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Smart Transformation Advisory Council (STAC) Meeting – Moranbah

25 February 2021

Attendees

Melissa Westcott

Caroline Fritz

Anthony Edwards

Brianna Baggow

Kathleen Cush

Apologies

Ash Dowd

Richard Engel

Michelle Esler

Sean Milfull

Guests

Leigh Dyer (MSHS)

James Palmer, Dominic Nolan (BMA)

Secretariat

Mitchell Innes (Facilitator)

Nicole Ireland

MEETING NOTES

Community Updates

- Attendees commenced the meeting with a discussion to align on a range of STAC projects including increased community awareness on the anticipated impacts of 4IR within the mining sector.
- James Palmer and Dominic Nolan joined the meeting and provided an update for STAC Members on the BMA business and the increased focus on social value. STAC members provided feedback on current community opportunities and challenges.

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Communications and Engagement Strategy

- Members discussed the presentation to Isaac Regional Council earlier that day and the follow-up actions including working with Council to identify inputs and collaboration opportunities on the Housing; Industrial Land and Community Wellbeing Projects.

ACTION: Secretariat to engage with Council staff to progress alignment opportunities on the Roadmap and, in particular, the Priority Projects.

Priority Roadmap Project Updates

STAC discussions - STAC members had a general discussion about the status of the priority projects and the need to ensure effective collaboration with other groups including GW3 and IRC.

- Skills and Training

Moranbah State High School Principal Leigh Dyer presented on the school's current priorities and provided both a handout and presentation for STAC Members. Ms Dyer flagged the *Looking to the future – Report of the review of senior secondary pathways into work, further education and training* (<https://www.ncsehe.edu.au/publications/looking-to-the-future-report-of-the-review-of-senior-secondary-pathways-into-work-further-education-and-training/>) report as a key document in guiding the school's decision-making in preparing the students for jobs of the future. Ms Dyer highlighted the value of the Bowen Basin Bright Minds support; outlined the current uses for the Blue Shed; detailed the Year 10 Cert II for Work and Vocational Pathways; MSHS becoming a Gateway School and other partnerships.

Survey findings from the Youth Advisory Council (YAC) meeting held on 20 February 2021 were also presented to the STAC.

STAC discussions – STAC members were impressed with the plans at the school and highlighted the criticality of the school within the community and reinforced their commitment to assist.

ACTION: Secretariat to follow up with Ms Dyer to provide further information to STAC Members on the school's current needs and support required; a link to the report and the YAC Survey findings.

Meeting closed at 2.15 pm.

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