

**GOVERNING BODY / APPROVED BY**

Council (OCM 22 February 2022 ITEM 07.22.012)

**FUNCTIONAL ALIGNMENT**

Cultural, Community and Industry

## SHORT DESCRIPTION

Advise Council on the development of strategies and identification of challenges and opportunities, in relation to cultural planning and heritage, arts and cultural opportunities, sporting and recreational opportunities, community pride and local identity including local history, and community involvement which encourages a sense of belonging within the LGA.

CSP Link	Delivery Program Link
Society: To create a place where people are healthy, safe, connected and in harmony with the natural environment to retain and improve the quality of community life.	1.1 We will have proud and inviting communities
	1.3 We will have a diverse and creative culture

## PURPOSE

1. To provide advice on development of strategies to ensure Council has appropriate community and cultural programs that promote social inclusion, social justice and sustainability.
2. To provide advice on cultural planning for integrated community services and oversee the implementation of Council's social strategies and related management plans and operations.
3. To provide advice and guidance on policies that support the progress and development of arts, culture and learning to make the LGA a culturally rich and vibrant community.
4. To provide advice on the development of programs and strategic partnerships that foster a strong sense of local identify, distinctiveness, belong, and community spirit.

## MEETING SCHEDULE

The introductory meeting was held on Tuesday 14 June 2022 and other meetings are scheduled for the third week of every second month on a Tuesday or Wednesday from 3.30pm.

## MEMBERSHIP

1. Up to two Councillors – one as Chair.
2. Representatives from Clarence Valley Council; and
3. Up to five Community Representatives.

## CHAIRPERSON

One Councillor will be appointed by the Council as the Chairperson.

**MEMBERS**

**Councillors:** Council OCM 22 February 2022 ITEM 07.22.012

**Community Members:** OCM 26 April 2022 ITEM 07.22.072

Chairperson – Councillor Allison Whaites

Councillor Member – Councillor Jeff Smith

Community Representatives – Brett Hiatt, Steve Trantor, Aneika Kapeen, Kate Begbie and James Cameron.

CVC Representatives: Niomi Sands (Secretary), Sarah Nash and Alicia Savellioni.

**GOVERNANCE**

See Clarence Valley Council Advisory Committee Handbook.