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Turners Beach Community Representatives Committee

Minutes of the meeting held at Turners Beach Hall Thursday, 24 November 2022 commencing at 4.05pm

PRESENT

Community Representatives - Susan Spinks (Turners Beach Community Garden); Merryn Gilham, Tim Horniblow (Landcare), and Lyn Norton Smith

Central Coast Council (CCC) Representatives – Sandra Ayton (General Manager); Paul Breaden (Director Infrastructure Services); and Allison Kable (Community Development Officer)

Minute Taker - Allison Kable

1 WELCOME AND APOLOGIES

Sandra Ayton chaired the meeting and welcomed all those attending.

Apologies – Clynton Jaffray (Community Member) and Daryl Connelly (Director Community Services)

2 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

3 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

Lyn Norton-Smith moved, and Tim Horniblow seconded, that the minutes of the meeting held on 25 August 2022 be confirmed as a true and correct record with an amendment noted to correct Landcare celebrating 25 years not 100.

Carried

4 MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

a Railway bridge and shared pathway (continuing Item)

Paul Breaden advised the bridge is nearly completed. Discussed that Blackburn Road does not connect to pathway. The connection from Leith to Don will commence soon, as the Penguin to Sulphur Creek pathway is nearly completed.

b Street Scape and Traffic Management

Paul Breaden advised the working group had a meeting last fortnight and discussed incorporating more detail from the community consultation meeting. The project will go to Council workshop on 5 December 2022, then released to community. The funding will be added as a project in the Council's long-term financial plan.

The group discussed and suggested it would be good to have an official opening of the path and provide opportunity for community to celebrate and talk about future plans for the area with Council.

c MoU for Makeover Activities

Allison advised that the Turners Beach 7 Day Makeover Group has been provided the draft MoU which captures the future 7 Day Makeover Group activities and the requirements around this, and this is currently being reviewed by the group.

5 MATTERS FOR CONSIDERATION

5.1 COUNCIL UPDATE

The proposed meeting dates for 2023 were tabled and received no objections.

5.2 COMMUNITY UPDATE

Lyn Norton-Smith - The Turners Beach Community Garden have been busy organising a fabulous Christmas event for the community. Reported a sense of community connection lost since La Mar closed.

Merryn Gilham -Asked about having public recycling and FOGO bins. Paul Breaden advised that at this stage we need further public support to ensure compliance in using each of the bins correctly and not using all the bins as general waste. FOGO and recycling at home has been successful, but not seeing the same level of support for this service in public areas.

5.3 CHARTER REVIEW

The suggestions received from Clynton Jaffray were read to the group and discussed along with elements of the charter, including purpose and composition and scope of the group.

6 OTHER BUSINESS

Susan advised that the hall is listed as the evacuation point for the caravan park and they have no means of gaining access. Allison will discuss arrangements with the caretaker of the caravan park.

7 NEXT MEETING

As there was no further business to discuss, the meeting closed at 4:55pm.

The next meeting of the Committee will be held at 4.00pm on Thursday, 23 February 2023 at the Turners Beach Hall.