025	Mayor Kate Peddle	2.01.04	MITEZ	Kate Peddle declare that I have a Declarable Conflict of Interest to item 2.01.04 titled MITEZ (as defined by Section 150EN of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being an Executive Committee Member of MITEZ and left the meeting at 9:20am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried

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30/04/2025	Mayor Kate Peddle	2.01.06	KPAT HUGHENDEN PTY LTD – DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION	Kate Peddle declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.01.06 titled KPAT Hughenden Pty Ltd – Development Application (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to family owning a completing business and left the meeting at 9:29am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
25/06/2025	Mayor Kate Peddle	2.01.05	MITEZ INCORPORATING OVERLANDERS WAY TOURISM GROUP (OWTG)	Cr Kate Peddle declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.01.05 titled MITEZ Incorporating Overlanders Way Tourism Group (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being a Board Member of MITEZ and left the meeting at 9:44am taking no part in the decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
25/06/2025	Cr Kelly Carter	2.04.02	KENNEDY ENERGY PARK COMMUNITY BENEFIT FUND – ROUND 1 REOPENED	Cr Kelly Carter declare that I have Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.04.02 titled Kennedy Energy Park Community Benefit Fund – Round 1 Reopened (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being an executive member of the Hughenden Golf Club Inc. and left the meeting at 10:14am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried

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25/06/2025	Cr Shane McCarthy	2.04.02	KENNEDY ENERGY PARK COMMUNITY BENEFIT FUND – ROUND 1 REOPENED	Cr Shane McCarthy declare that I have Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.04.02 titled Kennedy Energy Park Community Benefit Fund – Round 1 Reopened (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being an executive member of the Hughenden Golf Club Inc. and left the meeting at 10:14am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
22/07/2025	Mayor Kate Peddle	3.01.01	ISSUES RELATING TO THE STRATEGIC USE OF WATER WITHIN THE FLINDERS SHIRE	I Kate Peddle declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 3.01.01 titled Issues Relating to the Strategic Use of Water within the Flinders Shire (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009), as it is recommended that the Flinders Mayoral position be appointed on the Board of Directors of Hughenden Irrigation Project Corporation Pty Ltd (HIPCo) and left the meeting at 10:29am taking no part in the decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried

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27/08/2025	Cr Nicole Flute	2.04.05	NORTH QUEENSLAND SPORTS FOUNDATION – RESOURCE AND PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT	I Nicole Flute declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to items 2.04.05 & 2.04.06 titled North Queensland Sports Foundation (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being a current delegate on the NQSF Board and left the meeting at 10:08am taking no part in debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
27/08/2025	Cr Kelly Carter	2.04.05	NORTH QUEENSLAND SPORTS FOUNDATION – RESOURCE AND PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT	I Kelly Carter declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to items 2.04.05 & 2.04.06 titled North Queensland Sports Foundation (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being a current delegate on the NQSF Board and left the meeting at 10:09am taking no part in debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried

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26/11/2025	Cr Peter Fornasier	2.03.01	TENDER 102.2025.1 – REGISTER PRE-QUALIFIED SUPPLIER OF TRADE SERVICES	I Cr Peter Fornasier declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.03.01 titled Tender 102.2025.1 – Register Pre-Qualified Supplier of Trade Services (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) as my Business, Rat Engineering submitted a Tender and left the meeting at 9:43am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
11/12/2025	Cr Kelly Carter	2.03.01	TENDER 102.2025.6 – REGISTER PRE-QUALIFIED SUPPLIER OF WET HIRE OF PLANT	I Cr Kelly Carter declare that I have Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.03.01 titled Tender 102.2025.6 (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to Carter Sheds being a contractor who submitted a tender, and left the meeting at 9:22am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
11/12/2025	Cr Peter Fornasier	2.03.01	TENDER 102.2025.6 – REGISTER PRE-QUALIFIED SUPPLIER OF WET HIRE OF PLANT	I Cr Peter Fornasier declare that I have Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.03.01 titled Tender 102.2025.6 (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being a Project Manager for a tenderer, Kirby Smith, and left the meeting at 9:23am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried

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11/12/2025	Cr Shane McCarthy	2.03.01	TENDER 102.2025.6 – REGISTER PRE-QUALIFIED SUPPLIER OF WET HIRE OF PLANT	I Cr Shane McCarthy declare that I have Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.03.01 titled Tender 102.2025.6 (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being the crane owner who will be hiring the crane to tenderer, Kirby Smith and left the meeting at 9:24am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
28/01/2026	Mayor Kate Peddle	2.01.06	ADVOCACY-COUNCIL SUPPORT FOR MAYOR IN HER ADVOCACY ROLE	I Kate Peddle declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.01.06 titled Advocacy – Council Support for Mayor in her Advocacy Role (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to holding the position of Mayor of Flinders Shire Council and left the meeting at 9:33am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried

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28/01/2026	Mayor Kate Peddle	2.04.01	APPLICATION - COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM – BUSINESS INCENTIVE GRANT	I Kate Peddle declare that I have a Prescribed Conflict of Interest to item 2.04.01 titled Application – Community Grant Program – Business Incentive Grant (as defined by Section 150EG of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being the spouse of Company Director, Phillip (Mark) Peddle and left the meeting at 10:24am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
25/03/2026	Mayor Kate Peddle	2.04.03	COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM – QUICK RESPONSE STREAM – SPORTING EXCELLENCE	I Cr. Kate Peddle declare that I have a Declarable Conflict of Interest to item 2.04.03 titled Community Grant Program – Quick Response Stream – Sporting Excellence (as defined by Section 150EN of the Local Government Act 2009) due to my Step-daughter, Arley Peddle being an applicant under the program and left the meeting at 10:06am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried

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25/03/2026	Cr Peter Fornasier	2.04.04	COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM – FACILITY INFRASTRUCTURE AND EQUIPMENT STREAM – SPECIAL REQUEST	I Cr. Peter Fornasier declare that I have a Declarable Conflict of Interest to item 2.04.04 titled Community Grant Program – Facility Infrastructure and Equipment Stream – Special Request (as defined by Section 150EN of the Local Government Act 2009) due to being the Vice President of the Hughenden Jockey Club Inc. and left the meeting at 10:08am taking no part in the debate of decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
25/03/2026	Deputy Mayor Nicole Flute	2.04.05	COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM – EVENT STREAM – SPECIAL REQUEST	Cr. Nicole Flute advised that she may be seen to have a Declarable Conflict of Interest to item 2.04.05 titled Community Grant Program – Event Stream – Special Request, due to her relatives holding Executive Committee roles for Oakley Amateur Picnic Race Club Inc. After consideration by Council, it was decided that Cr Nicole Flute does not have a Conflict of Interest and may remain in the meeting and participate in the debate and decision of the meeting	Remained in room	In favour	Carried

PREScribed AND DECLARABLE CONFLICT OF INTEREST REGISTER

Council Meeting Date	Councillor	Minute No.	Agenda Item	Reason	Action	How Councillor Voted	Result of Vote
22/05/2026	Cr Kelly Carter	2.04.03 & 2.04.04	COMMUNITY GRANTS – EVENT SUPPORT STREAM & COMMUNITY GRANTS – FACILITY INFRASTRUCTURE AND EQUIPMENT STREAM	I Cr Kelly Carter declare that I have a Declarable Conflict of Interest to items 2.04.03 titled Community Grants – Event Support Stream and 2.04.04 titled Community Grants – Facility Infrastructure and Equipment Stream (as defined by Section 150EN of the Local Government Act 2009), due to being an Executive Committee Member of the Hughenden Golf Club and left the meeting at 9:45am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried
24/06/2026	Mayor Kate Peddle	2.04.05	COMMUNITY GRANTS – EVENTS SPECIAL REQUESTS (TIER 2)	I Cr Kate Peddle declare that I have a Declarable Conflict of Interest to item 2.04.05 titled Community Grants – Events Special Requests (Tier 2) (as defined by Section 150EN of the Local Government Act 2009) due to Robert Downie, my brother being the President of the Hughenden Rugby 7's and left the meeting at 9:36am taking no part in the debate or decision of the meeting	Left Meeting	N/A not in the room	Carried