

15. NOTICE OF MOTION

15.1 Planning Laws

Councillor Kolkman has given Notice in writing of his intention to move the following Motion at the next meeting of Council on 16 July 2013.

That Council make urgent representations to the Premier requesting that any changes to Planning Laws must be consistent with his pre-election promise to return planning powers to local communities.

Council Meeting 16 July 2013 (Kolkman/Chanthivong)

That the Recommendation be adopted.

LOST

A **Division** was called in regard to Notice of Motion - **Item 15.1** - Planning Laws with those voting for the Motion being Councillors Borg, Brticevic, Chanthivong, Glynn, Kolkman, Lound and Oates.

Voting against the Notice of Motion were Councillors Greiss, Hawker, Lake, Matheson, Mead, Rowell and Thompson.

The Notice of Motion was **LOST** on the casting vote of the Chairperson.

15.2 Public Housing - Vacant Bedroom Charge

Councillor Brticevic has given Notice in writing of his intention to move the following Motion at the next meeting of Council on 16 July 2013.

That Council write to the Premier and Minister for Family and Community Services requesting that the NSW Government abolish the 'vacant bedroom charge' policy of penalising public housing tenants and replace it with a positive incentive policy to encourage tenants to relocate.

Council Meeting 16 July 2013 (Brticevic/Oates)

That the Recommendation be adopted.

Amendment (Hawker/Thompson)

That a decision in this matter be deferred and the issue listed for discussion on the earliest possible briefing evening.

Council Resolution Minute Number 158

That the above amendment be adopted.