

Town of Port Hedland

MINUTES

OF THE

AIRPORT COMMITTEE OF THE TOWN OF PORT HEDLAND COUNCIL

HELD ON

THURSDAY 20 JANUARY 2011

COMMENCING AT 5:30 PM

IN COUNCIL CHAMBERS McGREGOR STREET, PORT HEDLAND

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Paul Martin Chief Executive Officer

Airport Committee

The Committee be constituted as a formal committee of Council under the provision of Section 5.8 of the Local Government Act (1995)

Membership:

The membership of the committee be as follows: Mayor Kelly A Howlett; Councillor Arnold A Carter Councillor W (Bill) Dziombak Councillor Jan M Gillingham Councillor Stan R Martin

Community Members:

- a) Michelle Cook (Community Member appointed by Council at its Ordinary Meeting held on 11 August 2010);
- b) Serge Doumergue; and
- c) Doug Gould. (Community Members appointed by Council at its Ordinary Meeting

held 28 April 2010)

Quorum:

The quorum for the Committee be a minimum of 50% of its membership.

Delegation:

The Town of Port Hedland Airport Committee be given the following delegated authority to make decisions on behalf of Council:

- i) To determine whether a tender is required to be sought or not as specified in LG (F&G) Reg 11 f)
- ii) To choose tenderers for products services on behalf of the local government in accordance with LG (F&G) Reg 18.
- iii) Determine all Town Planning applications pertaining to the Town Planning Scheme No 5 that relate to Port Hedland International Airport without further reference to Council.
- iv) Undertake all Council statutory functions pertaining to Local Planning Schemes under Part 5 of the Planning and Development Act (2005) on Port Hedland International Airport land.
- V) Undertake all Council statutory functions pertaining to subdivision of land under Part 10 of the Planning and Development Act (2005) on Port Hedland International Airport land.
- vi) Provide direction and advice pertaining to the development of a Master Plan for the Port Hedland International Airport and the development of plans for a new airport terminal.

Tenure: Ongoing.

(Adopted by Council at its Special Meeting held 10 March 2010)

Responsible Officer: Chief Executive Officer

The following dates have been set and advertised in accordance with the Local Government Act 1995, for Airport Committee Meetings to be held at 5:30 pm in Council Chambers on the following dates:

- Thursday 16 December 2010
- Thursday 20 January 2011
- Thursday 24 February 2011
- Thursday 24 March 2011
- Thursday 28 April 2011
- Thursday 26 May 2011
- Thursday 23 June 2011
- Thursday 28 July 2011
- Thursday 25 August 2011
- Thursday 22 September 2011
- Thursday 27 October 2011
- Thursday 24 November 2011
- Thursday 15 December 2011

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ITEM 1 OPENING OF MEETING

1.1 Opening

The Chairman declared the meeting open at 5:34 pm and acknowledged the traditional owners, the Kariyarra people.

ITEM 2 RECORDING OF ATTENDANCE AND APOLOGIES

2.1 Attendance

Councillor Arnold A Carter (Chairman) Mayor Kelly A Howlett Councillor Stan R Martin Councillor M (Bill) Dziombak Doug Gould Michelle Cook Serge Doumergue

Mr Paul Martin Mr Russell Dyer Mr Richard Bairstow

Ms Natalie Octoman Ms Gaye Stephens

Members of the Public

Chief Executive Officer Director Engineering Services Acting Director Planning and Development Director Corporate Services Executive Assistant

6 (including Airport Manager, Manager Investment and Business Development and Manager Infrastructure Development)

Members of the Media

Nil

2.2 Apologies

Nil

2.3 Approved Leave of Absence

Councillor Jan M Gillingham

ITEM 3 RESPONSE TO PREVIOUS QUESTIONS - ON NOTICE

Nil.

ITEM 4 PUBLIC TIME

4.1 Public Questions

- 5:30 pm Deputy Mayor Arnold A Carter (Chairman) opened Public Question Time. Nil.
- 5:30 pm Deputy Mayor Arnold A Carter (Chairman) closed Public Question Time.

4.2 Public Statements

- 5:31 pm Deputy Mayor Arnold A Carter (Chairman) opened Public Statement Time. Nil.
- 5:31 pm Deputy Mayor Arnold A Carter (Chairman) closed Public Statement Time.

ITEM 5 QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS WITHOUT NOTICE

Nil.

ITEM 6 DECLARATION BY MEMBERS TO HAVE GIVEN DUE CONSIDERATION TO ALL MATTERS CONTAINED IN THE BUSINESS PAPER PRESENTED BEFORE THE MEETING

The following Members verbally declared to have given due consideration to all matters contained in the Business Paper presented before the meeting:

Cr A A Carter	Mr Doug Gould
Mayor Kelly Howlett	Ms Michelle Cook
Cr S R Martin	Mr Serge Doumergue
Cr M Dziombak	

ITEM 7 CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

7.1 Confirmation of Minutes of the Airport Committee Meeting held on Thursday 16 December 2010

That the Minutes of the Airport Committee Meeting held on Thursday 16 December 2010 be confirmed as a true and correct record of proceedings.

NOTE: As the Committee had not received a copy of the Minutes of the Airport Committee Meeting held on Thursday 16 December 2010, Deputy Mayor Arnold A Carter (Chairman) advised they would be confirmed at the next meeting of the Airport Committee to be held on Thursday 24 February 2011, commencing at 5:30 pm.

ITEM 8 ANNOUNCEMENTS BY CHAIRMAN WITHOUT DISCUSSION

Nil.

ITEM 9 PETITIONS/DEPUTATIONS/PRESENTATIONS/ SUBMISSIONS

Nil.

ITEM 10 REPORTS OF OFFICERS

10.1 Port Hedland International Airport Terminal Expansion Project – Monthly Status Report (File No.: 08/02/0018)

Officer

Jenella Voitkevich Manager Infrastructure Development

Date of Report

14 January 2011

Disclosure of Interest by Officer Nil

Summary

The purpose of this report is to provide the Airport Committee with a monthly update on the progress of the Port Hedland International Airport Terminal Expansion project.

Background

The Port Hedland International Airport (PHIA) is experiencing rapid growth in the numbers of passengers and service providers for both domestic and international flights. The 2,700m² Terminal building will need to be extended/redeveloped to accommodate long term growth in passenger numbers of the Port Hedland International Airport.

This project will run concurrently with other projects relating to the airport development. The project will see the delivery of approved concept plans for the redevelopment of the airport terminal building and car parking area. This will enable funding applications and budgeting opportunities for detailed design and construction.

Consultation

This project will involve thorough consultation with the Airport Committee, PHIA users and stakeholders, and the relevant statutory authorities as outlined in the project management plan.

Statutory Implications

Nil

Policy Implications

This procurement of consultants for this project was conducted in accordance with Council's Procurement Policy 2/015.

Strategic Planning Implications

KRA 1 – Infrastructure, Goal 2 - Airport

 Immediate Priority Strategy 3 - Progress planning and design for an upgraded and extended terminal building

- 2) Other Action Strategy 1 Undertake upgrades to the terminal and surrounds to improve the functionality of the facility including:
 - a) Creating more common-user check in points
 - b) Improving airport security screening arrangements
 - c) Review parking options and implement an agreed Airport Parking Plan

Budget Implications

The total budget allocated in the 2010/11 financial year is \$425,000. This is a combination of \$400,000 for the PHIA terminal expansion (investigation and concept design only) and \$25,000 for investigations on paid parking opportunities.

The following table indicates budget allocations (commitments and wages paid), balance (on allocations) and actual expenditure to date.

Description	Allocation
Wages	\$221.05
Project Management	\$64,045.45
Traffic Study	\$16,700.00
Retail & Consultation	\$54,000.00
Design	\$35,000.00
Services	\$7,100.00
Quantity Survey-parking	\$1,750.00
Quantity Survey-concepts	\$6,900.00
Feature Survey	\$3,000.00
Peer Review	\$3,000.00
TOTAL	\$191,716.50
Project Budget	\$425,000.00
Balance on Allocations	\$233,283.50
Actual Spend to Date	\$37,921.80
(note: included in allocations)	

New costs since the previous report have been allocated for quantity survey of concept plans, feature site survey and peer review on concept plans.

It is anticipated that this project will be completed under budget, with the potential to allocate the remaining budget to commencing design development.

Officer's Comment

The following table identifies the stages required to proceed with the PHIA Terminal Expansion project including timeframes. The project status is provided to form the content for the monthly update to the Committee.

Stage	Timeframe	Status
1 – Preparation of Project Management Plan (PMP)	August 2010	Complete.
2 – Engage consultants	August 2010 October 2010 (main), ongoing as required	Design • Sandover Pinder Services • Cardno ITC Commercial and Retail Demand Study • Airbiz Aviation Strategies Stakeholder Consultation • Airbiz Aviation Strategies Road Traffic and Carpark Study • Cardno Eppell Olsen Quantity Surveyor • Rider Levett Bucknall Peer Review • Scott Penn Hall Feature Survey • Vekta
3 – Establish future demand of PHIA (consultation, retail demand study, site survey, road, traffic and car parking study)	October – November 2010	Complete.
4 – Preparation and approval of concept plan/s	February 2011	1 st draft of concept plans complete and undergoing review. Refer notes below for more detail
5 – Preparation of cost estimates	February 2011	Pending concept plan development
6 – Development of management and staging plan for detailed design and construction	February 2011	NA
7 – 2011/12 budget proposal and funding considerations	March 2011	NA

Preliminary concept plans have been prepared by Sandover Pinder in accordance with outcomes from the future demand studies and stakeholder consultation. Both options extend to the west (administration building), east (freight office) and 10m towards the carpark as per the anticipated footprint. The 2 options have included an airline lounge area on a second floor. Both options have increased the Terminal floor area from 2,700m2 to approximately 6,900m2. The advantages and disadvantages of the designs as provided by Sandover Pinder are summarized below:

Option 1:

Advantages

- Separation between pick-up and drop-off area at front of terminal should reduce traffic congestion
- Potential for further check-in expansion
- More central departures hall reduces walking distance to planes
- Open baggage make-up area (flexible design)

Disadvantages

- Distance between check-in and arrivals (location of shared facilities car hire, ablutions, etc)
- Staged construction, as required to maintain operations, is more complex due to central location of upper floor (over existing building)
- Effectively a re-build, minimal existing building fabric maintained, which is likely to impact on cost

Option 2:

Advantages

- Check-in and arrivals closer to shared landside facilities (car hire, ablutions, etc)
- Possible to retain majority of existing roof structure over central section, minimizing costs
- Simpler staged construction, minimizing impact on airport operations

Disadvantages

- Proximity of arrivals and check-in area would increase traffic congestion
- Limits further expansion of key facilities such as check-in and baggage screening
- Confined baggage make-up area limits design capabilities

Workshops were conducted on 11th and 12th January with key stakeholders and airport users to further explore the advantages and disadvantages of each option, as well as to confirm the accuracy of the design principles. The workshops were held in individual sessions with the following participants:

- Council staff (Planning, Health, Engineering, IT, Business Development and Airport)
- BHP Billiton Iron Ore
- Virgin Blue
- Strategic Airlines
- Qantas Airlines
- Fortescue Metals Group
- Rio Tinto
- Port Hedland Port Authority

The outcomes of these workshops will be reviewed in detail at the Airport Committee design workshop on 28th January, however some key points that will impact on the current concept plans include:

- Provision of shaded walkways at entrance and exits to create sense of arrival and provide shade for drop-off and pick-up passengers
- Airlines prefer lounges to be located on ground floor
- Identified an extra 20m expansion area to the east (this could assist to accommodate airline lounges on ground floor)
- Congestion and operational issues of baggage makeup area in Option 2
- Arrivals not to enter into departure lounge security issues for regional airports
- The majority of mining company passengers are airline club members, therefore the space provided in airline lounges has a priority

These concept plans will now be updated to reflect the feedback to date. We have engaged a quantity surveyor to provide high level cost estimates, a baggage makeup expert to provide advice and an additional airport architect to undertake a peer review of the design to date. This information will be available at the Airport Committee design workshop on 28th January for discussion. The intention of this workshop is to fully inform the Committee of the design principles, receive feedback on the updated designs and to proceed towards a preferred design option for approval at the Airport Committee meeting to be held in February.

Attachments

- 1. PHIA Terminal Concept Option 1
- 2. PHIA Terminal Concept Option 2
- 3. PHIA Terminal accommodation schedule
- 4. Staging Plan
- 5. Site Plan

AC201011/044 Airport Committee Decision/Officer's Recommendation

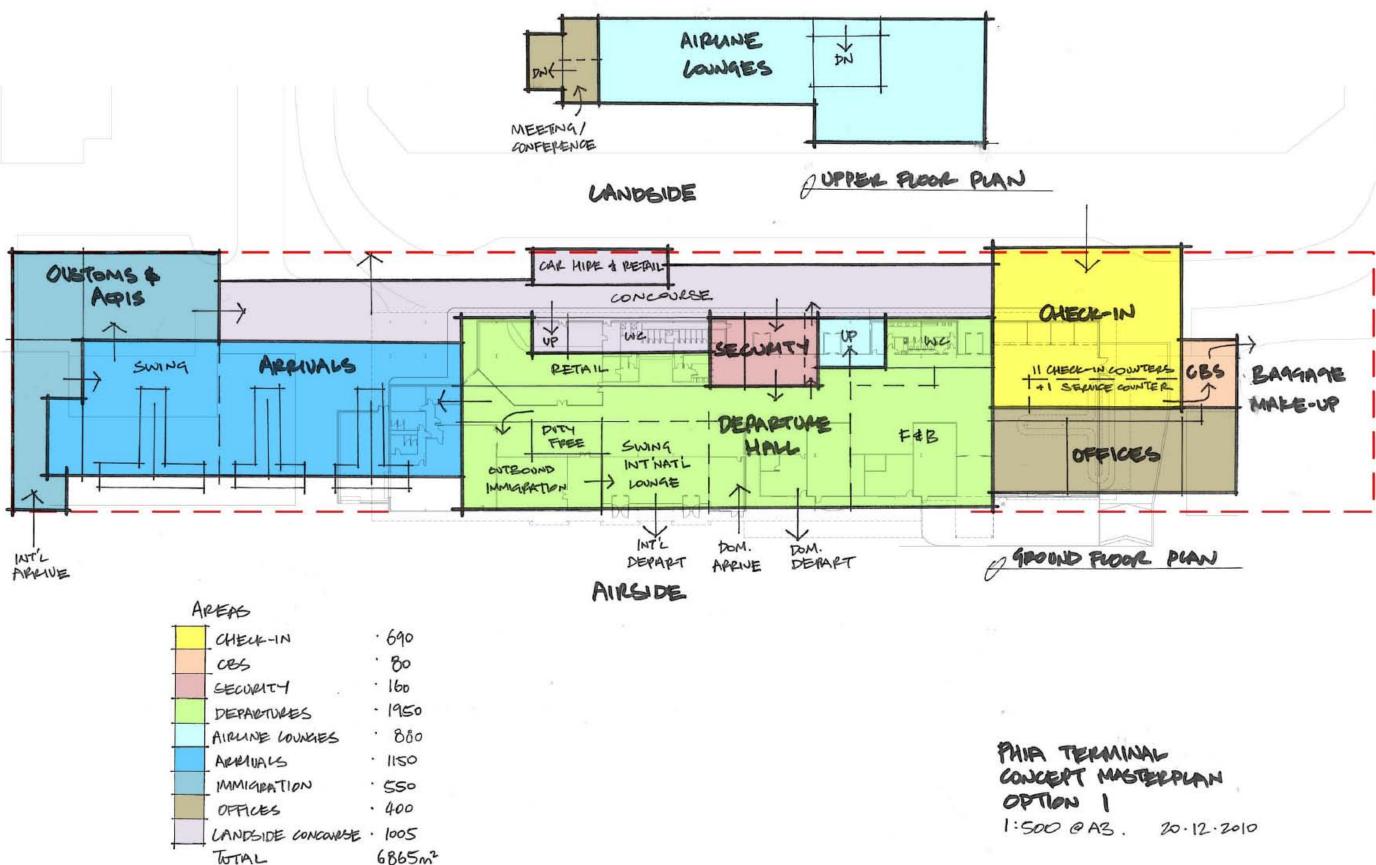
Moved: Cr S R Martin

Seconded: Cr M Dziombak

That the Airport Committee:

- 1. acknowledges the status of the Port Hedland International Airport project; and
- 2. holds a workshop on Friday 28 January 2011 to discuss the concepts for the Port Hedland International Airport Terminal Expansion Project.

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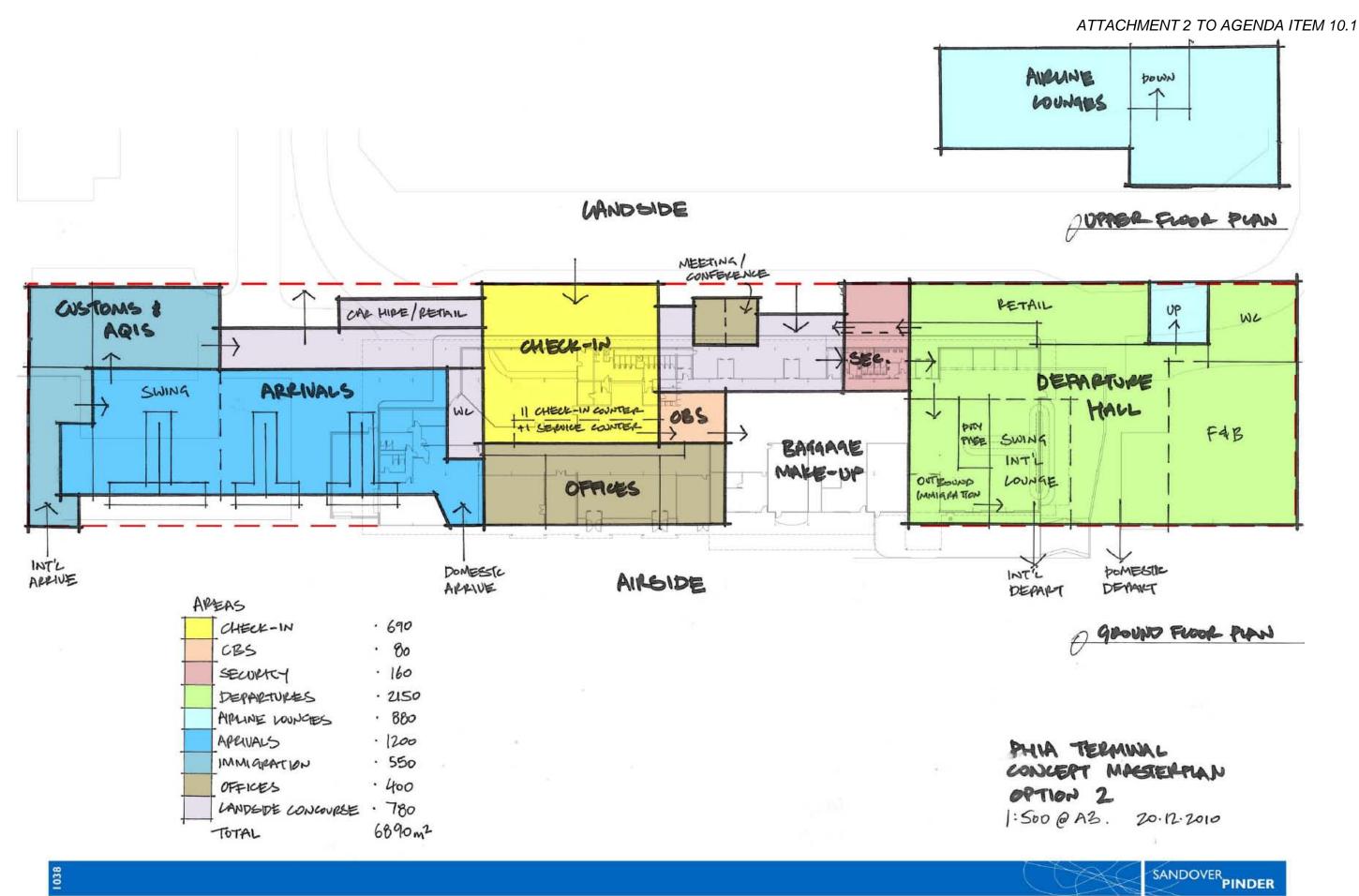


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ATTACHMENT 1 TO AGENDA ITEM 10.1





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ATTACHMENT 3 TO AGENDA ITEM 10.1

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PHIA Terminal Expansion Concept Plan		
Accomodation schedule	20.12.2010	rev3

	OPTION 1 OPTION 2					
	FACILITY	AREA	m2	AREA	m2	NOTES
1	DEPARTURES/CHECK-IN	690		690		
1.1	Entry/Queuing area		365		365	
1.2	Check-in counters		135		135	11 counters
1.3	Service counters		incl.		incl.	1 counter
1.4	Oversize bag drop		10		10	
1.5	Comms room/cupboard		1		1	
	Extra circulation allowance		179		179	
2	CHECKED BAG SCREENING	80		80		Consultant advice required
2.1	CBS room		80		80	
2.2	Level 2/3 operator workstation		incl.		incl.	
2.3	Level 2/3/4 take off points		incl.		incl.	
2.4	Baggage makeup area		600		600	External area
3	SECURITY	160		160		
3.1	Passenger screening		100		100	2 screening lines
3.2	Monitored exit		10		10	
3.3	Security office		40		40	
3.4	Search/interview room		10		10	
4	AIRSIDE DEPARTURES LOUNGE	863		1063		
4.1	Seating/waiting area		480		480	
4.2	International swing gate lounge		incl.		incl.	
4.3	Male toilets		50		50	
4.4	Female toilets		50		50	
4.5	Accessible toilet		10		10	
4.6	Baby change		5		5	
4.7	Cleaner's room		4		4	
4.8	Gates		120		120	
4.9	Childrens' play area		50		50	Requirements to be confirmed
	Extra circulation allowance		94		294	

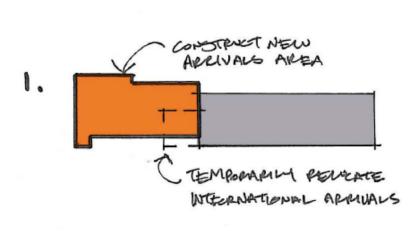
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5	AIRSIDE RETAIL / F&B	860		860		
5.1	Bar licensed area		180		180	
5.2	Unlicensed café seating area		180		180	
5.3	Bar/café servery area		70		70	
5.4	Kitchen		70		70	
5.5	Cool room		incl.		incl.	
5.6	Stock room		incl.		incl.	
5.7	Retail tenancies		285		285	
5.8	Duty free		75		75	International departures
6	OUTBOUND CUSTOMS/SECURITY	227		227		Border agency feedback required
6.1	Primary Line with queuing		78		78	
6.2	DIAC cubicle		4		4	
6.3	Primary support point		15		15	
6.4	Interview room		10		10	
6.5	DIAC office		40		40	
6.6	Server room		incl.		incl.	
6.7	Customs office		40		40	
6.8	LAGS secondary screening		40		40	
7	AIRLINE LOUNGES	880		880		
7.1	QANTAS lounge		440		440	
7.2	Virgin/Skywest lounge		440		440	
	BAGGAGE MAKEDOWN		250		250	External area
9	ARRIVALS	1150		1200		
9.1	Entry gate		30		30	
9.2	Baggage reclaim hall		520		520	
9.3	Swing international baggage claim hall		260		260	
	Extra circulation allowance		290		340	
9.4	Male toilet		20			Off swing lounge for international arrivals
9.5	Female toilet		20		20	Off swing lounge for international arrivals
9.6	Accessible toilet		5		5	Off swing lounge for international arrivals
9.7	Baby change		5		5	Off swing lounge for international arrivals
10	INBOUND IMMIGRATION	242		242		Border agency feedback required
10.1	Primary Line with queuing		166		166	
10.2	IPC desk		incl.		incl.	
10.3	Health/waiting room		10		10	
10.4	Interview room		10		10	
10.5	Holding room		10		10	
10.6	Primary support point		incl.		incl.	
10.7	Document examination room		10		10	
	Circulation allowance		36		36	

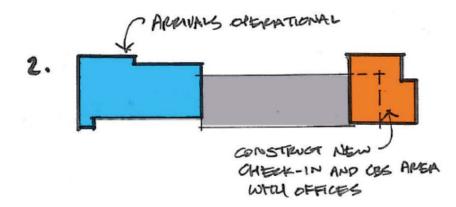
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11	SECONDARY EXAMINATION	308		308		Border agency feedback required
11.1	Queuing		102		102	
11.2	X-Ray		20		20	
11.3	Baggage inspection benches		132		132	11 manned counters. Based on 50% fully screened
11.4	Administration desk		4		4	
11.5	Interview room		10		10	
11.6	Treatment room		10		10	
11.7	Tool room		10		10	
11.8	Technical examination room		10		10	
11.9	Duty collection counter		10		10	
12	OFFICES	400		400		
12.1	Airport operations		80		80	
12.2	Ground operator		60		60	
12.3	Airline offices		120		120	Assuming 4 @ 30m2
12.4	Conference room		30		30	Assumed. For hire out by ToPH. ToPH to confirm if required. Assuming
12.5	Conference room		30		30	2 rooms can be combined through operable wall
12.6	Amenities		20		20	Shared office amenities
	Circulation allowance		60		60	
13	LANDSIDE CONCOURSE	805		580		
13.1	Car hire booths		70		70	
13.2	Visitor kiosk		10		10	
13.3	Atms		5		5	
13.4	Male toilets		30		30	
13.5	Female toilets		30		30	
13.6	Male showers		10		10	
13.7	Female showers		10		10	
13.8	Accessible toilet/shower		5		5	
13.9	Baby change		5		5	
13.10	Cleaner's room		4		4	
13.11	Concourse		626		401	Assumed figure. Dependent on design planning arrangement.
14	PLANT	200		200		
14.1	A/C plant (allowance)		200		200	Assumed. TBD with consultant input
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	TOTAL	6865		6890		

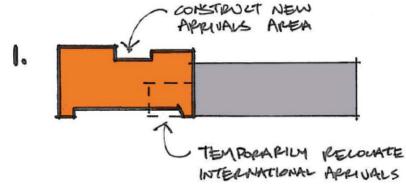
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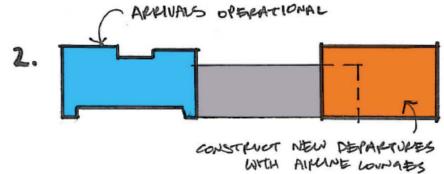


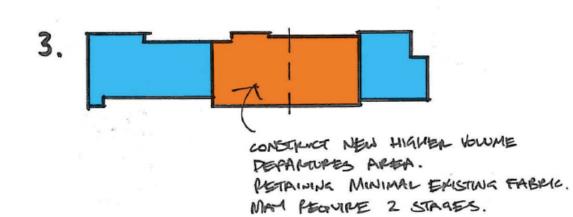
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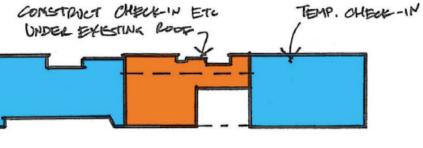


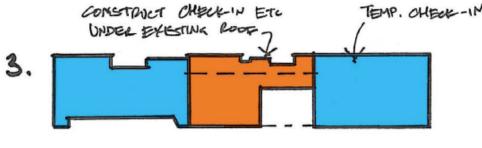










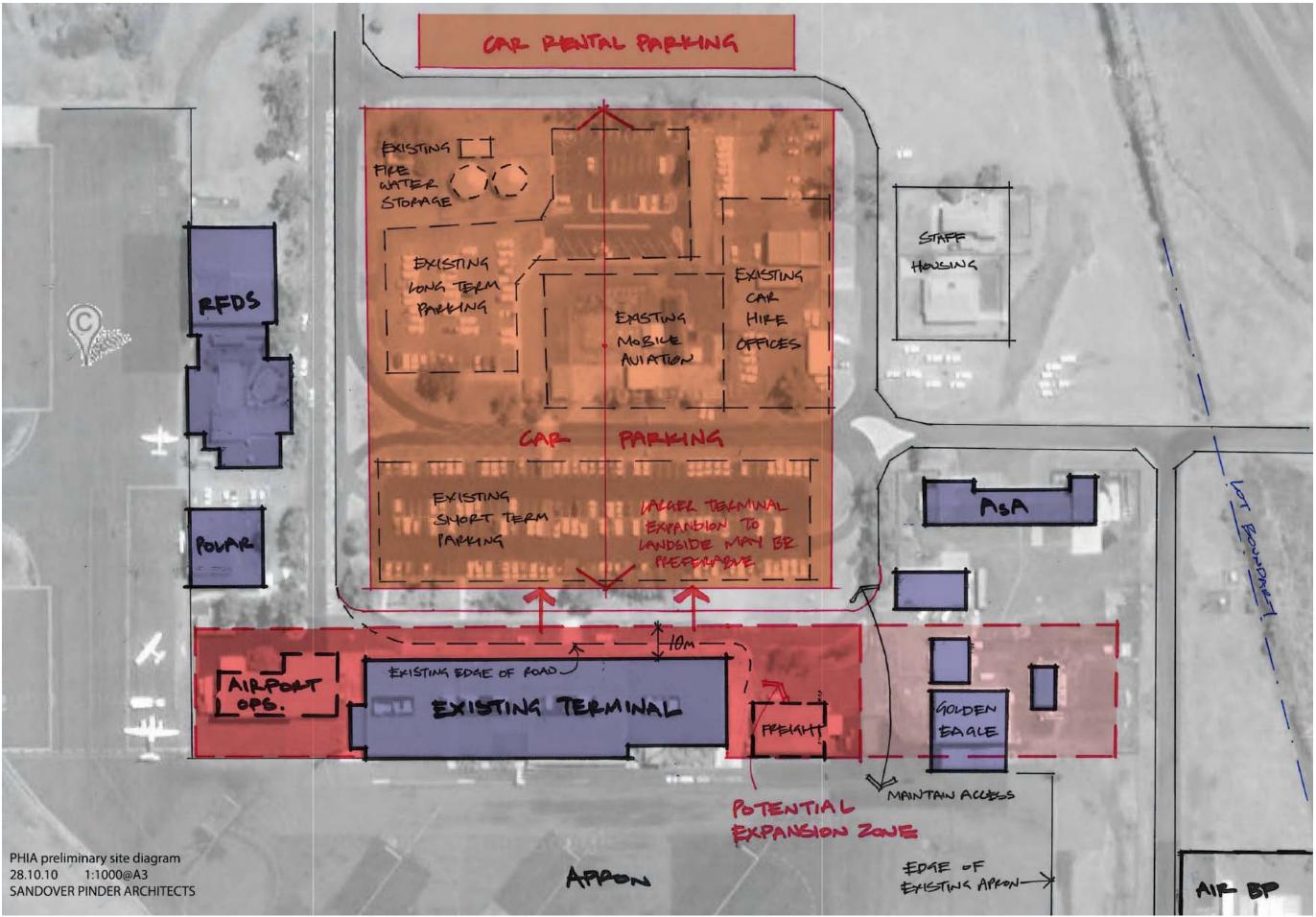


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ATTACHMENT 4 TO AGENDA ITEM 10.1





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ATTACHMENT 5 TO AGENDA ITEM 10.1

10.2 Port Hedland International Airport Paid Parking System – Status Report (File No.: 30/21/0001)

Officer	Jenella Voitkevich Manager Infrastructure Development
Date of Report	20 January 2011
Disclosure of Interest by Officer	Nil

Summary

The purpose of this report is to provide the Airport Committee with an update on the progress of the Port Hedland International Airport Terminal Paid Parking project.

Background

At the Ordinary Council Meeting on 24th November 2010 Council approved the allocation of funds for the implementation of paid parking based on the Committee's recommendation as follows:

"That Council:

- 1. allocates \$785,000 from the Airport Reserve for the purpose of:
 - a) Development of construction designs and specifications for the reconstruction of the PHIA carpark
 - b) Minor reconstruction works to the short term carpark entrance to accommodate the paid parking system
 - c) Development and implementation of a paid parking system at the Port Hedland International Airport; and
- 2. authorise for tenders to be called for the implementation of paid parking."

Consultation

The specifications for the Paid Parking System tender are being developed in consultation with various specialists in this field. Council's IT department will also be consulted on the tender specifications and submissions.

Statutory	Implications	I	Nil
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Policy Implications Nil

Strategic Planning Implications

Key Result Area 1 - Infrastructure Goal 2 - Airport

1. Other Action Strategy 1 - Undertake upgrades to the terminal and surrounds to improve the functionality of the facility including:

a) Review parking options and implement an agreed Airport Parking Plan

Budget Implications

Nil

Officer's Comment

Officers have been working towards preparing a detailed tender specification for the design, supply and installation of a paid parking system at the Port Hedland International Airport. With the assistance of specialists in this field we have been reviewing different systems and exploring latest technologies in order to achieve a sustainable, best practice outcome for the project.

Discussions at the Committee meeting where this project was approved indicated that the system was only to be installed in the short term carpark as a priority as other matters were hindering the development of the long term car park. It has now been determined that the hire car companies will not be relocating into the existing fenced long term parking area. This area will remain as long term parking and can also have the paid parking system installed with some minor adjustments to entrances to accommodate stacking of vehicles as they collect their parking tickets. This area will be included in the tender specification.

Primary considerations of the design, supply and install tender are:

- Vandal resistance
- Pest resistance
- Easy to operate, program and reconfigure tariffs
- IT requirements and latest technologies
- Security
- Council staff permits for access to free parking when required (often necessary to accommodate Council staff working at the airport)
- Signage requirements
- Warranty and whole of life costs
- Availability of parts and servicing
- Battery backup option

The proposed timeframes of the Design, Supply and Installation of Paid Parking System tender are:

- Tender advertised 29th January
- Tender closing date 16th February
- Tender award Airport Committee Meeting 24th February (potential late item to allow for tender assessment)

We anticipate a 10-12 week contract period to accommodate design, supply and installation of all components required in the scope of works. During this period the parking tariffs will be assessed, approved and advertised to the public.

Attachments

Nil

Officer's Recommendation

That the Airport Committee acknowledges the status of the Port Hedland International Airport Paid Parking System project.

AC201011/045 Airport Committee Decision

Moved: Cr S R Martin Seconded: Mr Serge Doumergue

That the Airport Committee:

- a) acknowledges the status of the Port Hedland International Airport Paid Parking System project; and
- b) accepts the timeframes of the proposed Design, Supply and Installation of Paid Parking System tender for the Port Hedland International Airport as per Officer's proposal as follows:
 - i) Tender advertised 29 January
 - ii) Tender closing date 16 February
 - iii) Tender award Airport Committee Meeting 24 February (potential late item to allow for tender assessment).

CARRIED 7/0

REASON: The Airport Committee resolved to accept the timeframes as recommended by the Officer for the Design, Supply and Installation of Paid Parking System tender.

ITEM 11 LATE ITEMS AS PERMITTED BY CHAIRPERSON/COUNCIL

Nil.

ITEM 12 MOTIONS OF WHICH PREVIOUS NOTICE HAVE BEEN GIVEN

Nil.

ITEM 13 CONFIDENTIAL ITEMS

AC201011/046 Airport Committee Decision

Moved: Cr S R Martin Seconded: Cr M Dziombak

That the Meeting be closed to members of the public as prescribed in Section 5.23 (2) (c), (e) and (h) of the Local Government Act 1995, to enable Council to consider the following Agenda Items:

13.1 Confidential Item: Strategic Airlines Review; and 13.2 Confidential Item : Qantas Airlines Review.

CARRIED 7/0

NOTE: Section 5.23 of the Local Government Act 1995 states:

- "(1) Subject to subsection (2), the following are to be open to members of the public
 - (a) all council meetings; and
 - (b) all meetings of any committee to which a local government power or duty has been delegated.
- (2) If a meeting is being held by a council or by a committee referred to in subsection (1)(b), the council or committee may close to members of the public the meeting, or part of the meeting, if the meeting or the part of the meeting deals with any of the following
 -(c) a contract entered into, or which may be entered into, by the local government and which relates to a matter to be discussed at the meeting;......
 - ...(e) a matter that if disclosed, would reveal
 - (*i*) *a trade secret*;

where the trade secret or information is held by, or is about, a person other than the local government;

- ...(h) such other matters as may be prescribed."
- 5:36 pm Deputy Mayor advised the meeting is closed to the public.
- 5:36 pm Mr Doug Gould declared a financial interest in Agenda Item 13.1 'Confidential Item : Strategic Airlines Review.

Mr Doug Gould left the room.

13.1 **Confidential Item** : Strategic Airlines Review (File No.: ...)

AC201011/047 Airport Committee Decision

Moved: Cr S R Martin Seconded: Mr Serge Doumergue

That the Airport Committee recommends that Council:

- i) continue to provide financial support to Strategic Airlines pursuant to the Agreement for direct flight services between Port Hedland and Brisbane for the remainder of the term until 3 February 2011; with a maximum payment of \$120,000 payable to Strategic Airlines for the three month period;
- ii) decline to enter into any further agreements for financial assistance after 3 February 2011; and
- iii) request the Chief Executive Officer or his nominated delegate to notify Strategic Airlines of this decision, immediately.

CARRIED 6/0

REASON: The Airport Committee resolved for a maximum payment of \$120,000 being payable to Strategic Airlines (for 3 month period) and amended Clause i) of the Officer's Recommendation accordingly.

5:38 pm Mr Doug Gould re-entered and room and assumed his chair.

Deputy Mayor Arnold A Carter (Chairman) advised Mr Gould of the Airport Committee's Decision.

13.2 **Confidential Item** : Qantas Airlines Review (File No.: ...)

AC201011/048 Airport Committee Decision

Moved: Cr S R Martin Seconded: Cr M Dziombak

That the Airport Committee recommends that Council:

- 1. declines to enter into any further agreements to provide financial support to Qantas Airways for direct flight services between Port Hedland and Melbourne after 11 January 2011;
- 2. requests the Chief Executive Officer or his nominated delegate to notify Qantas Airways of this decision, immediately; and
- 3. finalises all outstanding monies due to the Town of Port Hedland, and subsidies payable to Qantas Airways, in relation to Town's Agreement with Qantas Airways for its direct flight services between Port Hedland and Melbourne.

CARRIED 7/0

REASON: The Airport Committee resolved for the finalisation of all outstanding monies due to the Town of Port Hedland, and subsidies payable to Qantas Airways, in relation to the Town's Agreement with Qantas Airways for its direct flight services between Port Hedland and Melbourne.

AC201011/049 Airport Committee Decision

Moved: Cr S R Martin Seconded: Mayor Kelly Howlett

That the Airport Committee be re-opened to members of the public.

CARRIED 7/0

5:40 pm Members of the public were invited into the room for the remainder of the meeting.

Deputy Mayor Arnold A Carter (Chairman) advised members of the public of the Airport Committee's Decisions in relation to Confidential Items considered.

ITEM 14 APPLICATIONS FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Nil.

ITEM 15 CLOSURE

15.1 Date of Next Meeting

The next Airport Committee Meeting of Council will be held on Thursday 24 February 2011, commencing at 5:30 pm

15.2 Closure

There being no further business, the Chairman declared the meeting closed at 5:40 pm.

Declaration of Confirmation of Minutes

I certify that these Minutes were confirmed by the Airport Committee at its Meeting of ______ 2011.

CONFIRMATION:

CHAIR

DATE