



ORDINARY MEETING OF COUNCIL SUPPLEMENTARY ITEMS

To be held at 5pm on

Tuesday 18 October 2022

Council Chambers

11 Manning Street, KIAMA NSW 2533

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16 ADDENDUM TO REPORTS

16.1 John Downes Jamberoo RFS

Attachments

Nil

Enclosures

Nil

RECOMMENDED

That Council congratulate John Downes on receiving the Commissioner's Commendation for Service.

REPORT

The Commissioner's Commendation for Service is awarded for service of a meritorious nature, or outstanding actions in relation to fire service duties, administrative leadership, or exemplary performance of a specific difficult project or task.

Jamberoo legend John Downes, Mumbles to everyone who knows him, was part of a very small group of people across New South Wales to receive a NSW Rural Fire Service Commissioners Commendation for Service.

John has reached a staggering 57 years of service to the Jamberoo Fire Brigade. This honour was bestowed because of that dedication to service.

Locals turned out to celebrate this achievement and I'm sure my fellow Councillors will join me in congratulating John on this momentous occasion.

16.2 Illawarra Business Awards 2022**Attachments**

Nil

Enclosures

Nil

Item 16.2

RECOMMENDED

That Council congratulate all of the local businesses who were finalists and “The Pines Kiama” on receiving the award for Excellence in Sustainability at the IMB Bank Illawarra Business Awards 2022.

REPORT

The Illawarra Business Awards recognise and support the hard work and achievements of local businesses across the Illawarra, Shoalhaven and the Southern Highlands and celebrate their contribution to their communities.

On Friday, I had the privilege to attend the awards ceremony where The Pines Kiama received an Excellence in Sustainability award.

The Pines Kiama farm and business is based on long term sustainability goals and reaching beyond that to include regeneration.

Congratulations to Kel and Mahlah Grey on your huge success and contribution to our community. Their dedication and effort in farming differently and showcasing local produce is a credit to their hard work and perseverance. Council looks forward to continuing to work on building a collaborative relationship with all of our local growers and makers who, like The Pines shine a spot light on all that is great about our region and its farming roots.

The following local businesses were also recognised for their efforts and were finalists in their categories.

Crooked River Wines

The Collective Beat

Hill to Air

Burnetts on Barney

Council would like to sincerely thank our local businesses for their hard work and service to the community.

16.3 Congratulations to Ali Day**Attachments**

Nil

Enclosures

Nil

Item 16.3

RECOMMENDED

That Council congratulate Ali Day on winning the 2022 Coolangatta Gold ironman competition.

REPORT

Former Kiama resident Ali Day has for the 8th time won the 2022 Coolangatta Gold ironman competition despite battling recent injuries.

The Coolangatta Gold is one of the most challenging endurance races in surf sports, including a 23km ski, 1km run, 3.5km swim, 6.1km board finishing with an 8.2km run.

I am sure that my fellow councillors will join with me in congratulating Ali.

16.4 Congratulations to The Bugle Award for Excellence**Attachments**

Nil

Enclosures

Nil

Item 16.4

RECOMMENDED

That Council congratulate The Bugle for receiving the Award for Excellence for the Best Online/Digital Presence at the Country Press NSW Annual Conference.

REPORT

Founded in 1900, Country Press NSW is Australia's oldest newspaper industry association with regional and country New South Wales members.

Last week saw the 122nd Annual Conference and Gala Awards dinner with Deputy Premier Paul Toole in attendance.

These newspaper awards are the oldest newspaper awards in Australia and are the benchmark for excellence in rural and regional journalism in New South Wales.

Please join me in congratulating The Bugle on receiving this esteemed award.