## 2019-2020

## ANNUAL REPORT

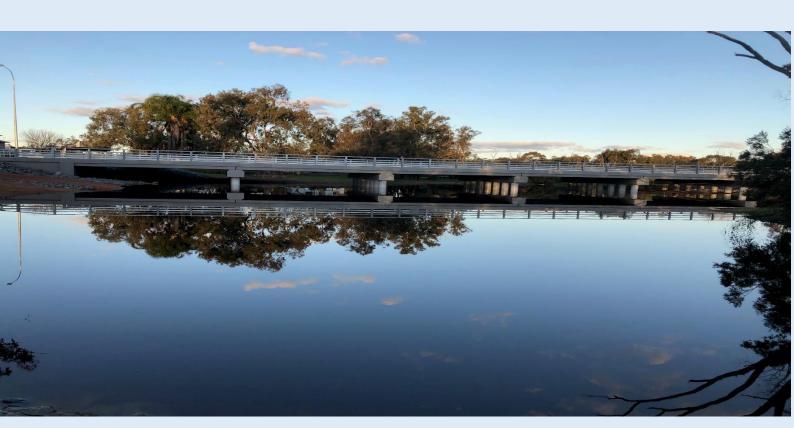


#### Shire of Williams

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## About the Shire of Williams

The Shire of Williams is most commonly known for being a wool, livestock and grain producing area with a large number of the community working within the agricultural industry.

Williams is conveniently located along the Albany Highway and is a popular and pleasant stopping place for travellers between Perth and the Great Southern. Boasting various successful café outlets, three service stations and a hotel, Williams is a welcoming resting stop for all passers through. With excellent, well maintained public facilities, a newly developed Lions Park offering a great view across the river with benches along the banks, a recreational BBQ area, a nature play area for children of all ages and shade out of the sun whilst drivers refresh and revive.

In addition to our attractive tourist facilities, the Shire of Williams is home to the Williams Primary School, kindergarten and childcare facilities, a supermarket and newsagency, various rural supplies, service organisations, medical centre, pharmacy, community housing, sporting groups and personal interest and hobby groups. The Shire of Williams is strongly represented through our love of living local and in support of our growing and prosperous community. We welcome all tourists and visitors as well as new residents to the town.



#### Shire Statistics

Distance from Perth (km)	161
Area (sq.km)	2,295
Length sealed roads (km)	228
Length unsealed roads (km)	334
Population	1006
Councillors	9
Electors	660
Dwellings	455
Employees (FTE's)	22
Rates (2019-2020)	\$1,924,117
Operating Revenue (2019-2020)	\$3,683,378

## Shire President's Report

This year has been the most challenging year I have experienced on Council, yet the most rewarding one. The world turned in turmoil as the Coronavirus took control, and life as we knew it came to an abrupt halt. All of a sudden people were forced to deal with technology and our peaceful little town suddenly became eerily quiet with the closure of borders. Our businesses, which were still recovering from the financial strain the replacements caused were again forced to close.

There were no public gatherings or catching up with friends for that cuppa. Local sport was temporarily cancelled. All of a sudden life was different. Amidst all of the uncertainty, our community gagin rose above the challenges. There were community members offering grocery deliveries for our vulnerable residents. There were grandchildren setting up zoom meetings for their grandparents so that they were still able to have their Saturday morning coffee and chat amongst friends. The Community Resource Centre went above and beyond to care for our community with activity packs for children and seniors. During this time I could not be more proud to be part of the Williams Community. Williams comes together when needed, it always has and it always will.



This year has not all been doom and gloom. Williams saw the completion of the mammoth task of replacing the two Bridges along Albany Highway. This was 18 months of frustration for the people of Williams but the end product is worth it. The sound of squeals and laughter can be heard from the children playing in the weir on a sunny day. The carpark in the Lions Park was sealed and is always full of visitors, both local and travellers. The pathways around the townsite saw an extension on the northern end of town, connecting the town to the businesses and the school district. Another single unit on New Street received a refurbishment and the Shire purchased land along Albany Highway for future development.

The Council was excited to welcome two new faces of Tracey Price and Bernie Panizza. I would personally like to thank Councillor Greg Cavanagh who retired after serving a 14 year term. His support and guidance for his fellow Councillors was appreciated. To the residents and ratepayers, thank you for making our community a great place to live. I would like to acknowledge the efforts of the many individuals and groups who work together as a community, your hard work and dedication does not go unnoticed. I would personally like to thank my fellow councillors, senior management and staff. Your support, commitment and dedication in serving the community is remarkable and I look forward to what the future of the Shire of Williams will bring.



## Chief Executive's Report

It is my pleasure to present this report as Chief Executive Officer of the Shire of Williams for the year ending 30 June 2020.

During the year the Shire of Williams Strategic Community Plan 2017-2032 was reviewed internally by Council with the Administration providing detail on progress of the strategies contained in the Plan. It is pleasing to note that many of the strategies have been completed or are underway. A comprehensive review will be undertaken in 2021, where the community will have input into new strategies.

Several key initiatives contained in the Plan were completed during the year, including:

- The Shire instigated the purchase of land on the west side of Albany Highway in the townsite. This was in line with the strategy to consider future land acquisition for recreation, commercial, residential or industrial purposes.
- Landfill at the Williams Refuse Site was discontinued and a waste transfer operation was commissioned resulting in a positive environmental outcome for the Shire. General waste is now transported to a commercial facility at North Bannister. Recyclables are taken to a sorting facility in the metropolitan area. This initiative was supported by the strategy advocating a regional approach to waste management.
- The Lions Park Carpark was completed following the replacement of the Williams
  River Bridge. This project enhances the experience for travellers visiting Williams.
  Numbers of people stopping at the Lions Park have increased because of the recent
  upgrades. This compliments the strategy to provide, maintain and improve
  community infrastructure.
- Included in the road construction program for the year was the bitumen sealing and drainage upgrade of Lavender Street. Recent residential development in this area prompted the decision to upgrade the road infrastructure. It aligned with the strategy to strive for high quality, well-constructed and maintained local road network.

Williams is strategically located on the Albany Highway and a number of local retail and hospitality businesses rely heavily on visitors passing through. The growing threat of the COVID-19 pandemic and the regional shutdown imposed by the State Government had a significant impact. The resilience of our businesses to cope with this unprecedented event and the support that came from the Williams community was commendable.

During this time the Shire worked closely with the Williams Community Resource Centre to offer support to residents with a focus on our younger and older age groups. I would like to thank everyone who got involved. It was one of those times when the community rallies together to support each other.

At the start of the financial year the Shire welcomed Sharon Palumbo to the team. The Shire expanded its early child care services becoming a Service Provider for Family Day Care. Sharon was employed as the coordinator of this service and her role also included supporting the operation of the Willi Wag Tails Child Care Service. Sarah Evans and Nita Ackland joined the staff at Willi Wag Tails to cover a period of maternity leave being taken by Sara Friend.



The total number of full time equivalent employees remained steady during the year. Our maintenance grader operator, Callum Fawcett, left during the year and Brenton Chivers was employed to take on this role.

Kim Walsh commenced employment in the Administration team in a part time capacity. With a minor restructure her role at front reception is now full time.

In conclusion, I would like to thank the Shire President, Jarrad Logie and his fellow Councillors for their support. Thank you also to all the employees of the Shire who help me in my role and work hard to maintain a high standard of service to our community.

Finally I would like to express my appreciation to the residents and ratepayers of Williams, for their keen interest and involvement in the wellbeing of their community.

# Geoff McKeown Chief Executive Officer



## **Our Council**

The Shire of Williams has nine (9) elected councillors including a Council elected President. Councillors serve a 4-year term, with local government elections held every two years. The 2019-2020 period welcomed two newly elected members and three returning councillors.



Cr JW (Jarrad) Logie President (Elected to Office in 2009, Retiring 2021)



Cr NA (Natalie) Major Deputy President (Elected to Office in 2009, Retiring 2023)



Cr AA (Alex) Watt Councillor (Elected to Office in 2017, Retiring 2021)



Cr BH (Bernie) Panizza Councillor (Elected to Office in 2020, Retiring 2023)



Cr GH (Gilbert) Medlen Councillor (Elected to Office in 2007, Retiring 2023)



Cr M (Moya) Carne Councillor (Elected to Office in 2003, Retiring 2023)



Cr TA (Tracey) Price Councillor (Elected to Office in 2019, Retiring 2023)



Cr SG (Simon) Harding Councillor (Elected to Office in 2017, Retiring 2021)



Cr RD (Bob) Baker Councillor (Elected to Office in 2017, Retiring 2021)

#### Elected Member Attendance / Ordinary Council Meetings 2019/2020

Council meets on the third (3<sup>rd</sup>) Wednesday of each month (with the exception of no meeting in January and July the fourth (4th) Wednesday).

The Electors Annual General Meeting was held on the 18 December 2020, at which all elected members at the time were in attendance.

	Jul19	Aug19	Sep19	Oct19	Nov19	Dec19	Feb20	Mar20	Apr20	May20	Jun20
Cr (Jarrad) Logie	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Cr (Natalie) Major	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Cr (Alex) Watts	•	•	•	Leave of Absence	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Cr (Bernie) Panizza			Elected F	ebruary 2020-			•	•	•	•	•
Cr (Gilbert) Medlen	Leave of Absence	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Apology	•
Cr (Moya) Carne	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Cr (Tracey) Price		Elected N	lovember 2020		•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Cr (Simon) Harding	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Cr (Bob) Baker	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Cr (Greg Cavanagh)	•	•	•	•				Retired			

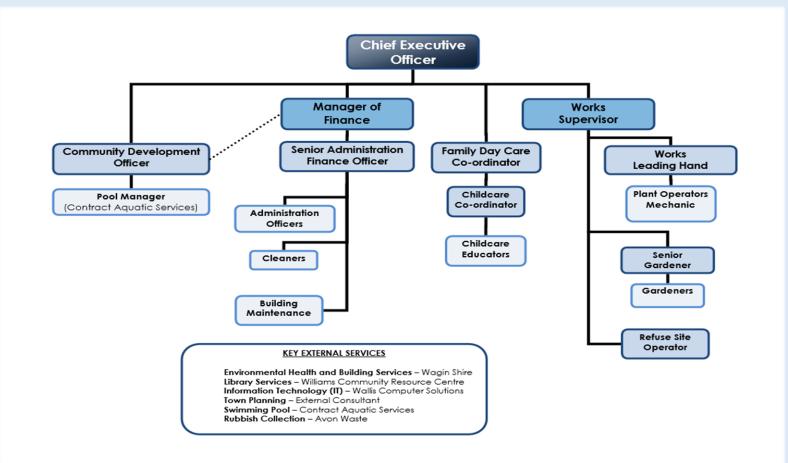


## Organisational Structure and Staff

The Shire of Williams has developed its Management Structure to achieve greater efficiencies and to provide prompt effective customer service. The Shire workforce as of June 2020 consists of a total of 31 employees including 14 full-time employees, 8 part-time employees and 9 casual employees, equating to 22 FTE (Full-time Equivalents).

The Shire is also supported by a variety of external resources, including consultants, where it is not cost effective, feasible or possible to be employed by the Shire. The Environmental Health and Building Officer, who is employed with the Shire of Wagin, is contracted to Williams 3 days per fortnight. The management of the swimming pool, library services, waste collection and any major town planning matters are contracted out.





## **Community Plan Strategies** and Outcomes

#### The Plan

The Shire of Williams completed its comprehensive desktop review of the Strategic Community Plan 2017 to 2032 in April 2020, with a full review scheduled for 2021/2022. The Corporate Business Plan along with its informing Strategies was adopted by Council in June 2020.

The Strategic Community plan reflects a vision for the future and is the principal strategic guide for future planning and activities going forward.

The Strategic Plan is divided into four areas, Economic, Social & Cultural, Land Use & Environment, and Civic Leadership. The Strategic Plan identifies the community's desired goals and outcomes for each area, along with performance measures, it enables the community to have their say in shaping the future of the community and in identifying issues and solutions.

The following pages summarise our progress during the 2019/2020 financial year towards achieving the actions, initiatives and priorities identified in each outcome.



#### **Our Vision**

Williams is an independent, growing and vibrant community, achieved by maintaining a balanced and caring approach to its people, economy and environment.

#### **Our Values**

- Community connectedness and great lifestyle
- Friendly people
- Safety
- Ideal location (proximity to regional centres and metropolitan area)
- Relevant and well maintained facilities
- Recognition of the need to care for the environment in a balanced approach
- Effective communication and cooperation



#### **Economic**

## "Develop infrastructure and investment that is suitable and an ongoing legacy to the Shire"

Outcome 1: Develop infrastructure and investment that is sustainable and an ongoing legacy to the Shire.

The year of 2019/2020 was nothing our businesses could have ever prepared for. The Bridge replacement caused concerns for public access for the businesses along the highway. The completion of the Williams River Bridge in February 2020 was a long awaited relief. April 2020, Coronavirus engulfed the world and border closures, again, effected the businesses. During this time, there were no new established Businesses and the Shire did everything in its power to provide support to the community.

A parcel of land became available along the Albany Highway. The Shire anticipating the investment opportunity and development in future years, purchased this land. A parking bay along the highway was extended to approximately 100m, allowing more parking for access to the businesses along the highway.

The pathway network along the North end of town was completed. This pathway completes the network within the town centre and allows pedestrians easy access to all the businesses within the town site.

The Shire continues its close collaboration with the community, maximising opportunities via the Shire Website, Social Media and Local Community Newspapers.

Willi Wag Tails Family Day Care was established in 2019. As of June 2020, there were 13 Family Day Care Educators within the Wheatbelt and a further 2 Educators in Broome. All operating under Willi Wag Tails Family Day Care approved provider service. This is a fantastic support network for families throughout the Wheatbelt.



Outcome 2: To have appropriate levels of housing to cater for population retention and growth.

Current levels of accommodation meet the current demand. All of the Shire housing is occupied. Plans for future community housing is under consideration and is included in the long term financial planning.

Three of the four single units have undergone a refurbishment. The final unit will be refurbished in the coming year.



#### Social & Cultural

"To be a safe and welcoming community where everyone is valued and has the opportunity to contribute and belong"

Outcome 1: To provide community infrastructure and facilities that meet the needs of the population.

The Shire prides themselves in its community spirit and welcoming nature. The Shire is actively engaged with the community via social media, community surveys and local community newspapers. The Shire welcomes feedback and acts accordingly to ensure that the issues raised are dealt with in a timely manner.

Williams is a very sport orientated town. The Shire takes pride in the sporting facilities that it provides and ensures regular maintenance and upgrades to the sporting areas.

Providing support to the volunteer bushfire brigades is also a high priority for the Shire of Williams. In September 2019, the Glenfield Volunteer Bushfire Brigade Shed was opened. This shed houses a loan fire truck which is used to assist in fighting fires within the Shire. The Shire of Williams is extremely fortunate to have the support from the community and the many dedicated volunteers.



Outcome 2: To support a safe and healthy community with a strong sense of community pride.

During the 2020 Coronavirus pandemic, the Shire worked closely with the Community Resource Centre to ensure that all the community was cared for and felt supported during the pandemic. LEMC meetings were organised weekly with key personal to ensure that the community was kept up to date and current information was passed to each sector. The Community was then updated through correspondence on social media and community newsletters.

In 2019, the Shire began a "live local love local" initiative. This initiative is to support the establishment of a community chest fund. Local events will be organised to raise funds for the community. These funds will then be distributed amongst the community in the form of biannual grants to local clubs and groups.



Outcome 3: To recognise the vibrant history of the Shire, its rich and varied cultural heritage, and its natural environment is valued, respected, promoted and celebrated.

The Shire of Williams works in partnership with HWEDA. Together with Boddington and Wandering, a Self-Drive Trail was established to showcase the exquisite areas between these three towns. The trail encourages tourists to travel inland and experience adventures amongst the towns of Williams, Wandering and Boddington.

The Shire encourages and supports any Historical groups or committee and will endeavour to work together to advocate and support initiatives that develop and celebrate the cultural heritage of the Shire.



#### Land Use and Environment

## "To have a balanced respect for our natural assets and built environment, retaining our lifestyle values and community spirit"

Outcome 1: To enhance, promote, rehabilitate and leverage the natural environment so it continues to be an asset to the community.

The Shire works closely with DFES on bush fire risk mitigation to maintain areas with high fire risk. In 2019, the Shire received funding to create clear pathways through the reserve around the refuse site and cemetery to minimise bush fire risk. The Shire continues to monitor private property for fire hazards and does a fire inspection each year prior to the summer months. This is to ensure that the Fire Danger risk is minimised in the Williams townsite.

The Shire is mapping flood prone areas and planning to mitigate or address these to ensure that valuable assets, whether public or private, are not adversely impacted. Effective, safe and appropriate mosquito management was discussed at a Council Meeting, with the community wanting reassurance that the current mitigation methods are the most effective management tool. During the summer months the mosquitoes are fogged to ensure numbers are kept minimal. There is a mosquito register for those wanting to be notified in advance of the fogging.

The Shire of Williams employs contractors to undertake road side spraying to ensure weed management measures are completed.



Outcome 2: Natural assets and public open spaces are accessible, well utilised and managed.

The Shire of Williams values highly both its natural and built environments. The community recognises that there is a need to balance the two.

The Shire ensures that it maintains public open space areas, balancing open space provision with the need to establish recreational areas including playgrounds, BBQs, amenities and family friendly facilities. The Shire's road network is seen as a high priority given the extensive network that the Shire is responsible for maintaining and the high usage of much of the network, particularly seasonally.



#### Outcome 3: Recognising and implementing sustainability measures

The Shire of Williams regularly undertakes energy audits and investigates alternative energy solutions for Shire owned facilities. Currently the Shire Office, Recreational Area, CRC and the Childcare Centre all have Solar Power fitted. The Recreational Ground and Hockey Field use treated waste water instead of scheme water and the Shire is investigating programs to reduce reliance on scheme water.

The Shire of williams supports and advocates for a regional waste approach to waste management including transfer stations, recycling and waste education. In September 2019, the Shire converted the refuse site into a waste transfer station.



Outcome 4: To have a safe and well maintained transport networks that supports the local economy.

The Shire of Williams strives for high quality, well constructed and maintained local road network. To ensure that this is achieved, the road condition is assessed regularly as part of the Asset Management Plan. The Shire's road network is seen as high priority, given the extensive network that the Shire is responsible for maintaining, and the high usage of much of the network, particularly seasonally.



#### Civic Leadership

#### "Strong civic leadership representing the whole of the Shire which engages in effective partnerships and reflects the aspirations of an engaged community".

Outcome 1: The Shire is efficient in its operation; actively listens to the community and anticipates and responds to community needs.

The Shire prides itself on being community minded. Through active collaboration and networking, a delegate from the Shire will attend as many community consultation forums as possible.

In 2019, the Shire completed the Strategic Planning review. To ensure the Shire received as much feedback as possible, the survey was placed online as well as sent out as a householder. The Shire values the community's wants and needs and uses several methods for optimum reach.

Outcome 2: The revenue needs of the Shire are managed in an equitable, proactive and sustainable manner.

The community want to ensure that their priorities for the development of our town are as high as Council's priorities, and that they are aligned with each other. It is important to recognise that aspirations will almost always be greater than the resources available to implement them. The balance, therefore, is in the delivery of the community's aspirations in a timely manner without placing significant and unnecessary financial pressures on the organisation, and therefore ratepayers.

Outcome 3: Effective collaboration and shared services with other relevant Local, State and Federal Government agencies, industry and community organisations.

The Shire of Williams actively participates in, and collaborates with, the 4WDL VROC organisation of local governments on resource sharing opportunities. This alliance allows the relationship between local governments to develop strategic alliances amongst the members. The Shire strongly encourages community groups, businesses and the wider community to equally contribute to the improvement of the community through strong, well developed and well initiated projects that strive to make a difference in the way we live, work, play and invest.

Outcome 4: A strategically focused, unified Council functioning effectively ensuring compliance within the regulatory framework.

Community service is an area that the Shire strives to excel in. Ensuring that the Shire administration area is inviting, welcoming and addresses the disability access needs where appropriate, is essential.

The implementation of the Integrated Planning and Reporting Framework documentation, including the Corporate Business Plan, Asset Management Plan, Workforce Plan and Forward Capital Works Plan were all completed in 2020.

## **Statutory Statements**

#### Report on Disability and Access and Inclusion Plan (DIAP)

The Shire of Williams is committed to ensuring that the community is accessible for and inclusive of people with disabilities, their families and carers.

The Shire of Williams interprets an accessible and inclusive community as one in which all council functions, facilities and services (both in-house and contracted) are open, available and accessible to people with disabilities, providing them with the same opportunities, rights and responsibilities as other people in the community.

The 2020-2025 DIAP is available for viewing on the Shire of Williams Website www.williams.wa.gov.au.

The yearly review was completed in May 2020 in accordance with legislation.

Key Disability Access and Inclusion Plan achievements for 2018-2019 include:

- The resurfacing of the Lions Park Carpark, ACROD parking bays were provided where needed and identified.
- Adoption of the Shire of Williams DAIP 2020 2025
- Training provided for the newly elected members on Council.
- Review of the Childcare centre policies and handbooks to include interpreter options.
- Completion of pathway on the North end of town to complete circuit to Businesses.



#### **Equal Opportunity**

The Shire of Williams is committed to providing a workplace where every individual is treated with respect in an environment free from discrimination and harassment. During 2019/20 the Shire reviewed its obligations under the Equal Opportunity Act 1984.

#### **National Competition Policy**

The Competition Principles Agreement (CPA) is a contractual agreement between Federal Government and all States and Territory Governments. The CPA aims to ensure that all public enterprises operate in a transparent manner in the best interests of the public. Under the CPA, public enterprises are required to review their operations to ensure that they have no competitive advantage or disadvantages as a result of their public status.

#### Competitive Neutrality (under the CPA)

During the financial year the Shire met its obligations under the National Competition Policy, competitive neutrality addresses potential advantages and disadvantages that public enterprises may have compared to businesses operating within the private sector. Local Government is only required to implement these principles to the extent that the benefits to be realised from implementation far outweigh the costs in respect of individual activities exceeding \$500,000 in income. The Shire of Williams did not have any major undertakings reportable under CPA in the 2019/20 Financial Year.

#### Complaints of Minor Breaches

In accordance with Sections 5.53(2) and 5.121 of the Local Government Act 1995, the Annual Report is required to disclose the number of complaints of minor breaches received each year.

No. of complaints 2019/20	Outcome	Action taken
Nil		

#### Report on record keeping plan

As required under the State Records Act 2000 the Shire updated the Recordkeeping Plan in December 2016. This was approved by the State Records Commission in October 2017. The Plan is required to be reviewed within five (5) years of its approval date, making it due October 2022.

#### Freedom of Information

The freedom of information statement was reviewed and is available on the Shire of Williams website www.williams.wa.gov.au

The information statement contains information on the type of documents available to the public and how to access those documents. During the 2019/20 year, there were no requests received.

#### **Employees Remuneration**

The Local Government (Administration) Regulation 19B requires the annual report to contain details of the number of employees of the local government entitled to an annual salary of \$100,000 or more in bands of \$10,000 for each such band over \$100,000.

Salary Range	2021	2020	2019
\$100,000 - \$110,000	0	0	0
\$110,000 - \$120,000	0	0	0
\$120,000 - \$130,000	0	0	0
\$130,000 - \$140,000	1	1	1

# Annual Financial Report

(Including Independent Auditor's Report – final page)

# For the year ending 30 June 2020.



#### **SHIRE OF WILLIAMS**

#### FINANCIAL REPORT

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

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#### **COMMUNITY VISION**

Williams is an independent, growing and vibrant community, achieved by maintaining a balanced and caring approach to its people, economy and environment.

Principal place of business: 9 Brooking Street Williams WA 6391

#### **SHIRE OF WILLIAMS FINANCIAL REPORT** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

Local Government Act 1995 Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1996

#### STATEMENT BY CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

The attached financial report of the Shire of Williams for the financial year ended 30 June 2020 is based on proper accounts and records to present fairly the financial position of the Shire of Williams at 30 June 2020 and the results of the operations for the financial year then ended in accordance with the Local Government Act 1995 and, to the extent that they are not inconsistent with the Act, the Australian Accounting Standards.

Signed on the

26 TH day of NOVEMBER

2020

Chief Executive Officer

## SHIRE OF WILLIAMS STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME BY NATURE OR TYPE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

	NOTE	2020 Actual	2020 Budget	2019 Actual
•		\$	\$	\$
Revenue			•	
Rates	20(a)	1,924,117	1,924,101	1,850,709
Operating grants, subsidies and contributions	2(a)	794,053	487,019	720,865
Fees and charges	2(a)	852,675	850,629	699,999
Interest earnings	2(a)	34,599	41,600	43,653
Other revenue	2(a)	77,934	42,500	89,009
		3,683,378	3,345,849	3,404,235
Expenses		(1 (11 (77)	(1, (10,000)	(1, 440, 040)
Employee costs  Materials and contracts		(1,611,677) (625,548)	(1,612,023) (543,354)	(1,449,842) (511,611)
Utility charges		(202,921)	(188,750)	(188,766)
Depreciation on non-current assets	10(b)	(1,274,811)	(1,256,950)	(1,249,303)
Interest expenses	2(b)	(31,566)	(32,579)	(35,306)
Insurance expenses	2(0)	(114,472)	(112,166)	(111,143)
Other expenditure		(18,178)	(15,250)	(15,474)
'		(3,879,173)	(3,761,072)	(3,561,445)
		(195,795)	(415,223)	(157,210)
Non-operating grants, subsidies and contributions	2(a)	519,082	516,215	1,221,492
Profit on asset disposals	10(a)	47,200	19,871	14,571
(Loss) on asset disposals Fair value adjustments to financial assets at fair	10(a)	(8,803)	(5,711)	(54,784)
value through profit or loss		0/5	0	52,551
Reversal of prior year loss on revaluation of furniture		865	0	32,331
and equipment	8(a)	985	0	0
	O(G)	559,329	530,375	1,233,830
		007,027	333,57	.,200,000
Net result for the period		363,534	115,152	1,076,620
Other comprehensive income				
Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to pro Changes in asset revaluation surplus	fit or loss 11	(343,146)	0	0
Changes in asserte valoation surples	11	(343,146)	O	U
Total other comprehensive income for the period		(343,146)	0	0
Total comprehensive income for the period		20,388	115,152	1,076,620
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## SHIRE OF WILLIAMS STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME BY PROGRAM FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

		2020	2020	2019
	NOTE	Actual	Budget	Actual
		\$	\$	\$
Revenue	2(a)			0.4.401
Governance		1,917	501	94,421
General purpose funding		2,502,997	2,230,196	2,395,321
Law, order, public safety		67,214	44,248	31,187
Health		300	400	300
Education and welfare		273,834	283,029	195,814
Housing		242,274	247,804	190,032
Community amenities		192,325	203,177	160,602
Recreation and culture		42,773	44,557	48,934
Transport		96,578	96,881	104,160
Economic services		147,200	102,826	97,162
Other property and services		115,966	92,230	86,302
		3,683,378	3,345,849	3,404,235
Expenses	2(b)			
Governance	2(0)	(201,659)	(205,215)	(288,836)
General purpose funding		(83,005)	(84,250)	(19,181)
Law, order, public safety		(90,406)	(90,129)	(55,494)
Health		(55,314)	(59,671)	(72,422)
Education and welfare		(303,313)	(320,281)	(232,414)
Housing		(155,572)	(164,843)	(138,201)
Community amenities		(270,933)	(316,987)	(247,925)
Recreation and culture		(270,733)	(316,767)	(703,479)
Transport		(1,541,517)	(1,564,806)	(1,468,761)
Economic services		(1,341,317)	(1,364,806)	(1,400,701)
		(242,766)	(127,000) (91,847)	(176,122)
Other property and services		(3,847,607)	(3,728,493)	(3,526,139)
		(3,047,607)	(3,/20,493)	(3,326,139)
Finance Costs	2(b)			
Governance		0	0	(257)
Recreation and culture		(4,018)	(4,241)	(4,464)
Transport		(2,887)	(3,095)	(4,214)
Economic services		(12,461)	(12,867)	(13,510)
Other property and services		(12,200)	(12,376)	(12,861)
		(31,566)	(32,579)	(35,306)
		(195,795)	(415,223)	(157,210)
Non-operating grants, subsidies and contributions	2(a)	519,082	516,215	1,221,492
Profit on disposal of assets	2(a) 10(a)	47,200	19,871	1,221,472
(Loss) on disposal of assets				
Fair value adjustments to financial assets at fair value	10(a)	(8,803)	(5,711)	(54,784)
through profit or loss		865	0	52,551
Reversal of prior year loss on revaluation of furniture and				
equipment	8(a)	985	0	0
equipment	O(G)	559,329	530,375	1,233,830
		337,327	330,373	1,200,000
Net result for the period		363,534	115,152	1,076,620
Other comprehensive income				
Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to profit or I	loss			
Changes in asset revaluation surplus	11	(343,146)	0	0
Total other comprehensive income for the period		(343,146)	0	0
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Total comprehensive income for the period		20,388	115,152	1,076,620

			2019	1 July 2018
	NOTE	2020	Restated *	Restated *
CURRENT ACCETS		\$	\$	
CURRENT ASSETS	3	1,618,929	1,508,513	1,668,269
Cash and cash equivalents Trade and other receivables	3 6	1,618,929	300,917	1,668,269
Other financial assets	5(a)	15,966	15,475	14,999
Inventories	3(a) 7	27,564	8,384	19,082
Other assets	7	0	0,504	0
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	,	1,765,146	1,833,289	1,819,167
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NON-CURRENT ASSETS				
Other financial assets	5(b)	160,439	175,540	138,464
Property, plant and equipment	8	16,959,109	17,345,285	17,078,819
Infrastructure	9	62,318,848	61,780,402	61,324,164
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		79,438,396	79,301,227	78,541,447
TOTAL ASSETS		81,203,542	81,134,516	80,360,614
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Trade and other payables	12	212,616	126,179	357,752
Contract liabilities	13	48,870	0	0
Borrowings	14(a)	102,462	112,942	102,768
Employee related provisions	15	356,517	325,680	292,630
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		720,465	564,801	753,150
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Contract liabilities	13	0	0	0
Borrowings	14(a)	600,422	702,884	805,520
Employee related provisions	15	11,109	15,673	27,406
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		611,531	718,557	832,926
		511,001		,
TOTAL LIABILITIES		1,331,996	1,283,358	1,586,076
NET ASSETS		79,871,546	79,851,158	78,774,538
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EQUITY  Detained a symplem		00 505 0 41	10.077.500	10 000 051
Retained surplus	4	20,525,041	19,967,598	18,908,851
Reserves - cash backed	4	764,857	958,766	940,893
Revaluation surplus	11	58,581,648	58,924,794	58,924,794
TOTAL EQUITY		79,871,546	79,851,158	78,774,538

<sup>\*</sup> See Note 24 for details regarding the restatement as a result in accounting error.

			RESERVES		
		RETAINED	CASH	REVALUATION	TOTAL
	NOTE	SURPLUS	<b>BACKED</b>	SURPLUS	<b>EQUITY</b>
		\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance as at 1 July 2018		18,891,359	940,894	60,147,679	79,979,932
Correction of error	24 _	17,491	0	(1,222,885)	(1,205,394)
Restated total equity at the beginning of the financial year		18,908,850	940,894	58,924,794	78,774,538
Comprehensive income				_	
Net result for the period (restated)		1,076,620	0	0	1,076,620
Other comprehensive income	11	0	0	0	0
Total comprehensive income	_	1,076,620	0	0	1,076,620
Transfers from reserves	4	57,000	(57,000)	0	0
Transfers to reserves	4	(74,872)	74,872	0	0
Balance as at 30 June 2019	-	19,967,598	958,766	58,924,794	79,851,158
Comprehensive income					
Net result for the period		363,534	0	0	363,534
Other comprehensive income	11 _	0	0	(343,146)	(343,146)
Total comprehensive income		363,534	0	(343,146)	20,388
Transfers from reserves	4	312,641	(312,641)	0	0
Transfers to reserves	4	(118,732)	118,732	0	0
Balance as at 30 June 2020	_	20,525,041	764,857	58,581,648	79,871,546

	NOTE	2020 Actual	2020 Budget	2019 Actual
		\$	\$	\$
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Receipts				
Rates		1,943,184	1,929,101	1,852,047
Operating grants, subsidies and contributions		1,037,584	450,335	535,427
Fees and charges		852,675	850,629	699,999
Interest received		34,599	41,600	43,653
Goods and services tax received		163,540	136,684	142,122
Other revenue		77,934	42,500	89,009
Decrees and a		4,109,516	3,450,849	3,362,257
Payments  Employee costs		(1 500 000)	(1,624,226)	(1,409,457)
Employee costs  Materials and contracts		(1,592,233) (566,960)	(342,407)	(751,554)
Utility charges		(202,921)	(228,750)	(188,766)
Interest expenses		(31,566)	(32,579)	(35,306)
Insurance paid		(114,472)	(122,166)	(111,143)
Goods and services tax paid		(163,540)	(254,264)	(142,122)
Other expenditure		(18,178)	(15,250)	(15,474)
Office experiance		(2,689,870)	(2,619,642)	(2,653,822)
Net cash provided by (used in)		(2,007,070)	(2,017,012)	(2,000,022)
operating activities	16	1,419,646	831,207	708,435
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Payments for purchase of property, plant &	0/~1	(750 117)	(012,400)	(/0.4.401)
equipment	8(a)	(758,117)	(813,420)	(694,421)
Payments for construction of infrastructure	9(a)	(1,094,299)	(1,310,444)	(1,376,810)
Non-operating grants, subsidies and contributions	2(a)	519,082	516,215	1,221,492
Proceeds from financial assets at amortised cost -				
self supporting loans		15,475	15,475	14,999
Proceeds from sale of property, plant & equipment	10(a)	121,571	95,000	59,011
Net cash provided by (used in)		(1.10 (.000)	(1, (07, 17, 1)	(775 700)
investment activities		(1,196,288)	(1,497,174)	(775,729)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
Repayment of borrowings	14(b)	(112,942)	(112,942)	(92,462)
Proceeds from new borrowings	14(b)	(112,742)	(112,742)	(72,402)
Net cash provided by (used In)	14(0)	O	O	O
financing activities		(112,942)	(112,942)	(92,462)
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Net increase (decrease) in cash held		110,416	(778,909)	(159,756)
Cash at beginning of year		1,508,513	1,518,281	1,668,269
Cash and cash equivalents				
at the end of the year	16	1,618,929	739,372	1,508,513

	NOTE	2020 Actual	2020 Budget	2019 Actual
		\$	\$	\$
OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Net current assets at start of financial year - surplus/(deficit)	21 (b)	422,661	394,592	223,171
		422,661	394,592	223,171
Revenue from operating activities (excluding rates)				
Governance		2.782	501	148,784
General purpose funding		613,209	340.747	577,614
Law, order, public safety		67,214	44,248	31,187
Health		300	400	300
Education and welfare		273,834	283,029	195,814
Housing		242,274	247,804	190,032
Community amenities		192,325	203,177	160,602
Recreation and culture		42,773	44,557	51,934
Transport		129,734	109,381	113,919
Economic services		147,200	102,826	97,162
Other property and services		130,010	99,601	86,302
		1,841,655	1,476,271	1,653,650
Expenditure from operating activities				
Governance		(201,659)	(205,215)	(289,093)
General purpose funding		(83,005)	(84,250)	(19,181)
Law, order, public safety		(90,406)	(90,129)	(55,494)
Health		(55,314)	(59,671)	(72,422)
Education and welfare		(303,313)	(320,281)	(232,414)
Housing Community amenities		(155,572)	(164,843)	(138,201)
Recreation and culture		(270,933)	(316,987) (707,318)	(250,953) (707,943)
Transport		(774,929) (1,547,284)	(1,573,113)	(1,472,975)
Economic services		(1,547,264)	(1,3/3,113)	(1,472,773)
Other property and services		(255,002)	(104,223)	(188,983)
emer proporty and cornect		(3,886,991)	(3,766,783)	(3,616,229)
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Non-cash amounts excluded from operating activities	21(a)	1,235,119	1,248,190	1,230,426
Amount attributable to operating activities		(387,556)	(647,730)	(508,982)
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INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Non-operating grants, subsidies and contributions	2(a)	519,082	516,215	1,221,492
Proceeds from disposal of assets	10(a)	121,571	95,000	59,011
Proceeds from financial assets at amortised cost - self supporting		15,475	15,475	14,999
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	8(a)	(758,117)	(813,420)	(694,421)
Purchase and construction of infrastructure	9(a)	(1,094,299)	(1,310,444)	(1,376,810)
Amount attributable to investing activities		(1,196,288)	(1,497,174)	(775,729)
EINIANCING ACTIVITIES				
FINANCING ACTIVITIES	1.4/lo.\	(110040)	(110040)	(00.4(0)
Repayment of borrowings Transfers to reserves (restricted assets)	14(b)	(112,942)	(112,942)	(92,462)
Transfers from reserves (restricted assets)	4 4	(118,732)	(125,835)	(74,872) 57,000
Amount attributable to financing activities	4	312,641 80,967	494,232 255,455	57,000 (110,334)
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Surplus/(deficit) before imposition of general rates		(1,502,877)	(1,889,449)	(1,395,045)
Total amount raised from general rates	20(a)	1,889,788	1,889,449	1,817,707
Surplus/(deficit) after imposition of general rates	21(b)	386,911	0	422,662
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#### 1. BASIS OF PREPARATION

The financial report comprises general purpose financial statements which have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards (as they apply to local governments and not-for-profit entities) and Interpretations of the Australian Accounting Standards Board, and the Local Government Act 1995 and accompanying regulations.

### AMENDMENTS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT (FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT) REGULATIONS 1996

The Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1996 take precedence over Australian Accounting Standards. Prior to 1 July 2019, Financial Management Regulation 16 arbitrarily prohibited a local government from recognising as assets Crown land that is a public thoroughfare, i.e. land under roads, and land not owned by but under the control or management of the local government, unless it is a golf course, showground, racecourse or recreational facility of State or regional significance. Consequently, some assets pertaining to vested land, including land under roads acquired on or after 1 July 2008, were not recognised in previous financial reports of the Shire. This was not in accordance with the requirements of AASB 1051 Land Under Roads paragraph 15 and AASB 116 Property, Plant and Equipment paragraph 7.

From 1 July 2019, the Shire has applied AASB 16 Leases which requires leases to be included by lessees in the statement of financial position. Also, the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1996 have been amended to specify that vested land is a right-of-use asset to be measured at cost. All right-of-use assets (other than vested improvements) under zero cost concessionary leases are measured at zero cost (i.e. not included in the statement of financial position) rather than at fair value. The exception is vested improvements on concessionary land leases such as roads, buildings or other infrastructure which continue to be reported at fair value, as opposed to the vested land which is measured at zero cost. The measurement of vested improvements at fair value is a departure from AASB 16 which would have required the Shire to measure any vested improvements at zero cost.

The Shire does not have any vested land or vested improvements.

Accounting policies which have been adopted in the preparation of this financial report have been consistently applied unless stated otherwise. Except for cash flow and rate setting information, the report has been prepared on the accrual basis and is based on historical costs, modified, where applicable, by the measurement at fair value of selected non-current assets, financial assets and liabilities.

### NEW ACCOUNTING STANDARDS FOR APPLICATION IN FUTURE YEARS

On 1 July 2020 the following new accounting standards are to be adopted:

- AASB 1059 Service Concession Arrangements: Grantors
- AASB 2018-7 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards - Materiality

AASB 1059 Service Concession Arrangements: Grantors is not expected to impact the financial report.

Specific impacts of AASB 2018-7 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards - Materiality, have not been identified.

#### **CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES**

The preparation of a financial report in conformity with Australian Accounting Standards requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that effect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses.

The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances; the results of which form the basis of making the judgements about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

#### THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT REPORTING ENTITY

All funds through which the Shire controls resources to carry on its functions have been included in the financial statements forming part of this financial report.

In the process of reporting on the local government as a single unit, all transactions and balances between those funds (for example, loans and transfers between funds) have been eliminated.

All monies held in the Trust Fund are excluded from the financial statements. A separate statement of those monies appears at Note 25 to these financial statements.

## SHIRE OF WILLIAMS NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

#### 2. REVENUE AND EXPENSES

REVENUE RECOGNI	TION POLICY							
-	enue is dependant on th cognised as follows:		evenue and the asso	ciated terms and c	conditions associate	d with each sour	ce	
Revenue Category	Nature of goods and services	When obligations typically satisfied	Payment terms	Returns/Refunds/ Warranties	Determination of transaction price	Allocating transaction price	Measuring obligations for returns	Timing of revenue recognition
ates - general ates	General Rates	Overtime	Payment dates adopted by Council via Annual Budget Adoption	None	Adopted by Council annually	When taxable event occurs	Not applicable	When rates notice is issued
Pates - ex-gratia	Rates charge for specific defined purpose	Over time	Payment on an annual on receipt of invoice	None	Adopted by council annually	When taxable event occurs	Not applicable	When invoice is issued
Grant contracts vith customers	Community events, minor facilities, research, design, planning evaluation and services	Over time	Fixed terms transfer of funds based on agreed milestones and reporting	Contract obligation if project not complete	Set by mutual agreement with the customer	Based on the progress of works to match performance obligations	to repayment	Output method based on project milestones and/or completion da matched to performance obligatio as inputs are shared
Grants, subsidies or contributions or the construction of non-financial assets	Construction or acquisition of recognisable non- financial assets to be controlled by the local government	Over time	Fixed terms transfer of funds based on agreed milestones and reporting	Contract obligation if project not complete	Set by mutual agreement with the customer	Based on the progress of works to match performance obligations	to repayment	Output method based on project milestones and/or completion da matched to performance obligatio as inputs are shared
Grants with no contract commitments	General appropriations and contributions with no reciprocal commitment	No obligations	Not applicable	Not applicable	Cash received	On receipt of funds	Not applicable	When assets are controlled
icences/ legistrations/ Approvals	Building, planning, development and animal management, having the same nature as a licence regardless of naming.	Single point in time	Full payment prior to issue	None	Set by State legislation or limited by legislation to the cost of provision	Based on timing of issue of the associated rights	No refunds	On payment and issue the licence, registratio or approval
ool inspections	Compliance safety check	Single point in time	Equal proportion based on an equal annually fee	None	Set by State legislation	Apportioned equally across the inspection cycle	No refunds	After inspection complete based on a year cycle
Other inspections	Regulatory Food, Health and Safety	Single point in time	Full payment prior to inspection	None	Set by State legislation or limited by legislation to the	Applied fully on timing of inspection	Not applicable	Revenue recognised after inspection event occurs
Vaste nanagement collections	Kerbside collection service	Over time	Payment on an annual basis in advance	None	cost of provision Adopted by council annually	Apportioned equally across the collection period	Not applicable	Output method based on regular weekly and fortnightly period as proportion period
Vaste nanagement entry fees	Waste treatment, recycling and disposal service at disposal sites	Single point in time	Payment in advance at gate or on normal trading terms if credit provided	None	Adopted by council annually	Based on timing of entry to facility	Not applicable	collection service On entry to facility
roperty hire and entry	Use of halls and facilities	Single point in time	In full in advance	Refund if event cancelled within 7 days	Adopted by council annually	Based on timing of entry to facility	Returns limited to repayment of transaction price	On entry or at conclus of hire
or other goods and services	Cemetery services, library fees, reinstatements and private works	in time	Payment in full in advance	None	Adopted by council annually	Applied fully based on timing of provision	Not applicable	Output method based on provision of service completion of works
Commissions	Commissions on licencing	Over time	Payment in full on sale	None	Set by mutual agreement with the customer	On receipt of funds	Not applicable	When assets are controlled
eimbursements	Insurance claims	Single point in time	Payment in arrears for claimable event	None	Set by mutual agreement with the customer	When claim is agreed	Not applicable	When claim is agreed

#### 2. REVENUE AND EXPENSES

#### (a) Grant revenue

Grants, subsidies and contributions are included as both operating and non-operating revenues in the Statement of Comprehensive Income:

	2020	2020	2019
	Actual	Budget	Actual
	\$	\$	\$
Operating grants, subsidies and contributions			
Governance	0	0	3,807
General purpose funding	544,363	258,495	485,570
Law, order, public safety	64,464	40,248	27,393
Education and welfare	44,000	44,000	67,930
Housing	55,961	55,572	55,572
Community amenities	5,000	8,373	5,000
Transport	80,265	80,331	75,594
	794,053	487,019	720,865
Non-operating grants, subsidies and contributions			
Law, order, public safety	0	0	131,050
Recreation and culture	17,418	12,000	418,361
Transport	501,664	504,215	672,081
	519,082	516,215	1,221,492
Total grants, subsidies and contributions	1,313,135	1,003,234	1,942,357
Fees and charges			
Governance	0	0	76,143
General purpose funding	5,126	5,000	5,438
Law, order, public safety	1,505	2,800	2,624
Health	300	400	300
Education and welfare	228,564	239,029	127,563
Housing	185,338	191,232	134,293
Community amenities	184,500	193,304	140,400
Recreation and culture	32,719	34,757	39,196
Transport	16,253	16,050	28,228
Economic services	146,997	102,826	97,161
Other property and services	51,372	65,230	48,652
	852,675	850,629	699,999

There were no changes during the year to the amount of the fees or charges detailed in the original budget.

#### SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Grants, subsidies and contributions

Operating grants, subsidies and contributions are grants, subsidies or contributions that are not non-operating in nature.

Non-operating grants, subsidies and contributions are amounts received for the acquisition or construction of recognisable non-financial assets to be controlled by the local government.

#### Fees and Charges

Revenue (other than service charges) from the use of facilities and charges made for local government services, sewerage rates, rentals, hire charges, fee for service, photocopying charges, licences, sale of goods or information, fines, penalties and administration fees.

#### 2. REVENUE AND EXPENSES (Continued)

(a)	Revenue (Continued)	Actual	Budget	Actual
(u)	Revenue (Sommocu)	\$	\$	\$
	Contracts with customers and transfers for recognisable non-financial assets Revenue from contracts with customers and transfers to enable the acquisition or construction of recognisable non-financial assets to be controlled by the Shire was recognised during the year for the following nature or types of goods or services:	·		
	Other revenue	17,080	0	0
	Non-operating grants, subsidies and contributions	519,082	516,215	1,221,492
		536,162	516,215	1,221,492
	Revenue from contracts with customers and transfers to enable the acquisition or construction of recognisable non-financial assets to be controlled by the Shire is comprised of:			
	Other revenue from contracts with customers recognised			
	during the year	17,080	0	0
	Other revenue from performance obligations satisfied during the year	519,082	516,215	1,221,492
		536,162	516,215	1,221,492
	Information about receivables, contract assets and contract liabilities from contracts with customers along with financial assets and associated liabilities arising from transfers to enable the acquisition or construction of recognisable non financial assets is:			
	Trade and other receivables from contracts with customers	78,744		0
	Financial assets held from transfers for recognisable financial assets	48,870		0
	Contract liabilities from transfers for recognisable non financial assets	(48,870)		0

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Contract assets primarily relate to the Shire's right to consideration for work completed but not billed at 30 June 2020.

Assets associated with contracts with customers were not subject to an impairment charge.

Impairment of assets associated with contracts with customers are detailed at note 2 (b) under 'Other expenditure'.

Contract liabilities for contracts with customers primarily relate to grants with performance obligations received in advance, for which revenue is recognised over time as the performance obligations are met.

Information is not provided about remaining performance obligations for contracts with customers that had an original expected duration of one year or less.

Consideration from contracts with customers is included in the transaction price.

Performance obligations in relation to contract liabilities from transfers for recognisable non financial assets are satisfied as project milestones are met or completion of construction or acquisition of the asset. All associated performance obligations are expected to be met over the next 12 months.

#### 2. REVENUE AND EXPENSES (Continued)

		2020	2020	2019
(a) Revenue (Continued)		Actual	Budget	Actual
		\$	\$	\$
Revenue from statutory requir	ements			
	ements was recognised during			
the year for the following natu	ure or types of goods or services:			
General rates		1,889,788	1,889,449	1,817,707
Specified area rates		0	0	0
Service charges		0	0	0
Statutory permits and licence	3	7,057	13,500	17,855
		1,896,845	1,902,949	1,835,562
Assets and services acquired	below fair value			
Contributed assets		14,252	0	0
		14,252	0	0
Other revenue				
Reimbursements and recover	es	48,881	17,500	31,714
Other		29,053	25,000	57,295
		77,934	42,500	89,009
Interest earnings				
Financial assets at amortised	cost - self supporting loans	4,018	0	0
Interest on reserve funds		10,897	18,100	17,873
Rates instalment and penalty	interest (refer Note 20(b))	16,118	13,500	13,769
Other interest earnings		3,566	10,000	12,011
		34,599	41,600	43,653

#### SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Interest earnings

Interest income is calculated by applying the effective interest rate to the gross carrying amount of a financial asset except for financial assets that subsequently become credit-impaired. For credit-impaired financial assets the effective interest rate is applied to the net carrying amount of the financial asset (after deduction of the loss allowance).

#### Interest earnings (continued)

Interest income is presented as finance income where it is earned from financial assets that are held for cash management purposes.

#### (b) Expenses

#### **Auditors remuneration**

- Audit of the Annual Financial Report
- Other services

#### Interest expenses (finance costs)

**Borrowings** 

#### Other expenditure

Sundry expenses

lote	2020 Actual	2020 Budget	2019 Actual
	\$	\$	\$
	17,000	17,000	8,192
	800	0	0
	17,800	17,000	8,192
4(b	31,566	32,579	35,306
	31,566	32,579	35,306
	18,178	15,250	15,474
	18,178	15,250	15,474

## SHIRE OF WILLIAMS NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

3. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	NOTE	2020	2019
		\$	\$
Cash at bank and on hand		1,618,929	1,508,513
Term deposits		0	0
Total cash and cash equivalents		1,618,929	1,508,513
Restrictions The following classes of assets have restrictions imposed by regulations or other externally impose requirements which limit or direct the purpose for the resources may be used:			
- Cash and cash equivalents		813,727	971,146
		813,727	971,146
The restricted assets are a result of the following purposes to which the assets may be used:	specific		
Reserves - cash backed Contract liabilities from transfers for recognisable	4	764,857	958,766
non financial assets	13	48,870	
Unspent grants, subsidies and contributions		0	12,380
Total restricted assets		813,727	971,146
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#### **SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

#### Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, cash at bank, deposits available on demand with banks and other short term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are reported as short term borrowings in current liabilities in the statement of financial position.

#### Restricted assets

Restricted asset balances are not available for general use by the local government due to externally imposed restrictions.

Externally imposed restrictions are specified in an agreement, contract or legislation. This applies to reserves, unspent grants, subsidies and contributions and unspent loans that have not been fully expended in the manner specified by the contributor, legislation or loan agreement.

## SHIRE OF WILLIAMS NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

	2020	2020	2020	2020	2020	2020	2020	2020	2019	2019	2019	2019
	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Budget	Budget	Budget	Budget	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual
	Opening	Transfer	Transfer	Closing	Opening	Transfer	Transfer	Closing	Opening	Transfer	Transfer	Closing
4. RESERVES - CASH BACKED	Balance	to	(from)	Balance	Balance	to	(from)	Balance	Balance	to	(from)	Balance
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
(a) Leave Reserve	15,472	5,119	0	20,591	15,473	5,400	0	20,873	10,277	5,195	0	15,472
(b) Plant Replacement Reserve	216,014	43,103	(80,000)	179,117	216,013	45,500	(160,000)	101,513	267,929	5,085	(57,000)	216,014
(c) Building Reserve	446,758	44,623	(200,000)	291,381	446,758	46,800	(240,000)	253,558	399,182	47,576	0	446,758
(d) Recreation Facilities Reserve	121,445	1,380	0	122,825	121,445	2,500	(35,000)	88,945	119,183	2,262	0	121,445
(e) Art Acquistion Reserve	11,651	132	(3,000)	8,783	11,651	300	(5,000)	6,951	11,434	217	0	11,651
(f) Joint Venture Housing Reserve	94,194	10,934	0	105,128	94,194	11,500	0	105,694	80,663	13,531	0	94,194
(g) Refuse Site Reserve	53,232	605	(29,641)	24,196	53,232	1,000	(54,232)	0	52,226	1,006	0	53,232
(h) Community Chest Reserve	0	12,835	0	12,835	0	12,835	0	12,835	0	0	0	0
	958,766	118,732	(312,641)	764,857	958,766	125,835	(494,232)	590,369	940,894	74,872	(57,000)	958,766

All reserves are supported by cash and cash equivalents and are restricted within equity as Reserves - cash backed.

In accordance with Council resolutions or adopted budget in relation to each reserve account, the purpose for which the reserves are set aside and their anticipated date of use are as follows:

	Anticipated	
Name of Reserve	date of use	Purpose of the reserve
(a) Leave Reserve	Ongoing	To be used to fund annual and long service leave requirements.
(b) Plant Replacement Reserve	2019/2020	To be used to fund purchase of plant items.
(c) Building Reserve	2019/2020	To be used for construction, refurbishment, acquisition of buildings and acquisition of land.
(d) Recreation Facilities Reserve	2019/2020	To be used to finance capital improvements of existing recreation facilities and to fund acquisition of new recreation facilities.
(e) Art Acquistion Reserve	Ongoing	To be used for the purchase of art pieces for the Williams Art Collection.
(f) Joint Venture Housing Reserve	Ongoing	To be used to finance refurbishment and construction of joint venture housing.
(g) Refuse Site Reserve	2019/2020	To be used for the re-development of waste facilities.
(h) Community Chest Reserve	Ongoing	To be used to support community initiatives and projects.

5. OTHER FINANCIAL ASSETS	2020	2019
	\$	\$
(a) Current assets		
Financial assets at amortised cost	15,966	15,475
	15,966	15,475
Other financial assets at amortised cost		
Self supporting loans	15,966	15,475
	15,966	15,475
(b) Non-current assets		
Financial assets at amortised cost	107,023	122,989
Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss	53,416	52,551
	160,439	175,540
Financial assets at amortised cost		
Self supporting loans	107,023	122,989
	107,023	122,989
	0	0
Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss		
Units in Local Government House Trust	53,416	52,551
	53,416	52,551

Loans receivable from clubs/institutions have the same terms and conditions as the related borrowing disclosed in Note 14(b) as self supporting loans.

#### SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Other financial assets at amortised cost

The Shire classifies financial assets at amortised cost if both of the following criteria are met:

- the asset is held within a business model whose objective is to collect the contractual cashflows, and
- the contractual terms give rise to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest.

#### Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss

The Shire classifies the following financial assets at fair value through profit and loss:

- debt investments which do not qualify for measurement at either amortised cost or fair value through other comprehensive income.
- equity investments which the Shire has not elected to recognise fair value gains and losses through other comprehensive income.

#### Impairment and risk

Information regarding impairment and exposure to risk can be found at Note 22.

#### 6. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

#### Current

Rates receivable
Trade and other receivables
GST receivable
Allowance for impairment of receivables
Accrued Revenue

### SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Trade and other receivables

Trade and other receivables include amounts due from ratepayers for unpaid rates and service charges and other amounts due from third parties for goods sold and services performed in the ordinary course of business.

Trade receivables are recognised at original invoice amount less any allowances for uncollectible amounts (i.e. impairment). The carrying amount of net trade receivables is equivalent to fair value as it is due for settlement within 30 days.

#### Impairment and risk exposure

Information about the impairment of trade receivables and their exposure to credit risk and interest rate risk can be found in Note 22.

2020	2019
\$	\$
21,700	25,269
78,744	89,493
0	0
(1,365)	(488)
3,608	186,643
102,687	300,917

#### **SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

#### Classification and subsequent measurement

Receivables expected to be collected within 12 months of the end of the reporting period are classified as current assets. All other receivables are classified as non-current assets.

Trade receivables are held with the objective to collect the contractual cashflows and therefore measures them subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.

Due to the short term nature of current receivables, their carrying amount is considered to be the same as their fair value. Non-current receivables are indexed to inflation, any difference between the face value and fair value is considered immaterial.

7. INVENTORIES	2020	2019
	\$	\$
Current		
Materials	6,052	2,131
Fuel	1,569	4,733
History Books	763	796
Gravel	19,180	724
	27,564	8,384
The following movements in inventories occurred during	the year:	
Carrying amount at beginning of period	8,384	19,082
Inventories expensed during the year	(124,247)	(149,217)
Additions to inventory	143,427	138,519
Carrying amount at end of period	27,564	8,384

## SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### General

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

## 8. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

## (a) Movements in Carrying Amounts

Movement in the carrying amounts of each class of property, plant and equipment between the beginning and the end of the current financial year.

_	Land - freehold land	Total land	Buildings - non- specialised	Buildings - specialised	Total buildings	Total land and buildings	Furniture and equipment		Total property, plant and equipment
Balance at 1 July 2018	<b>\$</b> 2,870,316	<b>\$</b> 2,870,316	<b>\$</b> 2,693,253	<b>\$</b> 10,346,126	<b>\$</b> 13,039,379	<b>\$</b> 15,909,695	<b>\$</b> 42,312	<b>\$</b> 1,126,812	<b>\$</b> 17,078,819
Additions	27,827	27,827	67,557	268,180	335,737	363,564	0	330,857	694,421
(Disposals)	0	0	0	(22,398)	(22,398)	(22,398)	0	(44,440)	(66,838)
Depreciation (expense)	0	0	(56,016)	(153,965)	(209,981)	(209,981)	(11,388)	(139,748)	(361,117)
Carrying amount at 30 June 2019	2,898,143	2,898,143	2,704,794	10,437,943	13,142,737	16,040,880	30,924	1,273,481	17,345,285
Comprises: Gross carrying amount at 30 June 2019 Accumulated depreciation at 30 June	2,898,143	2,898,143	2,809,880	10,744,393	13,554,273	16,452,416	63,725	1,657,476	18,173,617
2019	0	0	(105,086)	(306,450)	(411,536)	(411,536)	(32,801)	(383,995)	(828,332)
Carrying amount at 30 June 2019	2,898,143	2,898,143	2,704,794	10,437,943	13,142,737	16,040,880	30,924	1,273,481	17,345,285
Additions	200,000	200,000	0	36,128	36,128	236,128	0	521,989	758,117
(Disposals)	0	0	0	0	0	0	(1,021)	(82,153)	(83,174)
Revaluation increments / (decrements) transferred to revaluation surplus	(588,730)	(588,730)	210,574	(273,121)	(62,547)	(651,277)	0	(14,577)	(665,854)
Revaluation (loss) / reversals transferred to profit or loss	0	0	0	0	0	0	985	0	985
Depreciation (expense)	0	0	(57,368)	(158,554)	(215,922)	(215,922)	(11,388)	(168,940)	(396,250)
Transfers	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0
Carrying amount at 30 June 2020	2,509,413	2,509,413	2,858,000	10,042,396	12,900,396	15,409,809	19,500	1,529,800	16,959,109
Comprises: Gross carrying amount at 30 June 2020 Accumulated depreciation at 30 June 2020	2,509,413	2,509,413 0	2,858,000 0		12,900,396	15,409,809 0	19,500	1,529,800	16,959,109 0
Accumulated depreciation at 30 June 2020  Carrying amount at 30 June 2020	2,509,413	2,509,413	2,858,000		12,900,396	15,409,809	19,500	1,529,800	16,959,109
	2,007,110	2,007,710	2,000,000	.0,0 12,070	,,,.	.0,107,007	17,500	1,027,000	10,707,107

### 8. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (Continued)

### (b) Fair Value Measurements

Asset Class	Fair Value Hierarchy	Valuation Technique	Basis of Valuation	Date of Last Valuation	Inputs Used
Land and buildings					
Land - freehold land	2	Observable Open Market Values of Similar Assets, adjusted for condition and comparability, at their highest and best use	Independent Registered Valuers	June 2020	Price per square metre / Overall Value
Buildings - non-specialised	2	Observable Open Market Values of Similar Assets, adjusted for condition and comparability , at their highest and best use	Independent Registered Valuers	June 2020	Price per square metre / Overall Value
Buildings - specialised	3	Observable Open Market Values of Similar Assets, adjusted for condition and comparability, at their highest and best use	Independent Registered Valuers	June 2020	Average cost of construction and consumption score for each component (Level 2), residual value, useful life, pattern of consumption and asset condition assessments (Level 3) inputs.
Furniture and equipment	2	Observable Open Market Values for Similar Assets, adjusted for condition and comparability	Management Valuation	June 2020	Price per item
Plant and equipment *	2	Observable Open Market Values for Similar Assets, adjusted for condition and comparability	Management Valuation	June 2020	Price per item

Level 3 inputs are based on assumptions with regards to future values and patterns of consumption utilising current information. If the basis of these assumptions were varied, they have the potential to result in a significantly higher or lower fair value measurement.

During the period there were no changes in the valuation techniques used by the local government to determine the fair value of property, plant and equipment using either level 2 or level 3 inputs.

\* Following a change to Local Government (Financial Management) Regulation 17A, plant and equipment type assets (being plant and equipment and furniture and equipment) are to be measured under the cost model, rather than at fair value. This change is effective from 1 July 2019 and represents a change in accounting policy. Revaluations carried out previously were not reversed as it was deemed fair value approximates cost at the date of change.

## 9. INFRASTRUCTURE

## (a) Movements in Carrying Amounts

Movement in the carrying amounts of each class of infrastructure between the beginning and the end of the current financial year.

	Infrastructure - roads	Infrastructure - bridges	Infrastructure - drainage	Infrastructure - footpaths	Infrastructure - parks & reserves	Total Infrastructure
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance at 1 July 2018	42,515,615	7,229,016	7,217,419	831,798	3,530,316	61,324,164
Additions	868,170	0	203,376	0	305,264	1,376,810
(Disposals)	0	0	0	0	(32,386)	(32,386)
Depreciation (expense)	(456,702)	(122,232)	(190,857)	(21,317)	(97,078)	(888,186)
Carrying amount at 30 June 2019	42,927,083	7,106,784	7,229,938	810,481	3,706,116	61,780,402
Comprises:						
Gross carrying amount at 30 June 2019	43,383,785	7,229,016	7,420,795	831,798	3,895,331	62,760,725
Accumulated depreciation at 30 June 2019	(456,702)	(122,232)	(190,857)	(21,317)	(189,215)	(980,323)
Carrying amount at 30 June 2019	42,927,083	7,106,784	7,229,938	810,481	3,706,116	61,780,402
Additions	878,662	0	60,598	67,819	87,220	1,094,299
Revaluation increments / (decrements) transferred to						
revaluation surplus	0	0	0	0	322,708	322,708
Depreciation (expense)	(432,317)	(119,532)	(191,911)	(20,657)	(114,144)	(878,561)
Transfers	11,888		(11,888)			0
Carrying amount at 30 June 2020	43,385,316	6,987,252	7,086,737	857,643	4,001,900	62,318,848
Comprises:						
Gross carrying amount at 30 June 2020	44,274,335	7,229,016	7,469,505	899,617	4,001,900	63,874,373
Accumulated depreciation at 30 June 2020 Accumulated impairment loss at 30 June 2020	(889,019)	(241,764)	(382,768)	(41,974)	0	(1,555,525)
Carrying amount at 30 June 2020	43,385,316	6,987,252	7,086,737	857,643	4,001,900	62,318,848

## 9. INFRASTRUCTURE (Continued)

## (b) Fair Value Measurements

Asset Class	Fair Value Hierarchy	Valuation Technique	Basis of Valuation	Date of Last Valuation	Inputs Used
Infrastructure - roads	3	Cost Approach, utilising RAMM Asset Management System (ROMANII) software, for depreciated replacement cost	Independent Registered Valuer	June 2018	Construction unit rates for each component and current condition (Level 2) residual values and remaining useful life assessments.
Infrastructure - bridges	3	Cost Approach, utilising RAMM Asset Management System (ROMANII) software, for depreciated replacement cost	Independent Registered Valuer	June 2018	Construction unit rates for each component and current condition (Level 2) residual values and remaining useful life assessments.
Infrastructure - drainage	3	Cost Approach, utilising RAMM Asset Management System (ROMANII) software, for depreciated replacement cost	Independent Registered Valuer	June 2018	Construction unit rates for each component and current condition (Level 2) residual values and remaining useful life assessments.
Infrastructure - footpaths	3	Cost Approach, utilising RAMM Asset Management System (ROMANII) software, for depreciated replacement cost	Independent Registered Valuer	June 2018	Construction unit rates for each component and current condition (Level 2) residual values and remaining useful life assessments.
Infrastructure - parks & reserves	3	Cost Approach estimating the replacement cost for each structure, by componentising with different useful lives.	Independent Registered Valuer	June 2020	Average cost of construction and consumption score for each component (Level 2), residual value, useful life, pattern of consumption and asset condition assessments (Level 3) inputs.

Level 3 inputs are based on assumptions with regards to future values and patterns of consumption utilising current information. If the basis of these assumptions were varied, they have the potential to result in a significantly higher or lower fair value measurement.

During the period there were no changes in the valuation techniques used to determine the fair value of infrastructure using level 3 inputs.

#### 10. FIXED ASSETS

#### SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Fixed assets

Each class of fixed assets within either plant and equipment or infrastructure, is carried at cost or fair value as indicated less, where applicable, any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

## Initial recognition and measurement between mandatory revaluation dates

Assets for which the fair value as at the date of acquisition is under \$5,000 are not recognised as an asset in accordance with Financial Management Regulation 17A (5). These assets are expensed immediately

Where multiple individual low value assets are purchased together as part of a larger asset or collectively forming a larger asset exceeding the threshold, the individual assets are recognised as one asset and capitalised.

In relation to this initial measurement, cost is determined as the fair value of the assets given as consideration plus costs incidental to the acquisition. For assets acquired at zero cost or otherwise significantly less than fair value, cost is determined as fair value at the date of acquisition. The cost of non-current assets constructed by the Shire includes the cost of all materials used in construction, direct labour on the project and an appropriate proportion of variable and fixed overheads.

Individual assets that are land, buildings and infrastructure acquired between initial recognition and the next revaluation of the asset class in accordance with the mandatory measurement framework, are recognised at cost and disclosed as being at fair value as management believes cost approximates fair value. They are subject to subsequent revaluation at the next anniversary date in accordance with the mandatory measurement framework.

### Revaluation

The fair value of land, buildings and infrastructure is determined at least every five years in accordance with the regulatory framework. This includes buildings and infrastructure items which were pre-existing improvements (i.e.vested improvements) on vested land acquired by the Shire.

At the end of each period the valuation is reviewed and where appropriate the fair value is updated to reflect current market conditions. This process is considered to be in accordance with Local Government (Financial Management) Regulation 17A (2) which requires land, buildings and infrastructure to be shown at fair value.

Increases in the carrying amount arising on revaluation of assets are credited to a revaluation surplus in equity. Decreases that offset previous increases of the same class of asset are recognised against revaluation surplus directly in equity. All other decreases are recognised in profit or loss.

## AUSTRALIAN ACCOUNTING STANDARDS - INCONSISTENCY Land under control prior to 1 July 2019

In accordance with the then Local Government (Financial Management) Regulation 16(a) (ii), the Shire was previously required to include as an asset (by 30 June 2013), vested Crown Land operated by the local government as a golf course, showground, racecourse or other sporting or recreational facility of State or regional significance

Upon initial recognition, these assets were recorded at cost in accordance with AASB 116. They were then classified as Land and revalued along with other land.

Land under roads prior to 1 July 2019

In Western Australia, most land under roads is Crown Land, the responsibility for managing which, is vested in the local government.

Effective as at 1 July 2008, Council elected not to recognise any value for land under roads acquired on or before 30 June 2008. This accords with the treatment available in Australian Accounting Standard AASB 1051 Land Under Roads and the then Local Government (Financial Management) Regulation 16(a)(i) which arbitiarily prohibited local governments from recognising such land as an asset. This regulation has now been deleted.

In respect of land under roads acquired on or after 1 July 2008, as detailed above, the then Local Government (Financial Management) Regulation 16(a)(i) prohibited local governments from recognising such land as an asset.

Whilst such treatment is inconsistent with the requirements of AASB 1051, Local Government (Financial Management)
Regulation 4(2) provides, in the event of such an inconsistency, the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations prevail.
Consequently, any land under roads acquired on or after 1 July 2008 was not included as an asset of the Shire.

### Land under roads from 1 July 2019

As a result of amendments to the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1996, effective from 1 July 2019, vested land, including land under roads, are treated as right-of-use assets measured at zero cost. Therefore, the previous inconsistency with AASB 1051 in respect of non-recognition of land under roads acquired on or after 1 July 2008 has been removed, even though measurement at zero cost means that land under roads is still not included in the statement of financial position.

The Shire has accounted for the removal of the vested land values associated with vested land previously recognised by removing the land value and associated revaluation reserve as at 1 July 2019. The comparatives have not been restated.

The Shire does not have any vested land or vested improvements.

## 10. FIXED ASSETS

## (a) Disposals of Assets

	2020	2020			2020	2020			2019	2019		
	Actual	Actual	2020	2020	Budget	Budget	2020	2020	Actual	Actual	2019	2019
	<b>Net Book</b>	Sale	Actual	Actual	<b>Net Book</b>	Sale	Budget	Budget	Net Book	Sale	Actual	Actual
	Value	<b>Proceeds</b>	Profit	Loss	Value	<b>Proceeds</b>	Profit	Loss	Value	<b>Proceeds</b>	Profit	Loss
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Land - freehold land	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,000	3,000	0
Buildings - specialised	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22,398	0	0	(22,398)
Furniture and equipment	1,021	0	0	(1,021)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Plant and equipment	82,153	121,571	47,200	(7,782)	80,840	95,000	19,871	(5,711)	44,440	56,011	11,571	0
Infrastructure - parks & reserves	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	32,386	0	0	(32,386)
	83,174	121,571	47,200	(8,803)	80,840	95,000	19,871	(5,711)	99,224	59,011	14,571	(54,784)

The following assets were disposed of during the year.

Plant and Equipment	2020 Actual Net Book Value	2020 Actual Sale Proceeds	2020 Actual Profit	2020 Actual Loss
Recreation and culture				
Toro Ride on Mower	2,453	2,100	0	(353)
Kubota Generator	2,649	0	0	(2,649)
Bowling Club Lighting	1,900	0	0	(1,900)
Bulk Chlorine Tank	0	0	0	0
Transport				
Holden Rodeo Utility	3,362	2,309	0	(1,053)
Case 721E Loader	31,844	65,000	33,156	0
Isuzu DMAX	18,217	16,420	0	(1,797)
Steel Water Tank	30	0	0	(30)
Other property and services				
Toyota Prado	21,698	35,742	14,044	0
	82,153	121,571	47,200	(7,782)
Furniture and Equipment				
Other Property and Services				
Dell T100 Server	0	0	0	0
Ricoh Photocopier	1,021	0	0	(1,021)
	1,021	0	0	(1,021)
	83,174	121,571	47,200	(8,803)

#### 10. FIXED ASSETS

### (b) Depreciation

Buildings - non-specialised
Buildings - specialised
Furniture and equipment
Plant and equipment
Infrastructure - roads
Infrastructure - bridges
Infrastructure - drainage
Infrastructure - footpaths
Infrastructure - parks & reserves

2020 Actual	2020 Budget	2019 Actual		
\$	\$	\$		
57,368	56,000	56,016		
158,554	173,000	153,965		
11,388	11,500	11,388		
168,940	140,000	139,748		
432,317	457,000	456,702		
119,532	122,250	122,232		
191,911	167,200	190,857		
20,657	21,000	21,317		
114,144	109,000	97,078		
1,274,811	1,256,950	1,249,303		

#### SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Depreciation

The depreciable amount of all fixed assets including buildings but excluding freehold land and vested land, are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the individual asset's useful life from the time the asset is held ready for use. Leasehold improvements are depreciated over the shorter of either the unexpired period of the lease or the estimated useful life of the improvements.

The assets residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at the end of each reporting period.

An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with the carrying amount. These gains and losses are included in the statement of comprehensive income in the period in which they arise.

#### **Depreciation rates**

Typical estimated useful lives for the different asset classes for the current and prior years are included in the table below:

Asset Class	Useful life
Buildings	30 to 50 years
Furniture and equipment	4 to 10 years
Plant and equipment	5 to 15 years
Sealed roads and streets	
formation	not depreciated
pavement	50 years
seal	
- bituminous seals	20 years
- asphalt surfaces	25 years
Gravel roads	
formation	not depreciated
pavement	50 years
Footpaths - slab	20 years
Sewerage piping	100 years
Water supply piping and drainage systems	75 years
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#### Depreciation on revaluation

When an item of land, buildings, infrastructure and investment property is revalued, any accumulated depreciation at the date of the revaluation is treated in one of the following ways:

- (a) The gross carrying amount is adjusted in a manner that is consistent with the revaluation of the carrying amount of the asset. For example, the gross carrying amount may be restated by reference to observable market data or it may be restated proportionately to the change in the carrying amount. The accumulated depreciation at the date of the revaluation is adjusted to equal the difference between the gross carrying amount and the carrying amount of the asset after taking into account accumulated impairment losses; or
- (b) Eliminated against the gross carrying amount of the asset and the net amount restated to the revalued amount of the asset

#### Amortisation

All intangible assets with a finite useful life, are amortised on a straight-line basis over the individual asset's useful life from the time the asset is held for use.

The residual value of intangible assets is considered to be zero and the useful life and amortisation method are reviewed at the end of each financial year.

Amortisation is included within Depreciation on non-current assets in the Statement of Comprehensive Income and in the note above.

## 11. REVALUATION SURPLUS

Revaluation surplus - Land and Buildings Revaluation surplus - Plant and equipment Revaluation surplus - Infrastructure - roads Revaluation surplus - Infrastructure - parks & reserves

	2020 Opening			Total  Movement on	2020 Closing	2019 Opening Balance	Total Movement on Revaluation	2019 Closing
-	Balance	Increment	(Decrement)	Revaluation	Balance	balance	Kevaluation	Balance
	\$	\$	\$	\$	<b>\$</b>	\$	\$	\$
	9,848,697	210,574	(861,851)	(651,277)	9,197,420	9,848,697	0	9,848,697
	26,678	0	(14,577)	(14,577)	12,101	26,678	0	26,678
	47,865,246	0	0	0	47,865,246	47,865,246	0	47,865,246
	1,184,173	322,708	0	322,708	1,506,881	1,184,173	0	1,184,173
Ī	58,924,794	533,282	(876,428)	(343,146)	58,581,648	58,924,794	0	58,924,794

Movements on revaluation of property, plant and equipment (including infrastructure) are not able to be reliably attributed to a program as the assets were revalued by class as provided for by AASB 116 Aus 40.1.

## 12. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

#### Current

Sundry creditors
Prepaid rates
Accrued salaries and wages
ATO liabilities
Bonds and deposits held
Accrued Interest on Borrowings

## **SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

## Trade and other payables

Trade and other payables represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Shire prior to the end of the financial year that are unpaid and arise when the Shire becomes obliged to make future payments in respect of the purchase of these goods and services.

The amounts are unsecured, are recognised as a current liability and are normally paid within 30 days of recognition

2020	2019
\$	\$
149,175	67,312
15,498	0
49,192	48,264
(7,373)	384
206	206
5,918	10,013
212,616	126,179

## **Prepaid rates**

Prepaid rates are, until the taxable event has occurred (start of the next financial year), refundable at the request of the ratepayer. Rates received in advance are initially recognised as a financial liability. When the taxable event occurs, the financial liability is extinguished and the Shire recognises revenue for the prepaid rates that have not been refunded.

## 13. CONTRACT LIABILITIES

	2020	2019
	\$	\$
Current		
Contract liabilities from contracts with customers	0	0
Contract liabilities from transfers for recognisable non financial ass	48,870	0
	48,870	0
Performance obligations from contracts with		
customers are expected to be recognised as		
revenue in accordance with the following time		
bands:		
Less than 1 year	48,870	
	48,870	

## SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Contract Liabilities**

Contract liabilities represent the the Shire's obligation to transfer goods or services to a customer for which the Shire has received consideration from the customer.

With respect to transfers for recognisable non-financial assets, contract liabilities represent performance obligations which are not yet safisfied.

Contract liabilities are recognised as revenue when the performance obligations in the contract are satisfied.

#### 14. INFORMATION ON BORROWINGS

 (a) Borrowings
 2020
 2019

 \$
 \$
 \$

 Current
 102,462
 112,942

 Non-current
 600,422
 702,884

 702,884
 815,826

(b) Repayments - Borrowings

(a) nopu, monte 20110111113	Loan Numbe	r Institution	Interest Rate	Actual Principal 1 July 2019	30 June 2020 Actual Principal repayments	30 June 2020 Actual Interest repayments	30 June 2020 Actual Principal outstanding	Budget Principal 1 July 2019	30 June 2020 Budget Principal repayments	30 June 2020 Budget Interest repayments	30 June 2020 Budget Principal outstanding	Actual Principal 1 July 2018	30 June 2019 Actual Principal repayments	30 June 2019 Actual Interest repayments	30 June 2019 Actual Principal outstanding
Particulars				\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Governance															
IT Computer Server	68	WATC *	3.26%	3,885	3,885	35	0	3,885	3,885	63	0	11,468	7,583	257	3,884
Transport															
CAT Grader	67	WATC *	3.42%	100,168	39,051	2,887	61,117	100,168	39,051	3,095	61,117	137,917	37,749	4,215	100,168
<b>Economic services</b>															
Industrial Shed	66	WATC *	4.17%	152,383	11,837	6,105	140,546	152,383	11,837	6,232	140,546	163,742	11,359	6,604	152,383
Industrial Shed	70	WATC *	3.02%	224,847	31,387	6,356	193,460	224,847	31,387	6,635	193,460	235,000	10,153	6,906	224,847
Other property and services															
Industrial Land	65	WATC *	6.37%	196,079	11,307	12,165	184,772	196,079	11,307	12,313	184,772	206,698	10,620	12,861	196,078
				677,362	97,467	27,548	579,895	677,362	97,467	28,338	579,895	754,825	77,463	30,842	677,361
Self Supporting Loans Recreation and culture															
Bowling Club Synthetic Turf	69	WATC *	3.15%	138,464	15,475	4,018	122,989	138,464	15,475	4,241	122,989	153,463	14,999	4,464	138,464
				138,464	15,475	4,018	122,989	138,464	15,475	4,241	122,989	153,463	14,999	4,464	138,464
				815,826	112,942	31,566	702,884	815,826	112,942	32,579	702,884	908,288	92,462	35,306	815,826

<sup>\*</sup> WA Treasury Corporation

Self supporting loans are financed by payments from third parties. These are shown in Note 5 as other financial assets at amortised cost. All other loan repayments were financed by general purpose revenue.

## 14. INFORMATION ON BORROWINGS (Continued)

## (c) New Borrowings - 2019/20

The Shire did not take up any new debenture during the year ended 30 June 2020.

## (d) Unspent Borrowings

The Shire did not have any unspend debentures as at 30 June 2020.

	2020	2019
(e) Undrawn Borrowing Facilities	\$	\$
Credit Standby Arrangements		
Bank overdraft limit	100,000	100,000
Bank overdraft at balance date	0	0
Credit card limit	15,000	10,000
Credit card balance at balance date	(1,148)	(2,466)
Total amount of credit unused	113,852	107,534
Loan facilities		
Loan facilities - current	102,462	112,942
Loan facilities - non-current	600,422	702,884
Lease liabilities - current	0	0
Lease liabilities - non-current	0	0
Total facilities in use at balance date	702,884	815,826
Unused loan facilities at balance date	NIL	NIL

#### SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Financial liabilities**

Financial liabilities are recognised at fair value when the Shire becomes a party to the contractual provisions to the instrument.

Non-derivative financial liabilities (excluding financial guarantees) are subsequently measured at amortised cost. Gains or losses are recognised in profit or loss.

Financial liabilities are derecognised where the related obligations are discharged, cancelled or expired. The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability extinguished or transferred to another party and the fair value of the consideration paid, including the transfer of non-cash assets or liabilities assumed, is recognised in profit or loss.

## **Borrowing costs**

Borrowing costs are recognised as an expense when incurred except where they are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying asset. Where this is the case, they are capitalised as part of the cost of the particular asset until such time as the asset is substantially ready for its intended use or sale.

## Risk

Information regarding exposure to risk can be found at Note 22.

#### 15. EMPLOYEE RELATED PROVISIONS

(a) Employee Related Provisions	Provision for Annual	Provision for Long Service	
	Leave	Leave	Total
	\$	\$	\$
Opening balance at 1 July 2019			
Current provisions	127,055	198,625	325,680
Non-current provisions	C	15,673	15,673
·	127,055	214,298	341,353
Additional provision	109,009	30,601	139,610
Amounts used	(84,845)	(28,492)	(113,337)
Balance at 30 June 2020	151,219	216,407	367,626
Comprises			
Current	151,219	205,298	356,517
Non-current	C	11,109	11,109
	151,219	216,407	367,626
	2020	2019	
Amounts are expected to be settled on the following basis:	\$	\$	
Less than 12 months after the reporting date	236,356	236,680	
More than 12 months from reporting date	142,325	115,728	
Expected reimbursements from other WA local governments	(11,055)	(11,055)	
	367,626	341,353	

Timing of the payment of current leave liabilities is difficult to determine as it is dependent on future decisions of employees. Expected settlement timings are based on information obtained from employees and historical leave trends and assumes no events will occur to impact on these historical trends.

#### SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Employee benefits**

## Short-term employee benefits

Provision is made for the Shire's obligations for short-term employee benefits. Short-term employee benefits are benefits (other than termination benefits) that are expected to be settled wholly before 12 months after the end of the annual reporting period in which the employees render the related service, including wages, salaries and sick leave. Short-term employee benefits are measured at the (undiscounted) amounts expected to be paid when the obligation is settled.

The Shire's obligations for short-term employee benefits such as wages, salaries and sick leave are recognised as a part of current trade and other payables in the statement of financial position.

#### Other long-term employee benefits

The Shire's obligations for employees' annual leave and long service leave entitlements are recognised as provisions in the statement of financial position.

Long-term employee benefits are measured at the present value of the expected future payments to be made to employees. Expected future payments incorporate anticipated future wage and salary levels, durations of service and employee departures and are discounted at rates determined by reference to market yields at the end of the reporting period on government bonds that have maturity dates that approximate the terms of the obligations.

## Other long-term employee benefits (Continued)

Any remeasurements for changes in assumptions of obligations for other long-term employee benefits are recognised in profit or loss in the periods in which the changes occur.

The Shire's obligations for long-term employee benefits are presented as non-current provisions in its statement of financial position, except where the Shire does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement for at least 12 months after the end of the reporting period, in which case the obligations are presented as current provisions.

#### **Provisions**

Provisions are recognised when the Shire has a present legal or constructive obligation, as a result of past events, for which it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will result and that outflow can be reliably measured.

Provisions are measured using the best estimate of the amounts required to settle the obligation at the end of the reporting period.

## 16. NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

## **Reconciliation of Cash**

For the purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, cash includes cash and cash equivalents, net of outstanding bank overdrafts. Cash at the end of the reporting period is reconciled to the related items in the Statement of Financial Position as follows:

	2020 Actual	2020 Budget	2019 Actual
	\$	\$	\$
Cash and cash equivalents	1,618,929	739,372	1,508,513
Reconciliation of Net Cash Provided By Operating Activities to Net Result			
Net result	363,534	115,152	1,076,620
Non-cash flows in Net result: Adjustments to fair value of financial assets at fair value through profit and loss	(865)	0	(52,551)
Adjustments to fair value of Right of Use assets at fair value through profit and loss		0	
Depreciation on non-current assets	1,274,811	1,256,950	1,249,303
(Profit)/loss on sale of asset	(38,397)	(14,160)	40,213
Share of profits of associates  Loss on revaluation of fixed assets	0	0	0
Reversal of loss on revaluation of fixed assets	(985)	U	O
Changes in assets and liabilities:	(700)		
(Increase)/decrease in receivables	198,230	43,495	(184,100)
(Increase)/decrease in other assets	0	0	0
(Increase)/decrease in inventories	(19,180)	2,100	10,698
Increase/(decrease) in payables	86,437	(36,115)	(231,573)
Increase/(decrease) in provisions	26,273	(20,000)	21,317
Increase/(decrease) in contract liabilities	48,870	0	0
Non-operating grants, subsidies and contributions	(519,082)	(516,215)	(1,221,492)
Net cash from operating activities	1,419,646	831,207	708,435

## 17. TOTAL ASSETS CLASSIFIED BY FUNCTION AND ACTIVITY

	2020	2019
	\$	\$
Governance	1,393,593	1,405,006
General purpose funding	21,833	25,269
Law, order, public safety	210,278	224,231
Health	933,441	875,012
Education and welfare	1,780,787	1,716,149
Housing	2,106,615	1,829,901
Community amenities	268,909	249,925
Recreation and culture	7,899,608	9,028,160
Transport	60,626,228	60,254,537
Economic services	5,011,546	4,908,099
Other property and services	85,619	68,968
Unallocated	865,085	549,259
	81,203,542	81,134,516

#### 18. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

#### **Elected Members Remuneration**

The following fees, expenses and allowances were	2020 Actual	2020 Budget	2019 Actual
paid to council members and/or the President.	\$	\$	\$
Meeting fees	16,607	15,000	14,230
President's allowance	4,516	4,473	3,313
Travelling expenses	2,012	3,000	2,822
	23,135	22,473	20,365

## Key Management Personnel (KMP) Compensation Disclosure

The total of remuneration paid to KMP of the Shire during the year are as follows:	2020 Actual \$	2019 Actual \$
Short-term employee benefits	348,246	319,400
Post-employment benefits	41,567	31,803
Other long-term benefits	19,558	58,917
	409,371	410,120

## Short-term employee benefits

These amounts include all salary, fringe benefits and cash bonuses awarded to KMP except for details in respect to fees and benefits paid to elected members which may be found above.

## Post-employment benefits

These amounts are the current-year's estimated cost of providing for the Shire's superannuation contributions made during the year.

## Other long-term benefits

These amounts represent long service benefits accruing during the year.

## 18. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (Continued)

## Transactions with related parties

Transactions between related parties and the Shire are on normal commercial terms and conditions, no more favourable than those available to other parties, unless otherwise stated.

The following transactions occurred with related parties:	2020 Actual	2019 Actual
	\$	\$
Sale of goods and services	57,005	51,094
Purchase of goods and services	31,107	12,961
Short term employee benefits -other related parties	160,889	222,887

#### **Related Parties**

## The Shire's main related parties are as follows:

## i. Key management personnel

Any person(s) having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the entity, directly or indirectly, including any elected member, are considered key management personnel.

#### ii. Other Related Parties

The associate person of KMP was employed by the Shire under normal employement terms and conditions.

#### iii. Entities subject to significant influence by the Shire

An entity that has the power to participate in the financial and operating policy decisions of an entity, but does not have control over those policies, is an entity which holds significant influence. Significant influence may be gained by share ownership, statute or agreement.

#### 19 JOINT ARRANGEMENTS

The Shire has a joint venture agreement with the Department of Communities for the provision of housing at Sandalwood Crt and Wandoo Cottages both located on Growse Street, Williams. For accounting purposes this joint arrangement constitutes a joint operation. The assets are land and 8 x 2 bedroom units. The ownership of the assets is determined by an agreement which includes the percentage of each parties equitable interest. The assets are included in the Land and Buildings as follows;

2019 restated

128,507 (3,278)

125,229

172,311 (5,122)

167,189

292,418

**2020** 

122,651

122,651

171.747

171,747

294,398

Non-current assets Land and Buildings Wandoo Court (2 x 2 bedroom units) @ 28.34% Less: accumulated depreciation	
Sandalwood Court (6 x 2 bedroom units) @ 16.10% Less: accumulated depreciation	

The Shire manages the property and tenancy.

#### SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### Interests in joint arrangements

Total assets

Joint arrangements represent the contractual sharing of control between parties in a business venture where unanimous decisions about relevant activities are required.

Joint operations represent arrangements whereby joint operators maintain direct interests in each asset and exposure to each liability of the arrangement. The Shire's interests in the assets, liabilities, revenue and expenses of joint operations are included in the respective line items of the financial statements.

## 20. RATING INFORMATION

### (a) Rates

ay naiss		Number	2019/20 Actual	2019/20 Actual	2019/20 Actual	2019/20 Actual	2019/20 Budget	2019/20 Budget	2018/19 Actual
RATE TYPE	Rate in	of	Rateable	Rate	Interim	Total	Rate	Total	Total
Differential general rate / general rate	\$	Properties	Value	Revenue	Rates	Revenue	Revenue	Revenue	Revenue
			\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Gross rental valuations									
Residential	0.073256	145	1,827,094	131,617	1,882	133,499	133,541	133,541	133,341
Industrial/Commercial	0.073256	23	1,034,496	75,783		75,783	74,583	74,583	74,210
Unimproved valuations									
Rural/Mining	0.007011	240	210,442,000	1,423,156	62,632	1,485,788	1,488,015	1,488,015	1,429,929
Sub-Total		408	213,303,590	1,630,556	64,514	1,695,070	1,696,139	1,696,139	1,637,480
	Minimum								
Minimum payment	\$								
Gross rental valuations		•							
Residential	720	137	651,245	101,284	(1,924)	99,360	98,640	98,640	93,899
Industrial/Commercial	720	13	52,475	13,680	0	13,680	15,120	15,120	12,894
Unimproved valuations									
Rural/Mining	925	87	7,855,902	144,590	(62,912)	81,678	79,550	79,550	73,434
Sub-Total		237	8,559,622	259,554	(64,836)	194,718	193,310	193,310	180,227
		645	221,863,212	1,890,110	(322)	1,889,788	1,889,449	1,889,449	1,817,707
Total amount raised from general rate		043	221,000,212	1,070,110	(322)	1,889,788	1,007,447	1,889,449	1,817,707
Ex-gratia rates						34,329		34,652	33,002
Totals					-	1,924,117	-	1,924,101	1,850,709
1 4 1 4 1 4 1						1,72-1,117		1,727,101	1,000,707

#### SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Control over assets acquired from rates is obtained at the commencement of the rating period.

Prepaid rates are, until the taxable event has occurred (start of the next financial year), refundable at the request of the ratepayer. Rates received in advance are initially recognised as a financial liability. When the taxable event occurs, the financial liability is extinguished and the Shire recognises revenue for the prepaid rates that have not been refunded.

## 20. RATING INFORMATION (Continued)

## (b) Interest Charges & Instalments

		Instalment	Instalment	<b>Unpaid Rates</b>
	Date	Plan	Plan	Interest
<b>Instalment Options</b>	Due	<b>Admin Charge</b>	Interest Rate	Rate
		\$	%	%
Option One				
Single full payment	13/09/2019	0.00	0.00%	11.00%
Option Two				
First instalment	13/09/2019	0.00	5.50%	11.00%
Second instalment	15/11/2019	10.00	5.50%	11.00%
Third instalment	17/01/2020	10.00	5.50%	11.00%
Fourth instalment	20/03/2020	10.00	5.50%	11.00%
		2020	2020	2019
		Actual	Budget	Actual
		\$	\$	\$
Interest on unpaid rates		8,529	7,000	6,935
Interest on instalment plan		7,589	6,500	6,834
Charges on instalment plai	า	3,810	4,000	4,020
		19,928	17,500	17,789

## 21. RATE SETTING STATEMENT INFORMATION

21. KATE SETTING STATEMENT INFORMATION					
	Note	2019/20 (30 June 2020 Carried Forward)	2019/20 Budget (30 June 2020 Carried Forward)	2019/20 (1 July 2019 Brought Forward)	2018/19 (30 June 2019 Carried Forward
(a) Non-cash amounts evaluated from energing activities		\$	\$	\$	\$
(a) Non-cash amounts excluded from operating activities					
The following non-cash revenue or expenditure has been excluded from amounts attributable to operating activities within the Rate Settin Statement in accordance with Financial Management Regulation 32.					
Adjustments to operating activities					
Less: Profit on asset disposals	10(a)	(47,200)	(19,871)	(14,571)	(14,571)
Less: Reversal of prior year loss on revaluation of fixed assets		(985)	0	0	0
Less: Movement in liabilities associated with restricted cash		5,119	5,400	5,194	5,194
Less: Fair value adjustments to financial assets at fair value through profit and loss		(0/5)		/FO FF1)	/FO FF1)
Movement in employee benefit provisions (non-current)		(865) (4,564)	0	(52,551) (11,733)	(52,551) (11,733)
Add: Loss on disposal of assets	10(a)	8,803	5,711	54,784	54,784
Add: Depreciation on non-current assets	10(b)	1,274,811	1,256,950	1,249,303	1,249,303
Non cash amounts excluded from operating activities	()	1,235,119	1,248,190	1,230,426	1,230,426
(b) Surplus/(deficit) after imposition of general rates					
The following current assets and liabilities have been excluded					
from the net current assets used in the Rate Setting Statement in accordance with Financial Management Regulation 32 to					
agree to the surplus/(deficit) after imposition of general rates.					
Adjustments to net current assets					
Less: Reserves - cash backed	4	(764,857)	(590,369)	(958,766)	(958,766)
Less: Financial assets at amortised cost - self supporting loans Add: Current liabilities not expected to be cleared at end of year	5(a)	(15,966)	(15,475)	(15,475)	(15,475)
- Current portion of borrowings	14(a)	102,462	102,491	112,942	112,942
<ul> <li>Leave Entitlements Reserves Cashbacked</li> </ul>		20,591	20,873	15,472	15,472
Total adjustments to net current assets		(657,770)	(482,480)	(845,827)	(845,827)
Net current assets used in the Rate Setting Statement					
Total current assets		1,765,146	946,502	1,833,289	1,833,289
Less: Total current liabilities		(720,465)	(464,022)	(564,801)	(564,801)
Less: Total adjustments to net current assets		(657,770)	(482,480)	(845,827)	(845,827)
Net current assets used in the Rate Setting Statement		386,911	0	422,661	422,661

#### 22. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

This note explains the Shire's exposure to financial risks and how these risks could affect the Shire's future financial performance.

Risk	Exposure arising from	Measurement	Management
Market risk - interest rate	Long term borrowings at variable rates	Sensitivity analysis	Utilise fixed interest rate borrowings
Credit risk	Cash and cash equivalents, trade receivables, financial assets and debt investments	Aging analysis Credit analysis	Diversification of bank deposits, credit limits. Investment policy
Liquidity risk	Borrowings and other liabilities	Rolling cash flow forecasts	Availability of committed credit lines and borrowing facilities

The Shire does not engage in transactions expressed in foreign currencies and is therefore not subject to foreign currency risk.

Financial risk management is carried out by the finance area under policies approved by the Council. The finance area identifies, evaluates and manages financial risks in close co-operation with the operating divisions. Council have approved the overall risk management policy and provide policies on specific areas such as investment policy.

	Carrying	Value	Fair Value		
	2020	2019	2020	2019	
Financial Assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	1,618,929	1,508,513	1,618,929	1,508,513	
Trade Receivables	102,687	300,917	102,687	300,917	
Other Financial assets at amortised cost -					
Self Supporting Loans	122,989	138,464	122,989	138,464	
Financial assets at fair value through Profit and Loss	53,416	52,551	53,416	52,551	
	1,898,021	2,000,445	1,898,021	2,000,445	
Financial liabilities					
Trade Payables	212,616	126,179	212,616	126,179	
Borrowings	702,884	815,826	702,884	815,826	
	915,500	942,005	915,500	942,005	

## (a) Interest rate risk

#### Cash and cash equivalents

The Shire's main interest rate risk arises from cash and cash equivalents with variable interest rates, which exposes the Shire to cash flow interest rate risk.

Excess cash and cash equivalents are invested in fixed interest rate term deposits which do not expose the Shire to cash flow interest rate risk. Cash and cash equivalents required for working capital are held in variable interest rate accounts and non-interest bearing accounts. Carrying amounts of cash and cash equivalents at the 30 June and the weighted average interest rate across all cash and cash equivalents and term deposits held disclosed as financial assets at amortised cost are reflected in the table below.

	Weighted Average Interest Rate	Carrying Amounts	Fixed Interest Rate	Variable Interest Rate	Non Interest Bearing \$
2020 Cash and cash equivalents	0.03%	1,618,929	0	1,168,152	450,777
2019 Cash and cash equivalents	0.05%	1,508,513	0	1,470,777	37,736

#### Sensitivity

Profit or loss is sensitive to higher/lower interest income from cash and cash equivalents as a result of changes in 2020 2019 interest rates.

Impact of a 1% movement in interest rates on profit and loss and equity\* 11.681

\* Holding all other variables constant

#### **Borrowings**

Borrowings are subject to interest rate risk - the risk that movements in interest rates could adversely affect funding costs. The Shire manages this risk by borrowing long term and fixing the interest rate to the situation considered the most advantageous at the time of negotiation. The Shire does not consider there to be any interest rate risk in relation to borrowings. Details of interest rates applicable to each borrowing may be found at Note 14(b).

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## 22. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

## (b) Credit risk

#### Trade and Other Receivables

The Shire's major receivables comprise rates annual charges and user fees and charges. The major risk associated with these receivables is credit risk – the risk that the debts may not be repaid. The Shire manages this risk by monitoring outstanding debt and employing debt recovery policies. It also encourages ratepayers to pay rates by the due date through incentives.

Credit risk on rates and annual charges is minimised by the ability of the Shire to recover these debts as a secured charge over the land, that is, the land can be sold to recover the debt. The Shire is also able to charge interest on overdue rates and annual charges at higher than market rates, which further encourages payment.

The level of outstanding receivables is reported to Council monthly and benchmarks are set and monitored for acceptable collection performance.

The Shire applies the AASB 9 simplified approach to measuring expected credit losses using a lifetime expected loss allowance for all trade receivables. To measure the expected credit losses, rates receivable are separated from other trade receivables due to the difference in payment terms and security for rates receivable.

The expected loss rates are based on the payment profiles of rates and fees and charges over a period of 36 months before 1 July 2019 or 1 July 2020 respectively and the corresponding historical losses experienced within this period. Historical credit loss rates are adjusted to reflect current and forward-looking information on macroeconomic factors such as the ability of ratepayers and residents to settle the receivables. Housing prices and unemployment rates have been identified as the most relevant factor in repayment rates, and accordingly adjustments are made to the expected credit loss rate based on these factors. There are no material receivables that have been subject to a re-negotiation of repayment terms.

The loss allowance as at 30 June 2020 and 30 June 2019 (on adoption of AASB 9) was determined as follows for rates receivable. No expected credit loss was forecast on 1 July 2019 or 30 June 2020 for rates receivable as penalty interest applies to unpaid rates and properties associated with unpaid rates may be disposed of to recover unpaid rates.

	Current	More than 1 year past due	More than 2 years past due	More than 3 years past due	Total
30 June 2020 Rates receivable					
Expected credit loss	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	
Gross carrying amount Loss allowance	14,931 U	5,630 U	1,139 U	0	21,700 U
30 June 2019 Rates receivable Expected credit loss	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	
Gross carrying amount Loss allowance	17,348 0	7,921 0	0	0	25,269 0

The loss allowance as at 30 June 2020 and 30 June 2019 was determined as follows for trade receivables.

	Current	More than 30 days past due	More than 60 days past due	More than 90 days past due	Total
30 June 2020					
Trade and other receivables					
Expected credit loss	0.36%	1.14%	3.48%	13.35%	
Gross carrying amount	69,878	61	646	8,160	78,745
Loss allowance	252	1	22	1,089	1,364
30 June 2019					
Trade and other receivables					
Expected credit loss	0.43%	2.94%	7.37%	8.53%	
Gross carrying amount	88,173	58	61	1,202	89,494
Loss allowance	379	2	4	103	488

## 22. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

## (c) Liquidity risk

## Payables and borrowings

Payables and borrowings are both subject to liquidity risk – that is the risk that insufficient funds may be on hand to meet payment obligations as and when they fall due. The Shire manages this risk by monitoring its cash flow requirements and liquidity levels and maintaining an adequate cash buffer. Payment terms can be extended and overdraft facilities drawn upon if required and disclosed in Note 15(e).

The contractual undiscounted cash flows of the Shire's payables and borrowings are set out in the liquidity table below. Balances due within 12 months equal their carrying balances, as the impact of discounting is not significant.

	Due within 1 year	Due between 1 & 5 years	Due after 5 years	Total contractual cash flows	Carrying values
<u>2020</u>	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Payables Borrowings Contract liabilities	212,616 117,366 48,870 378,852	0 321,951 0 321,951	0 412,605 0 412,605	212,616 851,922 48,870 1,113,408	212,616 702,884 48,870 964,370
<u>2019</u>					
Payables Borrowings	126,179 121,313	0 364,097	0 515,116	126,179 1,000,526	126,179 815,826
	247,492	364,097	515,116	1,126,705	942,005

#### 23. INITIAL APPLICATION OF AUSTRALIAN ACCOUNTING STANDARDS

During the current year, the Shire adopted all of the new and revised Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations which were compiled, became mandatory and which were applicable to its operations.

#### (a) AASB 15: Revenue from Contracts with Customers

The Shire adopted AASB 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers (issued December 2014) on 1 July 2019 resulting in changes in accounting policies. In accordance with the transition provisions AASB 15, the Shire adopted the new rules retrospectively with the cumulative effect of initially applying these rules recognised on 1 July 2019. There were no adjustments required to be recognised in the balance sheet at the date of initial application (1 July 2019).

#### (b) AASB 1058: Income For Not-For-Profit Entities

The Shire adopted AASB 1058 Income for Not-for-Profit Entities (issued December 2016) on 1 July 2019 which will result in changes in accounting policies. In accordance with the transition provisions AASB 1058, the Shire adopted the new rules retrospectively with the cumulative effect of initially applying AASB 1058 recognised at 1 July 2019. Comparative information for prior reporting periods was not restated in accordance with AASB 1058 transition requirements.

Prepaid rates are, until the taxable event for the rates has occurred, refundable at the request of the ratepayer. Therefore the rates received in advance gave rise to a financial liability that is within the scope of AASB 9. On 1 July 2019 the prepaid rates were recognised as a financial asset and a related amount recognised as a financial liability and no income recognised by the Shire. When the taxable event occurred, the financial liability was extinguished and the Shire recognised income for the prepaid rates that have not been refunded.

Assets that were acquired for consideration, that were significantly less than fair value principally to enable the Shire to further its objectives, may have been measured on initial recognition under other Australian Accounting Standards at a cost that was significantly less than fair value. Such assets are not required to be remeasured at fair value.

The table below provides details of the amount by which each financial statement line item is affected in the current reporting period by the application of this Standard as compared to AASB 118 and 1004 and related Interpretations that were in effect before the change.

		2020 \$		
Statement of Comprehensive Income	Note	As reported under AASB 15 and AASB 1058	Adjustment due to application of AASB 15 and AASB 1058	Compared to AASB 118 and AASB 1004
Sidement of Completions verification				
Revenue Rates	20(a)	1,924,117	15,498	1,939,615
Operating grants, subsidies and contributions	2(a)	794,053	0	794,053
Fees and charges	2(a)	852,675	0	852,675
Non-operating grants, subsidies and contributions	2(a)	519,082	48,870	567,952
Net result		363,534	64,368	427,902
Statement of Financial Position				
Trade and other payables	12	212,616	(15,498)	197,118
Contract liabilities	13	48,870	(48,870)	0
Net assets		79,871,546	64,368	79,935,914
Statement of Changes in Equity				
Net result		363,534	64,368	427,902
Retained surplus		20,525,041	64,368	20,589,409

Refer to Note 2(a) for new revenue recognition accounting policies as a result of the application of AASB 15 and AASB 1058.

#### (b) AASB 16: Leases

The Shire adopted AASB 16 retrospectively from 1 July 2019 which resulted in no changes as a result of the adoption of the standard.

#### (c) Impact of New Accounting Standards on Retained Surplus

The impact on the Shire's retained surplus due to the adoption of AASB 15, AASB 1058 and AASB 16 as at 1 July 2019 was as follows:

	Note	<b>Adjustments</b>	2019
			\$
Retained surplus - 30 June 2019			19,967,598
Adjustment to retained surplus from adoption of AASB 15	23(a)	0	
Adjustment to retained surplus from adoption of AASB 16	23(b)	0	
Adjustment to retained surplus from adoption of AASB 1058	23(b)	0	0
Retained surplus - 1 July 2019			19,967,598

#### 24 CORRECTION OF ERROR

The Shire has a joint venture agreement with the Department of Communities for the provision of housing at Sandalwood Crt and Wandoo Cottages both located on Growse Street, Williams. For accounting purposes this joint arrangement constitutes a joint operation. The assets are land and 8 x 2 bedroom units. The ownership of the assets is determined by a equity agreement which included the percentage of each parties equitable interest.

Paragraph 17A of the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulation 1996 was amended to require all physical non-current assets to be valued on a fair value basis with full implementation by 30 June 2015. At the time of applying the fair value of joint venture housing the full fair value of the assets was incorrectly recognised by the Shire, rather than only recognising its own portion of the asset.

The Shire of Williams has retrospectively applied the correction and an adjustment to reflect the Shires equitable value of the asset has been amended accordingly.

The impacts of the changes on the prior year comparatives are disclosed below.

Statement of Financial Position	30 June 2019	Increase/ (Decrease)	30 June 2019 (Restated)	30 June 2018	Increase/ (Decrease)	01 July 2018 (Restated)
(Extract)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Property, plant and equipment	17,362,776	17,491	17,345,285	18,284,213	(1,205,394)	17,078,819
Net assets	17,362,776	17,491	17,345,285	18,284,213	(1,205,394)	17,078,819
Revaluation Surplus	58,924,794	0	58,924,794	60,147,679	(1,222,885)	58,924,794
Retained earnings	19,950,107	17,491	19,967,598	18,891,360	17,491	18,908,851
Total equity	81,039,061	17,491	79,851,158	79,039,039	(1,205,394)	77,833,645

Statement of Comprehensive Income (Extract)	2019	Increase/ (Decrease)	2019 (Restated)
By Nature or Type			
Depreciation	(1,266,794)	17,491	(1,249,303)
By program			
Expenses			
Governance	(288,836)	0	(288,836)
General purpose funding	(19,181)	0	(19,181)
Law, order, public safety	(55,494)	0	(55,494)
Health	(72,422)	0	(72,422)
Education and welfare	(232,414)	0	(232,414)
Housing	(155,692)	17,491	(138,201)
Community amenities	(247,925)	0	(247,925)
Recreation and culture	(703,479)	0	(703,479)
Transport	(1,468,761)	0	(1,468,761)
Economic services	(123,304)	0	(123,304)
Other property and services	(176,122)	0	(176,122)
Net result for the period	1,059,129	17,491	1,076,620
Total comprehensive income for the period	1,059,129	17,491	1,076,620

## 25. TRUST FUNDS

Funds held at balance date which are required to be held in trust and which are not included in the financial statements are as follows:

		<b>Amounts</b>		
	1 July 2019	Received	<b>Amounts Paid</b>	30 June 2020
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Housing Deposits	1,000	0	(1,000)	0
Building Retention	19,369	0	(19,369)	0
Sale of Land for Rates	800,008	0	0	60,008
Public Open Space Contribution	20,000	0	0	20,000
	100,377	0	(20,369)	80,008

#### 26. OTHER SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### a) Goods and services tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office (ATO).

Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of GST receivable or payable. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the ATO is included with receivables or payables in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are presented on a gross basis. The GST components of cash flows arising from investing or financing activities which are recoverable from, or payable to, the ATO are presented as operating cash flows.

#### b) Current and non-current classification

The asset or liability is classified as current if it is expected to be settled within the next 12 months, being the Shire's operational cycle. In the case of liabilities where the Shire does not have the unconditional right to defer settlement beyond 12 months, such as vested long service leave, the liability is classified as current even if not expected to be settled within the next 12 months. Inventories held for trading are classified as current or non-current based on the Shire's intentions to release for sale.

#### c) Rounding off figures

All figures shown in this annual financial report, other than a rate in the dollar, are rounded to the nearest dollar. Amounts are presented in Australian Dollars.

#### d) Comparative figures

Where required, comparative figures have been adjusted to conform with changes in presentation for the current financial year.

When the Shire applies an accounting policy retrospectively, makes a retrospective restatement or reclassifies items in its financial statements that has a material effect on the statement of financial position, an additional (third) statement of financial position as at the beginning of the preceding period in addition to the minimum comparative financial statements is presented.

### e) Budget comparative figures

Unless otherwise stated, the budget comparative figures shown in this annual financial report relate to the original budget estimate for the relevant item of disclosure.

#### f) Superannuation

The Shire contributes to a number of Superannuation Funds on behalf of employees. All funds to which the Shire contributes are defined contribution plans.

### g) Fair value of assets and liabilities

Fair value is the price that the Shire would receive to sell the asset or would have to pay to transfer a liability, in an orderly (i.e. unforced) transaction between independent, knowledgeable and willing market participants at the measurement date.

As fair value is a market-based measure, the closest equivalent observable market pricing information is used to determine fair value. Adjustments to market values may be made having regard to the characteristics of the specific asset or liability. The fair values of assets that are not traded in an active market are determined using one or more valuation techniques. These valuation techniques maximise, to the extent possible, the use of observable market data.

To the extent possible, market information is extracted from either the principal market for the asset or liability (i.e., the market with the greatest volume and level of activity for the asset or liability) or, in the absence of such a market, the most advantageous market available to the entity at the end of the reporting period (i.e., the market that maximises the receipts from the sale of the asset after taking into account transaction costs and transport costs).

For non-financial assets, the fair value measurement also takes into account a market participant's ability to use the asset in its highest and best use or to sell it to another market participant that would use the asset in its highest and best use.

#### h) Fair value hierarchy

AASB 13 requires the disclosure of fair value information by level of the fair value hierarchy, which categorises fair value measurement into one of three possible levels based on the lowest level that an input that is significant to the measurement can be categorised into as follows:

#### Level 1

Measurements based on quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date.

#### Level 2

Measurements based on inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.

#### Level 3

Measurements based on unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

The fair values of assets and liabilities that are not traded in an active market are determined using one or more valuation techniques. These valuation techniques maximise, to the extent possible, the use of observable market data. If all significant inputs required to measure fair value are observable, the asset or liability is included in Level 2. If one or more significant inputs are not based on observable market data, the asset or liability is included in Level 3.

#### Valuation techniques

The Shire selects a valuation technique that is appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data is available to measure fair value. The availability of sufficient and relevant data primarily depends on the specific characteristics of the asset or liability being measured. The valuation techniques selected by the Shire are consistent with one or more of the following valuation approaches:

### Market approach

Valuation techniques that use prices and other relevant information generated by market transactions for identical or similar assets or liabilities.

#### Income approach

Valuation techniques that convert estimated future cash flows or income and expenses into a single discounted present value.

#### Cost approach

Valuation techniques that reflect the current replacement cost of the service capacity of an asset.

Each valuation technique requires inputs that reflect the assumptions that buyers and sellers would use when pricing the asset or liability, including assumptions about risks. When selecting a valuation technique, the Shire gives priority to those techniques that maximise the use of observable inputs and minimise the use of unobservable inputs. Inputs that are developed using market data (such as publicly available information on actual transactions) and reflect the assumptions that buyers and sellers would generally use when pricing the asset or liability are considered observable, whereas inputs for which market data is not available and therefore are developed using the best information available about such assumptions are considered unobservable.

#### i) Impairment of assets

In accordance with Australian Accounting Standards the Shire's cash generating non-specialised assets, other than inventories, are assessed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication they may be impaired.

Where such an indication exists, an impairment test is carried out on the asset by comparing the recoverable amount of the asset, being the higher of the asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use, to the asset's carrying amount.

### 26 OTHER SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### i) Impairment of assets (continued)

Any excess of the asset's carrying amount over its recoverable amount is recognised immediately in profit or loss, unless the asset is carried at a revalued amount in accordance with another Standard (e.g. AASB 116) whereby any impairment loss of a revalued asset is treated as a revaluation decrease in accordance with that other Standard.

For non-cash generating specialised assets that are measured under the revaluation model ,such as roads, drains, public buildings and the like, no annual assessment of impairment is required. Rather AASB 116.31 applies and revaluations need only be made with sufficient regulatory to ensure the carrying value does not differ materially from that which would be determined using fair value at the ends of the reporting period.

#### i) Leases

At inception of a contract, the Shire assesses if the contract contains or is a lease. A contract is, or contains a lease if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration.

At the commencement date, a right-of-use asset is recognised at cost and lease liability at the present value of the lease payments that are not paid at that date. The lease payments are discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease, if that rate can be readily determined. If that rate cannot be readily determined, the Shire uses its incremental borrowing rate.

Right of Use assets are measured at cost. This means that all right-of-use assets (other than vested improvements) under zero cost concessionary leases are measured at zero cost (i.e. not included in the statement of financial position). The exception is vested improvements on concessionary land leases such as roads, buildings or other infrastructure which are reported at fair value. Refer to Note that details the significant accounting policies applying to vested improvements.

All contracts that are classified as short-term leases (i.e. a lease with a remaining term of 12 months or less) and leases of low value assets are recognised as an operating expense as an operating expense on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease.

Lease for right-of-use assets are secured over the asset being leased.

## 27. ACTIVITIES/PROGRAMS

Shire operations as disclosed in these financial statements encompass the following service orientated activities/programs.

## PROGRAM NAME AND OBJECTIVES GOVERNANCE

To provide a decision making process for the efficient allocation of scarce resources.

### **ACTIVITIES**

Administration and operation of facilities and services to members of Council. Other costs that relate to the tasks of assisting elected members and ratepayers on matters which do not concern specific Council services.

#### **GENERAL PURPOSE FUNDING**

To collect revenue to allow for the provision of services.

Rates, general purpose government grants and interest revenue.

#### LAW, ORDER, PUBLIC SAFETY

To provide services to ensure a safer community.

Supervision and enforcement of local laws, fire prevention and suppression activities and animal control

#### **HEALTH**

To provide an operational framework for good community health.

Health inspection and advisory services, analytical services, mosquito control, collection agent for Williams St John Ambulance subscriptions and assist with providing medical services.

#### **EDUCATION AND WELFARE**

To provide a framework that enables community needs in these areas are meet.

Provision and maintenance of premises for the Williams Community Resource Centre, Willi Wagtails Childcare Centre and Family Day Care Services. Provide all administration services for the Childcare centre and the Family Day Care Services.

#### HOUSING

To help ensure the availability of adequate housing for the community needs.

Management, administration and maintenance of Williams Community Homes, Sandalwood Court, Wandoo Cottages, Jamtree Lane Units and New Street Units.

#### **COMMUNITY AMENITIES**

Provision of amenities required by the community.

Refuse management, protection of the environment, maintenance of cemeteries and public conveniences.

#### **RECREATION AND CULTURE**

To establish and manage efficiently all infrastructure and resources which will meet the recreational and cultural needs of the community.

Maintenance of halls, recreational facilities and reserves. Operation of Library and compilation and maintenance of local heritage register.

#### **TRANSPORT**

To provide effective and efficient transport services to the community.

Construction and maintenance of streets, roads, bridges and drainage. Cleaning and lighting of streets, depot maintenance and on-line agent for Department of Transport.

#### **ECONOMIC SERVICES**

Promotion of Williams and improvement of economic wellbeing of the district and its inhabitants.

Tourism services, area promotion, implementation of building controls, provision of standpipe water, maintenance and management of Williams Stud Breeders pavilion.

#### **OTHER PROPERTY AND SERVICES**

Efficient utilisation of Council resources, plant repairs and operations management of Williams Town Planning Scheme.

Provision of private works to public, maintenance of Council plant, approvals and monitoring of town planning activities.

28. FINANCIAL RATIOS		2020 Actual	2019 Actual	2018 Actual	
Current ratio		1.36	1.55	1.08	
Asset consumption ratio		0.70	0.69	0.70	
Asset consumption ratio		1.39	2.53	2.57	
Asset sustainability ratio		0.73	0.95	0.37	
Debt service cover ratio		7.96	8.92	9.01	
Operating surplus ratio		(0.05)	(0.05)	(0.20)	
Own source revenue coverage ratio		0.75	0.73	0.67	
The above ratios are calculated as follows:					
Current ratio	current assets minus restricted assets current liabilities minus liabilities associated with restricted assets				
Asset consumption ratio	depreciated replacement costs of depreciable assets current replacement cost of depreciable assets				
Asset renewal funding ratio	NPV of planned capital renewal over 10 years				
	ıpital expendi	ture over 10 ye	ears		
Asset sustainability ratio	capital renewal and replacement expenditure				
	depreciation				
Debt service cover ratio	annual operating surplus before interest and depreciation				
		princ	cipal and inte	rest	
Operating surplus ratio	operating revenue minus operating expenses				
		own sour	ce operating	revenue	
Own source revenue coverage ratio	own source operating revenue				
	operating expense				



## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Councillors of the Shire of Williams

## Report on the Audit of the Financial Report

## Opinion

I have audited the annual financial report of the Shire of Williams which comprises the Statement of Financial Position as at 30 June 2020, the Statement of Comprehensive Income by Nature or Type, Statement of Comprehensive Income by Program, Statement of Changes in Equity, Statement of Cash Flows and Rate Setting Statement for the year then ended, and notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the Statement by the Chief Executive Officer.

In my opinion the annual financial report of the Shire of Williams:

- (i) is based on proper accounts and records; and
- (ii) fairly represents, in all material respects, the results of the operations of the Shire for the year ended 30 June 2020 and its financial position at the end of that period in accordance with the *Local Government Act 1995* (the Act) and, to the extent that they are not inconsistent with the Act, Australian Accounting Standards.

## Basis for Opinion

I conducted my audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. My responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report section of my report. I am independent of the Shire in accordance with the *Auditor General Act 2006* and the relevant ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (the Code) that are relevant to my audit of the annual financial report. I have also fulfilled my other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code. I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my opinion.

## Emphasis of Matter - Basis of Accounting

I draw attention to Notes 1 and 11 to the annual financial report, which describe the basis of accounting. The annual financial report has been prepared for the purpose of fulfilling the Shire's financial reporting responsibilities under the Act, including the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1996 (Regulations). My opinion is not modified in respect of this matter:

(i) In respect of the comparatives for the previous year ended 30 June 2019, Regulation 16 of the Regulations did not allow a local government to recognise some categories of land, including land under roads, as assets in the annual financial report.

Responsibilities of the Chief Executive Officer and Council for the Financial Report
The Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the Shire is responsible for the preparation and fair
presentation of the annual financial report in accordance with the requirements of the Act, the
Regulations and, to the extent that they are not inconsistent with the Act, Australian Accounting
Standards. The CEO is also responsible for such internal control as the CEO determines is
necessary to enable the preparation of the annual financial report that is free from material
misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the annual financial report, the CEO is responsible for assessing the Shire's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the State Government has made decisions affecting the continued existence of the Shire.

The Council is responsible for overseeing the Shire's financial reporting process.

## Auditor's Responsibility for the Audit of the Financial Report

The objectives of my audit are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the annual financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes my opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the annual financial report.

A further description of my responsibilities for the audit of the annual financial report is located on the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board website at <a href="https://www.auasb.gov.au/auditors\_responsibilities/ar4.pdf">https://www.auasb.gov.au/auditors\_responsibilities/ar4.pdf</a>. This includes the identification and assessment of the risk of material misstatement due to fraud arising from management override of controls. This description forms part of my auditor's report.

## Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

In accordance with the Local Government (Audit) Regulations 1996 I report that:

- (i) In my opinion, the following material matters indicate significant adverse trends in the financial position of the Shire:
  - a. The Operating Surplus Ratio as reported in Note 28 of the annual financial report is below the DLGSCI's basic standard of 0.01 for the last three financial years.
- (ii) The following material matter indicating non-compliance with Part 6 of the *Local Government Act 1995*, the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1996 or applicable financial controls of any other written law were identified during the course of my audit:
  - a. More employees than necessary at the Shire of Williams had the ability to make modifications in the system to the supplier records. Also, there was no evidence of independent review of amendments made to supplier records. This increased the risk of unauthorised changes to key information, although our audit sampling did not identify any.
- (iii) All required information and explanations were obtained by me.
- (iv) All audit procedures were satisfactorily completed.
- (v) In my opinion, the Asset Consumption Ratio and the Asset Renewal Funding Ratio included in the annual financial report were supported by verifiable information and reasonable assumptions.

#### Other Matter

The financial ratios for 2018 in Note 28 of the financial report were audited by another auditor when performing their audit of the Shire for the year ending 30 June 2018. The auditor expressed an unmodified opinion on the financial report for that year.

## Matters Relating to the Electronic Publication of the Audited Financial Report

This auditor's report relates to the annual financial report of the Shire of Williams for the year ended 30 June 2020 included on the Shire's website. The Shire's management is responsible for the integrity of the Shire's website. This audit does not provide assurance on the integrity of the Shire's website. The auditor's report refers only to the annual financial report described above. It does not provide an opinion on any other information which may have been hyperlinked to/from this annual financial report. If users of the annual financial report are concerned with the inherent risks arising from publication on a website, they are advised to refer to the hard copy of the audited annual financial report to confirm the information contained in this website version of the annual financial report.

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ACTING SENIOR DIRECTOR FINANCIAL AUDIT Delegate of the Auditor General for Western Australia Perth, Western Australia

4 December 2020