

## GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

11th May 2004

**GM2                    SHIRES ASSOCIATION ELECTIONS**  
**FILE: C11-4 AVB**

### SUMMARY:

To advise Council of details of elections to be held during the 2004 Shires Association Conference.



The State Electoral Office has advised that elections for the positions of President, Vice-President, Treasurer and Executive Councillor will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> June at the Annual Conference of the Shires Association of New South Wales.

Nominations for the position of President close on Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> May 2004, for Executive Councillor on the 1<sup>st</sup> June 2004 and for the positions of Vice-President and Treasurer on Wednesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> June.

Nomination forms must be signed by two Councillors of financial ordinary member Councils who are delegates to the Annual Conference for the positions of President, Vice-President and Treasurer. For the position of Executive Councillor the nomination form must be signed by two elected Councillors of financially ordinary member Councils within the electoral division for which the nomination is made.

The Shires Association is divided into a number of State Divisions. Kempsey Shire is in Division "A" along with Ballina, Kyogle, Nambucca, Richmond River and Tweed.

A nomination form for Executive Councillor would need to be signed by a Councillor from one of those Councils. The successful applicant would represent those Councils within the Shires Association. It is normal practise for an existing Divisional Councillor to fill the positions of President and Vice-President.

### ***Report Implications***

***There are no financial, Statutory or Planning Implications arising from this report.***

### RECOMMENDATION

**That the information be noted.**

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**A V Burgess**

**GENERAL MANAGER**