



# **Business Papers**

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## **Special Council Meeting**

- **Tribute to the late Alderman  
Robyn Lesley**

**Tuesday, 5 August 2014  
5:00pm**



**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** LORD MAYOR and ALL ALDERMEN  
**CC:** GENERAL MANAGERS, DEPARTMENTAL SECRETARIES  
**DATE:** 5 AUGUST 2014  
**COMMON NUMBER:** 2413422  
**FROM:** CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER  
**SUBJECT:** **TRIBUTE TO THE LATE ALDMERMAN ROBYN LESLEY**

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Pursuant to Section 59 of the *Local Government Act 2008*, you are invited to attend a Special Council Meeting in the Council Chambers, Civic Centre, Harry Chan Avenue at **5.00pm on Tuesday, 5 August 2014.**

The subject(s) to be considered is:

- Tribute to the late Alderman Robyn Lesley

Please note that the Town Planning Committee Meeting will be held at the conclusion of the Special Council Meeting.

**BRENDAN DOWD**

**CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

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**CITY OF DARWIN****SPECIAL MEETING OF THE TWENTY-FIRST COUNCIL****TUESDAY, 5 AUGUST 2014**

**MEMBERS:** The Right Worshipful, Lord Mayor, Ms K M Fong Lim, (Chairman); Member J M Anictomatis; Member R K Elix; Member H I Galton; Member G J Haslett; Member R M Knox; Member G A Lambert; Member G Lambrinidis; Member A R Mitchell; Member S J Niblock; Member R Want de Rowe; Member K J Worden.

**OFFICERS:** Chief Executive Officer, Mr B P Dowd; General Manager Corporate Services, Dr D Leeder; General Manager Infrastructure, Mr L Cercarelli; Acting General Manager Community & Cultural Services, Ms A Malgorzewicz; Acting Executive Manager, Mrs V Green; Executive Assistant, Miss A Smit.

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**C1. MEETING DECLARED OPEN****C2. APOLOGIES AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE****C2.1 Apologies****C2.2 Leave of Absence Granted**

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- A. THAT it be noted Member J M Anictomatis is an apology due to a Leave of Absence previously granted on 25 March 2014, for the period 9 July 2014 to 12 August 2014.
- B. THAT it be noted Member H I Galton is an apology due to a Leave of Absence previously granted on 15 July 2014, for the period 28 July 2014 to 9 August 2014.
- C. THAT it be noted Member G Lambrinidis is an apology due to a Leave of Absence previously granted on 15 July 2014, for the period 3 August 2014 to 14 September 2014.

DECISION NO.21\() (05/08/14)

**C3. DECLARATION OF INTEREST OF MEMBERS AND STAFF**

Nil

**C4. DEPUTATIONS AND BRIEFINGS**

Nil

**C5. CONFIDENTIAL ITEMS**

Nil

**C6. LORD MAYORAL MINUTE****C6.1 Tribute to the late Alderman Robyn Lesley**

Common No. (05/08/14)

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- A. The City of Darwin expresses its sincere condolences to the family and friends of the late Alderman Robyn Lesley.
- B. The contribution that Alderman Robyn Lesley made as a member of the Council and servant of the people is recognised and greatly appreciated by the City of Darwin.

DECISION NO.21\() (05/08/14)

5 August 2014

### LORD MAYORAL MINUTE

Pursuant to By-law 152 of the Council's By-laws, I submit the following minute for consideration by the Council:

#### INTRODUCTION

Last Friday we were all deeply shocked and saddened to hear that Alderman Robyn Lesley had passed away.

Robyn was first elected to Council in 1978 and since that time has served as an Alderman for over 20 years.

Over this period Robyn made an outstanding contribution to public life in Darwin.

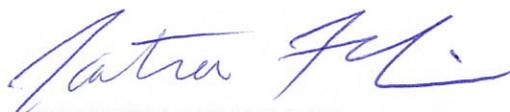
Robyn brought a wealth of experience and knowledge, and her commitment to developing strong governance and a community which embraces diversity, innovation and change was evident during her time at Council. She was a strong, passionate and dedicated Alderman who was devoted to serving the community of Darwin through her role on Council.

Robyn will be greatly missed.

Her work is now done – may she rest in peace.

#### RECOMMENDATION

- A. The City of Darwin expresses its sincere condolences to the family and friends of the late Alderman Robyn Lesley.
- B. The contribution that Alderman Robyn Lesley made as a member of the Council and servant of the people is recognised and greatly appreciated by the City of Darwin.



**KATRINA FONG LIM** BBus, MPA, FAIM, JP  
**LORD MAYOR**

**C7. CLOSURE OF MEETING**