Greater Dandenong City Council Summary of Initial and Biannual Personal Interests



Returns

Council Officers and Delegated Committee Members – March 2025 – August 2025

Under section 134 of the Local Government Act 2020 a specified person must lodge a biannual personal interests return with the Chief Executive Officer containing matters prescribed by the Local Government (Governance and Integrity) Regulations 2020. Biannual personal interests returns must be lodged by specified persons twice yearly by the end of each prescribed period. The prescribed periods are from 1-31 March and 1-30 September each year. A specified person includes the Chief Executive Officer, a member of a delegated committee or a nominated officer (a member of Council staff who is nominated by the Chief Executive Officer because of their role or who has a statutory or delegated power, duty or function).

Further, the Chief Executive Officer nominated additional staff positions on 1 March 2025. These new nominated positions are included in this list (as are any new staff employed after 1 March 2025). Under section 133 of the Local Government Act 2020 a specified person (which includes nominated officers by the Chief Executive Officer) must lodge an initial personal interests return with the Chief Executive Officer containing matters prescribed by the Local Government (Governance and Integrity) Regulations 2020.

Under section 135 of the Local Government Act 2020, the Chief Executive Officer must prepare a summary of the personal interests information disclosed in the last personal interests return lodged. This summary must be made available on Council's Internet site and must be available for inspection at Council's office.

The following provides the categories under which all details must be disclosed on a personal interests return form as required under section 8 of the Local Government (Governance and Integrity) Regulations 2020. This also provides a key to the following summary table.

Biannual Returns

- 1. Any corporation of which the specified person is a director or member of the governing body.
- 2. Any unincorporated association in which the specified person is a member and performs a leadership role.
- 3. Any business partnership or joint venture of which the specified person is a member.
- 4. Any trust that the specified person is a trustee or a beneficiary of.
- 5. Any paid employment of the specified person (other than employment with Council) limits apply.
- 6. Any person or body for whom the specified person is currently or has acted as, a consultant, contractor or agent.
- 7. Any land the specified person owns or has a beneficial interest in within the municipality or an adjoining municipality.
- 8. Any shares the specified person owns or has have a beneficial interest in limits apply.
- 9. Any company which the specified person solely, or jointly with any family members, holds a controlling interest.
- 10. Any personal debt of the specified person exceeding \$10,000 other than with a banking or financial institution.
- 11. Any gift(s) received by the Councillor of a value equal to or exceeding \$500 including gifts in the form of goods or services and multiple gifts that have a combined value equal to or exceeding \$500.
- 12. Any other interests the specified person has decided to disclose which may give rise to a general or material conflict of interest.

Initial Returns

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- 3. Any business partnership or joint venture of which the specified person is a member.
- 4. Any trust that the specified person is a trustee or a beneficiary of.
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Acronyms or descriptors used:

| BPIR | Biannual Personal Interests Return |
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| IPIR | Initial Personal Interest Return (summaries indicative of Initial Personal Interests Returns are in blue in the table following) |
| Owner/Residence | The property is owned by and lived in by the specified person |
| Owner/Investment | The property is owned, but not lived in, by the specified person |
| * | Denotes officer was on leave during Return (or Prescribed) Period |
| # | Denotes where details have been excluded under regulation 10 of the <i>Local</i> Government (Governance and Integrity) Regulations 2020 |

| Officer Name | Position | IPIR or BPIR Due Date | IPIR or BPIR Received | Summary of Information Disclosed |
|--------------------|---|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| Jad Abouchakra | Deputy MBS | 31/03/2025 | 28/03/2025 | Categories – 12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Carolyn Altan | Manager Communications & Customer Experience | 31/03/2025 | 12/03/2025 | Categories 1-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Deborah Beasley | Coordinator Public Health | 31/03/2025 | 04/03/2025 | Categories 1-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Matthew Berry | Manager Infrastructure Services & Planning | 31/03/2025 | 7/03/2025 | Categories 1-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Fiona Chisholm | Acting Coordinator Local Laws | 31/03/2025 | 05/03/2025 | Categories 1-6 – Nothing to disclose Category 7 – Property in Langwarrin – Owner/Resident # Property in Frankston – Owner/Investment # Categories 8 – 11 – Nothing to disclose Category 12 – Frankston Pines Soccer Club – Junior Coach |
| Jim Davine | Manager Community Development, Sport & Recreation | 31/03/2025 | 07/03/2025 | Categories 1-3 – Nothing to disclose Category 4 – Malachi Brothers Family Trust – Trustee/Beneficiary Workers Playtime Superannuation Fund – Trustee/Beneficiary Categories 5-11 – Nothing to disclose Category 12 – Member of St Kilda Football Club Member of Melbourne Cricket Club |
| George Drakopoulos | Deputy Municipal Building Surveyor | 31/03/2025 | 28/03/2025 | Categories 1-3 – Nothing to disclose Category 4 – Drakopoulos Family Trust – Trustee/Beneficiary Categories 5-11 – Nothing to disclose Category 12 – a family member owns a property in Keysborough # |
| David Fice | Chief Engineer & Major Projects | 31/03/2025 | 31/03/2025 | Categories 1-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Marcus Forster | Manager Community Wellbeing | 31/03/2025 | 04/03/2025 | Category 1 – Springvale Service for Children – Member Board of Directors Categories 2-6 – Nothing to disclose Category 7 – Property in Emerald – Owner/Residence # Categories 8-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Amanda Gatliff | Manager Community Care | 31/03/2025 | 25/03/2025 | Category 1 – Gatliff Pty Ltd – Director and Secretary Categories 2-3 – Nothing to disclose Category 4 – Murrell Superannuation Fund – Trustee/Beneficiary Categories 5-6 – Nothing to disclose Category 7 – Property in Berwick – Owner/Residence # Category 8 – Nothing to disclose Category 9 – Gatliff Pty Ltd – Controlling Interest Categories 10-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Peta Gillies | Executive Director Community Strengthening | 31/03/2025 | 28/03/2025 | Categories 1-6 – Nothing to disclose Category 7 – Property in adjoining municipality – Owner/Residence # Categories 8-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Ceinwen Gould | Principal Strategic Planner | 31/03/2025 | 05/03/2025 | Categories 1-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Matthew Graham | Deputy Municipal Building Surveyor | 31/03/2025 | 04/03/2025 | Categories 1-6 – Nothing to disclose |

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| | | | | Category 7 – Property in Langwarrin – Owner/Residence # Property in Botanic Ridge – Owner/Investment # Categories 8-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Marjan Hajjari | Executive Manager Strategic Growth & Advocacy | 31/03/2025 | 28/03/2025 | Categories 1-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Martin Halden | Coordinator Strategic Transport | 31/03/2025 | 04/03/2025 | Categories 1-6 – Nothing to disclose Category 7 – Property in Parkdale – Owner/Residence # Categories 8-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Michelle Hansen | Chief Financial Officer | 31/03/2025 | 04/03/2025 | Categories 1-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Matthew Harvey | Municipal Building Surveyor | 31/03/2025 | 05/03/2025 | Categories 1-6 – Nothing to disclose Category 7 – Property in adjoining municipality – Owner/Residence # Categories 8-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Brett Jackson | Manager Strategic & Environmental Planning | 31/03/2025 | 04/03/2025 | Categories 1-12 - Nothing to disclose |
| Sanjay Manivasagasivam | Executive Director City Futures | 31/03/2025 | 25/03/2025 | Category 1 – Singing Fish Old Students Association – President Category 2 -12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Clint Martin | Coordinator Planning Compliance | 31/03/2025 | 11/03/2025 | Categories 1-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Elizabeth McInnes | Parking Compliance Coordinator | 31/03/2025 | 25/03/2025 | Categories 1-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Natasha Petkovic- Jeremic | Manager Arts, Culture & Libraries | 31/03/2025 | 12/03/2025 | Categories 1-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Nadine Robinson | Principal Strategic Planner | 31/03/2025 | 04/03/2025 | Categories 1-3 – Nothing to disclose Category 4 – Finntara Family Trust – Beneficiary Categories 5-7 – Nothing to disclose Category 8 – Nadris Pty Ltd – Shareholder Categories 9-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Richard Stevenson | Coordinator Statutory Planning | 31/03/2025 | 12/03/2025 | Categories 1-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Will Stewart | Manager Statutory Planning | 31/03/2025 | 20/03/2025 | Categories 1-3 - Nothing to disclose Category 4 – Adenmore Pty Ltd – Trustee/Beneficiary Categories 5-6 – Nothing to disclose Category 7 – Properties in Doveton – Owner/Investment # Categories 8-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Mike Strong | Chief People Officer | 31/03/2025 | 31/03/2025 | Categories 1-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Jamie Thorley | Manager Building & Compliance Services | 31/03/2025 | 07/03/2025 | Categories 1-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Kevin Van Boxtel | Manager Business & Revitalisation | 31/03/2025 | 12/03/2025 | Categories 1-6 – Nothing to disclose Category 7 – Property in Dandenong – Owner/Residence # Property in Keysborough – Spouse is Owner/Investment # Property in Dandenong – Spouse is Owner/Investment # Categories 8-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Jacqui Weatherill | Chief Executive Officer | 31/03/2025 | 04/03/2025 | Category 1 – Worldwide Sports Management Pty Ltd – Director |

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|------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------|--|
| | | Date | Received | |
| | | | | Federation of International Gymnastics – Gender Equality |
| | | | | Commission Member |
| | | | | Categories 2-3 – Nothing to disclose |
| | | | | Category 4 – Weatherill Superannuation Fund – Trustee/Beneficiary |
| | | | | Estate of the late Simon Weatherill - Executor |
| | | | | Categories 5-8 – Nothing to disclose |
| | | | | Category 9 – Worldwide Sports Management Group Pty Ltd – Controlling interest |
| | | | | Categories 10-11 – Nothing to disclose |
| | | | | Category 12 – Family member employed by Dell as Tender Coordinator |
| | | | | Family member employed by Acumen Health as OT/Rehab |
| | | | | Consultant |
| Melissa White | Acting Manager Community Amenity | 31/03/2025 | 04/03/2025 | Categories 1-12 – Nothing to disclose (updated 4 March 2025) |
| Sally Wright* | Rates and Revenue Coordinator | 31/03/2025 | 15/04/2025* | Categories 1-2 – Nothing to disclose |
| | | | | Category 3 – Australian Revenue Management Association Pty Ltd – Member only |
| | | | | Category 4 – Max Fielder Trust – Beneficiary |
| | | | | Categories 5-7 – Nothing to disclose |
| | | | | Category 8 – Austral Resources Australia Ltd – Beneficial interest |
| | | | | Arafura Rate Earths Ltd – Beneficial interest |
| | | | | Core Lithium Ltd – Beneficial interest |
| | | | | Dreadnought Resources Ltd – Beneficial interest |
| | | | | FYI Resources Ltd – Beneficial interest |
| | | | | Westpac Bank – Beneficial interest |
| | | | | Telstra – Beneficial interest |
| | | | | Westfarmers – Beneficial Interest |
| | | | | Rio Tinto – Beneficial interest |
| | | | | Bank of Queensland – Beneficial interest |
| | | | | Coles group – Beneficial interest |
| | | | | Category 9 – 12 Nothing to disclose |
| Yuri Guzman | Chief Information Officer | 31/03/2025 | 04/03/2025 | Categories 1- 12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Nicole Rudden | Manager Governance, Risk & Legal | 31/03/2025 | 29/03/2025 | Categories 1-8 – Nothing to disclose |
| | | | | Category 9 – Rudden Consulting – controlling interest |
| | | | | Categories 10-12 – Nothing to disclose |
| Kosta Tzimourtas | Procurement Manager | 31/03/2025 | 07/03/2025 | Categories 1-12 – Nothing to disclose |