

2000 Council

Livingstone Shire Council

Mayor: Frederick William LUDWIG

Date Mayor Elected: 25 March 2000

TERM OF THIS COUNCIL – March 2000 to April 2004

8 COUNCILLORS

Stanley Brian DOREY	Deputy Mayor
Desley RIAL	
Patricia (Mary) Frances CARROLL	
Maurice Degrelle WEBB	
John Thomas SMITH	
Michael Walter PRIOR	
Jean Lesley McRUVIE	Resigned Wednesday 2 July 2003
Thomas Edward MAGUIRE	
Barry Stanley DORSETT	Appointed 27 August 2003
Denis Wayne RATCLIFFE	Appointed 3 March 2004

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS MARCH 2000

Poll Saturday 25 March 2000

Election Results declared in The Morning Bulletin Tuesday 4 April 2000

ELECTION FOR MAYOR

ELECTED MAYOR	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Frederick William LUDWIG 4491 votes	Glenda Mary MATHER 4327 votes
	John Arthur WATSON 2597 votes
	Anthony John Poulston ROWE 1173 votes
	Ros MUIR 209 votes

ELECTION FOR COUNCILLORS – 8 REQUIRED

CANDIDATE ELECTED (8)	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Stanley Brian DOREY 7842 votes	Barry Stanley DORSETT 5688 votes
Desley RIAL 7598 votes	Robert Arthur LEICHT 5623 votes
Patricia (Mary) Frances CARROLL 7454 votes	Brian PHELAN 5365 votes
Maurice Degrelle WEBB 6562 votes	Paul Denis LANCASTER 5341 votes
John Thomas SMITH 6475 votes	Graham CUMMINS 5163 votes
Michael Walter PRIOR 6063 votes	Pat O'BRIEN (Green) 4998 votes
Thomas Edward MAGUIRE 6023 votes	Dusan CECH 4746 votes
Jean Lesley McRUVIE 5873 votes	Ted CLESLOLKA 4004 votes
	Grantley JACK 3323 votes
Above voting figures for elected candidates are final	Kenneth RUDGE 2620 votes
	Above voting figures for unsuccessful candidates are not final but are up to Wednesday 29 March 2000, with up to 150 outstanding votes.

All five sitting Councillors who nominated were re-elected.

FILLING of EXTRAORDINARY VACANCY caused by resignation of Cr McRUVIE, July 2003

Cr McRUVIE resigned on Wednesday 2 July 2003 citing differences with the Mayor.

Under the Local government Act, because it was within the last 12 months of a term, a replacement Councillor could be appointed, rather than the need for a by-election.

Council received 23 nominations (nominations closed 5pm Friday 8 August 2003) for the vacancy and in a closed vote at a meeting on Wednesday night 27 August 2003, Council appointed Barry DORSETT (Caves resident, Manager QMAG) to serve the remaining 7 months of Cr McRUVIE's term.

Notable among the nominations were former Councillors John Dowie and Glenda Mather (nominated for Mayor) and future Federal Member for Capricornia, Michelle Landry.

Barry DORSETT (resident of The Caves and Manager of QMAG) was appointed in a closed vote by Council at a Meeting on Wednesday night 27 August 2003, to serve the remaining 7 months of the current term. (source: *The Morning Bulletin*)

Barry DORSETT signed his Declaration of Office on 5 September 2003. Cr DORSETT attended the General Meeting on 24 September 2003 and the Finance & Strategy Committee Meeting on 1st October 2003. (source: *Livingstone Shire Council Attendance Book 28 March 2001 to 11 March 2008*)

COUNCIL APPOINTMENT OF ONE COUNCILLOR

Caused by the Resignation of Cr McRUVIE.

Council determined to advertise for a replacement rather than hold a by-election.

Nominations closed 5pm Friday 8 August 2003.

CANDIDATE ELECTED	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Barry Stanley DORSETT (The Caves)	John Sanford DOWIE
	Anthony WHITE
	Robert Albert LEICHT
	Denis Wayne RATCLIFFE
	Kelvin APPLETON
	Dusan CECH
	Jill CURRAN
	Richard DEVINE
	Terence HAYES
	Di KUNTCHIK
	Michelle LANDRY
	Karen MACKAY
	Glenda Mary MATHER
	Frances McFADZEN
	Adrian NEWBY
	Kathleen ROBERTS
	Kenneth RUDGE
	Dermid STOWER
	Raymond THOMPSON
	Norman TIMMS
	Frederick WILLIAMS
	John MURPHY

After Cr DORSETT resigned, Denis RATCLIFFE was appointed by Council to fill the casual vacancy in a 5-3 vote (Crs Carroll, Maguire and Prior voted against as they supported Bob LEICHT who was the next highest polling at the 2000 election).

Denis RATCLIFFE signed his Declaration of Office on 8 March 2004. It appears that Cr Ratcliffe attended only one General Meeting of Council, that being on Thursday 18 March 2004. (source: *Livingstone Shire Council Attendance Book 28 March 2001 to 11 March 2008*)

2004 Council

Livingstone Shire Council

Mayor: Frederick William LUDWIG

Date Mayor Elected: 27 March 2004

TERM OF THIS COUNCIL – March 2004 to March 2008

8 COUNCILLORS

Stanley Brian DOREY	
Thomas Edward MAGUIRE	Died in office November 2005
John Thomas SMITH	
Patricia Mary Frances CARROLL	Ceased to be a Councillor 18 August 2006
Desley RIAL	
Glenda Mary MATHER	
Vicki Anne BASTIN-BYRNE	
Michael Walter PRIOR	
Michael John CRANNY	Elected 28 January 2006 to replace Cr MAGUIRE
Brett SVENDSEN	Elected 28 October 2006 to replace Cr CARROLL

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS MARCH 2004

Poll closing Saturday 27 March 2004

Election Results declared 1 April 2004

ELECTION FOR MAYOR

ELECTED MAYOR	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Frederick William LUDWIG 9410 votes	Vincent Gary BOWDEN 4057 votes
	Peter Brendan SHELLEY 1211 votes

ELECTION FOR COUNCILLORS – 8 REQUIRED

CANDIDATE ELECTED (8)	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Stanley Brian DOREY 7505 votes	Denis Wayne RATCLIFFE 4936 votes
Thomas MAGUIRE 7421 votes	Geoffrey Clarence BIRD 4661 votes
John Thomas SMITH 7364 votes	Anthony Thomas WHITE 4587 votes
Patricia Mary Frances CARROLL 7193 votes	Brian Joseph HOOPER 4446 votes
Desley RIAL 7033 votes	Adrian NEWBY 4283 votes
Glenda Mary MATHER 6427 votes	Brett SVENDSEN 4132 votes
Vicki Anne BASTIN-BYRNE 5729 votes	Frances Ann McFADZEN 3984 votes
Michael Walter PRIOR 5446 votes	John Sandford DOWIE 3984 votes
	Joy Margaret DAVISON-LEE 3521 votes
	Jill Erica CURRAN 3418 votes
	Dale CHILDS 3314 votes
	Stephen Bernard JOHNS 3302 votes
	Robert Albert LEICHT 3168 votes
	Earl Kevin HEMPSEED 2735 votes
	Peter James MURRAY 2298 votes
	Marceine Dorne KOOISTRA 2057 votes

NOTES:

1. In the lead-up to the election, Maurie WEBB announced his retirement and that he would not be nominating for re-election, aged 78 and after nearly 20 years on Council.

BY- ELECTION FOR ONE COUNCILLOR

Caused by the death of Cr Tom MAGUIRE on 30 November 2005

Nominations closed 6 January 2006

Poll conducted Saturday 28 January 2006

Poll declared 31 January 2006

CANDIDATE ELECTED	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Michael John CRANNY 2906 votes	Thomas Walter HALL 2183 votes
	Anthony Thomas WHITE 1968 votes
	Brett SVENDSEN 1393 votes
	Kaye GARDNER 1165 votes
	Antonio Salvatore PUTRINO 785 votes
	Denis Wayne RATCLIFFE 593 votes
	Robert Albert LEICHT 535 votes
	Randal Bruce Byron BORG 230 votes
	Valle CHECA 130 votes

BY- ELECTION FOR ONE COUNCILLOR

Caused by the loss of qualification of Cr CARROLL

Nominations closed Friday 22 September 2006

Poll Saturday 28 October 2006

CANDIDATE ELECTED	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Brett SVENDSEN 2954 votes	Anthony WHITE 2552 votes
	Alby WOOLER 2497 votes
	Choelena NEWBY 822 votes
	Peter MURRAY 778 votes
	Geoff MADDY 534 votes
	Glyni CUMMING 529 votes
	Valle CHECA 505 votes
	John MURPHY 405 votes

By-election caused by the loss of qualification of Cr CARROLL who nominated to contest the State seat of Keppel and therefore ceased to be a Councillor when her application was processed.

Ms CARROLL unsuccessfully contested the State seat of Keppel for the National Party – Paul Hoolihan for the ALP being the sitting member, being re-elected at the 9 September 2006 State poll.

Cr CARROLL's loss of qualification was effective from Friday 18 August 2006 and although the State election was decided before the close of nominations for the Council poll, Ms CARROLL decided not to nominate.

Cr CARROLL attended her last committee meeting of Council on Wednesday 16 August 2006.

Valle CHECA had also nominated for the State poll, as an Independent for the seat of Keppel. She commanded just 96 votes and finished last in the 7-candidate race (source: QEC web-site)

Brett SVENDSEN signed his Declaration of Office on 1st November 2006 (source: *Livingstone Shire Council Attendance Book 28 March 2001 to 11 March 2008*)

2008 Council

Rockhampton Regional Council

Mayor: **Brad CARTER**

Date Mayor Elected: **15 March 2008**

TERM OF THIS COUNCIL – March 2008 1979 to March 2012

DIVISION 1 COUNCILLOR

Glenda Mary MATHER

DIVISION 2 COUNCILLOR

Brett SVENDSEN

DIVISION 3 COUNCILLOR

Frederick William (Bill) LUDWIG

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS MARCH 2008

Polling Booths Poll Saturday 15 March 2008

Election Results declared 27 March 2008

ELECTION FOR MAYOR

ELECTED CHAIRMAN

Brad CARTER 16292 votes

UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES

Jim McRAE 13514 votes

Tim GRIFFIN 9866 votes

Gerald VICTOR 6597 votes

Vicki Anne BASTIN-BYRNE 5654 votes

Gavin FINCH 4620 votes

Informal 1934

ELECTION FOR COUNCILLORS

CANDIDATE ELECTED	DIVISION	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Glenda Mary MATHER 1855 votes	ONE	Bruce YOUNG 1399 votes
		John Thomas SMITH 1382 votes
		Helen MAGNUSSEN 975 votes
		Informal 188

CANDIDATE ELECTED	DIVISION	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Brett SVENDSEN 4285 votes	TWO	David NEISH 1502 votes
		Informal 220

CANDIDATE ELECTED	DIVISION	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Frederick William LUDWIG 3108 votes	THREE	Peter MURRAY 1533 votes
		Lyn SOLITO 777 votes
		Informal ??

NOTES:

2012 Council

Rockhampton Regional Council

Mayor: **Margaret STRELOW**

Date Mayor Elected: **28 April 2012**

TERM OF THIS COUNCIL – April 2012 to 31 December 2013

DIVISION 1 COUNCILLOR

Glenda Mary MATHER

DIVISION 2 COUNCILLOR

Tom WYATT

DIVISION 3 COUNCILLOR

Frederick William (Bill) LUDWIG

LOCAL GOVERNMENT QUADRENNIAL ELECTIONS - 28 APRIL 2012

Polling Booths Poll Saturday 28 April 2012

Election Results declared 9 May 2012

ELECTION FOR MAYOR

ELECTED CHAIRMAN

Margaret STRELOW 19088 votes

UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES

Tim GRIFFIN 15330 votes

Lea TAYLOR 11453 votes

Brad CARTER 8679 votes

Dominic DOBLO 3595 votes

Informal 1479

ELECTION FOR COUNCILLORS

CANDIDATE ELECTED	DIVISION	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Glenda Mary MATHER 3936 votes	ONE	John Thomas SMITH 1974 votes
		Informal 149

CANDIDATE ELECTED	DIVISION	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Tom WYATT 3939 votes	TWO	Brett SVENDSEN 1942 votes
		Informal 138

CANDIDATE ELECTED	DIVISION	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Frederick William LUDWIG 3823 votes	THREE	Brian FISHER 1864 votes
		Informal 162

2013 De-amalgamation Poll

Livingstone Area

Date of Poll: **Saturday 9 March 2013**

SHOULD A LIVINGSTONE SHIRE COUNCIL BE CREATED BY THE DE-AMALGAMATION OF THE ROCKHAMPTON REGIONAL COUNCIL LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA, WITH THE COSTS TO BE MET BY THE LIVINGSTONE SHIRE COUNCIL?

DE-AMALGAMATION POLL	VOTES	%	COMMENTS
YES	10,862	56.59%	11,259 females
NO	8,331	43.41%	10,880 males
	195 informal		22,139 electors

LIVINGSTONE AREA DE-AMALGAMATION POLL

Poll conducted by the Queensland Electoral Commission

Polling Booths Poll Saturday 9 March 2013

Election Results declared 19 March 2013

Returning Officer Brenda MUNDT

Magistrates Court Office

21 Normanby Street Yeppoon

2014 Council

Livingstone Shire Council

Mayor: **Frederick William LUDWIG**

Date Mayor Elected: **9 November 2013**

TERM OF THIS COUNCIL – 1 January 2014 to 19 March 2016

SIX COUNCILLORS

Glenda Mary MATHER	
Tom WYATT	
Graham SCOTT	
Jan KELLY	
Nigel HUTTON	
Adam BELOT	

DIVISION 2 COUNCILLOR

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTION – 9 NOVEMBER 2013

Polling Booths Poll Saturday 9 November 2013

Election Results declared 19 November 2013

ELECTION FOR MAYOR

ELECTED MAYOR	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Frederick William LUDWIG 8156 votes	Kay BECKER 7654 votes
	Brian FISHER 3969 votes
	Informal 364
Electors on roll 22,960	
Total formal votes 19,779	
Informal votes 364	
Total ballots (votes) 21,143	

ELECTION FOR COUNCILLORS – 6 REQUIRED

CANDIDATE ELECTED	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Glenda Mary MATHER 9749 votes	Hannah COLLEY 6123 votes
Tom WYATT 9572 votes	Paul LANCASTER 5108 votes
Graham SCOTT 8207 votes	Tim SHEPHERD 5053 votes
Jan KELLY 6790 votes	Amanda McCASKER 5036 votes
Nigel HUTTON 6607 votes	Brett SVENDSEN 4791 votes
Adam BELOT 6300 votes	Paul MILLS 4635 votes
	Paul BAMBRICK 3953 votes
	Gary KERR 3785 votes
	Clive KING 3390 votes
	Dermid STOWER 2976 votes
	Leigh SMITH 2753 votes
	Mick JOHNS 2705 votes
	Paul MITCHELL 2418 votes
	Dusan CECH 2341 votes
	Steve McKENNA 2231 votes
	Brett GEISSMANN 1989 votes
	Raymond ROBERTS 1832 votes
	Mark WHITE 1829 votes
	Robert BLYDE 1654 votes
	Dean ANDERSON 1447 votes
	Paul RACKEMANN 1302 votes
Electors on Roll 22,960	
Total Formal Votes 114,576	
Informal 1009	
Total Ballots (votes) 115,585	

2016 Council

Livingstone Shire Council

Mayor: **Frederick William LUDWIG**

Date Mayor Elected: **19 March 2016**

TERM OF THIS COUNCIL – March 2016 to March 2020

SIX COUNCILLORS	
Glenda Mary MATHER	
Tom WYATT	
Adam BELOT	
Graham SCOTT	Deputy Mayor to August 2017, resigned 27 January 2018
Nigel HUTTON	Deputy Mayor from 1 August 2017
Jan KELLY	
Pat EASTWOOD	Elected to replace Cr SCOTT Saturday 17 March 2018

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS MARCH 2016

Polling Booths Poll Saturday 19 March 2016

Election Results declared 30 March 2016

ELECTION FOR MAYOR

ELECTED MAYOR	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Frederick William LUDWIG 13,976 votes	Heath HENWOOD 6,449 votes
	Informal 563

ELECTION FOR COUNCILLORS – SIX REQUIRED

CANDIDATE ELECTED	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Glenda Mary MATHER 12078 votes	Pat EASTWOOD 8924 votes
Tom WYATT 11998 votes	Brian FISHER 8412 votes
Adam BELOT 11479 votes	Lou SHIPWAY 7537 votes
Graham SCOTT 11185 votes	Brett SVENDSEN 7429 votes
Nigel HUTTON 11034 votes	Aaron SOLITO 5158 votes
Jan KELLY 10763 votes	Chris McJANNETT 5017 votes
	Paul MITCHELL 4438 votes
Electors on Roll 24,709	
Total formal votes 115,452	Informal 10,572
Total votes 126,024	

A Referendum was also conducted at this Poll – to decide on fixed 4-year terms for State Government which was successful with 53% of Queensland voting 'YES'

Cr Graham Scott announced his resignation as Deputy Mayor in July 2017, effective 1 August 2017. Cr Nigel Hutton was elected Deputy Mayor on Tuesday 1 August 2017.

Cr Graham Scott announced his resignation as a Councillor on Saturday 27 January 2018. Mr Scott's last day as a Councillor on Livingstone Shire Council was 6 February 2018.

A by-election was announced on Saturday 17 February 2018 and called for Saturday 17 March 2018.

A total of 11 candidates nominated for the vacancy by the close of nominations at 5pm on Friday 23 February 2018.

Polling order draw was conducted at the Cordingley Street basketball hall in Yeppoon on Tuesday 27 February 2018 at 2:30pm:

Alana MURRAY

Lou SHIPWAY

Pat EASTWOOD

Jo STOYEL

Ben WESTON

Rhodes WATSON

Terry ARNOLD

Heath HENWOOD

Julie MARTIN

Murray SMITH

Bernadette MELROSE

Voting to be at Polling Booths Saturday 17 March 2018 with pre-polling available at the Capricorn Coast basketball stadium from Monday 5 March 2018.

The by-election results were declared on 28 March 2018, with Pat EASTWOOD being the successful candidate.

Final election results were: votes (%)

Alana MURRAY	3532 (19.41%)
Lou SHIPWAY	2042 (11.22%)
Pat EASTWOOD	3634 (19.97%)
Jo STOYEL	707 (3.89%)
Ben WESTON	2054 (11.29%)
Rhodes WATSON	3192 (17.54%)
Terry ARNOLD	329 (1.81%)
Heath HENWOOD	583 (3.20%)
Julie MARTIN	344 (1.89%)
Murray SMITH	655 (3.60%)
Bernadette MELROSE	1122 (6.17%)

2020 Council

Livingstone Shire Council

Mayor: **Andrew Darryl, IRELAND** Date Mayor Elected: **28 March 2020**

TERM OF THIS COUNCIL – April 2020 – April 2024

Patrick Thomas EASTWOOD	
Glenda Mary MATHER	
Adam John BELOT	Deputy Mayor from 16 April 2020
Nigel Grantly HUTTON	
Andrea Maree FRIEND	
Tanya Elizabeth LYNCH	

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS MARCH 2020

Polling Booths Poll – Saturday, 28 March 2020

Election Results Declared - Mayor – 6 April 2020

ELECTED MAYOR	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Andrew Darryl IRELAND 9,590 (46.21%)	Frederick William LUDWIG 8,561 (41.25%)
	Lynelle BURNS 2,602 (12.54%)
	Informal 583 (2.73%)

ELECTION FOR COUNCILLORS – six required

Election Results Declared - Councillors - 8 April 2020

CANDIDATE ELECTED	UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES
Patrick Thomas EASTWOOD 12,883 (10.77%)	Rhodes Jason WATSON 9,646 (8.07%)
Glenda Mary MATHER 12,393 (10.36%)	Leah GRICE 9,271 (7.75%)
Adam John BELOT 11,897 (9.95%)	Stephen BIRD 7,435 (6.22%)
Nigel Grantly HUTTON 10,922 (9.13%)	Leo HONEK 5,743 (4.80%)
Andrea Maree FRIEND 10,178 (8.51%)	Matthew PEACH 5,276 (4.41%)
Tanya Elizabeth LYNCH 9,799 (8.20%)	Scott Edward TARRAT 5,149 (4.31%)
	Keith SULLY 3,664 (3.06%)
	Athol KEANALLEY 2,798 (2.34%)
	Mike DECMAN 2,514 (2.10%)
	Informal 1,404 (1.16%)

Percentage counted is based on the percent of enrolled electors counted in each count.

A Notice of Election was announced on Saturday 22 February 2020 and called for Saturday 28 March 2020.

A total of 3 Mayoral Candidates and 15 Councillor Candidates nominated for the vacancy by the close of nominations at 5pm on Friday 28 February 2020.

The ECQ conducted a random draw to determine the order in which candidates appear on ballot papers on Wednesday, 4 March 2020.

Polling order draw was:

Mayor	Andrew IRELAND
Mayor	Frederick LUDWIG
Mayor	Lynelle BURNS
Councillor	Leah GRICE
Councillor	Scott TARRAT
Councillor	Athol KEANALLEY
Councillor	Tanya LYNCH
Councillor	Matthew PEACH
Councillor	Rhodes WATSON
Councillor	Nigel HUTTON
Councillor	Glenda MATHER
Councillor	Leo HONEK
Councillor	Patrick EASTWOOD
Councillor	Stephen BIRD
Councillor	Andrew FRIEND
Councillor	Mike DECMAN
Councillor	Adam BELOT
Councillor	Keith SULLY

Voting was held at the Polling Booths Saturday 28 March 2020 with pre-polling available at the Yeppoon Town Hall from Monday 16 March 2020.