

Minutes of the Yass Pool Redevelopment Project Committee

Thursday 17 July 2025

6:00 PM Yass Community Centre 1428 Yass Valley Way, Yass NSW

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Present

Cr Alvaro Charry, Cr David Carter (online), Hugh Rainger, Donna Wullaert (Yass Swim Club), Sarah Watson (online - Yass Triathlon Club), Jamie Te Huia, Adrienne Steward (Community members), Scott Burns (Myrtha Pools), Nathan Cooke, Melinda Cooke, Helen Prytula (Yass Valley Council).

1. Apologies

Cr Fleur Flanery, Laurie Columb, Julie Costa.

2. Confirmation of Minutes

COMMITTEE DECISION

- 1. That the minutes of the Yass Pool Redevelopment Project Committee held on 11 June 2025 be amended as requested by the Yass Swim Club.
- 2. That the corrected minutes be taken as read and confirmed.

1. Staff Reports

3.1 MYRTHA POOLS PRESENTATION

SUMMARY

Myrtha Pools to provide a presentation on their technology/design principles for refurbishing concrete swimming pools.

COMMITTEE DECISION

That:

- 1. The Myrtha Pools presentation be distributed to committee members.
- 2. The Committee note the presentation.

3.2 ACTION ITEMS

SUMMARY

To provide the committee with a trackable actions list from items tasked at each meeting.

COMMITTEE DECISION

That:

- 1. The additional structural assessment by Coots Engineering be postponed.
- 2. Council to obtain quotes from aquatic engineers to include accessibility and refurbishment with Myrtha Pools technology or equivalent and present to the committee.
- 3. Committee focus for KPI Measure Stage 1 (short-term solution) Modernisation of 50m pool and filtration system

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Actions List

Item No.	Item	Comment	Action
1	Amend minutes as per email from Cr Charry	Minutes from meeting held 11 June 2025 corrected and published to Council's website	
2	Myrtha pools presentation to be distributed to committee	To be distributed prior to next meeting	Complete
3	Hold Stage 2 of Coots Engineering assessment	Postponed	Stage 1 visual assessment completed 16 June 2025
4	Obtain quotes from aquatic engineers	 Refurbish 50m pool to include accessibility ramp into pool - include Myrtha Pools technology or equivalent New 25m x 6 lane indoor heated pool - include Myrtha Pools technology or equivalent Option to enclose the existing 50m pool to create a 50m indoor heated pool Option to enclose part of the 50m pool to create a 25m heated pool with overhead structure Quotes to include OPC (Opinion Probable Cost) 	
5	Stage 1 KPI Measure	Modernisation of 50m pool and filtration system	
6	Cowra Shire Council Pool Upgrade	Provide further updates to the committee on this project	
	Cor	mpleted Action Items	
	Investigate replacement pumps costings and options in case of failure.	 The old pump removed in 2020 has been refurbished and is in storage at Council available to be used in the case of emergency replacement The cost of a new pump is approximately 	Complete
	Share original Complete Urban report with committee.	\$25,000 with delivery approx. 2 weeks The original Complete Urban report is attached for noting. (Attachment A)	Complete
	Share original Scope of Works for engagement of concept design.	-	Complete
	Postpone approval to engage Complete Urban. Investigate all options including cost analysis of	See information detailed under separate staff report.	Postponed

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heating current 50m pool vs a	
new heated pool and report to	
the committee	

3.3 TEMORA SHIRE COUNCIL POOL UPGRADE

SUMMARY

To present the committee with information relating to the pool upgrade at Temora Shire Council and other regionally located pool infrastructure.

COMMITTEE DECISION

That the information in this report is noted and a further report be presented to the committee for the Cowra Shire Council pool redevelopment project.

2. Confidential Matters

Nil

3. Next Meeting

Wednesday 3rd September 2025, at Yass Community Centre in Yass.

The meeting closed at 8.23 p.m.