

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS FOR THE PUBLIC FORUM HELD ON WEDNESDAY, 11 MARCH 2026

Present: The Mayor, Councillor C Kay (Chairperson)
Councillors M Devlin & J Pettett (Comenarra Ward)
Councillors I Balachandran & B Ward (Gordon Ward)
Councillors S Ngai & A Taylor (Roseville Ward)

Staff Present: General Manager (David Marshall)
Acting Director Community (Michelle Swan-Beardmore)
Director Corporate (Angela Apostol)
Acting Director Development & Regulation (Shaun Garland)
Director Operations (Peter Lichaa)
Director Strategy & Environment (Andrew Watson)
Corporate Lawyer (Jamie Taylor)
Manager Governance and Corporate Strategy (Christopher Jones)
Governance Support (Information Access) Officer (Judy Austin)

The Forum commenced at 7:00PM

The Mayor welcomed those present and outlined the agenda and requirements for speakers

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

The Mayor adverted to the necessity for Councillors and staff to declare a Pecuniary Interest/Conflict of Interest in any item on the Business Paper.

Nil.

ADDRESS THE COUNCIL

The following members of the public addressed Council on items on the agenda:

GB Item	Name	For/ Against	Topic
GB.5	1. Janet Harwood (spoke in person in Council Chambers)	Against	Delivery Program and Operational Plan: December 2025 Biannual report
GB.11	1. Randa Loupis (spoke in person in Council Chambers)	Against	Planning Proposal for 1364-1396 Pacific Hwy and 1, 1A, 3 and 3A Kissing Point Rd Turramurra (Turramurra Plaza) - Post Exhibition
	2. Adrian Melo (spoke in person in Council Chambers)	For	
	3. Janet Harwood (spoke in person in Council Chambers)	Against	

	4. James Adams (Lodged written comments and spoke to them in person in Council Chambers)	Against	
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The following members of the public addressed Council on items not on the agenda:

Name	Topic
1. David Lane (spoke in person in Council Chambers)	Heritage and the Status of the Council Motion from June 5th, 2025
2. Janet Harwood (spoke in person in Council Chambers)	Correcting The Growing National Tragedy - Ku-ring-gai & Turramurra are Indicators
3. Laurie Power (Spoke in person in Council Chambers)	Marian Street Theatre
4. Mary Jo Rennick (Spoke in person in Council Chambers)	Community members in support of Marion Street Theatre
5. Rhonda Bourne (Spoke in person in Council Chambers)	The removal of 3/4 of public car parking in the new development on the corner of Kissing Point Road and the Pacific Hwy
6. Antonia Sprem (Spoke in person in Council Chambers)	Marian Street Theatre
7. Malini Govindan (Spoke online via Zoom)	Public access defibrillators

The Forum closed at 7:55pm.