ELECTED MEMBERS' BRIEFING SESSION

Date of Workshop: Monday, 6 May 2024

Time Start (approx.): 6.30pm

Subject (1): Management/regulation of short-term residential

accommodation and long-term residential vacancies

Department: Business Support & Improvement

Presenter(s): Alex Brown, Manager Finance and Procurement

Peter Tsokas, Chief Executive Officer

Session: Open to the public.

PURPOSE

This briefing has been scheduled in response to Councillor Crabbe's Motion on Notice 29 January 2024, requesting the Administration to explore options to address concerns surrounding the availability of long-term rental residential stock, specifically:

- 1. The future management/regulation of short-term rental residential accommodation in the City of Unley; and
- 2. The future management/regulation of long-term vacant residential properties in the City of Unley.

This briefing presents a potential option to levy a higher, commercial rate for properties identified as offering short-term rental accommodation. It also provides advice that there is no option to manage or regulate long-term residential vacant properties.