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New structure for Council Meetings

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Alice Springs Town Council announces a change in meeting structure for the 14th Alice Springs Town Council.

The 14th Council has resolved to hold one Ordinary Meeting of Council per month with the Open section beginning at 11.15am. This moves away from two meetings per month at 5.30pm.

The new meeting structure will come into effect immediately for a trial period, beginning with a meeting on 26 October, 2021. This structure will be reviewed in March of 2022.

"This change in structure allows Elected Members greater accessibility to meetings and allows the 14th Council the best opportunity to serve the community," Mayor Matt Paterson said.

"We understand that this change may not suit every individual that is interested in sitting in the gallery. That option will remain available, but for those that cannot attend the full audio recording and minutes from the meeting will be available.

"Council are also exploring other avenues to make meetings more accessible to the public in real time."

The next Ordinary Council Meeting will be held on Tuesday 26 October 2021 at 11.15am in the Council Chamber. Members of the public are welcome to attend.

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