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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- The purpose of this report is to advise Councillors of an opportunity to vote at an election to fill the position of Vice President of the Local Government NSW Board.
- It is recommended Councillors nominate four (4) representatives from their number as voting delegates.

REPORT

The General Manager received a letter from LGNSW advising of a casual vacancy in the office of Vice President (Rural/Regional Councils) on the Local Government NSW Board.

The casual vacancy has come about as a result of the resignation of the former Vice President. An opportunity is now available for Council to nominate four (4) voting entitlements for an election to fill the casual vacancy.

LGNSW requires that all ordinary members entitled to vote in the election provide their names and postal addresses to LGNSW by 12 noon on 6 July 2018.

The Australian Electoral Commission (AEC) will carry out the election of the Vice President on behalf of LGNSW and will call for nominations commencing 13 July 2018. The notice will be published in the Associations official journal; the LGNSW Weekly and sent to each member entitled to vote in the election, by post, on this date.

The details of the voting process and Council's entitlements are contained in the attached letter and annexure to the letter.

CONSULTATION

Nil

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

This matter has no financial impact on Council's adopted budget or forward estimates.



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ATTACHMENTS INCLUDED IN A SEPARATE BOOKLET

- 1. Letter from LGNSW
- 2. Voting entitlements

RECOMMENDATION

That Council nominates four (4) representatives from their numbers as voting delegates.

