

**Summary of the Together Council meeting**  
**12 September 2014**

Together Council met on Friday 12 September 2014. In attendance were the President, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, the Deputy Secretary, delegates, and observers. Council met at the Mercure Hotel, North Quay Brisbane.

The meeting was chaired by President Vivienne Doogan who acknowledged the traditional owners of the land, the Turrbul and Yuggera peoples.

**ASU Branch rules changes**

The Council was briefed on proposed rules changes for the Together Queensland ASU branch, as part of the final stage of the formal amalgamation between Together and the ASU.

These changes included creating new divisional structures, and the creation of a new body, called Conference to focus on broad issues like collective bargaining and other industrial policy business. The Council will be a smaller body, elected from Conference delegates, focusing on corporate governance matters.

The relevant rules changes, after extensive discussion by Council delegates, were put to a postal ballot of Council delegates.

**QCU Congress and state election claim**

Delegates voted on a position to be taken to the QCU Congress, to inform our union's position in the state election to be held in early 2015.