

Summary of Personal Interests Returns

Biannual Returns
September 2024

CEO
Councillors
Nominated Officers

(Returns are included only for Officers currently employed by Council, and current Councillors)

Public access to the summary of Personal Interests Returns is provided in accordance with
s135 of the *Local Government Act 2020* and
r10 of the *Local Government (Governance and Integrity) Regulations 2020*.

Summary of Personal Interests Returns

In accordance with s135 of the *Local Government Act 2020* and r10 of the *Local Government (Governance and Integrity) Regulations 2020* the Chief Executive Officer must prepare a summary of the personal interests information disclosed in the last personal interests return lodged by specified persons.

The summary of personal interests must include:

- the name of the person completing the personal interests return
- all positions held by the person as a Councillor, member of a delegated committee, or member of Council staff
- the date the person lodged the preceding personal interests return
- the town or suburb, but not the street address or number of the land that is the place of residence of a person as disclosed in the personal interests return.
- a summary of the information disclosed in the person's preceding personal interests return, except the following items:
 - the monetary value or amount of any of the following: income, shares, beneficial interests other than income or shares; or any debt.
 - the street address and number of any land owned by the specified person, or in which the specified person has a beneficial interest, if the land is the principal place of residence of any person.
 - information which the person has requested in writing not to be included.

Section 132 of the *Local Government Act 2020* provides the following definitions:

A ***specified person*** means:

- a) a Councillor; or
- b) a member of a delegated committee who is not a Councillor; or
- c) a Chief Executive Officer; or
- d) a nominated officer.

A ***nominated officer*** means a member of Council staff who:

- a) has a statutory or delegated power, duty or function; and
- b) is nominated by the Chief Executive Officer because of the nature of that power, duty or function.

Council will continue to review the nomination of officers required to complete a Personal Interests Return.

For the avoidance of doubt, a person who is acting in a nominated position will not be required to complete a Personal Interests Return, unless they have been appointed to that acting role for a period of six months or more.

Summary of Personal Interests Return



Name Cr Sarah Nicholas
Position Councillor
Date of Return 17/09/2024
Type of Return Biannual - September 2024

1. Corporate Directorships or memberships of a governing body

Name of corporation	Office held	Description of the purpose or activities of the corporation
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2. Unincorporated associations in which you are a member and perform a leadership role

Name of association	Position held by you (eg President, Secretary)	Description of the purpose or activities of the association
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3. Business partnerships or joint ventures which you are a member

Name of any partnerships / joint ventures	Description of the purpose or activities of the partnership or joint venture
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4. Trusts that you are a trustee or a beneficiary of

Name of the trust	Types of assets held by the trust	Purpose of the trust
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5. Paid employment

Name of employer

6. Consultancies, contracts or agents

Name of the person or body

7. Land you own or have a beneficial interest in

Locality	Purpose for which the land is held	Nature of your interest in the land
WANDILIGONG	PRINCIPAL RESIDENCE	JOINT OWNER
WANDILIGONG	PRINCIPAL RESIDENCE	JOINT OWNER

8. Shares you own or have a beneficial interest in

Name of the company

9. Companies which you solely or jointly with family members hold a controlling interest

Name of the company	Description of the purpose or activities of the company	Name of any other company in which this company holds a controlling interest
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10. Personal Debt

Name of the creditor	Details of the debt
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11. Gifts

Description of the gift	Monetary value of the gift	Name of the person who gave the gift	Name of person or body if gift was given on behalf of another person or body
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Summary of Personal Interests Return

Name Will Jeremy
Position Chief Executive Officer
Date of Return 10/09/2024
Type of Return Biannual - September 2024

1. Corporate Directorships or memberships of a governing body

Name of corporation	Office held	Description of the purpose or activities of the corporation
Tourism North East Board Inc.	Director / Member	To support and develop regional tourism.
MomentumOne Shared Services Pty Ltd	Director	Labour Hire (currently in dormancy)
School Council - Porepunkah Primary School	Parent Member	Strengthens community confidence in the school and help to build and secure the school's reputation

2. Unincorporated associations in which you are a member and perform a leadership role

Name of association	Position held by you (eg President, Secretary)	Description of the purpose or activities of the association
N/A		

3. Business partnerships or joint ventures which you are a member

Name of any partnerships / joint ventures	Description of the purpose or activities of the partnership or joint venture
N/A	

4. Trusts that you are a trustee or a beneficiary of

Name of the trust	Types of assets held by the trust	Purpose of the trust
N/A		

5. Paid employment

Name of employer
N/A

6. Consultancies, contracts or agents

Name of the person or body
N/A

7. Land you own or have a beneficial interest in

Locality	Purpose for which the land is held	Nature of your interest in the land
Porepunkah	Place of Residence	Joint ownership

8. Shares you own or have a beneficial interest in

Name of the company
N/A

9. Companies which you solely or jointly with family members hold a controlling interest

Name of the company	Description of the purpose or activities of the company	Name of any other company in which this company holds a controlling interest
N/A		

10. Personal Debt

Name of the creditor	Details of the debt
N/A	

11. Gifts

Description of the gift	Monetary value of the gift	Name of the person who gave the gift	Name of person or body if gift was given on behalf of another person or body
N/A			

Summary of Personal Interests Return



Name Nathalie Cooke
Position Director Customer and Community
Date of Return 16/09/2024
Type of Return Biannual - September 2024

1. Corporate Directorships or memberships of a governing body

Name of corporation	Office held	Description of the purpose or activities of the corporation
IN Cooke Consultants Pty Ltd	Director and Secretary	Retail businesses and management consultancy

2. Unincorporated associations in which you are a member and perform a leadership role

Name of association	Position held by you (eg President, Secretary)	Description of the purpose or activities of the association
Nil		

3. Business partnerships or joint ventures which you are a member

Name of any partnerships / joint ventures	Description of the purpose or activities of the partnership or joint venture
Nil	

4. Trusts that you are a trustee or a beneficiary of

Name of the trust	Types of assets held by the trust	Purpose of the trust
Nil		

5. Paid employment

Name of employer
IN Cooke Consultants

6. Consultancies, contracts or agents

Name of the person or body
Rural City of Wangaratta

7. Land you own or have a beneficial interest in

Locality	Purpose for which the land is held	Nature of your interest in the land
Buffalo River	Primary Residence	Joint Owner

8. Shares you own or have a beneficial interest in

Name of the company
Nil

9. Companies which you solely or jointly with family members hold a controlling interest

Name of the company	Description of the purpose or activities of the company	Name of any other company in which this company holds a controlling interest
IN Cooke Consultants		

10. Personal Debt

Name of the creditor	Details of the debt
Nil	

11. Gifts

Description of the gift	Monetary value of the gift	Name of the person who gave the gift	Name of person or body if gift was given on behalf of another person or body
Nil			

Summary of Personal Interests Return



Name Alan Rees
Position Director Assets
Date of Return 16/09/2024
Type of Return Biannual - September 2024

1. Corporate Directorships or memberships of a governing body

Name of corporation	Office held	Description of the purpose or activities of the corporation
Alpine Community Plantations	Chair	Mystic Mountain Bike Park

2. Unincorporated associations in which you are a member and perform a leadership role

Name of association	Position held by you (eg President, Secretary)	Description of the purpose or activities of the association
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3. Business partnerships or joint ventures which you are a member

Name of any partnerships / joint ventures	Description of the purpose or activities of the partnership or joint venture
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4. Trusts that you are a trustee or a beneficiary of

Name of the trust	Types of assets held by the trust	Purpose of the trust
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5. Paid employment

Name of employer

6. Consultancies, contracts or agents

Name of the person or body

7. Land you own or have a beneficial interest in

Locality	Purpose for which the land is held	Nature of your interest in the land
Harrierville	Primary Residence	Owner occupier

8. Shares you own or have a beneficial interest in

Name of the company

9. Companies which you solely or jointly with family members hold a controlling interest

Name of the company	Description of the purpose or activities of the company	Name of any other company in which this company holds a controlling interest
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10. Personal Debt

Name of the creditor	Details of the debt
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11. Gifts

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