

13. QUESTIONS WITHOUT NOTICE

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1. Councillor Borg noted that at the Stockland development on Gilchrist and Englorie Park Drives continued construction is still leaving large amounts of dirt and dust on the adjacent roadways causing difficulty for motorists. Councillor Borg asked the Director Planning and Environment as this issue has been raised with Stockland before if fines have now or could be issued for non-compliance.

The Director Planning and Environment advised that he would investigate this matter and advise Councillors of the outcome by way of memo.

2. Councillor Thompson asked the Acting Director City Works if he could arrange to meet with him to discuss parking issues at Park Central.

The Acting Director City Works advised that he would make arrangements with Councillor Thompson to discuss the issue.

3. Councillor Rowell thanked Council staff for their efforts in coordinating the recent Remembrance Day and Fishers Ghost Festival events. Councillor Rowell further advised that he had received feedback from residents in regard to the limited amount of shade at the Fishers Ghost Festival event and asked if this issue could be addressed for next years event.

Councils Director Business Services advised he would pass on this suggestion to the Festival of Fishers Ghost Sub Committee for consideration in planning for next years event.

4. Councillor Hawker referred to a recent article in the Sydney Morning Herald regarding the drilling for gas in the residential area of St Peters suburb in Sydney and noted that the Minister, in approving this drilling, did not allow for any fracking chemicals to be used. Councillor Hawker asked the Director Planning and Environment if he could seek advice from the Minister as to why he disallowed the use of fracking in the St Peters drilling however allowed it in the drilling in the Campbelltown Local Government Area where fracking chemicals, amongst other things would potentially impact on water supply areas. Councillor Hawker also noted that the use of fracking chemicals was not allowed in the approval given for gas drillings in the Hunter Region.

Councils Director Planning and Environment indicated that he would make the inquiries as requested by Councillor Hawker.

5. Councillor Chanthivong asked the Director Planning and Environment for an update on the sale of Minto Mall.

Councils Manager Property Services advised that the Expressions of Interest close 16 November 2010 and that when further information is received it will be passed on to all Councillors.

6. Councillor Thompson noted that in recent times he has had a number of occasions to contact Councils Waste Services to arrange for the removal of household rubbish left on kerbsides and noted that on each instance the rubbish was removed the following day. Councillor Thompson asked that his thanks be passed on to all those involved in the removal of the rubbish.

The Director Planning and Environment advised that Councillor Thompsons thanks would be passed on to those involved.

7. Councillor Lake advised that next year instead of hosting a Mayoral Ball he will be hosting a Mayoral Charity Race Day on Saturday 12 March 2011. The event will be held at Menangle Park Paceway.

14. RESCISSION MOTION

No rescission motion this round

15. NOTICE OF MOTION

No notice of motion this round

16. URGENT GENERAL BUSINESS

It was **Moved** Councillor Rowell, **Seconded** Councillor Dobson that the following items of Urgent General Business be accepted.

- 1 The Motion on being Put was **CARRIED**.

16.1 Infrastructure - Campbelltown Local Government Area

It was **Moved** Councillor Rowell, **Seconded** Councillor Dobson that:

1. Campbelltown City Council notes the request by the State Government to find an approximate additional 25,000 new dwellings in the Campbelltown Local Government Area.
2. Campbelltown City Council acknowledges that there is an infrastructure shortfall within the Campbelltown Local Government Area which has not been addressed by the current State Government.

3. Campbelltown City Council write to the Premier of New South Wales, the Minister's of Planning, Transport, Infrastructure, Education, Health and other relevant Minister's requesting what plans have been put in place to ensure adequate infrastructure and services will be delivered to cope with the planned forced population increases.
 4. Council write to the Premier of New South Wales seeking an assurance that the Government will not proceed with its planned compulsory acquisition laws that could see private homes and land seized for the purpose of onsale to developers for high density developments in our local area.
- 2** The Motion on being Put was **CARRIED**.