



## **Special Meeting of Electors**

*Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> April 2024  
6.00pm  
Cuolahan/Cottle Room  
Kellerberrin Recreation Centre*

**SHIRE OF KELLERBERRIN**

**AGENDA FOR THE SPECIAL MEETING OF ELECTORS MEETING TO BE HELD ON THURSDAY, 11<sup>TH</sup>  
APRIL 2024 AT 6.00PM**

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**1. DECLARATION OF OPENING**

**2. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY**

We begin today by acknowledging the Ballardong Noongar people as traditional custodians of the land and skies on which we gather, and we pay our respects to their elders, past, present and emerging.

**3. RECORD OF ATTENDANCE / APOLOGIES / LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

**4. PURPOSE OF THE MEETING**

1. That the Shire acknowledge and thank Dr Andrew Van Ballegooyen for his 30 years of service to the community, since 1994.
2. That the Shire initiate the necessary steps to lease to Dr Van Ballegooyen (or his related business entity):
  - a. The Kellerberrin Medical Centre premises, located at 13 Moore Street, Kellerberrin; and
  - b. The doctor's residence at 22 Gregory Street, Kellerberrin.

Each for a final three year term commencing 19 November 2024 and expiring on 18 November 2027 (and otherwise on comparable terms and conditions to Dr Van Ballegooyen's current lease)

3. That the Shire:
  - a. Note the community's disappointment at the manner in which a 334 signature petition presented by Mrs Joy Van Ballegooyen was dismissed by Council at its 8 February 2024 Ordinary Council Meeting; and
  - b. Notwithstanding any perceived technicalities, expressly acknowledge the 334 petitions' clear statement of intent that (amongst other things): *'We do not want to lose the services of Dr Van, who has served us in an exemplary fashion for many years'*.

**5. CLOSURE OF MEETING**