



**Extraordinary Meeting of
Council**

**SUPPLEMENTARY
AGENDA**

20 September 2017

Commencing at 5.30pm

**Council Chambers
253 Crawford Street,
Queanbeyan**

****On-site Inspections****

List any inspections or indicate “Nil”

S SUPPLEMENTARY REPORTS

S.1 Premises for the Queanbeyan Senior Citizens Association3

LIST OF ATTACHMENTS –

(Copies available from General Manager’s Office on request)

Open Attachments

Item S.1 Premises for the Queanbeyan Senior Citizens Association
*Attachment 1 Accommodation for Senior Citizens and QBN FM - Council -
26 July 2017 (Under Separate Cover)*
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for Senior Citizens and QBN FM (Under Separate Cover)*

Closed Attachments

Nil

**S.1 Premises for the Queanbeyan Senior Citizens Association (Ref: C17146760);
Author: Winchester/Marshall**

Notice

Councillors Peter Marshall and Kenrick Winchester will move the following motion:

Motion

That -

- 1. the General Manager brief Council at its Extraordinary Meeting of 20th September 2017 on the future arrangements for the Queanbeyan Senior Citizens Association;**
- 2. Council consider any consequential actions.**

Background

The Queanbeyan Age-Chronicle on 21st August 2017 reported that council had given QSCA notice to vacate the premises at 257 Crawford St by 26th September 2017. This is the day before the first Council Meeting, and that is the reason for this Motion being submitted for the Extraordinary Meeting on 20th September.

<http://www.queanbeyanagechronicle.com.au/story/4866515/concerns-over-future-of-seniors-group/>

The article quoted committee members of QSCA as being dissatisfied with the alternative arrangements on offer, being Letchworth Community Centre, because of the distance from the CBD.

Although the article also stated the QSCA would be able to return to the CBD in 2019 "once construction is complete", it is not clear what is being constructed that the QSCA could return to.

The reason for the notice to vacate is also unclear, as council has not yet released clear information about the status of the plan for the building currently occupied by QSCA, nor the new council headquarters building, nor the proposed CBD redevelopment project. The notice to vacate may be premature.

This Motion seeks a clear and urgent briefing, so that councillors and the public can be informed about the situation, and take appropriate action to ensure the QSCA can continue uninterrupted in its excellent work in supporting Queanbeyan senior citizens.

Implications

Unknown.

Conclusion

Nil.

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