



# COUNCIL

## Minutes

for the meeting on

Tuesday, 9 June 2026

in the Council Chamber, Adelaide Town Hall

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Our Adelaide.  
**Bold.**  
**Aspirational.**  
**Innovative.**

Present – The Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, Dr Jane Lomax-Smith (Presiding)

Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon

Councillors Abrahamzadeh, Cabada, Couros, Davis, Freeman, Maher, Martin, Dr Siebentritt and Snape

## **1 Acknowledgement of Country**

At the opening of the Council meeting, the Lord Mayor stated:

'The City of Adelaide acknowledges the Kurna People of the Adelaide Plains as the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we meet today.

We acknowledge and honour their spiritual and cultural stewardship of this Country and recognise their deep and enduring relationship with its lands, waters, the sky, and all living things.

We pay our respects to Kurna Elders past and present and recognise the important role of emerging leaders in sustaining and strengthening culture.'

## **2 Acknowledgement of Colonel William Light**

The Lord Mayor stated:

'The Council acknowledges the vision of Colonel William Light in determining the site for Adelaide and the design of the City with its six squares and surrounding belt of continuous Park Lands which is recognised on the National Heritage List as one of the greatest examples of Australia's planning heritage.'

Councillor Snape entered the Council Chamber at 6.04 pm.

## **3 Prayer**

The Lord Mayor stated:

'We pray for wisdom, courage, empathy, understanding and guidance in the decisions that we make, whilst seeking and respecting the opinions of others.'

## **4 Pledge**

The Lord Mayor stated:

'May we in this meeting speak honestly, listen attentively, think clearly and decide wisely for the good governance of the City of Adelaide and the wellbeing of those we serve.'

## **5 Memorial Silence**

The Lord Mayor asked all present stand in silence in memory of those who gave their lives in defence of their Country, at sea, on land and in the air.

## **6 Apologies and Leave of Absence**

Leave of Absence:

Councillor Janet Giles

## **7 Confirmation of Minutes - 26/5/2026**

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

That the Minutes of the meeting of the Council held on 26 May 2026 be taken as read and be confirmed as an accurate record of proceedings.

## 8 Declaration of Conflict of Interest

Councillor Freeman declared a general conflict of interest in Item 15 – Recommendation 1 [Item 7.1 Consultation – 2026 bp Adelaide Grand Final and Associated Motorsport Event – South Australian Motor Sport Board], pursuant to Section 74 of the Local Government Act 1999 (SA) as it relates to operations of her employer Department for Infrastructure and Transport (DIT), but that she would stay in the room, participate in the debate and vote on the matter.

Councillor Couros declared a general conflict of interest in Item 19.3 [Councillor Cabada - MoN - City Activation Permit Fee Reform to Support Business, Outdoor Dining and Street Vibrancy], pursuant to Section 74 of the Local Government Act 1999 (SA) as she has family businesses in the City, but that she would stay in the room, participate in the debate and vote on the matter.

The Lord Mayor declared a general conflict of interest in Item 19.2 [Councillor Cabada - MoN - Additional AEDA Funding for City Activation, West End Growth and the Night-Time Economy], pursuant to Section 74 of the Local Government Act 1999 (SA) as she is on the Board of the Adelaide Economic Development Agency, but that she would stay in the room, participate in the debate and vote on the matter.

## 9 Deputations

### 9.1 Deputation - Mr Gino Luglietti, Chair Renew Adelaide - Renew Adelaide Funding

Mr Luglietti addressed the Council:

- To talk to the increased funding for Renew Adelaide contained within a motion.

During the presentation, Councillor Davis entered the Council Chamber at 6.13 pm.

The Lord Mayor thanked Mr Luglietti for his deputation.

### Deputation - Mr Owen Webb - Deputy CEO of the Australian Hotels Association (SA) – Outdoor Dining Fees

Mr Webb addressed the Council:

- In support of a motion to remove outdoor dining fees from the City of Adelaide 2026/27 Business Plan and Budget and 2026/27 Fees and Charges Schedule.

The Lord Mayor thanked Mr Webb for his deputation.

### Deputation - Mr Andrew Wallace - Adelaide West End Association – Additional Funding for AEDA

Mr Wallace addressed the Council:

- To speak in support of a Motion from Cr Cabada regarding additional funding to AEDA to support West End business growth, revitalisation and implementation activities.

The Lord Mayor thanked Mr Wallace for his deputation.

It was then –

Moved by Cabada,  
Seconded by Davis

That all deputation requests that were received be heard.

Carried

### Deputation - Mr Wayne Chao – Lunar New Year Street Party funding request

Mr Chao addressed the Council:

- To speak in support of Chinatown Adelaide of South Australia Inc. Lunar New Year Street Party funding request for 2027-2030, total of \$200K over four years, \$50K per year.

The Lord Mayor thanked Mr Chao for his deputation.

**Deputation - Ms Stephanie Johnston – Funding for World Heritage Nomination of the Adelaide Park Lands**

Ms Johnston addressed the Council:

- Allocation of budget in the 2026/27 Business Plan and Budget for Adelaide, its Park Lands and Rural Settlement Landscapes Tentative Listing process and ongoing preparation for World Heritage nomination

The Lord Mayor thanked Ms Johnston for her deputation and response to questions from Council Members.

The Lord Mayor called Mr Alex Radda, who was not present.

**Deputation - Mr Frank Hannon-Tan, East End Adelaide Precinct Group – Additional Funding for AEDA**

Mr Hannon-Tan addressed the Council:

- To speak in support of additional funding for the Adelaide Economic Development Agency.

The Lord Mayor thanked Mr Hannon-Tan for his deputation and response to questions.

The Lord Mayor again called Mr Alex Radda who was not present.

The Lord Mayor sought leave of the meeting to consider Items 16.1, 19.2 – 19.6, prior to Item 11.

It was then –

Moved by  
Seconded by

That the meeting consider Items 16.1, 19.2 – 19.6, prior to Item 11.

Carried

**16 Reports for Council (Chief Executive Officer's Reports)**

**16.1 2026/27 Business Plan & Budget - Receipt of Consultation Submissions**

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

THAT COUNCIL

1. Notes the consultation summary on the Draft 2026/27 Business Plan and Budget, as contained in Attachment A to Item 16.1 on the Agenda for the meeting of Council held on 9 June 2026.
2. Receives the feedback from the community on the Draft 2026/27 Business Plan and Budget, as contained in Attachments B, C & D to Item 16.1 on the Agenda for the meeting of Council held on 9 June 2026.

Amendment –

Moved by Councillor Freeman,  
Seconded by Councillor Snape –

That the motion be amended by the inclusion of an additional Part 3 to read as follows:

- '3. Requests that the Administration prepare a report for consideration in the 2026/27 Business Plan and Budget Quarter 1 Review process that:
  - a. Reviews the adopted 2026/27 funding allocations against the five most prominent themes arising from feedback on the Draft 2026/27 Business Plan and Budget, as contained in Attachment A; and
  - b. Makes recommendations for reprioritisation opportunities in 2026/27 that will achieve greater alignment with those themes.'

Discussion ensued

The amendment was then put and carried

Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon requested that a division be taken on the amendment.

Division

For (6):

Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon and Councillors Freeman, Maher, Martin, Siebentritt and Snape

Against (4):

Councillors Abrahamzadeh, Cabada, Couros and Davis

The division was declared in favour of the amendment

Discussion continued

With the consent of the mover and seconder, the Lord Mayor advised that the motion would be taken in parts.

Part 1 of the motion, as amended, was then put and carried

Part 2 of the motion, as amended, was then put and carried

Part 3 of the motion, as amended, was then put and carried

Councillor Couros requested that a division be taken on the motion as amended.

Part 1 of the motion as amended

Division

For (10):

Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon and Councillors Abrahamzadeh, Cabada, Couros, Davis, Freeman, Maher, Martin, Siebentritt and Snape

Against (0):

The division was declared in favour of Part 1 of the motion, as amended

Part 2 of the motion as amended

Division

For (9):

Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon and Councillors Abrahamzadeh, Cabada, Couros, Freeman, Maher, Martin, Siebentritt and Snape

Against (1):

Councillor Davis

The division was declared in favour of Part 2 of the motion, as amended

Part 3 of the motion as amended

Division

For (6):

Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon and Councillors Freeman, Maher, Martin, Siebentritt and Snape

Against (4):

Councillors Abrahamzadeh, Cabada, Couros and Davis

The division was declared in favour of Part 3 of the motion, as amended

**19.2 Councillor Cabada - MoN - Additional AEDA Funding for City Activation, West End Growth and the Night-Time Economy**

Discussion ensued

It was then –

Moved by Councillor Cabada,  
Seconded by Councillor Davis -

That Council:

1. Notes that the Adelaide Economic Development Agency's draft 2026/27 Business Plan identifies AEDA's role in accelerating economic growth, supporting businesses, attracting visitation, activating precincts, promoting the city and strengthening Adelaide's position as a destination for investment, events, hospitality and tourism.
2. Notes that Council has not yet adopted the 2026/27 Business Plan and Budget, and therefore retains the opportunity to consider targeted funding allocations that support economic growth, city activation and business confidence.
3. Notes that the West End of the CBD is a strategically important precinct for hospitality, entertainment, arts, culture, students, visitors, workers, residents and small businesses, and that targeted activation can assist in increasing visitation, dwell time, spend and confidence across the precinct.
4. Requests that the draft 2026/27 Business Plan and Budget be adjusted prior to adoption to include an additional one-off allocation of \$950,000 to the Adelaide Economic Development Agency in 2026/27, comprising:
  - a. \$300,000 for West End business growth, revitalisation and implementation initiatives;
  - b. \$300,000 to support priority initiatives in AEDA's 2026/27 Business Plan;
  - c. \$250,000 for night-time activation within the CBD; and
  - d. \$100,000 to support Renew Adelaide to continue delivering initiatives that activate vacant spaces, support entrepreneurs, encourage new business activity and contribute to CBD and North Adelaide vibrancy.
5. Requests the administration that the additional allocation be funded, where possible, through identified savings, reprioritisation, internal efficiencies, deferral of lower-priority expenditure, new revenue opportunities or other budget adjustments, rather than through an increase to general rates.
6. Requests that AEDA, in consultation with Administration, provide Council Members with a short implementation plan before the expenditure is committed, outlining:
  - a. proposed programs, activations and initiatives;
  - b. delivery timeframes;
  - c. intended precincts and target audiences;
  - d. how city businesses, traders and precinct groups will be engaged;
  - e. expected economic outcomes, including visitation, spend, business participation and private sector leverage where measurable; and
  - f. how performance will be reported back to Council.
7. Requests that AEDA report back to Council on the outcomes of the additional funding, including activities delivered, business participation, visitation outcomes, estimated economic impact, lessons learned and recommendations for future city activation funding.

Discussion ensued

The motion was then put and lost

Councillor Couros requested that a division be taken on the motion.

Division

For (4):

Councillors Abrahamzadeh, Cabada, Couros and Davis

Against (6):

Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon and Councillors Freeman, Maher, Martin, Siebentritt

and Snape

The division was declared against the motion

Councillor Abrahamzadeh left the Council Chamber at 8.17 pm.

It was then –

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

That Council:

1. Notes that the Adelaide Economic Development Agency's draft 2026/27 Business Plan identifies AEDA's role in accelerating economic growth, supporting businesses, attracting visitation, activating precincts, promoting the city and strengthening Adelaide's position as a destination for investment, events, hospitality and tourism.
2. Notes that Council has not yet adopted the 2026/27 Business Plan and Budget and retains the opportunity to consider targeted funding allocations that support economic growth, city activation and business confidence, while recognising that any material changes not publicly consulted on may require further consultation and delay budget adoption beyond 30 June 2026.
3. Notes that a staged increase to AEDA's base budget over the next three years has been workshopped and incorporated into the draft 2026/27 Business Plan and Budget, including a \$742,000 increase in 2026/27, together with an additional \$307,000 allocated for an AEDA Small Business Program, bringing the total increase in AEDA funding in 2026/27 to \$1.049 million. This represents approximately half of the planned \$2.1 million staged increase in the first year.
4. Notes that all of the Precincts are a strategically important precincts for hospitality, entertainment, arts, culture, students, visitors, workers, residents and small businesses, and that activation can assist in increasing visitation, dwell time, spend and confidence across the precinct.
5. Notes the letter sent by the Renew Adelaide Chairperson dated June 2026 confirms that Renew Adelaide's operations to occupy vacant and underutilised buildings carry a budget deficit, and that increased investment would support a growing demand in excess of 1,500 Expressions of Interest, with an approximate 80% transition rate to long-term commercial leases and a 13.7:1 return on investment as determined by a recent Economic Impact Report.
6. Requests that Council commission an Independent Productivity, Expenditure and Efficiency Review of Council's operations to identify any efficiencies, cost savings, reprioritisation opportunities and revenue opportunities that can be achieved without reducing critical services, and that the review consider whether any identified savings could be redirected to support future investment in city activation, precinct development, small business support, vacant space renewal and the night-time economy, including but not limited to:
  - a. Developing all Precincts business growth, revitalisation and implementation initiatives;
  - b. support for priority initiatives in AEDA's 2026/27 Business Plan;
  - c. night-time activation within the CBD.
7. Requests that the findings of the independent review be presented to Council in time to inform the development of the 2027/28 Business Plan and Budget.
8. Requests that the Administration prioritise a one-off additional allocation of \$100,000 for Renew Adelaide through the 2026/27 Business Plan and Budget Quarter 1 Review, to be included within the Adelaide Economic Development Agency allocation, to support Renew Adelaide to continue delivering initiatives that activate vacant spaces, support entrepreneurs, encourage new business activity and contribute to CBD and North Adelaide vibrancy.
9. Requests that AEDA report back to Council on the outcomes of the additional funding, including activities delivered, business participation, visitation outcomes, estimated

economic impact, lessons learned and recommendations for future city activation funding in a timely manner that would assist the independent review.

Discussion ensued, during which:

Councillor Davis and Couros left the Council Chamber at 8.18 pm.

Councillor Cabada left the Council Chamber at 8.18 pm and re-entered at 8.21 pm.

It was then –

Moved by Councillor Martin,  
Seconded by Councillor Freeman –

That the meeting continue past 8.30 pm.

Carried

Discussion continued, during which Councillors Couros and Davis re-entered the Council Chamber at 8.25 pm.

Amendment –

Moved by Councillor Couros,  
Seconded by Councillor Cabada –

That part 7 of the motion be amended to read as follows:

- ‘7. Requests that the findings of the independent review be presented to Council in time to inform the development of the 2027/28 Business Plan and Budget, with a broader examination of Council’s operations and expenditure so we can further identify efficiencies.’

Amendment carried

Discussion continued, during which Councillor Snape left the Council Chamber at 8.39 pm.

With the consent of the mover and seconder, the Lord Mayor advised that the motion would be taken in parts.

Part 1 of the motion, was then put and carried

Part 2 of the motion, was then put and carried

Part 3 of the motion, was then put and carried

Part 4 of the motion, was then put and carried

Part 5 of the motion, was then put and carried

Part 6 of the motion, was then put and carried

Part 7 of the motion, as amended, was then put and carried

Part 8 of the motion, was then put and carried

Part 9 of the motion, was then put and carried

The Lord Mayor sought leave of the meeting to adjourn for a period of 5 minutes at 8.45 pm.

Leave granted

The meeting resumed at 8.51 pm with the following Council Members present:

The Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, Dr Jane Lomax-Smith (Presiding) and Councillors Abrahamzadeh, Cabada, Freeman, Martin, Siebentritt and Snape.

### 19.3

#### **Councillor Cabada - MoN - City Activation Permit Fee Reform to Support Business, Outdoor Dining and Street Vibrancy**

Moved by Councillor Cabada,  
Seconded by Councillor Abrahamzadeh -

That Council:

- Notes that outdoor dining contributes to city vibrancy, street-level activation, passive surveillance, hospitality trade, visitor experience and the overall liveability of the City of

Adelaide.

2. Notes that hospitality businesses continue to face significant cost pressures, including rent, wages, utilities, insurance, input costs, compliance obligations and changing consumer spending patterns.
3. Notes that Council has a strategic role in supporting small businesses, encouraging city activation, reducing unnecessary barriers to trade, and strengthening Adelaide's position as a vibrant capital city.
4. Requests the administration to remove the outdoor dining fees from the City of Adelaide 2026/27 Business Plan and Budget and 2026/27 Fees and Charges Schedule on that basis.
5. Requests that Administration identify appropriate budget adjustments, operational efficiencies, reprioritisation opportunities or other measures within the 2026/27 Business Plan and Budget to address the financial impact of setting outdoor dining permit fees at nil.

Discussion ensued, during which:

- Councillors Davis, Couros and Maher re-entered the Council Chamber at 8.52 pm.
- Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon re-entered the Council Chamber at 8.53 pm.
- Councillor Couros left the Council Chamber at 9.09 pm.

The motion was then put and lost

Councillor Cabada requested that a division be taken on the motion.

Division

For (3):

Councillors Abrahamzadeh, Cabada and Davis

Against (6):

Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon and Councillors Freeman, Maher, Martin, Siebentritt and Snape

The division was declared against the motion

Discussion continued

Undertaking - Councillor Cabada - MoN - City Activation Permit Fee Reform to Support Business, Outdoor Dining and Street Vibrancy

In response to a query from the Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon, an undertaking was given by the CEO, that the Independent Productivity, Expenditure and Efficiency Review would identify opportunities for reform to Outdoor Dining fees.

**Councillor Cabada - MoN - Support for Chinatown Adelaide of South Australia Inc. Events and Precinct Activation**

19.4

Moved by Councillor Cabada,  
Seconded by Councillor Abrahamzadeh –

That Council:

1. Notes the important contribution of Chinatown Adelaide of South Australia Inc. to the cultural, social and economic life of the City of Adelaide.
2. Notes that Chinatown Adelaide of South Australia Inc. delivers significant community and cultural events that attract visitors, support local traders, celebrate multiculturalism, strengthen Gouger Street and Moonta Street, and contribute to the vibrancy of the city.
3. Notes that the South Australian Government has committed \$200,000 over four years, being \$50,000 per year, to support Chinatown Adelaide of South Australia Inc. and its ongoing events and activities.
4. Recognises the strategic importance of Chinatown as one of Adelaide's most recognised cultural and hospitality precincts, and its role in supporting small businesses, tourism,

hospitality, evening activity, cultural identity and city visitation.

5. Approves Council matching the South Australian Government's funding commitment by providing \$200,000 over four years, being \$50,000 per year, to Chinatown Adelaide of South Australia Inc., commencing in the 2026/27 financial year, to support the continued delivery and growth of events, activations and precinct-based activities in Chinatown and the surrounding city area.
6. Requests that the funding be incorporated into the 2026/27 Business Plan and Budget and relevant forward financial estimates, prior to final adoption.
7. Requests that Chinatown Adelaide of South Australia Inc. provide an annual summary to Council outlining the events, activations and activities supported by the funding, including business participation, community outcomes, visitation outcomes and any additional sponsorship or funding leveraged.

Discussion ensued, during which Councillor Couros re-entered the Council Chamber at 9.17 pm.

Amendment -

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

That the motion be amended to read as follows -

'That Council:

1. Notes the important contribution of Chinatown Adelaide of South Australia Inc. to the cultural, social and economic life of the City of Adelaide.
2. Notes that Chinatown Adelaide of South Australia Inc. delivers significant community and cultural events that attract visitors, support local traders, celebrate multiculturalism, strengthen Gouger Street and Moonta Street, and contribute to the vibrancy of the city and has received funding to support the delivery of the Lunar New Year event from the City of Adelaide annually since 2000, reflecting the event's contribution to the cultural and social life of the city.
3. Notes that the South Australian Government has committed \$200,000 over four years, being \$50,000 per year, to support Chinatown Adelaide of South Australia Inc. Lunar New Year Street Party.
4. Recognises the strategic importance of Chinatown as one of Adelaide's most recognised cultural and hospitality precincts, and its role in supporting small businesses, tourism, hospitality, evening activity, cultural identity and city visitation.
5. Approves Council matching the South Australian Government's commitment to provide multi-year funding support to Chinatown Adelaide of South Australia Inc. for the Lunar New Year Street Party, with Council contributing \$30,000 per annum for three years commencing in the 2026/27 financial year, being a term aligned to other Council multi-year funding agreements. This is to provide funding certainty and support the continued delivery, growth and financial sustainability of the event, recognising that Council's contribution is funded from City of Adelaide ratepayer funds and drawn from a smaller funding base than the South Australian Government's \$50,000 per annum contribution.
6. Requests that the funding be incorporated into the 2026/27 Business Plan and Budget and relevant forward financial estimates, prior to final adoption.
7. Requests that Chinatown Adelaide of South Australia Inc. provide an annual summary to Council outlining the events, activations and activities supported by the funding, including business participation, community outcomes, visitation outcomes and any additional sponsorship or funding leveraged.'

Discussion ensued, during which:

- Councillor Freeman left the Council Chamber at 9.33 pm and re-entered at 9.34 pm.
- Councillor Maher moved a formal motion that the matter lie on the table, which lapsed for want of a seconder.

The amendment, was then put and carried

Councillor Couros requested that a division be taken on the amendment.

## Division

For (8):

Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon and Councillors Abrahamzadeh, Cabada, Couros, Freeman, Martin, Siebentritt and Snape

Against (2):

Councillors Davis and Maher

The division was declared in favour of the amendment

Councillor Maher moved a formal motion that the matter lie on the table, which lapsed for want of a seconder.

Discussion continued

The motion, as amended, was then put and carried

Councillor Maher requested that a division be taken on the motion as amended.

## Division

For (9):

Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon and Councillors Abrahamzadeh, Cabada, Couros, Davis, Freeman, Martin, Siebentritt and Snape

Against (1):

Councillor Maher

The division was declared in favour of the motion as amended

### 19.5 Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon – MoN – Strategic Partner Funding Agreements

Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon withdrew consideration of her motion.

### 19.6 Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Noon - MoN - Precinct Review and Strategic Planning Funding

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

That Council:

1. Notes that Council resolved to increase funding for each of the City of Adelaide Precinct Groups to \$40,000 for the 2026/27 financial year.
2. Notes that Council also resolved to commence the strategic planning process for the Precincts prior to the end of the 2026/27 financial year.
3. Notes the importance of ensuring that Precinct Groups are able to use their allocated \$40,000 funding to support local precinct activity, engagement, events, communication and initiatives that benefit their communities and main streets.
4. Requests that the Administration ensure that any costs associated with the Precinct strategic planning process, including facilitation, consultation, preparation of plans or related strategic planning support, are funded separately by Council and are not deducted from the \$40,000 funding allocation provided to each Precinct Group for the 2026/27 financial year.
5. Requests that this funding approach be clearly communicated to all Precinct Groups as part of the Precinct Review and 2026/27 funding arrangements.

Discussion ensued, during which:

- Councillor Abrahamzadeh left the meeting at 9.47 pm.
- Councillor Couros left the Council Chamber at 9.47 pm and re-entered at 9.48 pm.
- Councillor Maher left the Council Chamber at 9.48 pm and re-entered at 9.51 pm.

The motion was then put and carried

## 10 Petitions

Nil

## 11 Recommendations of the Audit and Risk Committee - 22 May 2026

Moved by Councillor Siebentritt,  
Seconded by Councillor Snape -

### 1. Recommendation 1 – Item 6.2 - 2025/26 Business Plan & Budget Q3 update

#### THAT COUNCIL

1. Receives the City of Adelaide 2025/26 Business Plan and Budget Quarter 3 Review as contained in Attachment A to Item 6.2 on the Agenda for the meeting of the Audit and Risk Committee held on 22 May 2026.
2. Approves adjustments for the 2025/26 Business Plan and Budget (BP&B) as identified in this report and contained in Attachment A to Item 6.2 on the Agenda for the meeting of the Audit and Risk Committee held on 22 May 2026.
3. Notes the year-to-date Operating (Financial Performance) for the quarter ending 31 March 2026, which includes:
  - 3.1. An operating surplus of \$20.684m (\$11.299m higher than the budget of \$9.385m, for the period)
  - 3.2. Total operating revenue of \$191.308m (\$2.865m higher than the budget of \$188.443m, for the period)
  - 3.3. Total operating expenses (including depreciation) of \$170.624m (\$8.434m lower than the budget of \$179.058m, for the period)
  - 3.4. Total Capital Expenditure of \$54.389m (\$3.196m higher than the budget of \$51.193m, for the period)
  - 3.5. Net cash surplus position of \$10.091m.
4. Approves budgeted year end Operating Position, which includes:
  - 4.1. An operating surplus of \$8.541m (consistent with the adopted budget of \$8.541m)
  - 4.2. Total operating revenue of \$255.864m (\$2.582m higher than the Q2 budget of \$253.282m)
  - 4.3. Total operating expenses (including depreciation) of \$247.323m (\$2.582m higher than the Q2 budget of \$244.741m).
5. Approves total capital expenditure of \$112.274m for 2025/26 year (\$8.389m lower than the Q2 budget of \$120.663m).
6. Approves total borrowings of \$45.828m projected to 30 June 2026 (\$4.849m lower than the Q2 projected borrowings of \$50.677m to 30 June 2026).
7. Receives the Council Subsidiary Quarter 3 Reviews as contained as Attachments B, C, D and E to Item 6.2 on the Agenda for the meeting of the Audit and Risk Committee held on 22 May 2026.

## 12 Advice of the Kadaltilla/ Adelaide Park Lands Authority - 27 May 2026

#### THAT COUNCIL

1. Notes that Kadaltilla / Adelaide Park Lands Authority met on 23 April 2026.
2. Notes the advice of the Kadaltilla / Adelaide Park Lands Authority from the meeting of the Board held on 27 May 2026, contained in Item 11 on the Agenda for the meeting of the Council held on 9 June 2026 in relation to:
  - 2.1. Consultation - 2026 bp Adelaide Grand Final
  - 2.2. Updated Key Biodiversity Area (KBA) Management Plan

- 2.3. Draft Park Lands Leasing and Licencing Policy
- 2.4. Beach Volleyball Facility in Bonython Park / Tulya Wardli (Park 27)
- 2.5. World Heritage Bid – Motion without Notice

Carried

**13 Recommendations of the CEO Performance Review Panel - 1 June 2026**

Moved by Councillor Martin,  
Seconded by Councillor Cabada

That the recommendations of the CEO Performance Review Panel - 1 June 2026, be brought to the next meeting of Council on 23 June 2026.

Carried

**14 Recommendation of the City Planning, Development and Business Affairs Committee - 2 June 2026****14.1 Recommendation 1 - Item 7.1 - Update on the World Heritage Listing for the Adelaide Park Lands and Rural Settlement Landscapes**

Moved by Councillor Freeman,  
Seconded by Councillor Maher -

THAT COUNCIL:

1. Receives the report as contained in Item 7.1 on the Agenda for the meeting of the City Planning, Development and Business Affairs Committee held on 2 June 2026.
2. Notes the engagement with Traditional Owners under the principles of Free, Prior and Informed Consent required by UNESCO for a World Heritage Bid Tentative List Submission.
3. Notes the stakeholder engagement and marketing activities undertaken to support the World Heritage Bid and proposed next steps to develop this as a State tourism development opportunity.
4. Notes that approximately \$60,000 of funding has been indicated to be transferred to the City of Adelaide by the Mount Lofty Consortium in 2026/27, to contribute towards the ongoing development of the World Heritage Bid Tentative List Submission.
5. Notes that Kadaltilla/Adelaide Park Lands Authority requested the Administration to provide an updated timeline of steps and plans for advocacy regarding the World Heritage Bid Tentative List Submission at its meeting dated 27 May 2026, which has been included in the recommendations made to Council dated 9 June 2026.
6. Requests the Administration prepare and release public communications that confirm the World Heritage Bid Tentative List Submission status, timeline and ongoing government support.

Discussion ensued during which with the consent of the mover and seconder, the motion was varied to delete part 6.

The motion, as varied, was then put and carried

**15 Recommendations of the City Community Services and Culture Committee - 2 June 2026****15.1 Recommendation 1 - Item 7.1 - Consultation - 2026 bp Adelaide Grand Final and Associated Motorsport Event - South Australian Motor Sport Board**

Moved by Councillor Snape,  
Seconded by Councillor Couros -

THAT COUNCIL

1. Notes the Declaration of the proposed Declared Area, Declared Period and Prescribed Works Period for the purpose of conducting the 2026 Adelaide Grand Final and Associated Motor Sport event as contained in this report.
2. Notes the Declared Area for the 2026 Adelaide Grand Final as shown in Attachment A to Item 7.1 on the Agenda for the meeting of the City Community Services and Culture Committee held on 2 June 2026.
3. Notes the Declared Area for the 2026 Associated Motor Sport Event as shown in Attachment B to Item 7.1 on the Agenda for the meeting of the City Community Services and Culture Committee held on 2 June 2026.
4. Notes that the South Australian Motor Sport Board advises that the increase in the Declared Area for the 2026 Adelaide Grand Final includes Carriageway Park / Tuthangga (Park 17) for event car parking facilities, as the existing area used along Fullarton Road will be unavailable due to 2027 Motorcycle Grand Prix of Australia (MotoGP) circuit redevelopment in Victoria Park / Pakapakanthi (Park 16).
5. Authorises the Lord Mayor to write to the South Australian Motor Sport Board and the Chief Executive Officer of the South Australian Motor Sport Board on behalf of Council with its feedback to the 2026 Adelaide Grand Final and Associated Motor Sport event consultation as follows:
  - 5.1. Seeks advice on what measurable ecological thresholds or triggers the Government is monitoring in relation to motorsport activities in Victoria Park / Pakapakanthi (Park 16).
  - 5.2. Seeks the provision of independent, publicly released pre- and post-event ecological monitoring, including cumulative impact reporting over multiple years particularly in relation to the Grey Box Grassy Woodland threatened ecological community and associated biodiversity values.
  - 5.3. Requests the South Australian Motor Sport Board remove the area identified as the Butterfly Conservation Zone from the Declared Area from any proposed motor sport activity in Victoria Park / Pakapakanthi (Park 16).
  - 5.4. Requests the South Australian Motor Sport Board remove areas identified as Revegetation Conservation Zones and Buffer Conservation Zones from any proposed motor sport activity in Victoria Park / Pakapakanthi (Park 16) and the removal of Carriageway Park / Tuthangga (Park 17).
  - 5.5. Seeks advice on the role of independent ecological experts and Traditional Owners in determining acceptable use of Victoria Park / Pakapakanthi for motor sport purposes.
  - 5.6. Seeks from the South Australian Motor Sport Board, advice on an evidence-based limit on the number, duration or scale of motor sport events that Victoria Park / Pakapakanthi (Park 16) can sustainably accommodate each year in relation to its status as a Key Biodiversity Area.
  - 5.7. Noting the expansion of the 2026 Adelaide Grand Final, Council seeks a briefing before 15 June 2026 from the South Australian Motor Sport Board on the proposed impacts, including environmental, of the 2027 Motorcycle Grand Prix of Australia (MotoGP) on the National Heritage Listed Adelaide Park Lands.
  - 5.8. Requests the South Australian Motor Sport Board advise on how obligations contained within the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act), *Natural Resources Management Act 2004*, Adelaide Park Lands Management Strategy, Management Agreements, Deeds of Agreement, Master Plan and biodiversity management plans are being monitored and enforced during event planning, the staging of the event, bump-in and bump-out, and remediation.
  - 5.9. Requests the South Australian Motor Sport Board advise on how obligations contained within the *Aboriginal Heritage Act 1988*, *Planning Development and Infrastructure Act 2016*, *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1972* and other relevant Acts will be met.
  - 5.10. Requests the South Australian Motor Sport Board provides an environmental rehabilitation bond, bank guarantee or equivalent financial assurance, sufficient to cover the independent assessment, monitoring, restoration and rehabilitation of any

biodiversity, habitat or natural capital impacts arising from the 2026 Adelaide Grand Final and Associated Motor Sport event, with the amount to be determined by an independent ecological assessment.

- 5.11. Requests the South Australian Motor Sport Board confirm increased public access to the bikeways and pathways and further access considerations and advice for members of the public, during the Prescribed Works Period 2026 Adelaide Grand Final and Associated Motor Sport Event.
- 5.12. Requests the South Australian Motor Sport Board ensure the use of or the reinstatement of permeable pathways throughout the Declared Area for the 2026 Adelaide Grand Final and Associated Motor Sport Event.
- 5.13. Request that the South Australian Motor Sport Board works with City of Adelaide and the Adelaide Economic Development Agency to support the visitor economy by promoting visitation to the City, with particular focus on Black Friday, 27 November 2026.
- 5.14. Request that the South Australian Motor Sport Board facilitates improvements to public transport into and out of the City during periods of road closure for the 2026 Adelaide Grand Final and Associated Motor Sport Event.
- 5.15. Seeks advice on the extent to which the South Australian Motor Sport Board has contributed toward increasing canopy cover in Victoria Park as per previous Council requests.
6. Approves the South Australian Motor Sport Board request for the permanent removal of the central toilet block adjacent to the Criterium Track in Victoria Park / Pakapakanthi (Park 16) as part their planned infrastructure works under the proposed 2026 Adelaide Grand Final Prescribed Works Period, on the condition that the South Australian Motor Sport Board provide Council the necessary funding for a new toilet block to be built in Victoria Park / Pakapakanthi (Park 16).
7. Notes that, consistent with *Adelaide Park Lands Act* Section 9 (g) and the consultation provisions of the *South Australian Motor Sport Act 1984*, all feedback received by Council from the community, will be directed to the South Australian Motor Sport Board and the relevant Minister during the consultation period.
8. Notes that consistent with South Australia's biodiversity policy objectives, Australia's commitment to protect and restore biodiversity under the 30 by 30 framework, and the established Significant Environmental Benefit principle applied elsewhere in environmental regulation, major events within or adjacent to Key Biodiversity Areas should be required to demonstrate a measurable net positive biodiversity outcome and avoid any cumulative decline in ecological condition over time.
9. Notes Kadaltilla met on 27 May 2026 as part of the required consultation and will provide feedback to the State Government.
10. Approves, in addition to the legislative consultation requirements of the South Australian Motor Sport Board, the City of Adelaide facilitate and support a representative Eastern Park Lands Community Reference Group, to bring together a diverse range of community perspectives and articulate key community concerns and views on the impacts of motor sport events in the Adelaide Park Lands to the South Australian Motor Sport Board and the State Government.
11. Determines in the event that the South Australian Motor Sport Board declines the request for removal of areas identified at 5.3 and 5.4 or provides unsatisfactory advice in relation to other requests, that the administration scope and cost proposals to inform Council's final decisions in relation to the final matter.
12. Requests the administration through its marketing channels promotes the opportunity for the business and residential community to make submissions through the South Australian motor sport board consultation process.

Carried

It was then –

Moved by Councillor Maher,

Seconded by Councillor Cabada -

**15.2 Recommendation 2 - Item 7.2 - Draft Park Lands Leasing and Licencing Policy**

THAT COUNCIL

1. Approves the Draft Adelaide Park Lands Leasing and Licensing Policy, as contained in Attachment A to Item 7.2 on the Agenda for the meeting of the City Community Services and Culture Committee held on 2 June 2026, for the purpose of public consultation.

**15.3 Recommendation 3 - Item 7.3 - Draft Sister City and International Arrangements Policy**

THAT COUNCIL

1. Approves the draft Sister City and International Arrangements Policy as contained in Attachment A to Item 7.3 on the Agenda for the meeting of the City Community Services and Culture Committee held on 2 June 2026, for the purposes of public consultation.
2. Notes the Sister Cities Policy and Program Review: Research report for the City of Adelaide, conducted by Adelaide University, as contained in Attachment B to Item 7.3 on the Agenda for the meeting of the City Community Services and Culture Committee held on 2 June 2026.

**15.4 Recommendation 4 - Item 7.4 - Community Wellbeing Strategy 2026-2030**

THAT COUNCIL

1. Notes the Community Wellbeing Strategy 2026-2030, public consultation summary report as contained in Attachment A to Item 7.4 on the Agenda for the meeting of the City Community Services and Culture Committee held on 2 June 2026.
2. Adopts the Community Wellbeing Strategy 2026-2030, contained in Attachment B to Item 7.4 on the Agenda for the meeting of the City Community Services and Culture Committee held on 2 June 2026.
3. Rescinds the Active City Strategy 2013-2023, noting that components have been updated and included in the Community Wellbeing Strategy 2026-2030.
4. Notes the Year One Implementation Plan, contained in Attachment C to Item 7.4 on the Agenda for the meeting of the City Community Services and Culture Committee held on 2 June 2026.
5. Authorises the Chief Executive Officer or delegate to make minor typographical or syntactical updates to the documents as contained in Attachment B to Item 7.4 on the Agenda for the meeting of the City Community Services and Culture Committee held on 2 June 2026 to finalise the document.

**15.5 Recommendation 5 - Item 7.5 - Beach Volleyball Facility in Bonython Park / Tulya Wardli (Park 27)**

THAT COUNCIL

1. Notes the findings of the Site Plan Concept Report as contained in Attachment A to Item 7.5 on the Agenda for the meeting of the City Community Services and Culture Committee held on 2 June 2026, confirming Option 1, utilising the former netball court site, as the optimal location for the proposed beach volleyball facility in Bonython Park / Tulya Wardli (Park 27).
2. Approves the siting of the proposed beach volleyball facility on the former netball courts in Bonython Park / Tulya Wardli (Park 27), including the refinements as detailed in the Site Plan Concept Report as contained in Attachment A to Item 7.5 on the Agenda for the meeting of the City Community Services and Culture Committee held on 2 June 2026.

Carried

The Lord Mayor did not give a verbal report.

## 18 Councillors' Reports

The Council Members did not give verbal reports.

## 19 Motions on Notice

### 19.1 Councillor Freeman - MoN - Vacant and Underutilised Buildings

Councillor Freeman withdrew consideration of her motion for 4 weeks, until the Council Meeting to be held on 14 July 2026.

## 20 Motions without Notice

Nil

## 21 Questions on Notice

### 21.1 Councillor Snape - QoN - (Tree Loss) Nationally Heritage Listed Adelaide Park Lands

The Question and Reply having been distributed and published prior to the meeting was taken as read.

The Reply for Item 21.1, is attached for reference at the end of the minutes of the meeting.

## 22 Questions without Notice

Nil

## 23 Exclusion of the Public

Moved by Councillor Cabada,  
Seconded by Councillor Snape –

### THAT COUNCIL:

1. Having taken into account the relevant consideration contained in section 90(3) (a) and section 90(2) & (7) of the *Local Government Act 1999* (SA), this meeting of the Council dated 9 June 2026 resolves that it is necessary and appropriate to act in a meeting closed to the public as the consideration of Item 24.1 [Adelaide Economic Development Agency Appointment of Board Member/Chairperson] 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 it contains information that must be considered in confidence in order to protect the personal affairs of the nominees.

The disclosure of information in this report prior to a resolution being determined by Council could reasonably implicate the nominee's reputation in the business community.

2. Pursuant to section 90(2) of the *Local Government Act 1999* (SA) (the Act), this meeting of the Council dated 9 June 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 24.1 [Adelaide Economic Development Agency Appointment of Board Member/Chairperson] 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)(a) of the Act.

Carried

Moved by Councillor Cabada,

Seconded by Councillor Snape –

THAT COUNCIL:

1. Having taken into account the relevant consideration contained in section 90(3) (a) and section 90(2) & (7) of the *Local Government Act 1999* (SA), this meeting of the Council dated 9 June 2026 resolves that it is necessary and appropriate to act in a meeting closed to the public as the consideration of Item 24.2 [Extension of Appointment - AEDA Board Members] 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 it contains information that must be considered in confidence in order to protect the personal affairs of the nominees.

The disclosure of information in this report prior to a resolution being determined by Council could reasonably implicate the nominee's reputation in the business community.

2. Pursuant to section 90(2) of the *Local Government Act 1999* (SA) (the Act), this meeting of the Council dated 9 June 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 24.2 [Extension of Appointment - AEDA Board Members] 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)(a) of the Act.

Carried

Members of the public and corporation staff not involved with Items 24.1 and 24.2 left the Council Chamber at 10.04 pm.

- 24 Confidential Reports for Council (Chief Executive Officer's Reports)**
- 24.1 Adelaide Economic Development Agency Appointment of Board Member/Chairperson [S90(3) (a)]**
- 24.2 Extension of Appointment - AEDA Board Members [S90(3) (a)]**

The meeting reopened to the public at 10.05 pm.

**Item 24.1 - Adelaide Economic Development Agency Appointment of Board**

**Member/Chairperson [S90(3) (a)]**Confidentiality Order

In accordance with Section 91(7) and (9) of the *Local Government Act 1999* (SA) and because 24.1 [Adelaide Economic Development Agency Appointment of Board Member and Chairperson] listed on the Agenda for the meeting of Council held on 9 June 2026 was received, discussed and considered in confidence pursuant to Section 90(3)(a) of the *Local Government Act 1999* (SA), this meeting of Council do order that:

1. The resolution, report, discussion and any other associated information submitted to this meeting in relation to the matter remain confidential and not available for public inspection until the successful candidate has accepted the position and the unsuccessful applicants have been advised of the recruitment process outcome.
2. The Chief Executive Officer be delegated the authority to review and revoke all or part of the order herein and directed to present a report containing the Item for which the confidentiality order has been revoked.

**Item 24.2 - Extension of Appointment - AEDA Board Members [S90(3) (a)]**Confidentiality Order

In accordance with Section 91(7) and (9) of the *Local Government Act 1999* (SA) and because Item 24.2 [Extension of Appointment – AEDA Board Member] listed on the Agenda for the meeting of Council held on 9 June 2026 was received, discussed and considered in confidence pursuant to Section 90(3)(a) of the *Local Government Act 1999* (SA), this meeting of Council do order that:

1. The resolution, report, discussion and any other associated information submitted to this meeting in relation to the matter remain confidential and not available for public inspection until Ms Charlton and Mr Kouts have accepted the extension of their current terms of office.
2. The Chief Executive Officer be delegated the authority to review and revoke all or part of the order herein and directed to present a report containing the Item for which the confidentiality order has been revoked.

It was then –

Moved by Councillor Couros,  
Seconded by Councillor Maher -

THAT COUNCIL:

1. Having taken into account the relevant consideration contained in sections 90(3) (g) and (j) and section 90(2) & (7) of the *Local Government Act 1999* (SA), this meeting of the Council dated 9 June 2026 resolves that it is necessary and appropriate to act in a meeting closed to the public as the consideration of Item 24.3 [Councillor Couros – QwN – Capital City Committee] in a meeting open to the public would on balance be contrary to the public interest.

Grounds and Basis

The disclosure of information in this discussion would breach 'Cabinet in confidence' information presented to the Capital City Committee (the CCC) established under the *City of Adelaide Act 1998* which has provided for a State/Capital City inter-governmental forum (the CCC) to operate and the associated duty of confidence and duty as a member of the inter-governmental forum.

2. Pursuant to section 90(2) of the *Local Government Act 1999* (SA) (the Act), this meeting of the Council dated 9 June 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 24.3 [Councillor Couros – QwN – Capital City Committee] on the grounds that such item of business, contains information and matters of a kind referred to in sections 90(3) (g) and (j) of the Act.

Carried

Members of the public and corporation staff not involved with Item 24.3 left the Council Chamber at 10.06 pm.

**24.3 Councillor Couros - QwN – Capital City Committee [S90(3) (g) (j)]**

The meeting reopened to the public at 10.08 pm.

**Item 24.3 - Councillor Couros – QwN – Capital City Committee [S90(3) (g) (j)]**Confidentiality Order

In accordance with Section 91(7) and (9) of the *Local Government Act 1999* (SA) and because Item 24.3 [Councillor Couros – QwN - Capital City Committee] listed on the Agenda for the meeting of Council held on 9 June 2026 was received, discussed and considered in confidence pursuant to Section 90(3)(g) & (j) of the *Local Government Act 1999* (SA), this meeting of Council do order that:

1. The resolution, 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 31 December 2033.
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 10.08 pm

Dr Jane Lomax-Smith  
Lord Mayor

Date of confirmation:

Documents Attached:

Item 21.1 – Councillor Snape - QoN - (Tree Loss) Nationally Heritage Listed Adelaide Park Lands, Reply Distributed Separately

## Councillor Snape - QoN - (Tree Loss) Nationally Heritage Listed Adelaide Park Lands

Tuesday, 9 June 2026  
**Council**

**Council Member**  
Councillor Keiran Snape

Public

**Contact Officer:**  
Iliia Houridis, Director City Shaping

## QUESTION ON NOTICE

### **Councillor Keiran Snape will ask the following Question on Notice:**

'Through briefings to Council we note the significant impact the impending Adelaide MotoGP to be hosted in 2027 will have on the Nationally Heritage Listed Adelaide Park Lands. We also have seen through this term of Council the increasing cumulative impacts of successive major State Government projects on the Adelaide Park Lands, in particular the growing number of mature, regulated and significant tree removals to accommodate these projects. Can the Administration provide their best estimation on the number of trees (including regulated and significant) likely to be removed by the State Government, through the South Australian Motor Sport Board, to deliver the MotoGP track and associated infrastructure works for the hosting of the 2027 Adelaide MotoGP? This is noting that final designs have not been made public by the South Australian Motor Sport Board.'

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## REPLY

1. On 19 February 2026, the South Australian Government announced it had secured a six-year hosting agreement for the Australian MotoGP, to be held on a modified version of the full-length Adelaide street circuit used during the Formula 1 era. In its announcement the State Government committed to the first Adelaide MotoGP being held in 2027.
2. At the time of the announcement, the Premier of South Australia provided an indicative track layout plan and stated that approximately 45 trees will need to be removed from the eastern Adelaide Park Lands to accommodate the new MotoGP street circuit.
3. The official MotoGP track alignment is yet to be provided to Council by the State Government.
4. To provide an estimation on the number of trees likely to be removed, Administration has mapped the existing Adelaide Park Lands and city street trees against the MotoGP circuit layout released by the State Government on 19 February 2026.

### **Adelaide MotoGP Circuit**

5. Assuming a 12-metre wide track (the minimum standard under the Fédération Internationale de Motocyclisme Standards for Circuits 2026 (FIM Standards)), along with the proposed hardstand and pit straight area included with the circuit layout provided publicly by the State Government (estimated by Administration from their diagram to be approximately 11,600 square metres), Administration estimates that a total of 83 trees would need to be removed to accommodate the MotoGP circuit:
  - 5.1. City of Adelaide Street Trees: 14
  - 5.2. Adelaide Park Land Trees: 69.

6. Of these 83 trees, the City of Adelaide's records indicate:
  - 6.1. 22 have a circumference of 1 metre and above classifying them as Regulated under the *Planning, Development and Infrastructure Act 2016 (SA)*.
  - 6.2. 8 have a circumference of 2 metres and above classifying them as Significant under the *Planning, Development and Infrastructure Act 2016 (SA)*.
7. The number of trees identified is a conservative estimate and may increase based on any changes to the final design of the MotoGP circuit and can be verified once that information is provided by the State Government through the South Australian Motor Sport Board (SAMSB).

**Adelaide MotoGP Circuit – associated infrastructure**

8. The estimate tree removals relate only to the impact of the MotoGP circuit and new pit area. Administration anticipates that when the addition of safety fencing, gravel pits and other safety run off areas, spectator stands, commercial and corporate areas and any other associated areas required for hosting the Adelaide MotoGP, that there will be more impacts to trees and other vegetation and Adelaide Park Lands and city streets infrastructure.
  - 8.1. A conservative estimate when factoring in potential gravel pit safety areas for MotoGP riders could result in at least a further 100 trees to be removed. This increases the estimated tree removals required to host the Adelaide MotoGP for the next six years, towards 200 trees removed.
  - 8.2. It should be noted that dependant on the final Adelaide MotoGP circuit layout and the requirement for the State Government through the SAMSB to adhere to FIM standards, this number could also be higher.
  - 8.3. Additionally, based on the current MotoGP circuit layout, there are concerns relating to other vegetation, Key Biodiversity Areas, Park Lands parks, playgrounds, and a series of other community assets across the Adelaide Park Lands and the city's street and footpath network.
9. The included figures are estimates and deliberately conservative, noting that the final Adelaide MotoGP circuit design has not been made available publicly, nor to Council or its Administration.
  - 9.1. At this point in time, the Administration has no visibility on runoff and safety areas, safety fencing, stands along the new areas of track or any other associated infrastructure to firm up these estimates.
  - 9.2. In arriving at the estimates Administration has based the tree removals that are likely to be required to host the Adelaide MotoGP on the best publicly available data and cross referenced our own actual information on Adelaide Park Lands trees, along with the circuit requirements that are outlined in the FIM Standards.

Staff time in receiving and preparing this reply	To prepare this reply in response to the question on notice took approximately 9.5 hours.
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