

COUNCIL

Minutes

for the Special meeting on

Tuesday, 2 September 2025

in the Council Chamber, Adelaide Town Hall

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Present – The Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, Dr Jane Lomax-Smith (Presiding)

Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Martin

Councillors Abrahimzadeh, Couros, Davis, Freeman, Giles, Maher, Noon, Dr Siebentritt and Snape

1 Acknowledgement of Country

At the opening of the Council meeting, the Lord Mayor stated:

'Council acknowledges that we are meeting on traditional Country of the Kaurna people of the Adelaide Plains and pays respect to Elders past and present. We recognise and respect their cultural heritage, beliefs and relationship with the land. We acknowledge that they are of continuing importance to the Kaurna people living today.

And we also extend that respect to other Aboriginal Language Groups and other First Nations who are present today.'

2 Apologies and Leave of Absence

Leave of Absence:

Councillor Cabada

3 Declaration of Conflict of Interest

Nil

4 Deputations

Nil

5 Declaration

The Lord Mayor provided the meeting with an overview of the process of the official declaration to be made by three newly elected Central Ward Council Members.

Michael Sedgman, Chief Executive Officer then provided confirmation of the outcome of the City of Adelaide Central Ward Supplementary Election as provided by the Electoral Commissioner of South Australia, Mr Mick Sherry, and congratulated the new Council Members on their election to office as Councillors of the City of Adelaide.

During the discussion, Councillor Couros entered the Council Chamber at 5.08 pm.

With Councillor Alfredo Cabada on a leave of absence, in accordance with Section 60 of the *Local Government Act 1999* (SA) and Section 6 of the *Local Government (General) Regulations 2013* (SA), the following Council Members made the prescribed declarations before Commissioner for taking affidavits in the Supreme Court, Mr Sean Keenihan of Norman Waterhouse Lawyers:

- Councillor Carmel Noon
- Councillor Patrick Maher
- Councillor Eleanor Freeman

The Lord Mayor then congratulated Councillors Noon, Maher and Freeman on making their declarations and thanked Mr Keenihan for his attendance

6 Reports for Council (Chief Executive Officer's Reports)

6.1 Appointment of Council Members to Core Committees

Councillor Giles entered the Council Chamber at 5.16 pm.

It was then -

Moved by Councillor Siebentritt, Seconded by Councillor Davis -

THAT COUNCIL

- 1. Appoints Councillors Cabada, Freeman, Maher and Noon to the:
 - 1.1. City Community Services and Culture Committee
 - 1.2. City Planning, Development and Business Affairs Committee
 - 1.3. City Finance and Governance Committee
 - 1.4. Infrastructure and Public Works Committee

from 2 September 2025 until the end of the current Council term.

Carried unanimously

Closure

The meeting closed at 5.16 pm

Dr Jane Lomax-Smith Lord Mayor

Date of confirmation: