

Mayor: Cr K Milne

Councillors: P Allsop
R Byrnes (Deputy Mayor)
C Cherry
R Cooper
J Owen
W Polglase

Minutes

Ordinary Council Meeting Wednesday 13 December 2017

held at
Council Chambers, Murwillumbah Civic & Cultural Centre,
Tumbulgum Road, Murwillumbah
commencing at 5.30pm

16 [PR-CM] Proposal by Polis Plan - Circular Economy Innovation Hubs

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**Cr K Milne
Cr C Cherry**

RESOLVED that Council:

1. Receives and notes the report Proposal by Polis Plan - Circular Economy Innovation Hubs;
2. Supports the principles and concept of 'regenerative development' comprising of three key components being: significant change for the better, change in cultural behaviour and thinking, and returning energy to its source, and therefore supports in principle the Circular Economy proposal presented in this report by Polis Plan.
3. Officers continue to liaise and assist Polis Plan with their development of a more detailed Australian Research Council (ARC) application proposal, so far as resources allow.

The Motion was **Carried**

FOR VOTE - Unanimous

17 [PR-CM] Rural Landsharing Communities - Advice from Department of Planning and Environment

ALTERNATE MOTION

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**Cr K Milne
Cr R Cooper**

RESOLVED that:

1. The correspondence from the Department of Planning and Environment dated 28 November 2017 is received and noted;
2. The Department of Planning and Environment be advised of the implications arising for Tweed Shire Council from the change in their advice and approach, that no local provision for Rural Landsharing Communities (RLC) will be finalised before the Government's repeal of the current RLC provisions in August 2018; and
3. Council holds a workshop on the potential to enable rural landsharing activities to continue in the Shire via an LEP amendment.