



INFRASTRUCTURE AND PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

Minutes

for the meeting on

Tuesday, 21 April 2026

in the Colonel Light Room, Adelaide Town Hall

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Present – The Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, Dr Jane Lomax-Smith
Councillor Maher (Chair)
Councillor Freeman (Deputy Chair)
Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon and Councillors Cabada, Couros, Davis, Giles, Martin,
Dr Siebentritt and Snape

1 Acknowledgement of Country

The Chair stated:

‘Council acknowledges that we are meeting on traditional Country of the Kurna people of the Adelaide Plains and pays respect to Elders past and present. We recognise and respect their cultural heritage, beliefs and relationship with the land. We acknowledge that they are of continuing importance to the Kurna people living today.

And we also extend that respect to other Aboriginal Language Groups and other First Nations who are present today.’

2 Apologies and Leave of Absence

Apology:

Councillor Abrahamzadeh

3 Confirmation of Minutes - 17/3/2026

Moved by Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon -
Seconded by Councillor Martin

That the Minutes of the meeting of the Infrastructure and Public Works Committee held on 17 March 2026, be taken as read and be confirmed as an accurate record of proceedings.

Carried unanimously

4 Declaration of Conflict of Interest

Councillor Freeman declared a material conflict of interest in Item 7.1 [Kingston Terrace Bus Stop Upgrade], pursuant to Section 74 of the *Local Government Act 1999* (SA) as it directly involved her employer the Department for Infrastructure and Transport (DIT) and its operations, and that she would vacate her Chair and leave the room during consideration of the matter.

5 Deputations

5.1 Deputation - Mr Charles Bagot - Kingston Terrace Bus Stop Upgrade

Mr Charles Bagot addressed the meeting to:

- Speak in support of a petition referred to in Item 7.1 - Kingston Terrace Bus Stop Upgrade and to critique the reasoning relied upon in support of aspects of the proposal, to bring to the Committee's attention to (a) the outcome of further investigations of the issues arising and (b) to further and more recent evidence of the views of affected rate payers and residents about those issues.

The Chair thanked Mr Bagot for his address and response to questions.

6 Workshops

Nil

7 Reports for Recommendation to Council

7.1 Kingston Terrace Bus Stop Upgrade

Having declared a material conflict of interest, Councillor Freeman left the Colonel Light Room at 7.23 pm.

Discussion ensued

It was then –

Moved by Councillor Cabada,
Seconded by the Lord Mayor –

THAT THE INFRASTRUCTURE AND PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS TO COUNCIL

THAT COUNCIL

1. Notes the correspondence received from the Department for Infrastructure and Transport (Public Transport South Australia) supporting the retention of Bus Stop 5 (North) and the introduction of a new Bus Stop 5 A (North) within Kingston Terrace as contained within Attachment A to Item 7.1 on the Agenda for the meeting of the Infrastructure and Public Works Committee held on 21 April 2026.
2. Approves the replacement of Bus Stop 5 (North) and the introduction of a DDA compliant new Bus Stop 5 A (North) within Kingston Terrace as contained in Attachment B to Item 7.1 on the Agenda for the meeting of the Infrastructure and Public Works Committee held on 21 April 2026.

Discussion ensued

It was then –

Moved by Councillor Martin,
Seconded by Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon –

That the matter lie on the table.

Lost

Discussion continued

Undertaking - Kingston Terrace Bus Stop Upgrade

In response to a query from Councillor Siebentritt, an undertaking was given to review the MasterPlan correspondence and the discrepancies flagged in the distances between bus stops.

The motion was then put and lost due to an equality of votes

The Chair sought leave of the meeting at 8.01 pm, to adjourn until the conclusion of the City Finance and Governance Committee.

Leave was granted

The meeting resumed at 10.23 pm with the following Members present:

The Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, Dr Jane Lomax-Smith, Councillor Maher (Chair), Councillor Freeman (Deputy Chair), Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon and Councillors Cabada, Couros, Davis, Giles, Martin, Dr Siebentritt and Snape.

The Chair sought leave of the meeting to continue the meeting past 8.30 pm.

Leave was granted

7.2 19 Grenfell Street – Right of Way

Moved by Councillor Martin,
Seconded by Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon -

THAT THE INFRASTRUCTURE AND PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS TO COUNCIL

THAT COUNCIL

1. Approves, in its capacity as the owner of a registered Right of Way over Certificate of Title Volume 6120 Folio 367, the registered proprietor of that property granting licences for outdoor dining purposes, including the use of fixed furniture, with respect to the portion of land marked "A" and "B" as contained in Attachment A to Item 7.2 on the Agenda for the meeting of the Infrastructure & Public Works Committee held on 21 April 2026.

Carried unanimously

7.3 Capital Works Monthly Project Update - March 2026

Discussion ensued

It was then -

Moved by Councillor Freeman,
Seconded by the Lord Mayor -

THAT THE INFRASTRUCTURE AND PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS TO COUNCIL

THAT COUNCIL:

1. Notes the Capital Works Program Update for 31 March 2026 as contained within this report and Attachment A to Item 7.3 on the Agenda for the meeting of the Infrastructure and Public Works Committee held on 21 April 2026.

Carried

8 Reports for Noting

Nil

9 Exclusion of the Public [S90(3) (b), (d)]

Moved by the Lord Mayor,
Seconded by Councillor Couros -

THAT THE INFRASTRUCTURE AND PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE:

1. Having taken into account the relevant consideration contained in section 90(3) (b) & (d) and section 90(2) & (7) of the *Local Government Act 1999 (SA)*, this meeting of the Infrastructure and Public Works Committee dated 21 April 2026 resolves that it is necessary and appropriate to act in a meeting closed to the public as the consideration of Item 10.1 [On Street EV Charging Network] listed on the Agenda in a meeting open to the public would on balance be contrary to the public interest.

Grounds and Basis

This Item is confidential as report contains information of a confidential nature (not being a trade secret). Its disclosure could reasonably be expected to identify the Selected Provider and to confer a commercial advantage on a party with whom Council is conducting business. Additionally, it could prejudice the commercial position of Council, with the potential to confer a commercial advantage to a third-party competitor of a person with whom Council is conducting business.

Public Interest

The Committee is satisfied that the principle that the meeting be conducted in a place open to the public has been outweighed in the circumstances. Disclosing this information may result in the release of information prior to the finalisation of 'commercial in confidence' negotiation with the proponent. Furthermore, disclosure of Council's commercial position may severely prejudice Council's ability to discuss/participate or influence a proposal for the benefit of Council and the community in this matter and in relation to other contract negotiations.

2. Pursuant to section 90(2) of the *Local Government Act 1999 (SA)* (the Act), this meeting of the Infrastructure and Public Works Committee dated 21 April 2026 orders that the public (with the exception of members of Corporation staff and any person permitted to remain) be excluded from this meeting to enable this meeting to receive, discuss or consider in confidence Item 10.1 [On Street EV Charging Network] listed in the Agenda, on the grounds that such item of business, contains information and matters of a kind referred to in section 90(3) (b) & (d) of the Act.

Carried

Members of the public and corporation staff not involved with Item 10.1 left the Colonel Light Room at 10.26 pm.

- 10 Confidential Reports for Recommendation to Council**
- 10.1 On Street Electric Vehicle (EV) Charging Network [s 90(3) [(b), (d)]**

The meeting reopened to the public at 10.34 pm.

Item 10.1 – On Street Electric Vehicle (EV) Charging Network [s 90(3) [(b), (d)]

Confidentiality Order

Authorises that, in accordance with Section 91(7) and (9) of the *Local Government Act 1999 (SA)* and because Item 10.1 [On Street Electric Vehicle (EV) Charging Network] listed on the Agenda for the meeting of the Infrastructure and Public Works Committee held on 21 April 2026 was received, discussed and considered in confidence pursuant to Section 90(3) (b) & (d) of the *Local Government Act 1999 (SA)*, this meeting of the Infrastructure and Public Works Committee do order that:

1. The resolution, the report, the discussion and any other associated information submitted to this meeting and the Minutes of this meeting in relation to the matter remain confidential and not available for public inspection until the public consultation for the residential street charging options has commenced or 31 December 2027.
2. The confidentiality of the matter will be reviewed on 31 December 2027.
3. The Chief Executive Officer be delegated the authority to review and revoke all or part of the order herein and is directed to present a report containing the Item for which the confidentiality order has been revoked.

Closure

The meeting closed at 10.34 am

Councillor Maher
Infrastructure and Public Works Committee Chair

Documents Attached:

Nil