SHIRE OF LEONORA



MINUTES OF AUDIT AND RISK COMMITTEE MEETING

HELD 16 SEPTEMBER 2014, AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE COMMENCING AT 11:55AM.

1.0 DECLARATION OF OPENING / FINANCIAL INTEREST DISCLOSURE

1.1 Mr JG Epis declared the meeting open at 11:55am.

1.2 Elections of Chair & Deputy Chair

1.2.1 Chair

Mr J G Epis called for nominations for Chair of the Audit and Risk Committee.

Cr RA Norrie nominated Cr PJ Craig for the position of chair of the Audit and Risk Committee. The nomination was seconded by Cr GW Baker.

There being no further nominations, Cr PJ Craig was declared elected unopposed as Chair of the Audit and Risk Committee.

1.2.2 Deputy Chair

Mr J G Epis called for nominations for Deputy Chair of the Audit and Risk Committee.

Cr MWV Taylor nominated Cr RA Norrie for the position of deputy chair of the Audit and Risk Committee. The nomination was seconded by Cr PJ Craig.

There being no further nominations, Cr RA Norrie was declared elected unopposed as Deputy Chair of the Audit and Risk Committee.

2.0 RECORD OF ATTENDANCE / APOLOGIES / LEAVE OF ABSENCE

2.1 Present

President PJ Craig
Deputy President RA Norrie
Councillors RM Cotterill
MWV Taylor
AE Taylor

GW Baker

Chief Executive OfficerJG EpisDeputy Chief Executive OfficerTM BrowningManager Community ServicesSG Butson

2.2 Apologies

Councillor LR Petersen

3.0 CONFIRMATION OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

As this is the first meeting of the Audit and Risk Committee, there are no previous minutes to be considered.

The meeting was adjourned at 12pm for a short comfort break. The meeting resumed at 12:04pm with all those previously listed on the record of attendance, present.

4.0 REPORTS OF OFFICERS

4.1 CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

4.0 REPORTS OF OFFICERS

4.2 DEPUTY CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER 4.2.1 INTERNAL AUDIT FRAMEWORK UP DATE

SUBMISSION TO: Meeting of Audit Committee

Meeting Date: 16 September 2014

AGENDA REFERENCE: 4.2.1 September 2014

SUBJECT: Internal Audit Framework

LOCATION / ADDRESS: Nil

NAME OF APPLICANT: Nil

FILE REFERENCE: Nil

AUTHOR, DISCLOSURE OF ANY INTEREST AND DATE OF REPORT

NAME: Tanya Browning

OFFICER: Deputy Chief Executive Officer

INTEREST DISCLOSURE: Nil

DATE: 11 September 2014

BACKGROUND

The Shire has been undertaking a review of its risk profile as part of the implementation of the Risk Management Framework.

For the Audit Committee to note:

- the progress made on the Risk Management Framework;
- the draft Strategic and Operational Risks;
- the proposed introduction of a Risk Services Program to guide the internal audit activity and function and other monitoring and reviewing activities that may need to be undertaken. This program would be subject to change and modification during the year on the authorisation of the Chief Executive Officer.

The program would set out the internal audit activity for the year 2014-15 to be carried out by the Shire Internal Audit Function (which reports directly to the Chief Executive Officer for assigned activities). The internal audit activity would be established in consultation between the Chief Executive Officer, the Deputy Chief Executive Officer and Senior Officers to address areas that present risks to the Shire's operations.

DETAILS

The Shire has undertaken a review of its risk profile and established a draft set of Strategic and Operational Risks for the Audit Committee to consider. A number of operational and strategic risks have been identified. It is proposed that a Risk Services Program be established to encompass monitoring and reporting on activities as determined by the Chief Executive Officer on a monthly, quarterly and annual basis in accordance with the Framework established. This includes the management of the Strategic and Operational Risk Register's. Financial and operational analysis will be undertaken if required to inform risk management decision making and to provide confidence and integrity of data and/or information.

Internal audit activity focuses on areas of risk including financial and non-financial systems and compliance with legislation, regulations, policies and best practice. Where required, action plans will be developed and agreed with management for audit recommendations and follow-ups conducted to ensure that they are implemented as agreed. Criteria has been established to determine and report on the status of each recommendation and the overall status of each internal audit assignment. The status of internal audit recommendations will be reported to the Chief Executive Officer on a monthly basis and the Audit Committee quarterly. Action plans, if required, will be developed following the monitoring and reviewing activities when improvements are identified

It is therefore recommended that the Audit Committee NOTES:

- 1. Draft Strategic Risks and Controls
- 2. Draft Operational Risks and controls

POLICY IMPLICATIONS

The Risk Management Policy outlines the Shire's commitment and approach to managing risks that may impact on its day-to-day operations and threaten the achievement of its objectives

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

Allocation was made in the 2014/2015 annual budget for the internal audit and risk function

STRATEGIC IMPLICATIONS

The Chief Executive Officer should play a key role in the establishment and development of an effective risk management framework, as it ultimately sets the operational tone of the Council, and should reflect the ethics, integrity and values espoused by the Council.

An effective and transparent risk management environment would focus on the following key areas:

- Integrity and ethical values
- Management's philosophy and operating style
- Organisation structure
- Performance measures
- Policies and procedures
- Human resources policy
- Internal Audit function
- The Audit Committee.

The role of the audit committee is to govern the integrity of the entity's financial information, systems of internal control, and the legal and ethical conduct of management and employees. The key role of internal audit is to provide assistance to the Council's audit committee in discharging its governance responsibilities. It does this by:

- Providing an objective assessment of existing risks and the internal control framework
- Performing reviews of the compliance framework and specific compliance issues
- Conducting regular analysis of business processes and associated controls.
- Performing ad hoc reviews for specific areas of concern, including unacceptable levels of risk

Internal audit is an independent appraisal service, and audit activity is an important element of risk management and a contributor to the mitigation of risk.

Monitoring and reviewing activities will provide evidence of the appropriateness and effectiveness of systems and procedures in regard to risk management, internal control and legislative compliance, as required by the Local Government (Audit) Regulations 1996.

RECOMMENDATIONS

That Committee NOTES:

- 1. Draft Strategic Risks and Controls
- 2. Draft Operational Risks and controls

VOTING REQUIREMENT

Simple Majority

COMMITTEE DECISION:

Moved Cr MWV Taylor, seconded Cr AE Taylor, that Committee NOTES:

- 1. Draft Strategic Risks and Controls
- 2. Draft Operational Risks and controls



Shire of LeonoraOperational Risk Report (Summary)

Administration

Risk Code OR-038 Risk Council does not obtain value for Responsible Officer(s) Dan Yates

money in relation to its

contractors

Risk Category Shire Reputation and Governance Review Frequency Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodUnlikelyRatingModerateConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

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Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodUnlikelyRatingModerateConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls On-going contract management process that identifies and manages deliverables, key

contract clauses, responsibilities and milestones

Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodUnlikelyRatingModerateConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Future Controls

Non-existent

Suitably qualified and/or independent personnel to sit on Selection Panel to ensure that

informed and objective decision is made when selecting suppliers / contractors.

Risk Solution

Council does not release milestone payments to suppliers / contractors until they meet all their associated objectives. Payments authorised by CEO and/or delegated senior officer

Administration

Risk Code OR-037 Risk Council is not able to Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning demonstrate that all probity issues have been addressed in the Contracting process

Shire Reputation and Governance **Review Frequency** Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Risk Category

Likelihood Rare Rating Low Critical 02/09/2014 Consequence Last Changed

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Rare Likelihood Rating Low

02/09/2014 Consequence Critical Last Changed

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Evaluation process exists both during the selection process and throughout the term of the

contract to ensure that supplier / contractor meet their objectives.

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Rare Rating Low

Consequence Critical Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Designated person (i.e. Internal or Probity Auditor) to review Contract process to ensure

compliance with Council policy and Guidelines.

Risk Solution

Robust and transparent selection processes to ensure effective and qualified suppliers / contractors are selected by Council. This includes compliance with Code of Conduct, Conflict

of Interest and procurement policies

Administration

Risk Code OR-029 Risk Council loses recurrent Grant Responsible Officer(s) Jim Epis funding to provide existing service

Risk Category Capacity to Deliver Services Review Frequency Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible **Rating** High

Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating High

Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Council has a grant revenue register which records details such as reporting deadlines,

amount and instalments expected and key milestones.

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible **Rating** High

Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Grant funding availability should be identified at the budget formulation stage. If future grant

funding not available, services levels to be reviewed at budget formulation stage.

Risk Solution

Council has a clear process to review services where grant funding has ceased to ensure it understands the financial impact on its sustainability.

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Administration

Risk Code	OR-017 Risk	Council makes poor investment decisions	Responsible Officer(s)	Tanya Browning
Risk Catego	ory Fina	ncial and Legal	Review Frequency	Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodUnlikelyRatingModerateConsequenceCriticalLast Changed02/09/2014

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Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodUnlikelyRatingModerateConsequenceCriticalLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Non-existent

Existing ControlsManagement monitor cash & anticipated future cash flows. Surplus funds invested in accordance with Council policy. Investment & transfer of funds approved by oficers in

accordance with levels of delegations.

Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodUnlikelyRatingModerateConsequenceCriticalLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Council reviews investment performance quarterly through a report from the CEO.

Risk Solution

Council has a clear and comprehensive investment policy to assist when making any decisions to invest funds.

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Administration

Risk Code OR-016	Risk Fraud	Responsible Officer(s)	Tanya Browning
Risk Category	Financial and Legal	Review Frequency	Half Year

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodRareRatingModerateConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014



Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodRareRatingModerateConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

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Existing Controls Cash transfers between bank accounts and investment bodies are approved by authorised

officer. Bank reconciliations are performed on a predetermined basis and are reviewed by an

authorised officer

Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodRareRatingModerateConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Risk Solution

Access to EFT Banking system restricted to appropriately designated personnel and procedures are in place to ensure that all cash collected is banked and properly recorded.



Shire of Leonora

CEO's Office

Administration

Risk Code OR-031 Receipts are not deposited at the Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning

bank on a timely basis or not

recorded

Risk Category Financial and Legal **Review Frequency** Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating High

Consequence Major **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Possible Likelihood Rating High

Consequence Major **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Receipts are deposited regularly at the bank by a person independent from the initial

recording of the cash receipts

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating High

Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Future Controls

Controls

Non-existent

Bank statements are reconciled to the general ledger and banking reports where relevant,

on a fortnightly basis and reviewed by an authorised person.

Risk Solution

Bank statements are reconciled to the general ledger and banking reports where relevant, monthly and are reviewed by an authorised person.

Finance

Risk Code OR-010 Risk Accounting policies adopted by Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning

Council are not adhered to by Council administration.

Risk Category Financial and Legal **Review Frequency** Annual

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Rating Low

Consequence Minor **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

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Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Unlikely Likelihood Rating Low

Consequence Minor Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Deputy CEO monitor's changes in guidance & regulations & makes the appropriate changes

to the Shire's accounting policies & procedures on a timely basis.

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Low Rating

Consequence Minor Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Future Controls

Controls

Non-existent

Shire's accounting policy reviewed annually along with delegated authority to purchase on

behalf of the Shire

Risk Solution

Accounting Policies and Procedures are reviewed, updated & communicated to all Shire staff responsible for reconciling, monitoring or purchasing

Finance

Risk Code OR-024 Risk Accounts payable amounts and Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning

disbursements are either inaccurately recorded or not

recorded at all

Risk Category Financial and Legal **Review Frequency** Half Year

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating Moderate Minor Consequence

02/09/2014 Last Changed

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Possible Likelihood Rating Moderate Consequence Minor Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Invoices received are authorised and accompanied by appropriate supporting

documentation. Statements received from suppliers are reconciled to the supplier accounts

in the accounts payable subledger regularly and differences are investigated.

Future Risk Assessment

Possible Likelihood Moderate Rating Consequence Minor Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Invoices received are authorised and accompanied by appropriate supporting

documentation. Statements received from suppliers are reconciled to the supplier accounts

in the accounts payable subledger regularly and differences are investigated.

Risk Solution

Payments (Cheques and EFT's) are endorsed by authorised officers separate to the preparer who ensure that they are paid to the specified payee

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Finance

Risk Code OR-015 Risk Banking transactions are either Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning inaccurately recorded or not recorded at all

Risk Category Financial and Legal Review Frequency Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

4

Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Daily cash receipting is reconciled as part of end of day process

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Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Daily cash receipting is reconciled as part of end of day process. Reconciliation checked and

signed off by independent person

Risk Solution

> Bank reconciliations are performed on a predetermined basis and are reviewed by an authorised officer. Any identified discrepancies are investigated immediately.



Finance

Risk Code OR-026 Risk Borrowings are either not recorded or are recorded inaccurately

Risk Category Financial and Legal Review Frequency Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodUnlikelyRatingModerateConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

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Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodUnlikelyRatingModerateConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Existing Controls

Non-existent

Debt repayment transactions are scrutinised and/or reconciled to ensure complete and

consistent recording in the appropriate accounting period.

Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodUnlikelyRatingModerateConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Future Controls

Non-existent

The loan register and loan approvals is subject to management and/or internal audit review. Loan balances regularly in the General Ledger compared to budget, loan register and

statements from financial institutions.

Risk Solution

A loan register is maintained containing a copy of Council resolution approving the loan and a schedule of the loan liability and the loan repayment from the lender. This also includes details of any Cash Advanced Debenture



Finance

Risk Code OR-004 Risk Budgets are inaccurately Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning

reported with differences in the Budget adopted by Council, and that exercised by Council

administration.

Risk Category Financial and Legal Review Frequency Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

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Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Original Budget and any approved changes are compared to the Budget entered into the

financial system for accuracy by appropriate level of management with identified variances

investigated.

Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Non-existent

Future ControlsOriginal Budget and any approved changes are compared to the Budget entered into the financial system for accuracy by internal audit function with identified variances investigated

and reported to Audit Committee

Risk Solution

Appropriate level of management or an independent person investigates financial system for accuracy of budgets in financial system and changes adopted by Council.

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Finance

Risk Code OR-001 Risk Budgets do not reflect strategic Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning objectives

Risk Category Financial and Legal Review Frequency Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

4

Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Review by management of actual performance against budget in relation to

initiatives/objectives of Community Strategic Plan, Corporate Business Plan and Strategic

Management Plans.

Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Quarterly Report presented to Audit Committee

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Risk Solution

Ensure process in place to establish clear links and relationship between budgets and Integrated Plans.

Finance

Risk Code OR-013	Risk Cash Floats & Petty Cash are inadequately safeguarded	Responsible Officer(s)	Tanya Browning
Risk Category	Financial and Legal	Review Frequency	Annual

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating Moderate 02/09/2014 Consequence Minor **Last Changed**



Causes

Consequences **Treatment**

Revised Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating Moderate 02/09/2014 Consequence Minor Last Changed

Effectiveness of **Controls**

Non-existent

Existing Controls Cash floats and petty cash are stored in secured facilities (e.g. safes, registers) when not in

use

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating Moderate Last Changed Consequence Minor 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of **Controls**

Non-existent

Future Controls

A register for cash floats and petty cash and custodians is maintained by authorised officers to record all movements.

Risk Solution

> Access (i.e. passwords or keys) to the cash floats and petty cash safes/registers is limited to authorised officers.

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Finance

Risk Code OR-014 Risk Cash Floats and Petty Cash Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning transactions are either invalid,

inaccurately recorded or not

recorded at all

Risk Category Financial and Legal **Review Frequency** Annual

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating Moderate Minor **Last Changed** 02/09/2014 Consequence

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Possible Moderate Likelihood Rating 02/09/2014 Consequence Minor Last Changed

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

A register for cash floats and petty cash and custodians is maintained by appropriately **Existing Controls**

designated staff to record all movements

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating Moderate 02/09/2014 Consequence Minor Last Changed

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls All petty cash disbursements are independently approved within financial delegations and

supported by receipts.

Risk Solution

Cash floats and petty cash are reconciled on a regular basis and these reconciliations are reviewed and signed off by an independent person.



Shire of Leonora

CEO's Office

Finance

Risk Code OR-002 Risk CEO responsible to put in place Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning

a framework of internal controls over budget formulation and

management.

Risk Category Financial and Legal **Review Frequency** Half Year

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating High

Major **Last Changed** 02/09/2014 Consequence

Causes

Consequences **Treatment**

Revised Risk Assessment

Possible Likelihood Rating High

02/09/2014 Consequence Major Last Changed

Effectiveness of Non-existent

Controls

Existing Controls Budget currently prepared internally in line with Long Term Financial Plan and checked by

external auditors

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating High

Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Draft Budget presented to Council for information with executive comment on process over

formulation prior to Adoption. Report quarterly on progress of budget against actuals to Audit

Committee

Risk Solution

> Ensure Audit Committee signs off on process and framework for the formulation and

management of the annual budget

Finance

Risk Code OR-008 Risk Council does not comply with Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning

statutory reporting requirements

and deadlines

Risk Category Financial and Legal Review Frequency Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Rating Low

Consequence Minor Last Changed 02/09/2014

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Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Rating Low

Consequence Minor Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Statutory financial reports prepared by suitably qualified staff and reviewed by senior

management.

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Rating Low

Consequence Minor Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Quarterly statutory financial report prepared and presented to Audit Committee

Risk Solution

A mechanism and/or checklist is in place to ensure statutory reporting deadlines are met. Deputy CEO monitors compliance with reporting deadlines.

Finance

Risk Code OR-028	Risk Council does not raise the correct level of rate income	Responsible Officer(s)	Tanya Browning
Risk Category	Financial and Legal	Review Frequency	Half Year

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingHighConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014



Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingHighConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Existing Controls

Non-existent

Actual rate revenue and rate rebates are compared to budget regularly; management

reviews and investigates significant variances.

Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingHighConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Future Controls

Non-existent

Policy and procedures provides clear guidance to relevant employees as to the correct

method for calculating rate income and the collections protocol.

Risk Solution

Management regularly reviews the calculation methodology within the rate application system and for a sample of ratepayers to ensure correct calculation and methodology has been used.

Shire of Leonora

CEO's Office

Finance

Risk Code OR-011 Risk Council's financial information is Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning

not reviewed in a timely manner to enable effective decision

making.

Risk Category Financial and Legal **Review Frequency** Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Rating Moderate Major Consequence

Last Changed 02/09/2014

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Unlikely Moderate Likelihood Rating 02/09/2014 Consequence Major Last Changed

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Council reviews its financial performance in accordance with relevant legislative

requirements.

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Rating Moderate 02/09/2014 Consequence Major Last Changed

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Ensure that roles and responsibilities are documented and within Delegations of Authority

register and is maintained and updated.

Risk Solution

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Designated independent officer reviews the reporting timetable to ensure that management

reviews the appropriate information on a regular and timely basis.





Finance

Risk Code OR-009 Risk Council's statutory reports Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning provide inaccurate financial information

Risk Category Financial and Legal **Review Frequency** Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating High

Consequence Major **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Possible Likelihood Rating High Consequence Major **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Non-existent

Controls

Existing Controls General Ledger reconciliations (including control and clearing accounts) are prepared on a

regular basis; all reconciliations independently reviewed.

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible High Rating

Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of **Controls**

Non-existent

Future Controls Actual results compared to budget provided in management reports and reviewed quarterly

by senior management team

Risk Solution

Actual results compared to budget regularly and provided in management reports. Management reviews and investigates significant variances.

Finance

Risk Code OR-006 Risk Data contained within the Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning
General Ledger is permanently
lost.

Risk Category Financial and Legal Review Frequency Half Year

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodUnlikelyRatingModerateConsequenceCriticalLast Changed02/09/2014

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Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodUnlikelyRatingModerateConsequenceCriticalLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Data for the general ledger is being backed up daily.

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Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodUnlikelyRatingModerateConsequenceCriticalLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Consider data for the general ledger is also being backed up monthly and stored externally

Risk Solution

Ensure off-site backup of data, program and documentation for the general ledger exists

Shire of Leonora

CEO's Office

Finance

Risk Code OR-019 Risk Debtors are either not collected Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning

on a timely basis or not collected

at all.

Risk Category Financial and Legal Review Frequency Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating High

Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating High

Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Debtor's reconciliation performed on a regular basis to the General Ledger and reviewed by

an independent person.

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating High

Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Debtors and revenue are compared to budget regularly; management reviews and

investigates significant variances

Risk Solution

Management reviews debtors ageing profile on a regular basis and investigates any outstanding items.

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Finance

Risk Code OR-025	Risk Disbursements are not authorised properly	Responsible Officer(s)	Tanya Browning
Risk Category	Financial and Legal	Review Frequency	Half Year

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014



Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Individuals who authorise payment of suppliers are authorised officers who are independent

of the processing of invoices.

Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls All disbursements must be approved by an authorised officer in accordance with relevant

policies and/or Delegations of Authority

Risk Solution

➤ Purchase Orders must be raised for the purchase of goods and services in line with the Council's Procurement policy or over a predetermined amount where applicable. This must be done in accordance with delegated authorities



Finance

Risk Code OR-036	Risk Employees are reimbursed for expenses of a personal nature	Responsible Officer(s)	Tanya Browning
Risk Category	Financial and Legal	Review Frequency	Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodRareRatingModerateConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

4

Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodRareRatingModerateConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Non-existent

Existing ControlsManagement regularly reviews employee reimbursements and selects unusual/significant items and agrees to original approved reimbursement claim along with supporting evidence

(i.e. receipts). All errors are investigated.

Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodRareRatingModerateConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Management select a sample of employee reimbursements and check them for

mathematical accuracy and ensures that they have been recorded correctly in the ledger.

Risk Solution

➤ All claims for Employee Reimbursements are submitted for approval along with supporting documentary evidence (i.e. receipts) and confirmation of valid expenses. This is approved by management in accordance with Delegations of Authority. Management focus on the nature (i.e. type of expense) as well as the amount of the claim.

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Finance

Risk Code OR-021 Risk Fixed asset acquisitions, Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning

disposals and write-offs are fictitious, inaccurately recorded

or not recorded at all

Risk Category Financial and Legal **Review Frequency** Half Year

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating High

Major 02/09/2014 Consequence Last Changed

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Possible Likelihood Rating High

02/09/2014 Consequence Major Last Changed

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Reconciliation of fixed assets to the General Ledger is performed regularly.

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating High

Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Recorded changes to the fixed asset register and/or masterfile are approved by

management, compared to authorised source documents and General Ledger to ensure

accurate input.

Risk Solution

All fixed asset acquisitions and disposals are approved in accordance with delegation of

authority and relevant procurement and fixed asset policies.



Finance

Risk Code OR-005 Risk General Ledger does not contain Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning

accurate financial information

Risk Category Financial and Legal Review Frequency Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating Moderate

Consequence Minor Last Changed 02/09/2014

4

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls General Ledger reconciliations (including control and clearing accounts) are prepared

monthly by responsible staff

Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls

General Ledger reconciliations (including control and clearing accounts) are prepared on a

regular basis and all reconciliations independently reviewed.

Risk Solution

General Ledger reconciliations (including control and clearing accounts) are prepared monthly by responsible staff

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Finance

Risk Code OR-007	Risk General Ledger policies and procedures are not current.	Responsible Officer(s)	Tanya Browning
Risk Category	Financial and Legal	Review Frequency	Half Year

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating Moderate Minor **Last Changed** 02/09/2014 Consequence



Causes

Consequences **Treatment**

Revised Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating Moderate Last Changed 02/09/2014 Consequence Minor

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Current procedures exist to enable staff to reconcile control and clearing accounts

Future Risk Assessment

Possible Likelihood Rating Moderate Consequence Minor Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Future Controls

Controls

Non-existent

Current general ledger policies and procedures are reviwed and signed off by Deputy CEO.

Risk Solution

> Ensure procedures being used by staff for general ledger reconciliations are current

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Finance

Risk Code OR-020 Risk Inventory received is either Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning recorded inaccurately or not recorded at all.

Risk Category Financial and Legal **Review Frequency** Half Year

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating Moderate Consequence Minor **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Causes

Treatment

Consequences

Revised Risk Assessment

Possible Likelihood Rating Moderate Consequence Minor **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Supplier statements are reconciled to goods receipt records and invoices regularly.

Future Risk Assessment

Possible Likelihood Rating Moderate Consequence Minor Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of **Controls**

Non-existent

Future Controls Physical inventory is counted regularly by persons independent of day-to-day custody or

recording of inventory. Inventory counts are reconciled to inventory records and inventory

records are reconciled to the general ledger.

Risk Solution

Quarterly stock-takes of inventory are completed and reconciled to the general ledger

Finance

Risk Code OR-018 Risk Investment transactions are Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning either not recorded or are recorded inaccurately.

Risk Category Financial and Legal Review Frequency Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

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Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Non-existent

existent

Existing Controls Actual investment income compared to budget on a regular basis; variances are

investigated.

Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Future Controls

Non-existent

Journals are processed regularly for all investments and a process is in place to verify the

accuracy of transactions. All journals are double checked.

Risk Solution

Investment transactions are reconciled / compared to third-party statements documents and discrepancies are investigated

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Finance

Risk Code OR-023	Risk Over-expenditures on projects may not be detected	Responsible Officer(s)	Tanya Browning
Risk Category	Capacity to Deliver Services	Review Frequency	Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodUnlikelyRatingModerateConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014



Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodUnlikelyRatingModerateConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Exception report generated detailing all variances for project costs over a fixed threshold (i.e. percentage or dollar amount). Exception report reviewed by management and all significant

variances are investigated.

Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodUnlikelyRatingModerateConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Future Controls

Non-existent

Management performs an on-going review of current projects. This review is formally

documented through an effective evaluation process and involves monitoring costs to date

and estimated costs of completion.

Risk Solution

Rigorous process exists for establishing budgets for projects. Project budgets must be approved in accordance with Delegations of Authority.

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Shire of Leonora

CEO's Office

Finance

Risk Code OR-034 Risk Payroll disbursements are made Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning

to incorrect or fictitious

employees

Risk Category Financial and Legal **Review Frequency** Half Year

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Rare Rating Moderate Consequence 02/09/2014 Major

Last Changed

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Likelihood Rare Rating Moderate Consequence **Last Changed** 02/09/2014 Major

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Transfer of the bank file IS restricted to authorised officers who are not be involved in the

preparation of the pay run

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Rare Moderate Rating Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of **Controls**

Non-existent

Future Controls Employees made inactive in payroll records immediately upon termination. Termination report provided as supporting documentation with request for an EFT. Comparison of

subsequent current employee listings made by independent person to verify correctness

Risk Solution

Payroll system generates exception reports detailing all payroll changes that are regularly reviewed by management who investigate & approve variances.

Shire of Leonora

CEO's Office

Finance

Risk Code OR-012 Risk Significant budget variances are Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning

either not investigated on a timely basis or not investigated

at all.

Risk Category Capacity to Deliver Services **Review Frequency** Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Rating Moderate Consequence Major

02/09/2014 Last Changed

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Unlikely Likelihood Rating Moderate 02/09/2014 Consequence Major Last Changed

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Management regularly reports actual performance against budget on

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Rating Moderate Consequence Major **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Management review the exception reports on a regular basis and investigate all significant

variances; evidence of review demonstrated must be provided.

Risk Solution

Exception reports generated on a regular basis that automatically identify variances and reviwed by management. Significant variances identified by using a standard threshold

(either percentage or dollar value).



Finance

Risk Code OR-030

Risk The fee charged does not reasonably reflect the value of the services provided

Risk Category

Risk The fee charged does not reasonably reflect the value of the services provided

Responsible Officer(s)

Tanya Browning

Responsible Officer(s)

Annual

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

4

Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls User pay income compared to budget regularly; management reviews and investigates

significant variances.

Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceMinorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Future Controls

Non-existent

Leases, agreements, memorandum of understandings or contracts are required to cover use

of Council facilities, sporting grounds, etc.

Risk Solution

Management to review fees charged for services on a regular basis in order to provide a value for money service in the light of operational costs.

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Finance

Risk Code OR-003	Risk Unrealistic Budgets Adopted	Responsible Officer(s)	Tanya Browning
Risk Category	Financial and Legal	Review Frequency	Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingHighConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014



Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingHighConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Current Budget prepared within the Leonora Integrated Planning Framework

Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingHighConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls All amendments to Budgets must be approved by Council and the impact on financial

sustainability and LTFP considered

Risk Solution

Ensure annaul budgets prepared in accordance with the Leonora Integrated Planning Framework

CEO's Office

Governance

Risk Code OR-032 Risk Council does not obtain value for Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning

money in its purchasing &

procurement

Risk Category Shire Reputation and Governance **Review Frequency** Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Rating Moderate Consequence Major

Last Changed 02/09/2014

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Unlikely Likelihood Rating Moderate Consequence Major **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls All purchase orders are approved in accordance with the Delegations of Authority and

relevant policies

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Moderate Rating Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of **Controls**

Non-existent

Future Controls Periodic review of all contracts and purchase to ensure that Council achieves value for

money from suppliers.

Risk Solution

Council has a comprehensive Contract and Procurement Policy and Guidelines, in accordance with the WALGA Procurement Guide 2014. These are reviewed annually.

CEO's Office

Governance

Risk Code OR-035 Risk Credit Cards are used for Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning

purchases of a personal nature and/or have inappropriate levels

Risk Category Financial and Legal **Review Frequency** Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Rating Moderate

Major **Last Changed** 02/09/2014 Consequence

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Unlikely Moderate Likelihood Rating

02/09/2014 Consequence Major Last Changed

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Employees sign a declaration confirming compliance with Council policy and procedures

prior to the Credit Card being released

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Rating Moderate 02/09/2014 Consequence Major Last Changed

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Exception report from Credit Card providers detailing all breaches of credit card limits on an

individual employee basis; management regularly reviews this report and investigates all

breaches on a timely basis

Risk Solution

Council, CEO or other authorised officer approves all issues of Credit Cards and limits, to

employees prior to release

CEO's Office

Governance

Risk Code OR-027 Responsible Officer(s) Risk Lack of working capital to meet Jim Epis

Council's financial commitments

Risk Category Shire Reputation and Governance **Review Frequency** Half Year

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Rating Moderate Consequence Critical **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Rating Moderate Consequence Critical **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls Details of cash requirements, particularly with capital works, are documented and discussed

by authorised officers. Investments and borrowings are reported to Council quarterly

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Rating Moderate Consequence Critical **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Cashflow budgets prepared by suitably qualified personnel on a regular basis.

Risk Solution

Management reviews cash position of Council on an on-going basis, involving comparison to budgets; significant variances investigated by management.

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CEO's Office

Governance

Risk Code OR-033 Risk Purchase orders are placed for Responsible Officer(s) Tanya Browning

unapproved goods and services

Risk Category Capacity to Deliver Services **Review Frequency** Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Rating Moderate Consequence Major 02/09/2014

Last Changed

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Unlikely Likelihood Rating Moderate Consequence Major **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls All purchase orders are approved in accordance with the Delegations of Authority and

relevant policies.

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Unlikely Moderate Rating Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of **Controls**

Future Controls

Non-existent

All purchase orders continue to be approved in accordance with the Delegations of Authority

and relevant policies.

Risk Solution

Staff provided clear guidance and instructions on the process for purchasing goods and services, including appropriate approval and obtaining appropriate number of guotes, where applicable.



Parks and Gardens

Risk Code OR-044	Risk Chemicals used in operating environments	Responsible Officer(s)	Dan Yates
Risk Category	Human Safety and Well – Being	Review Frequency	Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodLikelyRatingHighConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014



Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodLikelyRatingHighConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Existing Controls

Non-existent

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Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodLikelyRatingHighConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Future Controls

Non-existent

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Risk Solution

> Safe operating procedure for use of chemicals exists as well as a chemicals register

Parks and Gardens

Risk Code OR-041	Risk Tree limbs dropping causing potential harm or traffic hazard	Responsible Officer(s)	Dan Yates
Risk Category	Capacity to Deliver Services	Review Frequency	Quarter
Initial Risk Assessmen	nt		
Likelihood	Likely	Rating	Moderate
Consequence	Minor	Last Changed	02/09/2014
			4
Causes			
Consequences			

Revised Risk Assessment

Treatment

Likelihood Likely Rating Moderate Minor **Last Changed** 02/09/2014 Consequence

Effectiveness of **Controls**

Non-existent

Non-existent

Existing Controls

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Likely Moderate Rating Minor 02/09/2014 Consequence

Effectiveness of

Future Controls

Controls

Last Changed

Risk Solution

> Ensure an annual tree pruning program exists

Works and Services

Risk Code OR-047	Risk Abide by on-road regulations and - chain of responsibility	Responsible Officer(s)	Dan Yates
Risk Category	Shire Reputation and Governance	Review Frequency	Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingHighConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014



Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingHighConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Existing Controls

Non-existent



Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingHighConsequenceMajorLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Future Controls

Non-existent



Risk Solution

> Ensure it is well documented where the Shire fits in the Chain of Responsibility

Works and Services

Risk Code OR-022 Risk Fixed Asset maintenance and/or Responsible Officer(s) Dan Yates

renewals are inadequately

planned

Risk Category Capacity to Deliver Services Review Frequency Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating High

Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating High

Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

schedules

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating High

Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Future Controls Management undertakes a regular review of useful lives of Fixed Assets and updates asset

management plan to reflect any significant changes (i.e. expected time-frame for replacing

significant fixed assets).

Risk Solution

Asset Management Plans exist for all major asset classes and all changes to the asset management plan must be approved by Council

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Works and Services

Risk Code	OR-039	Risk	Footpaths litting and causing a	Responsible Officer(s)	Dan Yates
			tripping hazard		

Risk Category Capacity to Deliver Services **Review Frequency** Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating Moderate Minor **Last Changed** 02/09/2014 Consequence

Causes

Consequences **Treatment**

Revised Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating Moderate **Last Changed** 02/09/2014 Consequence Minor

Effectiveness of

Controls

Existing Controls

Non-existent

Future Risk Assessment

Possible Likelihood Rating Moderate Consequence Minor **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Future Controls

Non-existent

Risk Solution

> Annual asset maintenance plan exists for footpaths

Works and Services

Risk Code OR-043	Risk Long Distances travelled between work environments	Responsible Officer(s)	Dan Yates
Risk Category	Human Safety and Well - Being	Review Frequency	Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating High Consequence Major Last Changed 02/09/2014



Causes

Consequences **Treatment**

Revised Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating High 02/09/2014 Last Changed Consequence Major

Effectiveness of

Controls

Existing Controls

Non-existent



Future Risk Assessment

Possible Likelihood Rating High 02/09/2014 Consequence Major Last Changed

Effectiveness of **Controls**

Future Controls

Non-existent

Risk Solution

> Ensure a procedure exists in the OHS Risk Management Plan for long distances between work environments

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Works and Services

Risk Code OR-048 Risk Maintenance records for plant Responsible Officer(s) Dan Yates

and machinery kept in accordance with manufacturers

specifications and OHS

legislation

Risk Category Shire Reputation and Governance Review Frequency Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceCriticalLast Changed02/09/2014

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Causes

Consequences Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceCriticalLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Existing Controls

Non-existent

4

Future Risk Assessment

LikelihoodPossibleRatingModerateConsequenceCriticalLast Changed02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Future Controls

Non-existent

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Risk Solution

> Ensure maintenance records for plant and machinery are kept and easily accessible

Works and Services

Risk Code OR-046 Risk Plant and equipment maintained Responsible Officer(s) Dan Yates

and serviced based on time and

utilisation

Risk Category Capacity to Deliver Services **Review Frequency** Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Likely Rating High

Consequence Major **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Causes

Consequences

Treatment

Revised Risk Assessment

Likelihood Likely Rating High

Consequence Major **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls

Future Risk Assessment

Likelihood Likely Rating High

Consequence Major **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Future Controls

Non-existent

Risk Solution

> Ensure service schedules exist for plant and equipment maintenance based on utilisation

Works and Services

Risk Code OR-040 Risk Pot holes and road shoulder Responsible Officer(s) Dan Yates wearing causing potential traffic hazards and/or closures

Risk Category Capacity to Deliver Services **Review Frequency** Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating Moderate Consequence Minor **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Causes

Treatment

Consequences

Revised Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating Moderate Consequence Minor **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Non-existent

Existing Controls

Future Risk Assessment

Possible Likelihood Rating Moderate Consequence Minor **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Future Controls

Non-existent

Risk Solution

> Annual asset maintenance plan exists for roads



Works and Services

Risk Code OR-042	Risk Staff Working in isolation	Responsible Officer(s)	Dan Yates
Risk Category	Human Safety and Well – Being	Review Frequency	Quarter
nitial Risk Assessmen	t		
Likelihood	Possible	Rating	High
Consequence	Major	Last Changed	02/09/2014
Causes			
Consequences			
Treatment			

Likelihood Possible Rating High 02/09/2014 Consequence Major Last Changed

Effectiveness of **Controls**

Future Risk Assessment

Existing Controls

Likelihood Possible Rating High Major Consequence Last Changed 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of **Controls**

Future Controls

Non-existent

Non-existent

Risk Solution

> Ensure a procedure exists in the OHS Risk Management Plan for staff working in isolation

Works and Services

Risk Code OR-045	Risk Unsuitability of plant and equipment for staff to perform their duties	Responsible Officer(s)	Dan Yates
Risk Category	Human Safety and Well – Being	Review Frequency	Quarter

Initial Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Rating Moderate Critical **Last Changed** Consequence 02/09/2014



Causes

Consequences **Treatment**

Revised Risk Assessment

Likelihood Possible Moderate Rating Critical Consequence **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Existing Controls

Non-existent



Future Risk Assessment

Possible Likelihood Moderate Rating Consequence Critical **Last Changed** 02/09/2014

Effectiveness of

Controls

Future Controls

Non-existent



Risk Solution

> Ensure operator requirements are included as part of procurement process for plant and equipment



Strategic Risk Report (Summary)

Risk Code SR-004 Risk Activation of comprehensive

emergency management plan to ensure business interruption is minimised in the event of a major incident, loss of facility, loss of power.

Responsible Officer Tanya Browning

Risk Category

Financial and Legal

Review Frequency

Risk Type

Half Year **Threat**

Inherent Assessment

Consequence

Likelihood Rare

Critical

Rating

Low

Last Changed 02/09/2014

Revised Assessment

Likelihood Rare

Consequence Effectiveness of **Controls**

Critical

Non-existent

Rating

Low

Last Changed 02/09/2014

Future Assessment

Likelihood

Consequence

Effectiveness of **Controls**

Rare

Critical Poor

Rating

Low

Last Changed

02/09/2014

Risk Solution

Ensure current emergency management and continuity plans and processes are current

Shire of Leonora		Strategic Risk Report (Summary) (7 Active Risk/s)		
Risk Code SR-002	Risk Change of government policy negatively affecting service provision or planned capital funding.	Responsible Officer	anya Browning	
Risk Category	Capacity to Deliver Services	Review Frequency	lalf Year	
		Risk Type T	hreat	
Inherent Assessmer	nt			
Likelihood	Possible	Rating	Moderate	
Consequence	Minor	Last Change	d 02/09/2014	
			4	
Revised Assessmen	nt			
Likelihood	Possible	Rating	Moderate	
Consequence	Minor	Last Change	d 02/09/2014	
Effectiveness of Controls	Excellent		[4]	
Future Assessment				
Likelihood	Possible	Rating	Moderate	
Consequence	Minor	Last Change	d 02/09/2014	
Effectiveness of Controls	Non-existent		4	
Risk Solution	Ensure Corporate Plan and LTFP whe and contributions on service dellivery a		t of government grants	

Shire of Leonora		Strategic Risk Report (Sun	illiary) (TACLIVE NISWS)
Risk Code SR-003	Risk Compromise of Council's public imag and reputational integrity	e Responsible Officer J	im Epis
Risk Category	Shire Reputation and Governance		uarter /eakness
nherent Assessmer	nt		
Likelihood	Possible	Rating	Moderate
Consequence	Minor	Last Change	d 02/09/2014
Revised Assessmen	nt		
Likelihood	Possible	Rating	Moderate
Consequence Effectiveness of Controls	Minor Non-existent	Last Change	d 02/09/2014
Future Assessment			
Likelihood	Possible	Rating	Moderate
Consequence Effectiveness of Controls	Minor Non-existent	Last Change	d 02/09/2014

Shire of Leo	niora		Strategic Kisk Report (Sui	mmary) (7 Active Risk/s)
Risk Code	SR-005	Risk Customer processes and standards applied to all customer contact point in the Shire		Stuart Butson
Risk Catego	ory	Shire Reputation and Governance	Review Frequency (Quarter
			Risk Type	Weakness
Inherent As	sessmei	nt		
Likeliho	od	Likely	Rating	Moderate
Consequ	uence	Minor	Last Change	ed 02/09/2014
				4
Revised Ass	sessmer	nt		
Likeliho	od	Likely	Rating	Moderate
Consequ	uence	Minor	Last Change	ed 02/09/2014
Effective Controls		f Non-existent		4
Future Asse	essment	•		
Likeliho	od	Likely	Rating	Moderate
Consequ	uence	Minor	Last Change	ed 02/09/2014
Effective Controls		f Excellent		[4]
Risk Solutio	on	 Customer service procedures currer adherence to the Customer Service 		he organisation and

Risk Failure to protect staff or third parties from injury. Human Safety and Well – Being	Responsible Officer Jin	n Epis
Human Safety and Well – Being		
	Review Frequency Qu	arter
	Risk Type We	eakness
Possible	Rating	High
Major	Last Changed	02/09/2014
Possible	Rating	High
Major	Last Changed	02/09/2014
Excellent		
Possible	Rating	High
Major	Last Changed	02/09/2014
Excellent	_	8
Ensure an OSH Risk Management Pla and Procedure Manual.	n is in place in line with the Risk	Management Policy
	Possible Major Possible Major Excellent Possible Major Excellent Fossible Major Excellent	Possible Rating Possible Rating Major Last Changed Excellent Rating Last Changed Rating Last Changed Excellent Possible Rating Last Changed Excellent Possible Rating Last Changed Excellent

Risk Solution

Silie of Leonora		Strategic Kisk Report (Suit	illiary) (7 Active Risk/s)
Risk Code SR-006 R	Risk Inability to fund the maintenance replacement and renewal of infrastructure assets	Responsible Officer	anya Browning
Risk Category	Capacity to Deliver Services	•	Quarter Veakness
Inherent Assessment			_
Likelihood	Possible	Rating	High
Consequence	Major	Last Change	d 02/09/2014
Revised Assessment	D 11	D 4	
Likelihood Consequence	Possible Major	Rating Last Change	High d 02/09/2014
Effectiveness of Controls	Non-existent		
Future Assessment			_
Likelihood	Possible	Rating	High
Consequence	Major	Last Change	d 02/09/2014
Effectiveness of Controls	Non-existent		

> LTFP informed by asset management plans for infrastructure assets

tisk Waste management facilities and services do not adhere to licensing	Responsible Officer	Dan Yates
and legislative requirements		
Capacity to Deliver Services	Review Frequency Risk Type	Quarter Weakness
Possible	Rating	High
Major	Last Char	nged 02/09/2014
Possible	Rating	High
Major	Last Char	nged 02/09/2014
Non-existent		
Possible	Rating	High
Major	Last Char	nged 02/09/2014
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5.0 NEXT MEETING

Tuesday 16th December, 2014 at the conclusion of the Ordinary Council Meeting commencing at 1:00pm, in the Shire of Leonora Council Chambers.

6.0 CLOSURE OF MEETING

There being no further business, Shire President Cr PJ Craig declared the meeting closed at 12:25pm