

## Commodity route changes

### Item W&I/105/17

COUNCIL reviewed its position in relation to Restricted Access Vehicle Commodity Route Higher Mass Limit (HML) access to portion of the road network.

Council will approve Commodity HML use for certain roads which have been assessed and approved either following applications for HML access or where the roads link to HML approved roads in the District Council of Tumby Bay.

Conditions of access for both HML and GML vehicles include:

- Speed limit outside townships of 80kmh on sealed roads and 70kmh on unsealed roads
- Speed limit inside townships of 40kph

- RAV operators must inspect unsealed routes where greater than 15m of rain occurred in previous 24 hours to ensure the pavement will not be damaged by RAV operation.

In addition HML access is subject to current HML certification of trucks and trailers being provided to Council.

Roads that can be pre-approved: Cockaleeche Hall Road, Archie Griffiths Road;

Roads Requiring Annual approval: Glover Road, Smith Road and Proctor Road;

Roads that are pre-approved subject to conditions: Wildeloo Road (subject to the satisfactory completion of the current construction project).

## Street lighting project update

### Item W&I/98/17

COUNCIL reviewed its street lighting upgrade projects for 2017/18 following advice that the Department of Planning, Transport & Infrastructure (DPTI) has not approved funding for the Western Approach Rd/Dodd Road intersection in 2017/18.

Council resolved that it will now upgrade street lighting at the following locations:

- Lincoln Highway / Haigh Drive intersection
- Louth Terrace, Louth Bay
- Hirchhausen Road, Poonindie
- Western Approach Road / Concorde Road intersection (subject to DPTI approval).

## Plaque to be installed at Wanilla

### Item C833 (3)

A PLAQUE honouring the late Margaret Oats will be installed on the current monument which honours the Soldier Settlers of World War II in the parking bay near the junction of the Tod Highway and Exchange Road at Wanilla.

Mrs Oats was the daughter of Soldier Settler, GL Charlton, and this outcome follows a request from the Wanilla Progress Association on behalf of Mrs Oats' family. Neither Council or the Department of Planning, Transport and Infrastructure have any objection to the plaque with the progress association to accept ongoing responsibility for plaque maintenance.

The existing memorial is located in the parking bay on Tod Highway near the Exchange Road intersection.

## Aircraft to hang in airport terminal

### Item W&I/99/17

COUNCIL resolved to hang the historical Auster Aircraft in the Port Lincoln Airport terminal building.

Council is yet to decide the exact location in the terminal that the aircraft will be displayed, but it is expected this will be determined in coming months.

## Passenger survey to start

Media release—Issued 22 November 2017

The District Council of Lower Eyre Peninsula will be undertaking a survey of outbound passengers from the Port Lincoln Airport over a seven-day period commencing on Tuesday, November 28.

Mayor Julie Low said the last survey was taken following the return of QantasLink to the market six years ago and it would be very useful to see if the origins of passengers and the reasons for travel have changed over this time.

From the 2011 survey 56 per cent of outbound passengers were Eyre Peninsula residents and 44 per cent were visitors, while 40 per cent of passengers travelled for business purposes and 17 per cent had connecting flights to destinations beyond Adelaide.

"This survey of the travelling market will

allow the Council, as the Airport owner and operator, to better understand the role the airport plays in allowing air access to and from the Lower Eyre Peninsula," Mayor Low said.

"The information gained will also be extremely valuable to the airlines and other businesses operating from the Airport in assessing their own business models so they can continue to provide an appropriate level of service.

"It will also be a valuable source of information for the tourism industry of Port Lincoln and the Eyre Peninsula region."

Council will have interviewers at the Airport from before the first flight out through until after the last flight has departed, and she encourages all outbound passengers to participate in the brief survey, which should only take a couple minutes to complete.

**Australia Day**  
**Citizen of the Year Awards**

**Who makes a difference in your community?**  
Nominations are now open:

- Citizen of the Year
- Young Citizen of the Year
- Young Sportsperson of the Year
- Community Event/ Organisation
- Business of the Year
- Employee of the Year

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**EXTENDED: CLOSING 5PM, DECEMBER 13**