

2 Particulars of each disposition of property to a person by any other person under arrangements made by me (including the street address of the affected property), being dispositions made at any time since 30 June, as a result of which I obtained, either wholly or in part, the use and benefit of the property

NOT APPLICABLE

J. DISCRETIONARY DISCLOSURES

AS ATTACHED.

Disclosures by councillors and designated persons return

OFFICE USE ONLY

Date received: _____

Received by: _____

Important information

This information is being collected for the purpose of complying with clause 4.21 of the Model Code of Conduct.

You must not lodge a return that you know or ought reasonably to know is false or misleading in a material particular (see clause 4.23 of the Model Code of Conduct). Complaints about breaches of these requirements are to be referred to the Office of Local Government and may result in disciplinary action by the council, the Chief Executive of the Office of Local Government or the NSW Civil and Administrative Tribunal.

The information collected on this form will be kept by the general manager in a register of returns. The general manager is required to table all returns at a council meeting.

Information contained in returns made and lodged under clause 4.21 is to be made publicly available in accordance with the requirements of the Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009, the Government Information (Public Access) Regulation 2009 and any guidelines issued by the Information Commissioner.

You have an obligation to keep the information contained in this return up to date. If you become aware of a new interest that must be disclosed in this return, or an interest that you have previously failed to disclose, you must submit an updated return within three months of becoming aware of the previously undisclosed interest.

1. The pecuniary interests and other matters to be disclosed in this return are prescribed by Schedule 1 of the Model Code of Conduct for Local Councils in NSW (the Model Code of Conduct).

2. If this is the first return you have been required to lodge with the general manager after becoming a councillor or designated person, do not complete Parts C, D and I of the return. All other parts of the return should be completed with appropriate information based on your circumstances at the return date, that is, the date on which you became a councillor or designated person.

3. If you have previously lodged a return with the general manager and you are completing this return for the purposes of disclosing a new interest that was not disclosed in the last return you lodged with the general manager, you must complete all parts of the return with appropriate information for the period from 30 June of the previous financial year or the date on which you became a councillor or designated person, (whichever is the later date), to the return date which is the date you became aware of the new interest to be disclosed in your updated return.

4. If you have previously lodged a return with the general manager and are submitting a new return for the new financial year, you must complete all parts of the return with appropriate information for the 12-month period commencing on 30 June of the previous year to 30 June this year.

5. This form must be completed using block letters or typed. If there is insufficient space for all the information you are required to disclose, you must attach an appendix which is to be properly identified and signed by you.

7. If there are no pecuniary interests or other matters of the kind required to be disclosed under a heading in this form, the word "NIL" is to be placed in an appropriate space under that heading.

DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTERESTS AND OTHER MATTERS BY

RICKY BRUCE FIRMAN

as at 30.6.2024
return date

full name of councillor or designated person

in respect of the period from 1-7-2023 to 30.6.2024

Councillor's or designated person's signature: *Ricky Bruce Firman* date: 1/7/2024

A. REAL PROPERTY

Street address of each parcel of real property in which I had an interest at the return date /at any time since 30 June

75 POLARDS ST. TEMORA

230 HOCKINS STREET, TEMORA.

Nature of interest

OWNER

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B. SOURCES OF INCOME

1. Sources of income I reasonably expect to receive from an occupation in the period commencing on the first day after the return date and ending on the following 30 June
Sources of income I received from an occupation at any time since 30 June

Description of occupation	Name and address of employer or description of office held (if applicable)	Name under which partnership conducted (if applicable)
① MENSWEAR STORE PAALFEMA	RICK FIRMIN'S MENSWEAR	
② (Commissioner) R. B. HERMAN - AMSTERS + Co. FURNITURE	230 HOSKINS ST. TEMORA	

2. Sources of income I reasonably expect to receive from a trust in the period commencing on the first day after the return date and ending on the following 30 June
Sources of income I received from a trust since 30 June

Name and address of settlor	Name and address of trustee
NOT APPLICABLE	

3. Sources of other income I reasonably expect to receive in the period commencing on the first day after the return date and ending on the following 30 June
Sources of other income I received at any time since 30 June
[Include description sufficient to identify the person from whom, or the circumstances in which, that income was received]

- ① SHARE DIVIDENDS
- ② NEW GOVERNMENT NEW LOCAL GOV'T BOUNDARIES COMMISSION
- ③ NEW HEALTH - REGIONAL HEALTH MINISTERS ADVISORY PANEL.
- ④ RENT x 2 x UNITS. (230 HOSKINS ST. TEMORA).

C. GIFTS

Description of each gift I received at any time since 30 June

NOT APPLICABLE.

E. INTERESTS AND POSITIONS IN CORPORATIONS

Name and address of each corporation in which I had an interest or held a position at the return date/at any time since 30 June	Nature of interest (if any)	Description of position (if any)	Description of principal objects (if any) of corporation (except in case of listed company)
AS ATTACHED			

F. WERE YOU A PROPERTY DEVELOPER OR A CLOSE ASSOCIATE OF A PROPERTY DEVELOPER ON THE RETURN DATE?

YES NO

G. POSITIONS IN TRADE UNIONS AND PROFESSIONAL OR BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS

Name of each trade union and each professional or business association in which I held any position (whether remunerated or not) at the return date/at any time since 30 June

① PATTON MEMBER
② TEMORA BUSINESS ENTERPRISE GROUP.

Description of position

PATTON MEMBER

H. DEBTS

Name and address of each person to whom I was liable to pay any debt at the return date/at any time since 30 June

① N.A.B. - WAGGA.

I. DISPOSITIONS OF PROPERTY

1. Particulars of each disposition of real property by me (including the street address of the affected property) at any time since 30 June as a result of which I retained, either wholly or in part, the use and benefit of the property or the right to re-acquire the property at a later time

NOT APPLICABLE.

D. CONTRIBUTIONS TO TRAVEL

Name and address of each person who made any financial or other contribution to any travel undertaken by me at any time since 30 June

NOT APPLICABLE

Dates on which travel was undertaken

Name of States, Territories of the Commonwealth and overseas countries in which travel was undertaken

Mayor R. B. Firman, OAM, JP

FULL NAME: Councillor Rick. Bruce Firman, OAM, JP
HOME ADDRESS: 'Sherwood' 75 Polaris Street, Temora, NSW, 2666
BUSINESS ADDRESS: 230 Hoskins Street, Temora, NSW, 2666
D.O.B: 29th August, 1974
OCCUPATION: Proprietor of Rick Firman's Menswear & of
R B Firman & Co – Antique Furniture
POST NOMINALS: Medal in the Order of Australia (OAM), Justice of the Peace
NSW (JP)

AWARDS/HONOURS:

- Honorary Life Member – Temora Show Society - 2023
- 'Firman Wing' – Frank Whiddon Masonic Homes, Temora - 2020
- Queen's Baton Relay – Baton Bearer – 2018 C'W Games
- OAM - Queen's Birthday Honours List - 2015
- Patron – Temora Business Enterprise Group (TBEG) - 2012
- Riverina Volunteer of the Year – 2008
- Honorary Life Member, Temora Golden Gift Committee Inc. - 2008
- NSW/ACT Grand Lodge Community Service Medal - 2007
- Life Member, Can Assist – Temora – 2007 (Paid-Up)
- Riverina Australian Football Goal-Umpire of the Year – 2005, 2018, 2019, 2022, 2023
- NSW Athletics League Administrator of the Year – 2003
- Australian Sports Medal (for services to Aust. Football Umpiring) 2000
- Temora Shire Citizen of the Year - 1999
- Honorary Life Member, Riverina Australian Football Umpires Association - 1997
- Temora Shire Young Citizen of the Year – 1991

CURRENT ROLES:

- Temora Shire Councillor (2004 – current)
- Mayor – Temora Shire Council (2012 – current)
- Commissioner – NSW Local Government Boundaries Commission (2016 – current - into second 5-year-term).
- Deputy Chairman – Country Mayors Association of NSW (2022 - current)
- Executive Board Member – Country Mayors Association of NSW (2020-current)
- Panel Member – NSW Regional Health Ministerial Advisory Panel (2022 – current)
- Chairman – Riverina Eastern Regional Organisation of Councils (REROC) Board – October, 2016 – current (Executive Board Member – (REROC) – 2014 – current)
- Foundation Chairman - Riverina Joint Organisation (RivJO) (2018 – current)
- Secretary – St. Paul's Anglican Church Parish Council (2024 – current)
- Chairman, Cootamundra State Electorate Council (2019 – current)
- Foundation Chairman, Temora District Education Fund (2008 – current)
- Board Member, Temora District Hospital Advisory Council (2006 – current)
- Chairman, Temora District Hospital Advisory Council (2019 – current)
- President, Temora & District Sports Council (2006 – current)
- Chairman, Temora Shire's Elite Sportsman Walk of Honour Judging Panel (2017 – current)
- Chairman, Debutante of the Year Ball Committee (2009 – current)
- Chairman, Temora Zone Red Shield Appeal Committee (2009 – current)
- Chairman, Temora Shire Youth Advisory Committee (2022 – current)
- Chairman, Temora Traffic Committee (2022 – current)
- Deputy President, Temora Police & Community Committee (2012-2020, 2021-current)
- Past Master, Temora Masonic Lodge (2002 & 2003) - (Member since 1996 – current)
- Goal-Umpire, AFL-Riverina (Riverina Australian Football Umpires Association) – (1987 – current)

PAST COMMUNITY EXPERIENCE:

- Deputy Mayor, Temora Shire Council - 2009 – 2012
- Chairman, St. Paul's Anglican Church Parish Council (Councillor since 2020) – 2022 – 2024
- Deputy Chairman & Trustee – Cootamundra Electorate Council (NSW) – 2016-2019
- Deputy Chairman of Riverina Regional Organisation of Councils (REROC) – 2016 (June) – 2016 (October)
- Board Member, Temora Business Enterprise Group Executive Board – 2012 - 2018
- Deputy Chairman, NSW Joint Organisation Chairmen's Forum – 2019 - 2022
- Secretary, Cootamundra State Electorate Council – 2016 - 2017
- Chairman, Temora District Hospital Advisory Board, 2007 - 2012
- Chairman, Temora Police & Community Committee Inc. - 2000 – 2004, 2011-2012 & 2019/20.
- President, Temora West Public School Council – Member since 2006- President from 2013 – 2022
- Chairman, Temora Shire Economic Development Committee – 2013 – 2022
- Chairman, Temora District Hospital Grounds/Garden Upgrade Committee – 2021/22
- President, Temora Golden Gift Committee (Athletics Carnival) – 2002-2009
- Chairman, Rotary Club of Temora's Youth Service Committee, 2005-2009 Member
- President, Temora Business Enterprise Group - 2010 - 2012
- Committee member, Temora Special Persons & Carers Inc – 2017 - 2021
- Secretary, Temora Shire Australia Day Council – 2006 – 2012
- Essential Energy's Regional Advisory Board – 2007- 2010
- Secretary, Temora Police & Community Consultative Committee, 1997-2000, 2004-2011
- Chairman, Temora Shire Health Strategies Committee – 2009 – 2013
- Chairman, Temora Shire Council's Medical Complex Steering Committee (2009-2013)
- Chairman, Temora & District Drought Breaking Bash Committee – 2005 -2007
- Goal Umpires Coach, Riverina Aust. Football Umpires Assoc. – 2001 - 2015
- Deputy Chairman, Riverina Electorate Council – 2004 – 2005
- Committeeman, Open Minds Brighter Futures (Mental Health Support Group) 2004 - 2014
- Vice President, Riverina Australian Football Umpires Association – 2007 - 2009
- Chairman, Temora Shire Assets Committee – 2008/09
- Director, Service Projects – Rotary Club of Temora – 2008/09
- Secretary, Temora Trotting Club Ltd – 1997 – 2004
- Secretary, Temora Showground Board of Trustees – 1998 – 2002
- Deputy Chairman, Temora Showground Board of Trustees – 2003 - 2004
- Treasurer, Temora & District Sports Council – 1997 – 2005
- Treasurer, Noel Warren Masonic Village Aged Care Complexes – 1996 – 2002
- Secretary, Noel Warren Masonic Village Aged Care Complexes – 2002 - 2008
- Vice President, Temora Australian Football Club – 1998 – 2000
- Vice President, Temora Show Society – 1995 – 1998 (Committeeman – 1987-1998)
- Member, Rotary Club of Temora Inc. – 2005-2014
- Board Member, Temora Community Centre Management – 1988 – 1992

FINANCIAL MEMBER OF THE FOLLOWING ORGANISATIONS; National Party of NSW, Riverina Australian Football Umpires Association, Temora Ex-Services Memorial Club, Temora Bowling & Recreation Club, Temora Golf Club, Riverina Australian Football Club, Temora Shed-4-Men, Ronald McDonald House - Wagga, Kurrajong-Waratah Industries, Temora, Aria Park Bowling Club, Temora Masonic Lodge, Frank Whiddon Masonic Homes, NSW Masonic Youth Welfare Fund, Royal Freemasons Benevolent Institute, NSW Masonic Club & Aria Park Show Society.