19. PRESENTATIONS BY COUNCILLORS

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- 1. Councillor Thompson noted that a number of operational staff members have been working additional hours to ensure grassed areas are maintained and acknowledged the efforts they are making to ensure the beauty of our City is upheld.
- 2. Councillor Brticevic advised that he attended the opening of the St Helens Park Skate Park noting that it is a fantastic facility that has been well received by the community.
- 3. Councillor Borg advised that he recently attended the opening of the 100 new stables at Menangle Park Raceway. Councillor Borg acknowledged the investment made by Tabcorp in to our community.
- 4. Councillor Lake advised that he also recently attended the opening of the 100 new stables at Menangle Park Raceway noting that this facility is a great asset to our region.
- 5. Councillor Lake referred to the recent opening of the St Helens Park Skate Park acknowledging that the high calibre of skate parks within the Local Government Area. Councillor Lake noted that the three facilities have been well received in the wider community with some travelling great distances to utilise these facilities. Councillor Lake congratulated all that were involved in the development of the St Helens Park Skate Park.
- Councillor Greiss referred to the recent periods of bad weather across the Local Government Area and acknowledged the work undertaken by the emergency services during these periods. Councillor Greiss asked the General Manager if she would consider writing a letter of acknowledgment to relevant services.
- 7. Councillor Rowell noted that he has visited the Animal Care Facility and complimented relevant Planning and Environment staff for their ongoing commitment and efforts for the benefit of and delivery of the facility.

Councillor Rowell advised that the project works are magnificent noting that in particular that cats are now housed in an outstanding facility which allows potential customers to directly interact and play with cats in a housed area.

The new facility is a great outcome for this community.

8. Councillor Matheson advised that she also attended the opening of the 100 new stables at Menangle Park Raceway on behalf of the Mayor. Councillor Matheson noted that this is an outstanding facility.