



LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

WEDNESDAY, 22 MARCH 2023

1.00pm

1. Meeting of Council

The Council assembled at 1.00pm pursuant to order.

The President, Hon Alanna Clohesy, took the Chair.

Prayers and an Acknowledgement of Country were read.

2. Papers

The following Paper were laid on the Table by —

President

Auditor General's Papers —

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Annual Reports —

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Minister for Agriculture and Food

Reports —

Forest Products Commission — Half-Yearly Report to 31 December 20222105

3. Parliamentary Services Committee — Appointment of Member

The following Message from the Legislative Assembly was reported —

Honourable President

Message No. 100

The Legislative Assembly acquaints the Legislative Council that it has agreed to the following resolution -

- (1) That the Member for Victoria Park be discharged from the Parliamentary Services Committee and the Member for Hillarys be appointed in her place; and
- (2) That the Legislative Council be acquainted accordingly.

Hon M. H. Roberts

Speaker

Legislative Assembly Chamber

Perth, 22 March 2023

4. Training and Vocational Education

Motion No. 13 having been called, Hon Dan Caddy, pursuant to notice, moved —

That the Legislative Council acknowledge the State's strong conditions post-pandemic and commend the McGowan Labor Government for its historic investment in training and vocational education.

Debate ensued.

Question — put and passed.

5. Consideration of Committee Reports

Pursuant to order for the consideration of Committee Reports.

In Committee

(Hon Dr Brian Walker in the Chair)

Standing Committee on Environment and Public Affairs — Report 58 — Overview of Petitions (2 June 2021 to 2 December 2021)

Debate resumed on the motion of Hon Peter Foster, That the Report be noted.

Debate interrupted and postponed pursuant to SO 110(2A).

Interruption pursuant to order.

The Acting President resumed the Chair.

The Deputy Chair of Committees reported that the Committee of the Whole House had considered the —

Standing Committee on Environment and Public Affairs — Report 58 — *Overview of Petitions (2 June 2021 to 2 December 2021)*, made progress, and postponed further consideration until next sitting.

Report adopted.

6. Order of Business

Ordered — That Orders of the Day Nos 1, *Shire of Kojonup Cat Local Law 2022 — Disallowance*, 2, *Shire of Kojonup Parking Local Law 2022 — Disallowance*, 3, *Shire of Dumbleyung Bush Fire Brigades Local Law 2022 — Disallowance*, 4, *Shire of Dumbleyung Health Local Law 2022 — Disallowance*, 5, *Shire of Dumbleyung Local Government Property and Public Places Local Law 2022 — Disallowance*, 6, *Shire of Kondinin Bush Fire Brigades Local Law 2022 — Disallowance*, and 7, *Shire of Kondinin Public Places and Local Government Property Local Law 2022 — Disallowance*, be taken after Order of the Day No. 1, *Major Events Bill 2023*. (Leader of the House).

7. Road Traffic (Vehicles) Amendment (Offensive Advertising) Bill 2022

The Order of the Day having been read for the adjourned debate on the second reading of this Bill. Debate resumed.

8. Questions Without Notice

Questions without notice were taken.

The Leader of the House representing the Minister for Transport tabled a response to a question without notice asked by Hon Neil Thomson. (Tabled Paper 2106).

The Leader of the House on behalf of the Minister for Emergency Services representing the Minister for Police, by leave, incorporated into *Hansard* a response to a question without notice asked by Hon Sophia Moermond.

The Leader of the House on behalf of the Minister for Emergency Services tabled, a response to question on notice 1270 asked by Hon Martin Aldridge. (Tabled Paper 2107).

9. Road Traffic (Vehicles) Amendment (Offensive Advertising) Bill 2022

Debate resumed on the second reading of this Bill (*see item 7 above*).

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a second time.

The Acting President left the Chair.

In Committee

(Hon Sandra Carr in the Chair)

Clause 1.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 2 to 9 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

The Deputy President resumed the Chair.

Bill reported without amendment.

Report adopted.

The Leader of the House representing the Minister for Transport moved, That the Bill be read a third time.

The Deputy President announced that the Deputy Chair of Committees had certified that this was a true copy of the Bill as agreed to in Committee of the Whole House and reported.

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a third time and passed.

10. Members' Statements

Statements were taken.

The Hon Neil Thomson, by leave, tabled a letter from the Department of Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries regarding emergency financial assistance to Kimberley residents affected by ex Tropical Cyclone Ellie. (Tabled Paper 2108).

11. Adjournment

The Council adjourned at 6.49pm until Thursday, 23 March 2023 at 10.00am.

Members present during the day's proceedings

Attendance: Present all Members except Hon Stephen Dawson and Hon Ayor Makur Chuot (*leave*).

PAUL GRANT

Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council

HON ALANNA CLOHESY MLC

President of the Legislative Council