

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT TO THE 2022 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

This year has seen the finalisation of the Farm Gate Access Project for Transport for NSW (TfNSW). The second version was trialled over 12 month period and TfNSW was happy with the scheme as developed and with the prospect for its implementation across NSW. Both Steve O'Rourke and Peter Rufford worked seamlessly as part of the TfNSW project team, and the review was successfully finalised in April 2022.

Geoff Webb and Peter Rufford following their road maintenance review for Walgett Council, developed an Asset Management Plan for Council to report to meet the NSW Integrated Planning and Reporting Framework. The plan containing future actions that Council should undertake, was well received by Council's General Manager. There could be further work for PEECE as Council implements the recommended action plan.

PEECE entered a contract with King Island Council early in the year for Peter Rufford to provide project management services. Work this year included Council tendering for a weighbridge at its Currie landfill site. This contract has run its course and there is unlikely to be any further work from Council.

This year saw the company buy back Jeff Roorda's share in the company, and we thank Jeff for his contribution that spans the 20 years that PEECE has operated.

I would like to thank Executive Director Peter Rufford for his administration of PEECE over the past year, and to all of you for your continuing friendship and professionalism. I am confident that with the directors remaining active, the company still has a bright future.

Phil Hawley Chairman

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