

# SHIRE OF CUE ANNUAL REPORT 2015 - 2016



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### **OUR VISION**

The Shire of Cue comprises a diverse range of people, communities and landscapes. The vision captures the diversity of the area and is inclusive of all as the Shire moves forward. The community's vision has been developed with a range of input received through the community engagement process. It reflects clear community aspirations for the ten year period of the Strategic Community Plan.

### Vision

"Cue – Queen of the Murchison: A prospering community where people want to live, visit and experience."

### Key Focus Areas

The key focus areas are:

### 1. Economic Development

The community advised that the low population in the Shire was an impediment to being prosperous and self-sustaining into the future. The community believes that planning for housing and industry could be improved. There was a view that recruitment and retention in key jobs in the community was impacting the provision of some services and the establishment and growth of businesses. There was a strong recognition that growing the business and employment opportunities associated with mining developments and the tourism industry would strengthen the local economy.

### 2. Developing Leadership

The community wants an increased understanding of Council decision-making processes and to be told about decisions that are made and the reasons for those decisions. The community wants to be governed by a Council that understands the range of resident's aspirations and it wants to strengthen its independence into the future.

### 3. Social Development

The community said that the availability of affordable housing was impacting current and potential new residents and they wanted to change this. The community was concerned that there was widespread apathy and lack of ownership and saw a need to increase community participation and volunteerism. The community saw the attraction of young, working families as a key to promoting social development for the Shire. The community was concerned that a range of services, including health, education and recreational, were negatively impacted by the low population. The community recognised a need to act inclusively to encourage a greater diversity of involvement in the community, particularly the Aboriginal community.

### 4. Environmental Development

The community recognised the importance of the mining sector as traditionally being the backbone of the Shire and saw an opportunity to promote this story through heritage protection. The community expressed widespread recognition of the value of the range of natural features across Cue and in particular the cultural significance of many places.

### THE COUNCIL AND SHIRE STAFF

### **COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

- The Shire of Cue, council chambers are located upstairs at the Shire office, Lot 2 Austin Street, Cue.
- The Shire of Cue, mailing address is:
   PO Box 84, Cue, WA 6640
- The Shire of Cue office is open:
   Monday to Friday from 9am 4pm,
- o Contact telephone number: 9963 8600

### **COUNCIL MEETINGS**

Council meetings are held on the third Tuesday of every month at 6:30pm and the public are welcome to attend.

### Having Your Say In Local Government

The Council encourages local residents to have their opinions heard on issues which are of concern to them.

You can present your ideas and opinions to the Council in a number of ways:

- 1. Write to or email the shire office
- 2. Telephone or visit the shire office
- 3. Write to the Council
- 4. Present a question to a Council meeting through 'public question time'
- 5. Contact any Councillor

Deputations may also be made to Council meetings with permission of the Presiding Member.

Please contact the office of the Chief Executive Officer on 9963 8600 for full details of how this can be arranged.

### WHERE TO VIEW COUNCIL AGENDA / MINUTES

**AGENDAS:** Copies of all non-confidential items are tabled at a council meeting and are normally available to the public on the Friday prior to the meeting or available from the shire website. In the interests of the environment the shire encourages the use of on-line services rather than the printing of paper documents.

**MINUTES:** Minutes of all Council meetings are available to the public:

Free online in Public Documents in PDF format on <a href="www.cue.wa.gov.au">www.cue.wa.gov.au</a> or from the Shire of Cue, Austin Street, Cue for a small printing fee.

### **COUNCIL ELECTIONS**

Ordinary elections for the Council are held every two years, in October – terms are for four years. The next election cycle is in 2017 where three Councilor positions will become vacant.

Residents who are eligible should register to vote as a referendum or extraordinary election can occur at any time between ordinary elections.

### **ELECTORAL ROLL**

Shire electoral rolls close in August prior to an ordinary election. The next ordinary election will be in October 2017.

If you are an owner or occupier of rateable property, including mining leases, within the Shire of Cue, and meet the eligibility criteria, you are entitled to be enrolled to vote at Council elections. If you are enrolled on the State electoral roll as living at the relevant address in Cue then you are automatically included on the Local Government roll.

However, if you are an owner or occupier of a Cue property and you are enrolled on the State roll as living outside the district, or if you are not on any other roll but meet the eligibility criteria, enrolment is no longer automatic so you must apply to be placed on the local roll by lodging an enrolment form at the Shire of Cue administration office. There are several provisions which relate to occupiers of property and to persons who are not enrolled on the State rolls.

Please note that if you are unsure of your eligibility status please contact the shire administration well in advance of any Council election.

### CITIZENSHIP CEREMONIES

The Department of Immigration and Citizenship (DIAC) deals with all citizenship applications. You can find more information about applying for citizenship by visiting their website <a href="http://www.immi.gov.au/">http://www.immi.gov.au/</a> or by calling 131 880.

The shire is not informed of your application until it has been approved by DIAC so no information on the application is available from the Shire.

### The Ceremony

- Approximately one week after your receiving your letter from DIAC, informing you that your application for Citizenship has been successful, the shire receives your certificate.
- The Shire of Cue holds citizenship ceremonies on Australia Day in January each year.
- Private ceremonies with the President are only granted in extenuating circumstances and are considered on a case-by-case basis. Enquiries for a private ceremony can be made to the Chief Executive Officer.
- Invitations to the ceremonies are sent out approximately two weeks prior to the event. You are not required to bring anything along to the ceremony.
- Dress for the ceremonies is smart casual.

For more information please contact The Department of Immigration and Citizenship (DIAC) by visiting their website <a href="http://www.immi.gov.au/">http://www.immi.gov.au/</a> or by calling 131 880.

### COUNCIL

Cr Roger Le Maitre	Shire President	To October 2015

Cr Ross Pigdon **Shire President** From October 2015

Cr Vicki Blackmore **Deputy Shire President** To October 2015

**Deputy Shire President** From October 2015 Cr Les Price

Cr Ian Dennis Councillor To October 2017

Councillor From October 2015 Cr Leonie Fitzpatrick

Councillor From October 2015 Cr Ron Hogben

Councillor To October 2015 Cr Martin King

To October 2017 Cr Pixie Pigdon Councillor

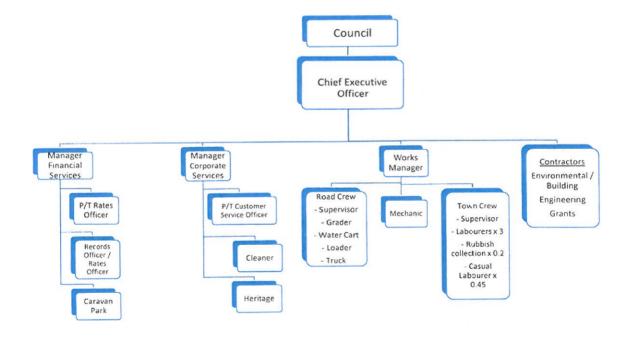
To October 2015 Councillor Cr Fred Spindler From April 2016

Councillor

Cr Peter Tegg Councillor To December 2015

### **ORGANISATIONAL STRUCTURE**

Adopted 21 July 2015



### SHIRE DEMOGRAPHICS

Cue is approximately 650kms north east of Perth on the Great Northern Highway. It is a small town with a strong sense of history and community and home to approximately 280 people.

The Cue community takes great pride in the appearance of the town and its surrounds winning the Western Australian Tidy Towns Award in 2007 and the National Litter Prevention Award



The town of Cue was established in 1894 and remnants from the gold rush of the early 1890's still remain as proud tributes to the people and their way of life.



in 2007.

Known as the Queen of the Murchison, Cue was once the centre of the Murchison Goldfields that boasted a population of around 10,000. Cue's past splendour is made evident by the grand buildings which were constructed over a century ago and still add to the charm today.

The National Trust declared Cue the ninth historical

town in the state in November 2006.

The area of Cue is described as rangelands with a desert-like climate of hot dry summers and cold winters. Cue is also located in a low rainfall area.

Mining remains an important activity and revenue earner for the shire. There is a substantial iron ore mine in development phase at Weld Range approximately 60kms north-west of the town. There are several other gold mines active in the shire with potentially three substantial operations commencing in the near future.

Cue is a popular tourist destination and the rich cultural history and the remnants of early Aboriginal history and later European settlement attracts people from many parts of the world.

Other attractions to tourists are the wide variety of fauna especially the many bird species and the many varied geological formations and types including those exposed over the past century of gold mining.

Cue is also seen at the pivotal point to a number of more isolated centres in the Murchison area which attracts people who like the outback experience.

The town and the surrounding areas have changed much since the frenetic days of the early to mid 1900's when there were as many as six bustling towns in the Shire but the lasting heritage of unique historical buildings and the remnants of somewhere around 20,000 gold mine shafts and pits continues to have an enormous historical interest.

With this rich history and huge potential for new industries the shire is a living historical link between the past and the future in one of the most fascinating areas of Western Australia.

### SHIRE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The following are some notable achievements made by the council throughout the year:

- Development of incubator hubs in the Heydon Place Industrial Development.
- Completion of Brockman Park.
- Road reconstruction funded by WANNDRA (Western Australian Natural Disaster Relief and Recovery Arrangements).
- Replacement of 21 4 metre cattle grids with 8 metre units at a cost of \$244,109.
- Increase in reserve funds of \$1,373,454.

A number of successful grant applications were also lodged during the year, including:

- Cue Oasis visitor's stop and new Tourist Park entry \$440,000.
- Dual-use paths \$175,447.
- Community Resource and Visitor's Centre \$805,000.

Many of these projects were based in plans formulated with the assistance of previous Council members and I thank them for their past contributions.

Cue Parliament remains at the forefront of Local politics in the Murchison, continuing to prove a drawcard for heads of state government departments and political representatives. Unfortunately, a visit to Cue Parliament by the WA Local Government Association State Council was postponed due to confusion over the interpretation of the gift provisions contained in the *Local Government Act* and associated regulations and this auspicious event will now be held in May 2017.

Councillor Ross Pigdon Shire President

### CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S REPORT

It would be fair to say that the year under review was a period of staff upheaval for the Shire. Former Chief Executive Officer, John McCleary, left in November 2015 to take up the position of Chief Executive Officer at the Shire of Upper Gascoyne and was replaced for a time by Phil Marshall before I took over the reins in January 2016. In my first week in Cue, Phil Fogarty was involved in a car accident and lost his life.

Peter Hutchinson also left in November 2015 and was replaced by Richard Towell, initially on a temporary basis, then appointed permanently to the position of Manager Finance. Former Manager of Works and Services, Paul O'Connor, moved on and Brett Edwards undertook the role until a permanent replacement could be found. John (JC) Curtin was appointed to the position in May 2016 and has proved to be a valuable asset to the Shire. Brian and Shirley Walkerden retired as Managers of the Cue Tourist Park and I believe the Shire was incredibly fortunate to secure the services of Colin and Janelle Duncan to take on that role. In the rates section, Lisa Wilson left and was replaced by Claire Buckenara (now Stanley). A number of staff on the outside crew have also come and gone.

Faced with this level of staff turnover, it is difficult to gain traction and build up any momentum in the day to day operations of the Shire. Council has seen fit to extend my initial contract to a period of five years, and I am looking forward to establishing a sustained period of stability for the betterment of the community.

Rob Madson DipLG(C) Chief Executive Office

### FREEDOM OF INFORMATION STATEMENT

The Shire of Cue will provide people with all necessary information held by the Council; however if we are unable to supply this information by less formal means, a Freedom of Information request can be made.

### RECORDKEEPING PLAN

Over the past twelve months the Shire has continued implementation of a full and complete records management program as required under the State Records Commission's Principles and Standards 2002. The Shire of Cue has implemented a new Recordkeeping Plan and continues its commitment to the following:

- A filing system has been implemented using Keywords for Council
- All current staff and Councillors have received training in Records Management
- An experienced Records Officer has been engaged who has implemented a Disposal Program for the Shire and is overseeing the Shire's records.

The new Recordkeeping Plan was approved by the State Records Office in June 2015 and includes:

- Disaster and Risk Management
- Records Management Policy and Procedure Manual
- Records Disposal Program

Further development of the Shire's Recordkeeping Plan will include:

 Development and Application of some meaningful and practical Key Performance Indicators.

### DISABILITY ACCESS AND INCLUSION PLAN

The Disability Services Act requires that each year local governments will report on their achievements in implementation of their Disability Access and Inclusion Plan (formerly known as Disability Services Plan).

### Background

The Shire of Cue has a population of approximately 280 people.

This population now includes a number of elderly people who face a range of barriers due to disability.

The disabilities encountered include:

- Mobility impairment
- Vision impairment; and
- · Hearing impairment.

It is incumbent upon the Shire and this is articulated in the Disability Access and Inclusion Plan, to wherever possible make Shire services and facilities accessible to people with disabilities.

### **Achievements**

In June 2016 Council adopted the Shire's Disability Access and Inclusion Plan 2016-2020 (DAIP).

### **Dual Use Pathways**

With assistance from the Country Pathways Grants Scheme, the Shire of Cue has progressively been installing 2m wide dual use pathways around the town site.

Between these paths and the existing pavements most community facilities are more accessible for people with mobility impairment.

The pathways link the following facilities:

- Sporting Complex;
- Hotel:
- Shire offices and library;
- Health Centre;
- · School;
- Community hall; and
- Some residential areas

### Library Services

Over the last 12 months the Cue Public Library has expanded its stocks of materials suitable for people with vision impairment.

### This includes:

- Large print books
- Talking books on CD
- Access to e-books and e-magazines

### **Public Buildings**

Access to public building remains an issue for the future especially as older buildings were not designed with people with disability in mind.

During the last 12 months the Shire purchased portable ramps to assist with access to the Shire Administration Building and the Community Resource Centre and installed a stair lift to assist with access to the upstairs area and Council Chambers in the Shire Administration Building.

# STATUTORY INFORMATION INFORMATION ABOUT CERTAIN EMPLOYEES

In accordance with the Local Government (Administration) Regulations 19B, set out below, in bands of \$10,000, is the number of employees of the Shire of Cue entitled to an annual salary of \$100,000 or more.

Salary Range	Number of Employees	
\$100,000 - \$110,000	2	
\$160,000 - \$170,000	1	

### PUBLIC INTEREST DISCLOSURE ACT

During 2015-16 the following complaints against Council members resulted in action under section 5.110(6) of the Local Government Act 1995.

Register of Complaints of minor Breaches.

Name of the Council	Name of the person	Description of the minor	Details of the
Member about whom	who made the	breach found by the	action taken.
the complaint is made	complaint	standards panel	
Cr P Tegg	Cr R Le Maitre	Breach of regulation 7(1)(b)	Public apology
		of the Local Government	ordered.
		(Rules of Conduct)	
		Regulations 2007	
Cr P Pigdon	Cr R Le Maitre	Breach of regulation 7(1)(b)	Public apology
0.000		of the Local Government	ordered.
		(Rules of Conduct)	
		Regulations 2007	

### NATIONAL COMPETITION POLICY

Council operations in the 2015-16 financial period did not fall within the requirements of the National Competition Policy.

### **MAJOR PROJECTS AND INITIATIVES**

The Shire of Cue has continued its ongoing projects in 2015-2016 in road construction and maintenance. The Shire of Cue is responsible for approximately 800 kilometres of formed unsealed roads.

Some of the projects undertaken during the 2015-16 financial year included:

### Maintenance / Construction

- Flood damage repairs to Shire Roads
- Replacement of grids to 8 metre wide grids on shire Roads
- Clearing and reconstruction of part of Cue Wondinong Road
- · Artificial lawn on Darlot and Robinson Streets
- Water Park upgrade

- Brockman Park upgrade
- Bishops house renovations
- Heydon Place industrial development
- RV park development

### Plant and Machinery

- Rubbish Truck
- Service Truck
- Street Sweeper
- Elevated Work Platform
- Steam Cleaner
- Light vehicle replacement

In the 2016-2017 financial period the following works are to be undertaken.

- Continuation of flood damage repairs to Shire Roads
- Resealing of part of Cue Beringarra Road
- Realignment of part of Dalgaranga Road
- Marshall Street intersection development
- Reconstruction of Cue Wonding Road section
- Development of tourist parking facilities
- Playground equipment and skate park
- Post office renovations
- Bishops house renovations
- Dual use footpaths

In the 2016-2017 financial period the following plant and equipment will be purchased to assist with work:

- Stabiliser road reclaimer
- Grader
- Prime mover
- Mini digger

### SUMMARY FINANCIAL DATA

### Summary of Revenue and Expenses

	2015-2016	2014-2015	2013-2014
	\$	\$	\$
Operating Revenue	9,008,335	5,292,957	3,500,196
Operating Expenditure	10,228,081	5,311,381	4,612,867
Capital Expenditure	2,195,599	4,413,171	2,417,005
Non-Operating Grants	892,206	2,919,422	4,336,695

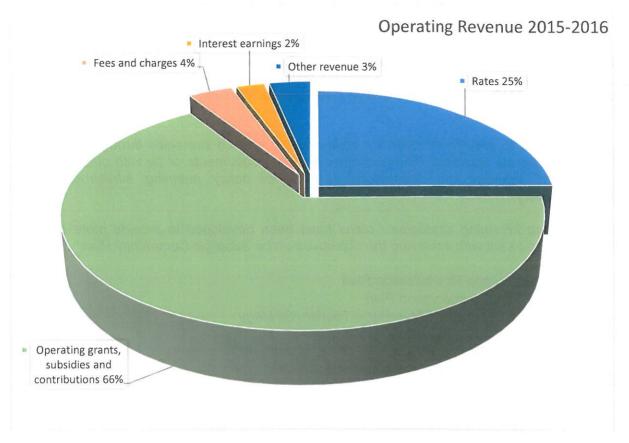
Operating revenue was \$9,008,335. This is made up of which Other operating revenue General Purpose Funding being rates of \$2,231,800 and operating grants, subsidies and contributions of \$5,966,373, including \$5,034,499 in flood damage repair grant funding received during the year. Other operating revenue consisted of fees and charges \$314,329, interest earnings \$201,595 and other revenue \$294,238.

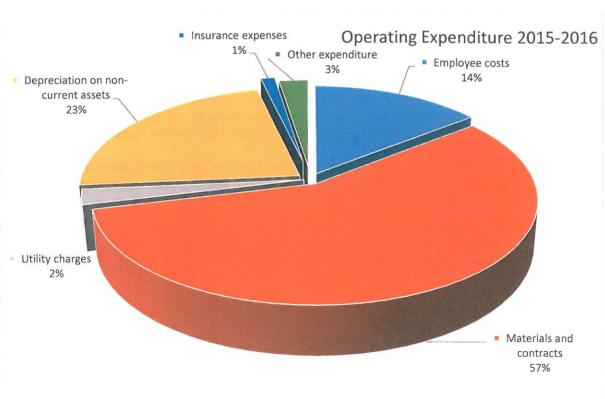
Operating expenditure consists of employee costs \$1,466,652, materials and contracts of \$5,824,178 with \$4,964,751 being made up of flood damage repair works. Utility charges \$243,404, insurance expense \$121,247 and other expenditure of \$251,844. Depreciation on non-current assets amounted to \$2,320,756.

Non-operating grants, subsidies and contributions totalled \$892,206 and capital expenditure for the year came to \$2,195,599. More details of capital expenditure can be found in notes seven and eight of the Financial Report.

Cash backed reserves started the year at \$4,564,992 with transfers to reserves for the year totalling \$1,373,454 for future projects and transfers from reserves totalling \$10,615. The closing balance for cash backed reserves for 2016 sits at \$5,927,831. More information on reserve accounts can be found in note twelve of the Financial Report.

### Graphical overview of operating revenue and expenditure





### INTEGRATED PLANNING

### **Understanding the Process**

The Strategic Community Plan is a long term plan that sets out the Council's vision and strategies to achieve it. The plan was adopted by the Shire on behalf of the community on the 16<sup>th</sup> of June 2013. This is part of WA's Integrated Planning and Reporting Framework illustrated below:

The Plan aims to provide direction for implementing desired strategies through the Annual Budget, Corporate Business Plan and other planning documents or by with other levels of government, agencies and stakeholders to influence policy, planning, infrastructure and service delivery.

The following informing strategies / plans have been developed to provide more detailed information to assist with achieving the objectives of the Strategic Community Plan;

- Streetscape Revitalisation Plan
- Heritage Conservation Plan
- Upper Gascoyne / Murchison Tourism Strategy
- Town Planning Scheme
- Bicycle / Footpath Plan
- Plant Replacement Schedule
- Corporate Plan
- Workforce Plan
- Long Term Financial Plan
- Asset Management Plan

The Corporate Business Plan was completed in June 2013 as part of the operational and prioritisation of the actions and strategies identified within the Strategic Community Plan.

The Corporate Business Plan has been developed in consultation with the Shire's Asset management Plans, Long Term Financial Plan and Workforce Plan to assess financial and other resources. This meets the compliance requirements of the Local Government (Administration) Regulations 1996 to develop and adopt a Plan for the Future.

The Corporate Business Plan is required to form the basis of each year's annual budget. The Corporate Business Plan includes a forecast for funding, the identified operational activities, a capital program and links with objectives of the Strategic Community Plan.

All of these documents have been developed as a guide to Council based on the visions and aspirations of the local community, they are flexible to meet any changing need and future developments. Each plan has a review program to ensure these needs are met and monitored



### INTEGRATED PLANNING

**Strategic Community Plan** 

The Shire of Cue continues the development of informing strategies that will enable the Shire to deliver on the Strategic Community Plan.

Focus Areas	Outcomes	Results
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Economic	Help grow the local economy by showcasing our attractions.	Developing a regional focus on tourism.
	Increase the number of people visiting the area.	Visitor numbers have increased over the previous year with a focus on developing attractions to bring more people to the area.
	Visitors stay longer in the community.	Development of tourism trails. Council is still committed to finding an iconic event. Work has commenced on improving the overall Streetscape.
	Short-term employees can reside in the Shire	New staff houses have been provided and continues to be developed.
Leadership	Community contribution to how local issues are managed.	Council are committed to continue to respond to electors concerns. Council meetings and forums are held with the option of public question time. The Policy manual has been updated to reflect the changing business environment.
	Effective communication on key decisions.	Electors are advised via the 'Dryblower', Agenda's, Minutes and local public notices.
	A sustainable and progressive local government.	The Shire is actively engaged with Cue Parliament, Regional Road

		Groups, Mid-West Tourism Alliance, Murchison Regional Vermin Council and the Murchison Executive Group. Housing / building maintenance schedules prepared and are being actioned.
Community	Essential services help us to prosper as a community. Goal 1	All community buildings and facilities are being maintained. A Streetscape plan has been developed and adopted.
	Increased affordable housing options for existing residents and to attract new families.	New Town Planning Scheme currently being prepared. Attended meetings with Mid-West Development Commission to identify gaps in our housing stock.
	Our community can more easily access the range of services they need at the time they need them.	Council are working with St John's and Health Department of Western Australia to improve services.
	Young people are active and contributing positively in our community	Council continues to uphold this commitment.
	Stronger, inclusive communities across the Shire that define our identity	Working with Wadjari and other indigenous community members.
Environment	Protection of our resources to maintain and increase productivity	Have continued to explore options to conserve and diversify utility consumption. Animal control is being undertaken on a regular basis.
	We recognise, protect and uphold the value of our natural landscape and encourage visitors to do the same	Council continues to uphold this commitment.

### SHIRE OF CUE

### **FINANCIAL REPORT**

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 2016

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Principal place of business:

Lot 2 Austin Street

Cue WA 6640

### SHIRE OF CUE FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 2016

### LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1995 LOCAL GOVERNMENT (FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT) REGULATIONS 1996

### STATEMENT BY CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

The attached financial report of the Shire being the annual financial report and other information for the financial year ended 30 June 2016 are in my opinion properly drawn up to present fairly the financial position of the Shire at 30th June 2016 and the results of the operations for the financial year then ended in accordance with the Australian Accounting Standards and comply with the provisions of the Local Government Act 1995 and the regulations under that Act.

Signed as authorisation of issue on the

day of NOVEMBER

2016

Rob Madson

Chief Executive Officer

# SHIRE OF CUE STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME BY NATURE OR TYPE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 2016

	NOTE	2016 \$	2016 Budget \$	2015 \$
Rates Operating grants, subsidies and	23	2,231,800	2,065,807	2,054,357
contributions Fees and charges	30 29	5,966,373 314,329	904,456 277,219	2,607,211 295,698
Interest earnings Other revenue	2(a) 2(a)	201,595 294,238	187,150 47,000	224,951 110,740
Other revenue	2(4)	9,008,335	3,481,632	5,292,957
Expenses Employee costs		(1,466,652)	(1,502,722)	(1,241,575)
Materials and contracts Utility charges Depreciation on non-current assets	2(a)	(5,824,178) (243,404) (2,320,756)	(1,371,329) (202,550) (1,743,544)	(1,308,973) (205,067) (2,283,909)
Interest expenses Insurance expenses	2(a)	(2,525,765) 0 (121,247)	(38,000)	(2,263,909) (918) (158,396)
Other expenditure		(251,844)	(197,867) (5,187,639)	(112,543) (5,311,381)
		(1,219,746)	(1,706,007)	(18,424)
Non-operating grants, subsidies and contributions	30	892,206	11,632,641	2,919,422
Profit on asset disposals (Loss) on asset disposals	21 21	30,438 (20,718)	5,293 (9,939)	66,508 (31,465)
(Loss) on revaluation of Parks and Ovals  Net result	8(b) .	(317,820)	9,921,988	(155,881) <b>2,780,160</b>
Other comprehensive income				
Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to Changes on revaluation of non-current assets	to profit oi 13	<i>rloss</i> (162,871)	0	(10,406,326)
Total other comprehensive income	9	(162,871)	0	(10,406,326)
Total comprehensive income		(480,691)	9,921,988	(7,626,166)

# SHIRE OF CUE STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME BY PROGRAM FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 2016

	NOTE	2016 \$	2016 Budget \$	2015 \$
Revenue	2(a)			
General purpose funding		3,320,530	3,159,813	4,846,777
Law, order, public safety		8,764	5,000	9,312
Health		283	0	709
Housing		18,887	19,500	17,268
Community amenities		55,507	49,800	103,098
Recreation and culture		16,798	1,000	6,194
Transport		5,066,126	5,000	15,751
Economic services		223,885	195,000	204,558
Other property and services		297,555	46,519	89,290
	,	9,008,335	3,481,632	5,292,957
Expenses	2(a)			
Governance	2(4)	(341,769)	(390,699)	(220,772)
General purpose funding		(210,698)	(244,534)	(209,968)
Law, order, public safety		(48,963)	(82,312)	(44,831)
Health		(77,437)	(85,750)	(66,996)
Education and welfare		(4,778)	(14,623)	(4,554)
Housing		(279,414)	(234,660)	(183,650)
Community amenities		(234,442)	(266,852)	(211,363)
Recreation and culture		(482,744)	(590,318)	(458,693)
Transport		(7,621,051)	(2,497,566)	(2,807,678)
Economic services		(475,193)	(541,555)	(473,844)
Other property and services		(451,592)	(200,770)	(628,114)
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Finance costs	2(a)	0	0	(010)
Housing		0	(38,000)	(918)
Transport		0	(38,000)	(918)
		(1,219,746)	(1,706,007)	(18,424)
Non-operating grants, subsidies and		(1,219,740)	(1,700,007)	(10,424)
contributions	30	892,206	11,632,641	2,919,422
Profit on disposal of assets	21	30,438	5,293	66,508
(Loss) on disposal of assets	21	(20,718)	(9,939)	(31,465)
(LOSS) OIT disposal of assets	21	(20,710)	(0,000)	(01,400)
(Loss) on revaluation of Recreation and Culture	8(b)	0	0	(155,881)
		0	0	(155,881)
Net result		(317,820)	9,921,988	2,780,160
Other community in comm				
Other comprehensive income Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to	nrofit o	rloss		
Changes on revaluation of non-current assets	13	(162,871)	0	(10,406,326)
Total other comprehensive income		(162,871)	0	(10,406,326)
Total comprehensive income		(480,691)	9,921,988	(7,626,166)

### SHIRE OF CUE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30TH JUNE 2016

	NOTE	2016 \$	2015 \$
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	3	7,748,757	7,926,883
Trade and other receivables	4	485,983	443,416
Inventories	5	17,709	20,742
Other Current Assets	6	0	50,000
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		8,252,449	8,441,041
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Other receivables	4	2,885	3,693
Property, plant and equipment	7	9,638,700	9,949,420
Infrastructure	8	39,223,954	39,319,633
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		48,865,539	49,272,746
TOTAL ASSETS		57,117,988	57,713,787
CURRENT LIABILITIES	£1		
Trade and other payables	9	183,754	288,015
Provisions	11	43,220	65,246
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		226,974	353,261
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	22	44.070	
Provisions	11	14,070	2,891
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		14,070	2,891
TOTAL LIABILITIES		241,044	356,152
NET ASSETS		56,876,944	57,357,635
EQUITY			
Retained surplus		16,263,628	17,944,287
Reserves - cash backed	12	5,927,831	4,564,992
Revaluation surplus	13	34,685,485	34,848,356
TOTAL EQUITY		56,876,944	57,357,635

	NOTE	RETAINED SURPLUS	RESERVES CASH BACKED \$	REVALUATION SURPLUS \$	TOTAL EQUITY \$
Balance as at 1 July 2014		18,369,358	1,359,761	45,254,682	64,983,801
Comprehensive income Net result		2,780,160	0	0	2,780,160
Changes on revaluation of assets Total comprehensive income	13	2,780,160	0 0	(10,406,326) (10,406,326)	(10,406,326) (7,626,166)
Transfers from/(to) reserves		(3,205,231)	3,205,231	0	0
Balance as at 30 June 2015		17,944,287	4,564,992	34,848,356	57,357,635
Comprehensive income Net result		(317,820)	0	0	(317,820)
Changes on revaluation of assets Total comprehensive income	5	(317,820)	0 0	(162,871)	(162,871) (480,691)
Transfers from/(to) reserves		(1,362,839)	1,362,839	0	0
Balance as at 30 June 2016		16,263,628	5,927,831	34,685,485	56,876,944

### SHIRE OF CUE STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 2016

	NOTE	2016 Actual	2016 Budget	2015 Actual
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	}	\$	\$	\$
Receipts				
Rates		2,404,388	2,225,807	2,215,946
Operating grants, subsidies and		F 000 0F0	004.450	0.000.404
contributions		5,826,253 314,329	904,456	2,608,494
Fees and charges Interest earnings		201,595	277,219 187,150	295,698 224,951
Other revenue		247,983	47,000	110,740
Other revenue	-	8,994,548	3,641,632	5,455,829
Payments		0,001,010	0,011,002	0,100,020
Employee costs		(1,477,393)	(1,502,722)	(1,221,497)
Materials and contracts		(5,880,057)	(1,371,329)	(1,190,417)
Utility charges		(237,979)	(202,550)	(205,067)
Interest expenses		0	(38,000)	(918)
Insurance expenses		(121,247)	(131,627)	(158,396)
Goods and services tax		(58,874)	0	(33,708)
Other expenditure		(221,822)	(197,867)	(112,543)
Net each provided by (used in)		(7,997,372)	(3,444,095)	(2,922,546)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	14(b)	997,176	197,537	2,533,283
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CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Payments for purchase of				
property, plant & equipment		(648,102)	(1,412,000)	(1,342,634)
Payments for construction of				W2 - 12 - 12 - 12 - 12
infrastructure		(1,547,497)	(12,991,582)	(3,070,537)
Non-operating grants,		902 206	11 622 644	0.040.400
subsidies and contributions Proceeds from sale of fixed assets		892,206 128,091	11,632,641	2,919,422
MRVC Deposit		0	60,000 0	161,364 (50,000)
Net cash provided by (used in)		· ·	0	(50,000)
investment activities		(1,175,302)	(2,710,941)	(1,382,385)
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CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
Repayment of debentures		0	0	(21,550)
Net cash provided by (used In)	6			(04.550)
financing activities		0	0	(21,550)
Net increase (decrease) in cash held		(178,126)	(2,513,404)	1,129,348
Cash at beginning of year		7,926,883	7,926,884	6,797,535
Cash and cash equivalents		,,	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	-,. 0.,000
at the end of the year	14(a)	7,748,757	5,413,480	7,926,883

# SHIRE OF CUE RATE SETTING STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 2016

	NOTE	2016 Actual \$	2016 Budget \$	2015 Actual \$
Net current assets at start of financial year - surplus/(de	eficit)	3,522,788	3,821,648	5,833,598
,		3,522,788	3,821,648	5,833,598
Revenue from operating activities (excluding rates)		1,088,730	1,094,006	2 702 420
General purpose funding Law, order, public safety		8,764	5,000	2,792,420 9,312
Health		283	0,000	709
Housing		18,887	19,500	17,268
Community amenities		55,507	49,800	103,098
Recreation and culture		16,798	1,000	6,194
Transport		5,096,564	10,293	82,259
Economic services		223,885	195,000	204,558
Other property and services		297,555	46,519	89,290
Expenditure from operating activities		6,806,973	1,421,118	3,305,108
Governance		(341,769)	(390,699)	(220,772)
General purpose funding		(210,698)	(244,534)	(209,968)
Law, order, public safety		(48,963)	(82,312)	(44,831)
Health		(77,437)	(85,750)	(66,996)
Education and welfare		(4,778)	(14,623)	(4,554)
Housing		(279,414)	(234,660)	(184,568)
Community amenities		(234,442)	(266,852)	(211,363)
Recreation and culture Transport		(482,744) (7,641,769)	(590,318) (2,545,505)	(458,693) (2,818,969)
Economic services		(475,193)	(541,555)	(473,844)
Other property and services		(451,592)	(200,770)	(648,288)
outer property and control		(10,248,799)	(5,197,578)	(5,342,846)
Operating activities excluded from budget			25 10 to	
(Profit) on disposal of assets	21	(30,438)	(5,293)	(66,508)
Loss on disposal of assets	21	20,718	9,939	31,465
Movement in deferred pensioner rates (non-current)		808 11,179	0	(1,392)
Movement in employee benefit provisions (non-current)  Depreciation and amortisation on assets	2(a)	2,320,756	1,743,544	(15,737) 2,283,909
Amount attributable to operating activities	2(4)	(1,118,803)	(2,028,270)	193,999
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INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Non-operating grants, subsidies and contributions		892,206	11,632,641	2,919,422
Proceeds from disposal of assets	21	128,091	60,000	161,364
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	7(b)	(648,102)	(1,412,000)	(1,342,634)
Purchase and construction of infrastructure  Amount attributable to investing activities	8(b)	<u>(1,547,497)</u> (1,175,302)	(12,991,582) (2,710,941)	(3,070,537) (1,332,385)
Amount attributable to investing activities		(1,110,002)	(2,710,041)	(1,002,000)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
Repayment of debentures	22(a)	0	0	(21,550)
Transfers to reserves (restricted assets)	12	(1,373,454)	(1,442,846)	(4,610,336)
Transfers from reserves (restricted assets)	12	10,615	500,000	1,405,105
Amount attributable to financing activities		(1,362,839)	(942,846)	(3,226,781)
Surplus(deficiency) before general rates		(134,156)	(1,860,409)	1,468,431
Total amount raised from general rates	23	2,231,800	2,065,807	2,054,357
Net current assets at June 30 c/fwd - surplus/(deficit)	24	2,097,644	205,398	3,522,788
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### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### (a) Basis of Preparation

The financial report comprises general purpose financial statements which have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards (as they apply to local governments and not-for-profit entities), Australian Accounting Interpretations, other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board, the Local Government Act 1995 and accompanying regulations. Material accounting policies which have been adopted in the preparation of this financial report are presented below and have been consistently applied unless stated otherwise.

Except for cash flow and rate setting information, the report has been prepared on the accrual basis and is based on historical costs, modified, where applicable, by the measurement at fair value of selected non-current assets, financial assets and liabilities.

### **Critical accounting estimates**

The preparation of a financial report in conformity with Australian Accounting Standards requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that effect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses.

The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances; the results of which form the basis of making the judgements about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

### The local government reporting entity

All Funds through which the Shire controls resources to carry on its functions have been included in the financial statements forming part of this financial report.

In the process of reporting on the local government as a single unit, all transactions and balances between those Funds (for example, loans and transfers between Funds) have been eliminated.

All monies held in the Trust Fund are excluded from the financial statements. A separate statement of those monies appears at Note 20 to these financial statements.

### (b) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office (ATO).

Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of GST receivable or payable.

The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the ATO is included within receivables or payables in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are presented on a gross basis. The GST components of cash flows arising from investing or financing activities which are recoverable from, or payable to, the ATO are presented as operating cash flows.

### (c) Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, cash at bank, deposits available on demand with banks and other short term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value and bank overdrafts.

Bank overdrafts are reported as short term borrowings in current liabilities in the statement of financial position.

### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### (d) Trade and Other Receivables

Trade and other receivables include amounts due from ratepayers for unpaid rates and service charges and other amounts due from third parties for goods sold and services performed in the ordinary course of business.

Receivables expected to be collected within 12 months of the end of the reporting period are classified as current assets. All other receivables are classified as non-current assets.

Collectability of trade and other receivables is reviewed on an ongoing basis. Debts that are known to be uncollectible are written off when identified. An allowance for doubtful debts is raised when there is objective evidence that they will not be collectible.

### (e) Inventories

#### General

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

#### Land held for sale

Land held for development and sale is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost includes the cost of acquisition, development, borrowing costs and holding costs until completion of development. Finance costs and holding charges incurred after development is completed are expensed.

Gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss at the time of signing an unconditional contract of sale if significant risks and rewards, and effective control over the land, are passed on to the buyer at this point.

Land held for sale is classified as current except where it is held as non-current based on the Council's intentions to release for sale.

### (f) Fixed Assets

Each class of fixed assets within either property, plant and equipment or infrastructure, is carried at cost or fair value as indicated less, where applicable, any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

### Mandatory requirement to revalue non-current assets

Effective from 1 July 2012, the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations were amended and the measurement of non-current assets at Fair Value became mandatory.

During the year ended 30 June 2013, the Shire commenced the process of adopting Fair Value in accordance with the Regulations.

Whilst the amendments initially allowed for a phasing in of fair value in relation to fixed assets over three years, as at 30 June 2015 all non-current assets were carried at Fair Value in accordance with the the requirements.

Thereafter, each asset class must be revalued in accordance with the regulatory framework established and the Shire revalues its asset classes in accordance with this mandatory timetable.

Relevant disclosures, in accordance with the requirements of Australian Accounting Standards, have been made in the financial report as necessary.

### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### (f) Fixed Assets (Continued)

### Land under control

In accordance with Local Government (Financial Management) Regulation 16(a), the Shire was required to include as an asset (by 30 June 2013), Crown Land operated by the local government as a golf course, showground, racecourse or other sporting or recreational facility of State or Regional significance.

Upon initial recognition, these assets were recorded at cost in accordance with AASB 116. They were then classified as Land and revalued along with other land in accordance with the other policies detailed in this Note.

### Initial recognition and measurement between mandatory revaluation dates

All assets are initially recognised at cost and subsequently revalued in accordance with the mandatory measurement framework detailed above.

In relation to this initial measurement, cost is determined as the fair value of the assets given as consideration plus costs incidental to the acquisition. For assets acquired at no cost or for nominal consideration, cost is determined as fair value at the date of acquisition. The cost of non-current assets constructed by the Shire includes the cost of all materials used in construction, direct labour on the project and an appropriate proportion of variable and fixed overheads.

Individual assets acquired between initial recognition and the next revaluation of the asset class in accordance with the mandatory measurement framework detailed above, are carried at cost less accumulated depreciation as management believes this approximates fair value. They will be subject to subsequent revaluation at the next anniversary date in accordance with the mandatory measurement framework detailed above.

### Revaluation

Increases in the carrying amount arising on revaluation of assets are credited to a revaluation surplus in equity. Decreases that offset previous increases of the same asset are recognised against revaluation surplus directly in equity. All other decreases are recognised in profit or loss.

### Land under roads

In Western Australia, all land under roads is Crown Land, the responsibility for managing which, is vested in the local government.

Effective as at 1 July 2008, Council elected not to recognise any value for land under roads acquired on or before 30 June 2008. This accords with the treatment available in Australian Accounting Standard AASB 1051 Land Under Roads and the fact Local Government (Financial Management) Regulation 16(a)(i) prohibits local governments from recognising such land as an asset.

In respect of land under roads acquired on or after 1 July 2008, as detailed above, Local Government (Financial Management) Regulation 16(a)(i) prohibits local governments from recognising such land as an asset.

Whilst such treatment is inconsistent with the requirements of AASB 1051, Local Government (Financial Management) Regulation 4(2) provides, in the event of such an inconsistency, the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations prevail.

Consequently, any land under roads acquired on or after 1 July 2008 is not included as an asset of the Shire.

### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### (f) Fixed Assets (Continued)

### Depreciation

The depreciable amount of all fixed assets including buildings but excluding freehold land, are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the individual asset's useful life from the time the asset is held ready for use. Leasehold improvements are depreciated over the shorter of either the unexpired period of the lease or the estimated useful life of the improvements.

When an item of property, plant and equipment is revalued, any accumulated depreciation at the date of the revaluation is treated in one of the following ways:

- a) Restated proportionately with the change in the gross carrying amount of the asset so that the carrying amount of the asset after revaluation equals its revalued amount; or
- b) Eliminated against the gross carrying amount of the asset and the net amount restated to the revalued amount of the asset.

Major depreciation periods used for each class of depreciable asset are:

Buildings Furniture and equipment Plant and equipment	30 to 50 years 4 to 10 years 5 to 15 years
Sealed roads and streets formation	not depreciated
pavement	50 years
- bituminous seals	20 years
- asphalt surfaces	25 years
Gravel roads	
formation	not depreciated
pavement	50 years
gravel sheet	12 years
Formed roads (unsealed)	
formation	not depreciated
pavement	50 years
Footpaths - slab	40 years
Sewerage piping	100 years
Water supply piping and drainage systems	75 years
Parks and Ovals	12 to 35 years
Other Infrastructure	12 to 60 years

The assets residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at the end of each reporting period.

An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with the carrying amount. These gains and losses are included in the statement of comprehensive income in the period in which they arise.

### Capitalisation threshold

Expenditure on items of equipment under \$5,000 is not capitalised. Rather, it is recorded on an asset inventory listing.

### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### (g) Fair Value of Assets and Liabilities

When performing a revaluation, the Shire uses a mix of both independent and management valuations using the following as a guide:

Fair Value is the price that the Shire would receive to sell the asset or would have to pay to transfer a liability, in an orderly (i.e. unforced) transaction between independent, knowledgeable and willing market participants at the measurement date.

As fair value is a market-based measure, the closest equivalent observable market pricing information is used to determine fair value. Adjustments to market values may be made having regard to the characteristics of the specific asset or liability. The fair values of assets that are not traded in an active market are determined using one or more valuation techniques. These valuation techniques maximise, to the extent possible, the use of observable market data.

To the extent possible, market information is extracted from either the principal market for the asset or liability (i.e. the market with the greatest volume and level of activity for the asset or liability) or, in the absence of such a market, the most advantageous market available to the entity at the end of the reporting period (i.e. the market that maximises the receipts from the sale of the asset after taking into account transaction costs and transport costs).

For non-financial assets, the fair value measurement also takes into account a market participant's ability to use the asset in its highest and best use or to sell it to another market participant that would use the asset in its highest and best use.

### Fair value hierarchy

AASB 13 requires the disclosure of fair value information by level of the fair value hierarchy, which categorises fair value measurement into one of three possible levels based on the lowest level that an input that is significant to the measurement can be categorised into as follows:

#### Level 1

Measurements based on quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date.

#### Level 2

Measurements based on inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.

#### Level 3

Measurements based on unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

The fair values of assets and liabilities that are not traded in an active market are determined using one or more valuation techniques. These valuation techniques maximise, to the extent possible, the use of observable market data. If all significant inputs required to measure fair value are observable, the asset or liability is included in Level 2. If one or more significant inputs are not based on observable market data, the asset or liability is included in Level 3.

### Valuation techniques

The Shire selects a valuation technique that is appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data is available to measure fair value. The availability of sufficient and relevant data primarily depends on the specific characteristics of the asset or liability being measured. The valuation techniques selected by the Shire are consistent with one or more of the following valuation approaches:

### Market approach

Valuation techniques that use prices and other relevant information generated by market transactions for identical or similar assets or liabilities.

### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### (g) Fair Value of Assets and Liabilities (Continued)

#### Income approach

Valuation techniques that convert estimated future cash flows or income and expenses into a single discounted present value.

### Cost approach

Valuation techniques that reflect the current replacement cost of an asset at its current service capacity.

Each valuation technique requires inputs that reflect the assumptions that buyers and sellers would use when pricing the asset or liability, including assumptions about risks. When selecting a valuation technique, the Shire gives priority to those techniques that maximise the use of observable inputs and minimise the use of unobservable inputs. Inputs that are developed using market data (such as publicly available information on actual transactions) and reflect the assumptions that buyers and sellers would generally use when pricing the asset or liability are considered observable, whereas inputs for which market data is not available and therefore are developed using the best information available about such assumptions are considered unobservable.

As detailed above, the mandatory measurement framework imposed by the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations requires, as a minimum, all assets carried at a revalued amount to be revalued in accordance with the regulatory framework.

### (h) Financial Instruments

### Initial recognition and measurement

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised when the Shire becomes a party to the contractual provisions to the instrument. For financial assets, this is equivalent to the date that the Shire commits itself to either the purchase or sale of the asset (i.e. trade date accounting is adopted).

Financial instruments are initially measured at fair value plus transaction costs, except where the instrument is classified 'at fair value through profit or loss', in which case transaction costs are expensed to profit or loss immediately.

### Classification and subsequent measurement

Financial instruments are subsequently measured at fair value, amortised cost using the effective interest rate method, or at cost.

Amortised cost is calculated as:

- (a) the amount in which the financial asset or financial liability is measured at initial recognition;
- (b) less principal repayments and any reduction for impairment; and
- (c) plus or minus the cumulative amortisation of the difference, if any, between the amount initially recognised and the maturity amount calculated using the effective interest rate method.

The effective interest method is used to allocate interest income or interest expense over the relevant period and is equivalent to the rate that discounts estimated future cash payments or receipts (including fees, transaction costs and other premiums or discounts) through the expected life (or when this cannot be reliably predicted, the contractual term) of the financial instrument to the net carrying amount of the financial asset or financial liability. Revisions to expected future net cash flows will necessitate an adjustment to the carrying value with a consequential recognition of an income or expense in profit or loss.

### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### (h) Financial Instruments (Continued)

### Classification and subsequent measurement (continued)

### (i) Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss

Financial assets are classified at "fair value through profit or loss" when they are held for trading for the purpose of short-term profit taking. Such assets are subsequently measured at fair value with changes in carrying amount being included in profit or loss. Assets in this category are classified as current assets.

### (ii) Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market and are subsequently measured at amortised cost. Gains or losses are recognised in profit or loss.

Loans and receivables are included in current assets where they are expected to mature within 12 months after the end of the reporting period.

### (iii) Held-to-maturity investments

Held-to-maturity investments are non-derivative financial assets with fixed maturities and fixed or determinable payments that the Shire has the positive intention and ability to hold to maturity. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost. Gains or losses are recognised in profit or loss.

Held-to-maturity investments are included in current assets, where they are expected to mature within 12 months after the end of the reporting period. All other investments are classified as non-current.

### (iv) Available-for-sale financial assets

Available-for-sale financial assets are non-derivative financial assets that are either not suitable to be classified into other categories of financial assets due to their nature, or they are designated as such by management. They comprise investments in the equity of other entities where there is neither a fixed maturity nor fixed or determinable payments.

They are subsequently measured at fair value with changes in such fair value (i.e. gains or losses) recognised in other comprehensive income (except for impairment losses). When the financial asset is derecognised, the cumulative gain or loss pertaining to that asset previously recognised in other comprehensive income is reclassified into profit or loss.

Available-for-sale financial assets are included in current assets, where they are expected to be sold within 12 months after the end of the reporting period. All other available-for-sale financial assets are classified as non-current.

### (v) Financial liabilities

Non-derivative financial liabilities (excluding financial guarantees) are subsequently measured at amortised cost. Gains or losses are recognised in profit or loss.

### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### (h) Financial Instruments (Continued)

### **Impairment**

A financial asset is deemed to be impaired if, and only if, there is objective evidence of impairment as a result of one or more events (a "loss event") having occurred, which will have an impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset(s).

In the case of available-for-sale financial assets, a significant or prolonged decline in the market value of the instrument is considered a loss event. Impairment losses are recognised in profit or loss immediately. Also, any cumulative decline in fair value previously recognised in other comprehensive income is reclassified to profit or loss at this point.

In the case of financial assets carried at amortised cost, loss events may include: indications that the debtors or a group of debtors are experiencing significant financial difficulty, default or delinquency in interest or principal payments; indications that they will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganisation; and changes in arrears or economic conditions that correlate with defaults.

For financial assets carried at amortised cost (including loans and receivables), a separate allowance account is used to reduce the carrying amount of financial assets impaired by credit losses. After having taken all possible measures of recovery, if management establishes that the carrying amount cannot be recovered by any means, at that point the written-off amounts are charged to the allowance account or the carrying amount of impaired financial assets is reduced directly if no impairment amount was previously recognised in the allowance account.

### Derecognition

Financial assets are derecognised where the contractual rights to receipt of cash flows expire or the asset is transferred to another party whereby the Shire no longer has any significant continual involvement in the risks and benefits associated with the asset.

Financial liabilities are derecognised where the related obligations are discharged, cancelled or expired. The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability extinguished or transferred to another party and the fair value of the consideration paid, including the transfer of non-cash assets or liabilities assumed, is recognised in profit or loss.

### (i) Impairment of Assets

In accordance with Australian Accounting Standards the Shire's assets, other than inventories, are assessed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication they may be impaired.

Where such an indication exists, an impairment test is carried out on the asset by comparing the recoverable amount of the asset, being the higher of the asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use, to the asset's carrying amount.

Any excess of the asset's carrying amount over its recoverable amount is recognised immediately in profit or loss, unless the asset is carried at a revalued amount in accordance with another Standard (e.g. AASB 116) whereby any impairment loss of a revalued asset is treated as a revaluation decrease in accordance with that other Standard.

For non-cash generating assets such as roads, drains, public buildings and the like, value in use is represented by the depreciated replacement cost of the asset.

### (j) Trade and Other Payables

Trade and other payables represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Shire prior to the end of the financial year that are unpaid and arise when the Shire becomes obliged to make future payments in respect of the purchase of these goods and services. The amounts are unsecured, are recognised as a current liability and are normally paid within 30 days of recognition.

### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### (k) Employee Benefits

### Short-term employee benefits

Provision is made for the Shire's obligations for short-term employee benefits. Short-term employee benefits are benefits (other than termination benefits) that are expected to be settled wholly before 12 months after the end of the annual reporting period in which the employees render the related service, including wages, salaries and sick leave. Short-term employee benefits are measured at the (undiscounted) amounts expected to be paid when the obligation is settled.

The Shire's obligations for short-term employee benefits such as wages, salaries and sick leave are recognised as a part of current trade and other payables in the statement of financial position. The Shire's obligations for employees' annual leave and long service leave entitlements are recognised as provisions in the statement of financial position.

### Other long-term employee benefits

Provision is made for employees' long service leave and annual leave entitlements not expected to be settled wholly within 12 months after the end of the annual reporting period in which the employees render the related service. Other long-term employee benefits are measured at the present value of the expected future payments to be made to employees. Expected future payments incorporate anticipated future wage and salary levels, durations of service and employee departures and are discounted at rates determined by reference to market yields at the end of the reporting period on government bonds that have maturity dates that approximate the terms of the obligations. Any remeasurements for changes in assumptions of obligations for other long-term employee benefits are recognised in profit or loss in the periods in which the changes occur.

The Shire's obligations for long-term employee benefits are presented as non-current provisions in its statement of financial position, except where the Shire does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement for at least 12 months after the end of the reporting period, in which case the obligations are presented as current provisions.

#### (I) Borrowing Costs

Borrowing costs are recognised as an expense when incurred except where they are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying asset. Where this is the case, they are capitalised as part of the cost of the particular asset until such time as the asset is substantially ready for its intended use or sale.

#### (m) Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the Shire has a present legal or constructive obligation, as a result of past events, for which it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will result and that outflow can be reliably measured.

Provisions are measured using the best estimate of the amounts required to settle the obligation at the end of the reporting period.

#### (n) Leases

Leases of fixed assets where substantially all the risks and benefits incidental to the ownership of the asset, but not legal ownership, are transferred to the Shire, are classified as finance leases.

Finance leases are capitalised recording an asset and a liability at the lower amounts equal to the fair value of the leased property or the present value of the minimum lease payments, including any guaranteed residual values. Lease payments are allocated between the reduction of the lease liability and the lease interest expense for the period.

Leased assets are depreciated on a straight line basis over the shorter of their estimated useful lives or the lease term.

Lease payments for operating leases, where substantially all the risks and benefits remain with the lessor, are charged as expenses in the periods in which they are incurred.

Lease incentives under operating leases are recognised as a liability and amortised on a straight line basis over the life of the lease term.

### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### (o) Investment in Associates

An associate is an entity over which the Shire has significant influence. Significant influence is the power to participate in the financial operating policy decisions of that entity but is not control or joint control of those policies. Investments in associates are accounted for in the financial statements by applying the equity method of accounting, whereby the investment is initially recognised at cost and adjusted thereafter for the post-acquisition change in the Shire's share of net assets of the associate. In addition, the Shire's share of the profit or loss of the associate is included in the Shire's profit or loss.

The carrying amount of the investment includes, where applicable, goodwill relating to the associate. Any discount on acquisition, whereby the Shire's share of the net fair value of the associate exceeds the cost of investment, is recognised in profit or loss in the period in which the investment is acquired.

Profits and losses resulting from transactions between the Shire and the associate are eliminated to the extent of the Shire's interest in the associate.

When the Shire's share of losses in an associate equals or exceeds its interest in the associate, the Shire discontinues recognising its share of further losses unless it has incurred legal or constructive obligations or made payments on behalf of the associate. When the associate subsequently makes profits, the Shire will resume recognising its share of those profits once its share of the profits equals the share of the losses not recognised.

### (p) Interests in Joint Arrangements

Joint arrangements represent the contractual sharing of control between parties in a business venture where unanimous decisions about relevant activities are required.

Separate joint venture entities providing joint venturers with an interest to net assets are classified as a joint venture and accounted for using the equity method. Refer to note 1(o) for a description of the equity method of accounting.

Joint venture operations represent arrangements whereby joint operators maintain direct interests in each asset and exposure to each liability of the arrangement. The Shire's interests in the assets, liabilities, revenue and expenses of joint operations are included in the respective line items of the financial statements. Information about the joint ventures is set out in Note 17.

### (q) Rates, Grants, Donations and Other Contributions

Rates, grants, donations and other contributions are recognised as revenues when the local government obtains control over the assets comprising the contributions.

Control over assets acquired from rates is obtained at the commencement of the rating period or, where earlier, upon receipt of the rates.

Where contributions recognised as revenues during the reporting period were obtained on the condition that they be expended in a particular manner or used over a particular period, and those conditions were undischarged as at the reporting date, the nature of and amounts pertaining to those undischarged conditions are disclosed in Note 2(c). That note also discloses the amount of contributions recognised as revenues in a previous reporting period which were obtained in respect of the local government's operations for the current reporting period.

### (r) Superannuation

The Shire contributes to a number of Superannuation Funds on behalf of employees. All funds to which the Shire contributes are defined contribution plans.

### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### (s) Current and Non-Current Classification

In the determination of whether an asset or liability is current or non-current, consideration is given to the time when each asset or liability is expected to be settled. The asset or liability is classified as current if it is expected to be settled within the next 12 months, being the Shire's operational cycle. In the case of liabilities where the Shire does not have the unconditional right to defer settlement beyond 12 months, such as vested long service leave, the liability is classified as current even if not expected to be settled within the next 12 months. Inventories held for trading are classified as current even if not expected to be realised in the next 12 months except for land held for sale where it is held as non-current based on the Shire's intentions to release for sale.

### (t) Rounding Off Figures

All figures shown in this annual financial report, other than a rate in the dollar, are rounded to the nearest dollar.

### (u) Comparative Figures

Where required, comparative figures have been adjusted to conform with changes in presentation for the current financial year.

When the Shire applies an accounting policy retrospectively, makes a retrospective restatement or reclassifies items in its financial statement, an additional (third) statement of financial position as at the beginning of the preceding period in addition to the minimum comparative financial statements is presented.

### (v) Budget Comparative Figures

Unless otherwise stated, the budget comparative figures shown in this annual financial report relate to the original budget estimate for the relevant item of disclosure.

### 1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

# (w) New Accounting Standards and Interpretations for Application in Future Periods

The AASB has issued a number of new and amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations that have mandatory application dates for future reporting periods, some of which are relevant to the Shire.

Management's assessment of the new and amended pronouncements that are relevant to the Shire, applicable to future reporting periods and which have not yet been adopted are set out as follows:

	Title	Issued / Compiled	Applicable (1)	Impact
€	AASB 9 Financial Instruments (incorporating AASB 2014-7 and AASB 2014-8)	December 2014	1 January 2018	Nil – The objective of this Standard is to improve and simplify the approach for classification and measurement of financial assets compared with the requirements of AASB 139. Given the nature of the financial assets of the Shire, it is not anticipated the Standard will have any material effect.
€	(ii) AASB 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers	December 2014	1 January 2017	This Standard establishes principles for entities to apply to report useful information to users of financial statements about the nature, amount, timing and uncertainty of revenue and cash flows arising from a contract with a customer.
				The effect of this Standard will depend upon the nature of future transactions the Shire has with those third parties it has dealings with. It may or may not be significant.
	(iii) AASB 16 Leases	February 2016	1 January 2019	Under AASB 16 there is no longer a distinction between finance and operating leases. Lessees will now bring to account a right-to-use asset and lease liability onto their statement of financial position for all leases. Effectively this means the vast majority of

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significant.

required to be capitalised on the statement of financial position once

AASB 16 is adopted.

Currently, operating lease payments are expensed as incurred. This will cease and will be replaced by both depreciation and interest charges. Based on the current number of operating leases held by the Shire, the impact is not expected to be

operating leases as defined by the current AASB 117 Leases which currently do not impact the statement of financial position will be

### 1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

# (w) New Accounting Standards and Interpretations for Application in Future Periods (Continued)

Impact	This Standard amends AASB 11: Joint Arrangements to require the acquirer of an interest (both initial and additional) in a joint operation in which the activity constitutes a business, as defined in AASB 3: Business Combinations, to apply all of the principles on business combinations accounting in AASB 3 and other Australian Accounting Standards except for those principles that conflict with the guidance in AASB 11; and disclose the information required by AASB 3 and other Australian Accounting Standards for business combinations.	Since adoption of this Standard would impact only acquisitions of interests in joint operations on or after 1 January 2016, management believes it is impracticable at this stage to provide a reasonable estimate of such impact on the Shire's financial statements.	This Standard amends AASB 116 and AASB 138 to establish the principle for the basis of depreciation and amortisation as being the expected pattern of consumption of the future economic benefits of an asset. It also clarifies the use of revenue-based methods to calculate the depreciation of an asset is not appropriate nor is	consumption of the economic benefits embodied in an intangible asset.	Given the Shire curently uses the expected pattern of consumption of the future economic benefits of an asset as the basis of calculation of depreciation, it is not expected to have a significant impact.	7 Consequential changes to various Standards arising from the issuance of AASB 15.	It will require changes to reflect the impact of AASB 15.
Applicable (1)	1 January 2016		1 January 2016			1 January 2017	
Issued / Compiled	August 2014		August 2014			December 2014	
Title	(iv) AASB 2014-3 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards - Accounting for Acquisitions of Interests in Joint Operations [AASB 1 & AASB 11]		(v) AASB 2014-4 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards - Clarification of Acceptable Methods of Depreciation and Amortisation	[AA3B 110 & 130]		(vi) AASB 2014-5 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 15	

### 1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

# (w) New Accounting Standards and Interpretations for Application in Future Periods (Continued)

Impact	This Standard amends AASB 101 to provide clarification regarding the disclosure requirements in AASB 101. Specifically, the Standard proposes narrow-focus amendments to address some of the concerns expressed about existing presentation and disclosure requirements and to ensure entities are able to use judgement	when applying a Standard in determining what information to disclose in their financial statements.	This Standard also makes editorial and consequential amendments as a result of amendments to the Standards listed in the title column.	It is not anticipated it will have any significant impact on disclosures as they currently exist and any changes will relate to presentation.	The objective of this Standard is to extend the scope of AASB 124 Related Party Disclosures to include not-for-profit sector entities.	The Standard is expected to have a significant disclosure impact on the financial report of the Shire as both Elected Members and Senior	Management will be deemed to be Key Management Personnel and resultant disclosures will be necessary.
Applicable (1)	1 January 2016				1 July 2016		
Issued / Compiled	January 2015				March 2015		
Title	(vii) AASB 2015-2 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Disclosure Initiative: Amendments to AASB 101	[AASB 7, 101, 134 & 1049]			(viii) AASB 2015-6 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards - Extending Related	Sector Entities	[AASB 10, 124 & 1049]

Notes:

<sup>(1)</sup> Applicable to reporting periods commencing on or after the given date.

### 1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### (x) Adoption of New and Revised Accounting Standards

During the current year, the Shire adopted all of the new and revised Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations which were compiled, became mandatory and which were applicable to its operations.

These new and revised standards were as follows:

- (i) AASB 2015-3 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the withdrawal of AASB 1031 Materiality
- (ii) AASB 2015-7 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards - Fair Value Disclosures of Not-for-Profit Public Sector Entities

2.	REVENUE AND EXPENSES		2016 \$	2015 \$
(a)	Net Result		•	•
	The Net result includes:			
	(i) Charging as an expense:			
	Significant expense and revenue Recreation and culture		0	(155,881)
	Auditors remuneration		25 624	24 900
	- Audit of the Annual Financial Report		25,621	21,800
	<b>Depreciation</b> Buildings - non-specialised		225,414	203,009
	Furniture and equipment		56,166	49,882
	Plant and equipment		267,050	329,346
	Roads		1,538,770	1,538,046
	Parks and Ovals		79,696	76,202
	Other Infrastructure		42,161	32,804
	Airport		104,253	52,202
	Drainage and Sewerage		7,246 2,320,756	2,418
	Interest sympass (finance costs)		2,320,730	2,203,909
	Interest expenses (finance costs) Debentures (refer Note 22 (a))		0	918
	Dependies (Iciel Note 22 (a))			918
	Other revenue			
	Other		294,238	110,740
			294,238	110,740
		2016 Actual \$	2016 Budget \$	2015 Actual \$
	Interest earnings	•	*	•
	- Reserve funds	125,042	126,770	115,627
	- Other funds	28,433	38,380	51,741
	Other interest revenue (refer note 28)	48,120	22,000	57,583
		201,595	187,150	224,951

### 2. REVENUE AND EXPENSES (Continued)

### (b) Statement of Objective

In order to discharge its responsibilities to the community, the Shire has developed a set of operational and financial objectives. These objectives have been established both on an overall basis, reflected by the Shire's Community Vision, and for each of its broad activities/programs.

### **COMMUNITY VISION**

The Shire of Cue is dedicated to providing high quality services to the community through the various service orientated programs which it has established.

Shire operations as disclosed in these financial statements encompass the following service orientated activities/programs.

### **GOVERNANCE**

Administration and operation of facilities and services to members of Council. Other costs that relate to tasks of assisting elected members and ratepayers on matters which do not concern specific Council services.

### **GENERAL PURPOSE FUNDING**

Rates, general purpose government grants and interest revenue.

### LAW, ORDER, PUBLIC SAFETY

Supervision of various local laws, fire prevention, emergency services and animal control.

### HEALTH

Food quality and water control. Pest control. Environmental Health Officer. Doctor Service.

### **EDUCATION AND WELFARE**

Assistance to Cue Primary School, Thoo Thoo Wandi, Senior Citizens and Playgroup. Involvement in work experience programmes.

### HOUSING

Provision and maintenance of staff and rental housing.

### 2. REVENUE AND EXPENSES (Continued)

### (b) Statement of Objective (Continued)

### **COMMUNITY AMENITIES**

Rubbish collection services, maintenance of refuse sites, administration of the town planning scheme, control and co-ordination of cemeteries, and maintenance of public conveniences.

### **RECREATION AND CULTURE**

Maintenance of the Shire Hall, Recreation Centre, Stan Gurney Memorial Park and various reserves. Operation of library and internet services. Co-ordination of Australia Day activities.

### **TRANSPORT**

Construction and maintenance of streets, roads, footpaths, drainage works, parking facilities, traffic signs and median strips. Control and maintenance of Cue Airport.

### **ECONOMIC SERVICES**

The regulation and provision of tourism and the Historical Photographic collection. Maintenance of the shire-owned Caravan Park. Building and vermin control. Employment program administered on behalf of the Department of Employment, Workplace Relations and Small Business.

### **OTHER PROPERTY AND SERVICES**

Private works operation, plant repair and operation costs.

Closing	30/06/16	0	0	163,289	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Expended (3)	2015/16	(262,932)	(355,348)	(98,034)	(847,811)	0	(513)	(3,142)	(185)	(947)	0	0	0
Received (2)	2015/16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Closing Balance (1)	30/06/15	262,932	355,348	261,323	847,811	0	513	3,142	185	947	0	0	0
Expended (3)	2014/15	0	0	(97,082)	(2,409,405)	(7,502)	0	0	0	0	(15,000)	(1,675)	(9,680)
Received (2)	2014/15	0	0	358,405	2,514,587	7,502	0	0	0	0	15,000	1,675	089'6
Opening Ralance (1)	1/07/14	262,932	355,348	0	742,629	0	513	3,142	185	947	0	0	0
ontinued) butions	Function/ Activity	GPF	GPF	GPF	GPF	Law, Order & Public	Services Law, Order & Public	Law, Order & Public Services	Law, Order & Public Services	Recreation & Culture	Recreation & Culture	Recreation & Culture	Recreation & Culture
2. REVENUE AND EXPENSES (Continued) (c) Conditions Over Grants/Contributions	Grant/Contribution	R4R - CLGF 2011-12 Round 4 (Playground Equipment & Employee Housing)	R4R - CLGF Regional Groups 2011-12 (Employee Housing)	R4R - CLGF Regional Groups 2012-13 Round 4 (Industrial Development Project)*	FAG (General Purpose & Untied Road)	ESL Grant	Grants for FESA operating	Fire Prevention - Reimbursement	Cat Program Grant	Great Fingal Conservation Plan	Shade Sails Grant	Heritage Advisory Grant	Water Park Grant

Closing	30/06/16 \$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46,526	0	0	0	3,336	0	213,151
(3)	2015/16 \$	0	0	0	0	0	0	(5,474)	(4,005)	0	(96,000)	(591,731)	0	(9,486)	0	(2,275,608)
(2)	2015/16 \$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	96,000	591,731	0	0	0	687,731
Closing	30/06/15 \$	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,474	4,005	46,526	0	0	0	12,822	0	1,801,028
9	2014/15 \$	(55,000)	(370,000)	(84,600)	(131,333)	(1,780,950)	(20,000)	0	0	(25,208)	0	0	(407)	(14,898)	(20,000)	(5,072,740)
8	2014/15 \$	55,000	370,000	84,600	131,333	1,780,950	20,000	0	0	71,734	0	0	407	27,720	20,000	5,498,593
Opening	1/07/14 \$	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,474	4,005	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,375,175
Continued) tributions	Function/ Activity	Community Amenities	Transport	Transport	Transport	Transport	Transport	Transport	Transport	Transport	Transport	Transport	Economic Services	Economic Services	Economic Services	
2. REVENUE AND EXPENSES (Continued) (c) Conditions Over Grants/Contributions	Grant/Contribution	Town Planning Grant	Roads to Recovery Grant	MRWA Direct Grant	Kalli Road RRG Grant	Flood Damage Road Restoration	Dual Use Cycle Path	Contributions - Road Maintenance	Revitalisation Planning	BS Marshall Street Grant	Cue Wondinong RRG	Roads to Recovery	LGEEP	RV Site Grant	Tourism Signage	Total

(1) - Grants/contributions recognised as revenue in a previous reporting period which were not expended at the close of the previous reporting period.

Notes:

(2) - new grants/contributions which were recognised as revenues during the reporting period and which had not yet been fully expended in the manner specified by the contributor.

(3) - Grants/contributions which had been recognised as revenues in a previous reporting period or received in the current reporting period and which were expended in the current reporting period in the manner specified by the contributor. \* The R4R - CLGF Regional Groups 2012-13 Round 4 (industrial Development Project) grant was shown as fully expended in the 2014/15 Financial Report. The balance has been amended to reflect the correct outstanding balance at 30 June 2015 and 2016 respectively.

	Note	2016 \$	2015 \$
3. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS			
Unrestricted Restricted		1,607,775 6,140,982 7,748,757	1,560,863 6,366,020 * 7,926,883
The following restrictions have been imposed by			
regulations or other externally imposed requirements:			
Long Service Leave Reserve	12	28,168	7,556
Plant Replacement Reserve	12	292,355	93,688
Building Maintenance Reserve	12	521,688	151,034
Streetscape Reserve	12	494,953	157,037
Sports Complex Reserve	12	92,572	89,709
Tourist Park Development Reserve	12	105,057	102,289
Water Playground Reserve	12	22,449	21,837
Beringarra Road Reserve	12	3,826,456	3,748,597
Tourism Reserve	12	78,530	76,715
Housing/Land Development Reserve	12	66,943	65,386
Heritage Reserve	12	398,660	51,144
Unspent grants	2(c)	213,151	1,801,028 *
		6,140,982	6,366,020

Unrestricted cash at 30 June 2015 has been decreased by \$261,423 and restricted cash increased by \$261,423 due to correction of the unexpended grant balance for the R4R - CLGF Regional Groups 2012-13 Round 4 (Industrial Development Project). Refer to note 2(c) for further detail.

### 4. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

Current		
Rates outstanding	258,543	430,323
Sundry debtors	155,005	14,885
GST receivable	92,582	33,708
Accrued Income	46,255	0
Provision for Doubtful Debts	(66,402)	(35,500)
	485,983	443,416
Non-current		
Rates outstanding - pensioners	2,885	3,693
	2,885	3,693
5. INVENTORIES		
Current		
Fuel and materials	10,613	10,011
History books	7,096	10,731
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	17,709	20,742
6. OTHER CURRENT ASSETS		
Current		
MRVC - Deposit	0	50,000
tioning to mon <b>FTT</b> "		50,000

	2016 \$	2015 \$
7 (a). PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT		
Land and buildings Land - freehold at:		
- Independent valuation 2013 - level 1	0	511,500
<ul> <li>Independent valuation 2016 - level 2</li> <li>Additions after valuation - cost</li> </ul>	417,000	0
- Additions after valuation - cost	417,000	21,513 533,013
	417,000	533,013
Buildings - non-specialised at:		
- Independent valuation 2013 - level 1	0	7,578,022
- Independent valuation 2016 - level 2	7,184,500 0	0 241,238
- Additions after valuation - cost Less: accumulated depreciation	0	(1,480,156)
	7,184,500	6,339,104
	7,184,500	6,339,104
Total land and buildings	7,601,500	6,872,117
Furniture and equipment at:		
- Management valuation 2015 - level 1	0	489,968
<ul> <li>Management valuation 2016 - level 3</li> <li>Less accumulated depreciation</li> </ul>	142,000 0	0 (339,648)
Less accumulated depreciation	142,000	150,320
Direct and a suitage and at	, ,_,,,,,	100,020
Plant and equipment at: - Management valuation 2015 - level 1	0	1,967,918
- Independent valuation 2016 - level 2	1,895,200	0
Less accumulated depreciation	0	(233,059)
	1,895,200	1,734,859
Work in Progress at:		
- Land and Buildings - Cost	0	1,192,124 1,192,124
	9,638,700	9,949,420

The fair value of property, plant and equipment is determined at least every three years in accordance with the regulatory framework. Additions since the date of valuation are shown as cost, given they were acquired at arms length and any accumulated depreciation reflects the usage of service potential, it is considered the recorded written down value approximates fair value. At the end of each intervening period the valuation is reviewed and where appropriate the fair value is updated to reflect current market conditions. This process is considered to be in accordance with Local Government (Financial Management) Regulation 17A (2) which requires property, plant and equipment to be shown at fair value.

### 7. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (Continued)

### (b) Movements in Carrying Amounts

Movement in the carrying amounts of each class of property, plant and equipment between the beginning and the end of the current financial year.

	Balance at the Beginning of the Year	Additions \$	(Disposals)	Revaluation Increments/ (Decrements) Transferred to to Revaluation \$	Revaluation (Losses)/ Reversals Through to to Profit or Loss	Impairment (Losses)/ Reversals	Depreciation (Expense)	Transfers \$	Carrying Amount at the End of Year
Land - freehold	533,013	0	0	(116,013)	0	0	0	0	417,000
Land - vested in and under the control of Council  Total land	533,013	0	0	(116,013)	0	0	0	0	417,000
Buildings - non-specialised	6,339,104	333,177	0	(321,188)	0	0	(225,414)	1,058,821	7,184,500
Buildings - specialised <b>Total buildings</b>	6,339,104	333,177	0	0 (321,188)	0	0	(225,414)	1,058,821	7,184,500
Total land and buildings	6,872,117	333,177	0	(437,201)	0	0	(225,414)	1,058,821	7,601,500
Furniture and equipment	150,320	0	0	(24,690)	0	0	(56,166)	72,536	142,000
Plant and equipment	1,734,859	314,926	(118,372)	299,020	0	0	(267,050)	(68,183)	1,895,200
Work in Progress	1,192,124	0	0	0	0	0	0	(1,192,124)	0
Total property, plant and equipment	9,949,420	648,103	(118,372)	(162,871)	0	0	(548,630)	(128,950)	9,638,700

### 7. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (Continued)

### (c) Fair Value Measurements

Asset Class	Fair Value Hierarchy	Valuation Technique	Basis of valuation	Date of last Valuation	lnputs used
Land and buildings					
Land - freehold	2	Sales Comparison Approach/Cost Approach	Fair Value	2016	Price per hectare / market borrowing rate
Land - vested in and under the					
Buildings - non-specialised	7	Sales Comparison Approach/Cost Approach	Fair Value	2016	Improvements to land using construction costs and current condition, residual values and remaining useful life assessments inputs
Furniture and equipment	ო	Market Approach	Management Valuation	2016	Purchase costs and current condition, residual values and remaining useful life assessments inputs
Plant and equipment	2	Sales Comparison Approach	Fair Value	2016	Purchase costs and current condition, residual values and remaining useful life assessments inputs

Level 3 inputs are based on assumptions with regards to future values and patterns of consumption utilising current information. If the basis of these assumptions were varied, they have the potential to result in a significantly higher or lower fair value measurement.

During the period there were no changes in the valuation techniques used by the local government to determine the fair value of property, plant and equipment using either level 2 or level 3 inputs.

8 (a). INFRASTRUCTURE	2016 \$	2015 \$
o (a). INFRASTRUCTURE		
Roads		
- Management valuation 2015 - level 3	44,536,576	44,536,576
- Additions after valuation - cost	1,126,226	0
Less accumulated depreciation	(10,351,988)	(8,813,197)
	35,310,814	35,723,379
Parks and Ovals		
- Management valuation 2015 - level 3	1,233,740	1,233,740
- Additions after valuation - cost	406,263	0
Less accumulated depreciation	(486,436)	(406,740)
	1,153,567	827,000
Other Infrastructure		
- Management valuation 2015 - level 3	1,080,408	1,080,408
- Additions after valuation - cost	252,606	0
Less accumulated depreciation	(371,569)	(329,408)
	961,445	751,000
Airport		
- Management valuation 2015 - level 3	2,637,643	2,637,643
- Additions after valuation - cost	6,627	0
Less accumulated depreciation	(1,078,896)	(974,643)
	1,565,374	1,663,000
Drainage and Sewerage		
- Management valuation 2015 - level 3	485,000	485,000
Less accumulated depreciation	(252,246)	(245,000)
	232,754	240,000
Work in Progress		
- Other Infrastructure - Cost	0	115,254
	0	115,254
	39,223,954	39,319,633

The fair value of infrastructure is determined at least every three years in accordance with the regulatory framework. Additions since the date of valuation are shown as cost. Given they were acquired at arms length and any accumulated depreciation reflects the usage of service potential, it is considered the recorded written down value approximates fair value. At the end of each intervening period the valuation is reviewed and, where appropriate, the fair value is updated to reflect current market conditions. This process is considered to be in accordance with Local *Government (Financial Management)Regulation 17A (2)* which requires infrastructure to be shown at fair value.

### 8. INFRASTRUCTURE (Continued)

### (b) Movements in Carrying Amounts

Movement in the carrying amounts of each class of infrastructure between the beginning and the end of the current financial year.

	Balance as at the Beginning of the Year	Additions	(Disposals)	Revaluation Increments/ (Decrements) Transferred to	Revaluation (Loss)/ Reversal Transferred to	Impairment (Losses)/ Reversals	Depreciation (Expense)	Transfers	Carrying Amount at the End of the Year
	49	49	4	S S	\$	49	49	49	44
Roads	35,723,379	1,126,226	0	0	0	0	(1,538,770)	(21)	35,310,814
Parks and Ovals	827,000	294,953	0	0	0	0	(969'62)	111,310	1,153,567
Other Infrastructure	751,000	126,318	0	0	0	0	(42,161)	126,288	961,445
Airport	1,663,000	0	0	0	0	0	(104,253)	6,627	1,565,374
Drainage and Sewerage	240,000	0	0	0	0	0	(7,246)	0	232,754
Work in Progress	115,254	0	0	0	0	0	0	(115,254)	0
Total infrastructure	39,319,633	1,547,497	0	0	0	0	(1,772,126)	128,950	39,223,954

### 8. INFRASTRUCTURE (Continued)

### (c) Fair Value Measurements

f last Inputs used	Construction costs and current condition, residual values and remaining useful life assessments inputs	Construction costs and current condition, residual values and remaining useful life assessments inputs	Construction costs and current condition, residual values and remaining useful life assessments inputs	Construction costs and current condition, residual values and remaining useful life assessments inputs	Construction costs and current condition, residual values and remaining useful life assessments inputs
Date of last Valuation	2015	2015	2015	2015	2015
Basis of valuation	Depreciated Replacement Value	Fair Value	Fair Value	Fair Value	Fair Value
Valuation Technique	Cost Approach				
Fair Value Hierarchy	ო	м	м	м	м
Asset Class	Roads	Parks and Ovals	Other Infrastructure	Airport	Drainage and Sewerage

Level 3 inputs are based on assumptions with regards to future values and patterns of consumption utilising current information. If the basis of these assumptions were varied, they have the potential to result in a significantly higher or lower fair value measurement.

During the period there were no changes in the valuation techniques used to determine the fair value of infrastructure using level 3 inputs.

	2016 \$	2015 \$
9. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES		
Current		
Sundry creditors	64,171	0
Accrued salaries and wages	37,717	40,930
ATO liabilities	3,319	0
Payroll Creditors	33,465	22,316
Accrued Expenses	33,425	200,827
Rates Creditors	0	11,931
Deposits and Bonds	11,657	12,011
	183,754	288,015

### 10. LONG-TERM BORROWINGS

The Shire did not have any long term borrowings at the reporting date.

### 11. PROVISIONS

	Provision for Annual Leave \$	Provision for Long Service Leave \$	Total \$
Opening balance at 1 July 2015			
Current provisions	61,594	3,652	65,246
Non-current provisions	0	2,891	2,891
	61,594	6,543	68,137
Additional provision	(20,729)	9,882	(10,847)
Balance at 30 June 2016	40,865	16,425	57,290
Comprises			
Current	40,865	2,355	43,220
Non-current	0	14,070	14,070
	40,865	16,425	57,290

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12. RESERVES - CASH BACKED

	Actual 2016	Actual 2016	Actual 2016	Actual 2016	Budget 2016	Budget 2016	Budget 2016	Budget 2016	Actual 2015	Actual 2015	Actual 2015	Actual 2015
	Opening Balance	Transfer to	Transfer (from)	Closing Balance	Opening Balance	Transfer to	Transfer (from)	Closing Balance	Opening Balance	Transfer to	Transfer (from)	Closing Balance
Long Service Leave Reserve	7.556	20.612	<b>~</b>	28 168	7 549	20.724	e A	28 273	7 326	230	<i>•</i>	7 556
Plant Replacement Reserve	93,688	198,667	0	292,355	(1,336)	219,986	0	218,650	581.071	251.735	(739.118)	93,688
Building Maintenance Reserve	151,034	370,654	0	521,688	150,888	372,668	0	523,556	47,261	103,773	0	151.034
Airport Reserve	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,909	49	(5,958)	0
Community Bus Reserve	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,427	37	(4,464)	0
Community Television Reserve	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,364	78	(9,442)	0
Resource Centre Reserve	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	369,677	3,090	(372,767)	0
Streetscape Reserve	157,037	337,916	0	494,953	156,886	372,435	0	529,321	3,496	153,541	0	157,037
Sports Complex Reserve	89,709	2,863	0	92,572	89,623	2,895	0	92,518	86,976	2,733	0	89,709
Telecentre Reserve	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21,062	176	(21,238)	0
Tourist Park Development												
Reserve	102,289	2,768	0	105,057	102,191	2,453	0	104,644	41,227	61,062	0	102,289
Water Playground Reserve	21,837	612	0	22,449	22,189	532	0	22,721	11,273	90,564	(80,000)	21,837
Community Benefit Fund												
Reserve	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	170,692	1,426	(172,118)	0
Beringarra Road Reserve	3,748,597	88,474	(10,615)	3,826,456	3,744,993	77,880	(500,000)	3,322,873	0	3,748,597	0	3,748,597
Tourism Reserve	76,715	1,815	0	78,530	76,642	1,839	0	78,481	0	76,715	0	76,715
Housing/Land Development												
Reserve	65,386	1,557	0	66,943	65,324	1,568	0	66,892	0	65,386	0	65,386
Heritage Reserve	51,144	347,516	0	398,660	51,094	369,866	0	420,960	0	51,144	0	51,144
	4,564,992	1,373,454	(10,615)	5,927,831	4,466,043	1,442,846	(200,000)	5,408,889	1,359,761	4,610,336	(1,405,105)	4,564,992

All of the reserve accounts are supported by money held in financial institutions and match the amount shown as restricted cash in Note 3 to this financial report.

### 12. RESERVES - CASH BACKED

In accordance with council resolutions in relation to each reserve account, the purpose for which the reserves are set aside and their anticipated date of use are as follows:

\*\*Articipated\*\*

Housing/Land Development - as required - to be used to assist with the provision of affordable housing and the establishment of an incubator hub. Reserve - as required - to be used to maintain/renovate/promote heritage places and buildings owned or under a Shire management order.	Name of Reserve Long Service Leave Reserve Plant Replacement Reserve Building Maintenance Reserve Airport Reserve Community Bus Reserve Community Television Reserve Resource Centre Reserve Streetscape Reserve Streetscape Reserve Streetscape Reserve Telecentre Reserve Telecentre Reserve Telecentre Reserve Complex Reserve Reserve Water Playground Reserve Community Benefit Fund Reserve Beringarra Road Reserve Tourism Reserve	date of use  - as required  - as required	date of use Purpose of the reserve  4 be used to find long service leave requirements.  4 be used to find long service leave requirements.  4 be used to find maintenance and capital expenditure on Council owned buildings.  4 be used for the organizer and upkeep of the Airport. \$5,740 represents the social benefit given to the Shire at the time the Council as required.  5 be used for the operation of the Airport.  6 be used for maintain and replace the community bus.  7 as required.  9 be used to maintain and replace the community bus.  9 be used to maintain and replace the community bus.  10 be used to maintain and replace the community the town centre of Cue.  11 be used to fund streetscape improvements within the town centre of Cue.  12 as required.  13 to be used to fund the development of the Cue Tourist Park.  14 as required.  15 be used to fund the development of the Cue Tourist Park.  16 as required.  17 be used to fund the development of the Water Playground.  18 as required.  19 be used to fund the maintenance and capital expenditure on Beringarra Road.  20 be used to fund maintenance and capital expenditure and programs.
	Housing/Land Development Reserve Heritage Reserve	- as required - as required	- to be used to assist with the provision of affordable housing and the establishment of an incubator hub. - to be used to maintain/renovate/promote heritage places and buildings owned or under a Shire management order.

### 13. REVALUATION SURPLUS

				2016					2015	
	2016	2016	2016	Total	2016	2015	2015	2015	Total	2015
	Opening	Revaluation	Revaluation	Movement on	Closing	Opening	Revaluation	Revaluation	Movement on	Closing
	Balance	Increment	Decrement	Revaluation		Balance	Increment	Decrement	Revaluation	Balance
	49	44	4	•	4	4	44	w	<b>G</b>	49
Land and buildings	5,739,944	0	(437,201)	(437,201)	5,302,743	5,749,944	0	(10,000)	(10,000)	5,739,944
Furniture and equipment	76,014	0	(24,690)	(24,690)	51,324	82,214	0	(6,200)	(6,200)	76,014
Plant and equipment	124,543	299,020	0	299,020	423,563	29,382	95,161	0	95,161	124,543
Roads	27,849,209	0	0	0	27,849,209	39,285,332	0	(11,436,123)	(11,436,123)	27,849,209
Other Infrastructure	40,344	0	0	0	40,344	107,810	0	(67,466)	(67,466)	40,344
Airport	922,288	0	0	0	922,288	0	922,288	0	922,288	922,288
Drainage and Sewerage	96,014	0	0	0	96,014	0	96,014	0	96,014	96,014
	34,848,356	299,020	(461,891)	(162,871)	34,685,485	45,254,682	1,113,463	(11,519,789)	(10,406,326)	34,848,356

Movements on revaluation of fixed assets are not able to be reliably attributed to a program as the assets were revalued by class as provided for by AASB 116 Aus 40.1.

### 14. NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

### (a) Reconciliation of Cash

For the purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, cash includes cash and cash equivalents, net of outstanding bank overdrafts. Cash at the end of the reporting period is reconciled to the related items in the Statement of Financial Position as follows:

		2016 \$	2016 Budget \$	2015 \$
	Cash and cash equivalents	7,748,757	5,413,480	7,926,883
(b)	Reconciliation of Net Cash Provided By Operating Activities to Net Result			
	Net result	(317,820)	9,921,988	2,780,160
	Non-cash flows in Net result:  Depreciation (Profit)/Loss on sale of asset Loss on revaluation of fixed assets Reversal of loss on revaluation of fixed assets Changes in assets and liabilities: (Increase)/Decrease in receivables & other assets (Increase)/Decrease in inventories Increase/(Decrease) in payables Increase/(Decrease) in provisions Grants contributions for the development of assets Net cash from operating activities	2,320,756 (9,720) 0 0 8,241 3,033 (104,261) (10,847) (892,206) 997,176	1,743,544 4,646 0 160,000 0 0 0 (11,632,641) 197,537	2,283,909 (35,043) 155,881 129,164 (4,414) 133,858 9,190 (2,919,422) 2,533,283
(c)	Undrawn Borrowing Facilities Credit Standby Arrangements Bank overdraft limit Bank overdraft at balance date Credit card limit Credit card balance at balance date Total amount of credit unused  Loan facilities	2016 \$ 2,100,000 0 15,000 0 2,115,000		2015 \$ 100,000 0 15,000 0 115,000
	Loan facilities - current Loan facilities - non-current Total facilities in use at balance date	0 0		0 0 0
	Unused loan facilities at balance date	NIL		NIL

### 15. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

There were no known contingent liabilities as at 30 June 2016.

	2016	2015
16. CAPITAL AND LEASING COMMITMENTS	\$	\$

### (a) Operating Lease Commitments

The Shire did not have any future operating lease commitments at the reporting date.

### (b) Capital Expenditure Commitments

Contracted for:

- capital expenditure projects	2,374,239	172,150
Payable:		
- not later than one year	2 374 239	172 150

Uncompleted Flood Damage works committed at 30 June 2016.

Commitment to Water Park Upgrade entered in April 2015 and was paid August 2015.

### 17. JOINT VENTURE ARRANGEMENTS

The Shire is not involved in any joint venture arrangements.

### 18. TOTAL ASSETS CLASSIFIED BY FUNCTION AND ACTIVITY

	2016 \$	2015 \$
General purpose funding	1,934,935	2,401
Law, order, public safety Health	9,000 5,000	6,289 2,941
Housing	1,346,892	1,788,477
Community amenities Recreation and culture	179,292 3,566,185	159,376 2,135,061
Transport	42,451,223	21,305,090
Economic services Other property and services	3,820,247 3,805,214	3,157,418 3,398,778
Unallocated	0	25,757,956
	57,117,988	57,713,787

19	. FINANCIAL RATIOS	2016	2015	2014	
	Current ratio Asset sustainability ratio Debt service cover ratio Operating surplus ratio Own source revenue coverage ratio The above ratios are calculated as follows:	10.62 0.67 0 (0.44) 0.27	6.00 * 1.42 95.49 (0.05) 0.49	28.88 0.42 52.96 (0.47) 0.52	
	Current ratio	current liabilitie	ts minus restricted s minus liabilities a restricted assets		
	Asset sustainability ratio		and replacement ereciation expenses	xpenditure	
	Debt service cover ratio	annual operating surplus before interest and depreciation principal and interest			
	Operating surplus ratio		ue minus operating rce operating rever	The state of the s	
	Own source revenue coverage ratio		rce operating rever	nue	

### Notes:

\* The current ratio at 30 June 2015 has been restated due to unrestricted cash at 30 June 2015 being decreased by \$261,423 and restricted cash increased by \$261,423 due to correction of the unexpended grant balance for the R4R - CLGF Regional Groups 2012-13 Round 4 (Industrial Development Project). Refer to note 2(c) for further detail

Information relating to the **asset consumption ratio** and the **asset renewal funding ratio** can be found at Supplementary Ratio Information on Page 60 of this document.

Two of the 2016 and 2015 ratios disclosed above are distorted by the early receipt of half of the allocation of the 2015-16 Financial Assistance Grant on 30 June 2015.

The early payment of the grant increased operating revenue in 2015 and decreased operating revenue in 2016 by \$847,811.

The early payment was considered to be "one-off" and if recognised in the year to which the allocation related the calculations in the 2016 and 2015 columns above would be as follows:

	2016	2015
Debt service cover ratio	0	57.76
Operating surplus ratio	0.19	(0.37)

### 20. TRUST FUNDS

Funds held at balance date over which the Shire has no control and which are not included in the financial statements are as follows:

	1 July 2015 \$	Amounts Received \$	Amounts Paid (\$)	30 June 2016 \$
Cue LCDC	2,080 2,080	0		2,080 2,080

### 21. DISPOSALS OF ASSETS - 2015/16 FINANCIAL YEAR

The following assets were disposed of during the year.

	Actual Net Book Value \$	Actual Sale Proceeds \$	Actual Profit \$	Actual Loss \$	Budget Net Book Value \$	Budget Sale Proceeds \$	Budget Profit \$	Budget Loss \$
Plant and Equipment Transport								
Nissan Patrol	22,819	23,637	818	0	29,939	20,000	0	(9,939)
Isuzu NPR 300	0	0	0	0	7,455	10,000	2,545	0
Toyota Hilux	42,536	21,818	0	(20,718)	27,252	30,000	2,748	0
Toyota Prado	26,640	32,727	6,087	0	0	0	0	0
Holden Colorado	17,219	20,909	3,690	0	0	0	0	0
Tandem Axle Trailer	9,157	29,000	19,843	0	0	0	0	0
	118,371	128,091	30,438	(20,718)	64,646	60,000	5,293	(9,939)

### 22. INFORMATION ON BORROWINGS

(a) Repayments - Debentures

The Shire did not have any debentures during the year ended 30 June 2016.

(b) New Debentures - 2015/16

The Shire did not take up any new debentures during the year ended 30 June 2016.

(c) Unspent Debentures

The Shire did not have any unspent debentures as at 30 June 2016.

(d) Overdraft

Council has not utilised an overdraft facility during the financial year although an overdraft facility of \$2,100,000 with the Commonwealth Bank does exist. \$2,000,000 of the overdraft facility is available to cover the flood damage capital expenditure as required. The balance of the bank overdraft at 1 July 2015 and 30 June 2016 was \$nil.

23. RATING INFORMATION - 2015/16 FINANCIAL YEAR

		Nimber						Budget	Budget	Budget	Rudget
	Rate in	o	Rateable	Rate	Interim	Back	Total	Rate	Interim	Back	Total
	49	Properties	Value	Revenue	Rates	Rates	Revenue	Revenue	Rate	Rate	Revenue
RATE TYPE			\$	\$	\$	49	\$	s	\$	s	s
Differential general rate / general rate											
Gross rental value valuations											
GRV Residential	10.11	82	448,032	45,296	0	0	45,296	44,860	0	0	44,860
GRV Commercial	8.65	10	373,148	32,277	0	0	32,277	33,178	0	0	33,178
GRV Unimproved	9.82	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRV M&T Workforce	30.00	2	303,888	91,166	0	0	91,166	91,166	0	0	91,166
				0			0				0
Unimproved value valuations UV Mining	30.56	290	6.492.446	1.984.091	(31,988)	15,329	1.967.432	1.822.241	0	0	1 822 241
UV Pastoral	8.02	4	502,918	40,334	0	0		51,702	0	0	51,702
Sub-Total		398	8,120,432	2,193,164	(31,988)	15,329	2,176,505	2,043,147	0	0	2,043,147
Minimizer Minimizer	Minimum			333.0							
millioni payment	9										
Gross rental value valuations											
GRV Residential	430	44	110,869	18,920	0	0	18,920	19,350	0	0	19,350
GRV Commercial	430	ø	24,665	3,440	0	0	3,440	3,870	0	0	3,870
GRV Unimproved	520	32	7,712	16,640	(3)	0	16,637	17,680	0	0	17,680
Unimproved value valuations	Ç	0	000	71	C	C	77	000	C	C	000
DV MINING	450	671	170,00	074/00	>	)	0,4,00	00,00	>	0	00,000
UV Pastoral	430	3	10,400	1,290	0	0	1,290	430	0	0	430
Sub-Total		216	240,467	95,760	(3)	0	95,757	97,660	0	0	97,660
		614	8,360,899	2,288,924	(31,991)	15,329	2,272,262	2,140,807	0	0	2,140,807
Pates Written Off							(AN AR2)				(75,000)
Totals						1 11	2,231,800			1 11	2,065,807

### 24. NET CURRENT ASSETS

Composition of net current assets

Composition of net current assets	2016 (30 June 2016 Carried Forward) \$	2016 (1 July 2015 Brought Forward) \$	2015 (30 June 2015 Carried Forward) \$
Surplus/(Deficit) 1 July 15 brought forward	2,097,644	3,522,788	3,522,788
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents			
Unrestricted	1,607,775	1,560,863	1,822,186
Restricted	6,140,982	6,366,020	6,104,697
Receivables			
Rates outstanding	258,543	430,323	430,323
Sundry debtors	155,005	14,885	14,885
GST receivable	92,582	33,708	33,708
Accrued Income	46,255	0	0
Provision for Doubtful Debts	(66,402)	(35,500)	(35,500)
Inventories			
Fuel and materials	10,613	10,011	10,011
History books	7,096	10,731	10,731
Other Current Assets			
MRVC - Deposit	0	50,000	50,000
LESS: CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Trade and other payables			
Sundry creditors	(64,171)	0	0
Accrued salaries and wages	(37,717)	(40,930)	(40,930)
ATO liabilities	(3,319)	0	0
Payroll Creditors	(33,465)	(22,316)	(22,316)
Accrued Expenses	(33,425)	(200,827)	(200,827)
Rates Creditors	0	(11,931)	(11,931)
Deposits and Bonds	(11,657)	(12,011)	(12,011)
Provisions			
Provision for annual leave	(40,865)	(61,594)	(61,594)
Provision for long service leave	(2,355)	(3,652)	(3,652)
Unadjusted net current assets	8,025,475	8,087,780	8,087,780
Adjustments			
Less: Reserves - restricted cash	(5,927,831)	(4,564,992)	(4,564,992)
Adjusted net current assets - surplus/(deficit)	2,097,644	3,522,788	3,522,788

### **Difference**

There was no difference between the surplus/(deficit) 1 July 2015 brought forward position used in the 2016 audited financial report and the surplus/(deficit) carried forward position as disclosed in the 2015 audited financial report.

### 25. SPECIFIED AREA RATE - 2015/16 FINANCIAL YEAR

The Shire did not impose any Specified Area Rates.

### 26. SERVICE CHARGES - 2015/16 FINANCIAL YEAR

The Shire did not impose any service charges.

## 27. DISCOUNTS, INCENTIVES, CONCESSIONS, & WRITE-OFFS - 2015/16 FINANCIAL YEAR

No discounts are offered for early payment of rates.

## 28. INTEREST CHARGES AND INSTALMENTS - 2015/16 FINANCIAL YEAR

		Instalment	Instalment	<b>Unpaid Rates</b>
		Plan	Plan	Interest
		8	Interest Rate %	Rate %
Instalment Options		15	%00.0	11.00%
First Instalment	11/10/2015			
Second Instalment	11/12/2015			
nent	11/02/2016			
Ilment	11/04/2016			
				Budgeted
			Revenue	Revenue
			s	
nterest on unpaid rates			46,100	
Interest on instalment plan			2,020	
		•	48,120	22,000
		•		

29. FEES & CHARGES	<b>2016</b> \$	2015 \$
General purpose funding	450	600
Law, order, public safety	2,341	1,810
Health	283	709
Housing	18,886	17,268
Community amenities	55,507	48,098
Recreation and culture	1,154	1,304
Transport	4,383	15,752
Economic services	214,885	204,151
Other property and services	16,440	6,006
•	314,329	295,698

There were no changes during the year to the amount of the fees or charges detailed in the original budget except for a correction to the wording for cemetery charges to a person over 14 years of age and a person under 14 years of age. This was an administrative change only and did not change the amount of the charge.

### 30. GRANT REVENUE

30. GRANT REVENUE				
Grants, subsidies and contributions are included as ope	erating			
revenues in the Statement of Comprehensive Income:				
-		2016		2015
By Nature or Type:		\$		\$
Operating grants, subsidies and contributions				
General purpose funding		843,921		2,514,587
Law, order, public safety		6,422		7,502
Health		0		55,000
Recreation and culture		15,644		4,890
Transport		5,034,499		0
Economic services		8,999		407
Other property and services		56,888		24,825
		5,966,373	_	2,607,211
Non-operating grants, subsidies and contributions			_	
General purpose funding		0		358,405
Recreation and culture		86,075		24,680
Transport		806,131		2,488,617
Economic services		0		47,720
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		0.000.00000	=	
		6,858,579		5,526,633
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24 FMDI OVEE NUMBERS				
31. EMPLOYEE NUMBERS				
The number of full-time equivalent				
employees at balance date		20		17
employees at balance date			_	17
			2016	
AS ELECTED MEMBERS DEMINERATION		2046	Budget	2045
32. ELECTED MEMBERS REMUNERATION		2016 \$		2015
The fellowing feed avenues and allowances were		Ð	\$	\$
The following fees, expenses and allowances were				
paid to council members and/or the president.				
Marchael Fare		20.927	24 500	20 402
Meeting Fees		30,837	31,500	30,423
President's allowance		10,500	10,500	10,909
Deputy President's allowance		2,616	2,625	2,727
Travelling expenses		18,884	20,000	17,387
Telecommunications allowance		16,159	17,640	15,400
		78,996	82,265	76,846
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### 33. MAJOR LAND TRANSACTIONS

The Shire did not participate in any major land transactions during the 2015/16 financial year.

### 34. TRADING UNDERTAKINGS AND MAJOR TRADING UNDERTAKINGS

If the Shire did participate in any trading undertakings or major trading undertakings during the 2015/16 financial year.

### 35. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

The Shire's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks including price risk, credit risk, liquidity risk and interest rate risk. The Shire's overall risk management focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the financial performance of the Shire.

The Shire does not engage in transactions expressed in foreign currencies and is therefore not subject to foreign currency risk.

Financial risk management is carried out by the finance area under policies approved by the Council.

The Shire held the following financial instruments at balance date:

Carrying Value Fair Value	Carryi
016 2015 2016 2015	2016
\$ \$ \$	\$
	ets
748,757 7,926,883 7,748,757 7,926,883	n equivalents 7,748,757
	488,868
237,625 8,373,992 8,237,625 8,409,492	8,237,625
	ilities
183,754 288,015 183,754 288,015	183,754
0 0 0	0
183,754 288,015 183,754 288,015	183,754
488,868     447,109     488,868     482,66       237,625     8,373,992     8,237,625     8,409,49       183,754     288,015     183,754     288,0       0     0     0     0	7,748,757 488,868 8,237,625

Fair value is determined as follows:

- Cash and cash equivalents, receivables, payables estimated to the carrying value which approximates net market value.
- Borrowings, held to maturity investments, estimated future cash flows discounted by the current market interest rates applicable to assets and liabilities with similar risk profiles.
- Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss, available for sale financial assets based on quoted market prices at the reporting date or independent valuation.

### 35. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

(a) Cash and Cash Equivalents

Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss Available-for-sale financial assets Held-to-maturity investments

The Shire's objective is to maximise its return on cash and investments whilst maintaining an adequate level of liquidity and preserving capital. The finance area manages the cash and investments portfolio with the assistance of independent advisers (where applicable). Council has an investment policy and the policy is subject to review by Council. An Investment Report is provided to Council on a monthly basis setting out the make-up and performance of the portfolio.

The major risk associated with investments is price risk - the risk that the capital value of investments may fluctuate due to changes in market prices, whether these changes are caused by factors specific to individual financial instruments of their issuers or factors affecting similar instruments traded in a market.

Cash and investments are also subject to interest rate risk - the risk that movements in interest rates could affect returns.

Another risk associated with cash is credit risk – the risk that a contracting entity will not complete its obligations under a financial instrument resulting in a financial loss to the Shire.

The Shire manages these risks by diversifying its portfolio and only investing in investments authorised by *Local Government (Financial Management) Regulation 19C*. Council also seeks advice from independent advisers (where considered necessary) before placing any cash and investments.

Impact of a 1% <sup>(1)</sup> movement in interest rates on cash	2016 \$	2015 \$
- Equity - Statement of Comprehensive Income	77,488 77,488	79,269 79,269 <sup>(2)</sup>

### Notes:

- (1) Sensitivity percentages based on management's expectation of future possible market movements.
- (2) Maximum impact.

### 35. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

### (b) Receivables

The Shire's major receivables comprise rates and annual charges and user charges and fees. The major risk associated with these receivables is credit risk – the risk that the debts may not be repaid. The Shire manages this risk by monitoring outstanding debt and employing debt recovery policies.

Credit risk on rates and annual charges is minimised by the ability of the Shire to recover these debts as a secured charge over the land – that is, the land can be sold to recover the debt. The Shire is also able to charge interest on overdue rates and annual charges at higher than market rates, which further encourages payment.

The level of outstanding receivables is reported to Council monthly and benchmarks are set and monitored for acceptable collection performance.

The Shire makes suitable provision for doubtful receivables as required and carries out credit checks on most non-rate debtors.

There are no material receivables that have been subject to a re-negotiation of repayment terms.

The profile of the Shire's credit risk at balance date was:

	2016	2015
Percentage of rates and annual charges		
- Current - Overdue	0% 100%	0% 100%
Percentage of other receivables		
- Current - Overdue	93% 7%	53% 47%

### 35. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

(c) Payables

Borrowings

as and when they fall due. The Shire manages this risk by monitoring its cash flow requirements and liquidity levels and maintaining an adequate Payables and borrowings are both subject to liquidity risk - that is the risk that insufficient funds may be on hand to meet payment obligations cash buffer. Payment terms can be extended and overdraft facilities drawn upon if required.

The contractual undiscounted cash flows of the Shire's Payables and Borrowings are set out in the Liquidity Sensitivity Table below:

2016	Due within 1 year	Due between 1 & 5 years \$	Due after 5 years \$	Total contractual cash flows	Carrying values
Payables	183,754 183,754	00	00	183,754	183,754
2015					
Payables	288,015 288,015	0 0	0 0	288,015	288,015 288,015

### 35. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

### (c) Payables Borrowings (continued)

Borrowings are also subject to interest rate risk - the risk that movements in interest rates could adversely affect funding costs. The Shire manages this risk by borrowing long term and fixing the interest rate to the situation considered the most advantageous at the time of negotiation.

nterest Rate %00.0 %00.0 Weighted Average Effective 0 0 Total %00.0 0 0.00% 0 >5 years The following tables set out the carrying amount, by maturity, of the financial instruments exposed to interest rate risk: 0 0.00% 0 0.00% >4<5 years 0 %00.0 >3<4 years 0 0.00% 0.00% 0 %00.0 >2<3 years 0 %00.0 0 0.00% >1<2 years 0 0.00% 0 0.00% 0 <1 year Year ended 30 June 2016 Year ended 30 June 2015 Effective interest rate Effective interest rate Weighted average Weighted average Borrowings Borrowings Debentures Debentures Fixed rate Fixed rate

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### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SHIRE OF CUE

### **Report on the Financial Report**

We have audited the accompanying financial report of the Shire of Cue, which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2016, the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity, the rate setting statement, and the statement of cash flows for the year ended 30 June 2016, a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory notes, and the Chief Executive Officer's statement.

### Management's responsibility for the financial report

Management is responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, the Local Government Act 1995 (as amended) and the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1996 (as amended), and for such internal control as Management determines necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

### Auditor's responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These Auditing Standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks and material misstatements of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Shire's preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Shire's internal controls. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by Council, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

We believe the audit evidence we obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

### Independence

In conducting our audit, we followed applicable independence requirements of Australian professional ethical pronouncements.





### **Opinion**

In our opinion, the financial report of the Shire of Cue:

- i. gives a true and fair view of the Shire of Cue's financial position as at 30 June 2016 and of its performance for the financial year ended 30 June 2016;
- ii. complies with Australian Accounting Standards; and
- iii. is prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Local Government Act 1995 (as amended) and the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1996 (as amended).

### **Statutory Compliance**

In accordance with the Local Government (Audit) Regulations 1996, we also report that:

- i. There are no matters that in our opinion indicate significant adverse trends in the financial position or the financial management practices of the Shire.
- ii. There are no other matters indicating non-compliance with Part 6 of the Local Government Act 1995 (as amended), the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1996 (as amended) or applicable financial controls or any other written law noted during the course of our audit, with exception of the following:
  - > The Shire of Cue did not seek Ministerial approval to adopt a minimum rate payment that would apply to more than 50% of the properties in the category of GRV unimproved (minimum payments in this category applied to 100% of the properties), as required by section 6.35 of the Local Government Act 1995.
- iii. The asset consumption ratio and asset renewal ratios included in the annual financial report are supported by verifiable information and reasonable assumptions.
- iv. All necessary information and explanations were obtained by us.
- v. All audit procedures were satisfactorily completed during our audit.

**AMD Chartered Accountants** 

**MARIA CAVALLO** 

Partner

Bunbury, Western Australia

Dated this 9th day of November 2016

### SHIRE OF CUE SUPPLEMENTARY RATIO INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 2016

### **RATIO INFORMATION**

The following information relates to those ratios which only require attestation they have been checked and are supported by verifiable information. It does not form part of the audited financial report

	2016	2015	2014
Asset consumption ratio Asset renewal funding ratio	0.637 0.735	0.792 0.682	0.519 0.554
The above ratios are calculated as follows:			
Asset consumption ratio	depreciated replacement costs of assets current replacement cost of depreciable assets		
Asset renewal funding ratio	NPV of planning capital renewal over 10 years  NPV of required capital expenditure over 10 years		

