



**MINUTES OF ORDINARY MEETING OF THE GET TO THE POINT PROGRAM
(INC.) HELD IN THE RSL HALL ON THURSDAY 19^h April 2012
COMMENCING AT 7.00 PM**

Present:

Ron Vaughan (Chairman), David White (Secretary), Simon Fraser (Treasurer), Margaret White, Wendy Vaughan, Barbara Alston, Patricia Llewellyn, David Llewellyn, Ron Cardow, Sam Cardow, George McDonald, Jim Alderson, Marion Wallis, Laurel Kennedy, Vera Farnham, David McCorkall

Apologies: Jane Kerrigan, Daryl McLean

Confirmation of Minutes of 15th March 2012

Minutes of the March Meeting –Accepted Simon Fraser, Second David Llewellyn

Correspondence – Inward

1. Payment of 4120.00 to GTTP from Johnson Tobin Solicitors for Gazette
2. Anzac Day Road Closure Information from SCC
3. Notification of change of date for Russ Pig visit, now the 4th May
4. Shoalhaven tourism numbers
5. Councillor candidate information sessions advice
6. Commonwealth Bank Statement
7. Milad Investments Statement
8. SCC Public meeting 2012/2013 Delivery and Operational Plan
9. SCC Special development committee meeting notes
10. SCC free home sustainability workshops
11. Notification of Pruning works on “The Avenue”

Correspondence – Outward

1. Minutes of March GTTP meeting emailed to SCC
2. Gazette
3. Follow-up request to Rob Maron at Telstra Countrywide, Re: Telstra Site
4. Change of authority at commonwealth bank
5. Request to Rob Gruveski at Telstra Country re: Telstra site

Treasurers Report

Report not available at this time due to recent change in Treasurer, full report available at next GTTP in May.

\$540.00 raised at Easter fete.

General Business

Russ Pig is visiting GWP on the 4th May, Items to raise with Russ Include

- Bollards on Crookhaven Drive Reserve
- Illegal Camping of RV's
- Comorong Street Drainage
- Terara Street Footpath
- Berry's Wharf
- Greens Road Drainage
- Telstra Exchange Site
- Graffiti Removal
- Marina
- Flooding of Butcher Shop due to poorly maintained drains
- Cow Crossing on Greenwell Point road
- Replacement of bollards at Titania Park
- Extension of Footway along the foreshore
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Anzac Day dawn service and parade, commence at 5.10 am at memorial hall, march to ANZAC Park for service commencing at 5.30am 25th April 2012

Shoalhaven City has shown growth in tourism numbers, the Shoalhaven saw 231000 international visitor nights in the previous financial year, with 1.2 million domestic visitor nights for the same period, SCC report has found that these numbers create 7870 direct and indirect jobs in the area, and contribute \$678 million to the local economy.

Home Sustainability workshop are available free from SCC, including worm farming, natural cleaning and home vegetable growing, contact 02 4429 3129 for more information.

Notification of Tree Pruning on “The Avenue” and roadwork east of Ryans Lane to commence.

Question were raised if our councillors at SCC are getting copies of the GTTP minutes,

GTTP to send letter to councillors inviting them to attend GTTP meetings, as local residents would love to meet them!

Market at Titania Park, is now held on the 3rd Sunday each month to help Marine Rescue, times from 8am – 2 pm

Bollard missing at the end of the turnaround in Titania Park, hoons are able to get onto the grass and rip it up

GTTP to request council to replace the bollard

Area around ANZAC Park and DJ’s Fish and Chips is constantly littered with garbage, council needs to empty the bins more frequently, DJ’s fish and Chips also need to take some action to remedy the waste created by the business.

Ron to speak with DJ’s

Drainage issues around GWP need to be highlighted to Russ Pig, on the 4th May.

Street lighting on Bartlett Drive is inadequate, between Higgins Place and Crookhaven Drive there are no street lights, creating an environment that is unsafe for walking at night and potential personal security issues for residents.

GTTP to send letter to council and integral energy to install light on existing power pole

White station wagon dumped in greens road since easter, the hood is now up and engine parts are missing

GTTP to contact SCC ranger and advise of dumped car

Meeting of Tom Phillips regarding Marina in GWP was poorly advertised, residents and business people in GWP not happy that information is not forthcoming.

Ron to speak to Russ Pig regarding Marina

‘The Point Gallery and Craft’ needs to get more pamphlets from SCC information centre on GWP and surrounds.

David to visit SCC Information centre and see what is available

“The Point Gallery and Craft” need input from local business, especially food and accommodation business so they can point visitors in the right direction with some physical written information.

Information can be delivered to Secretary of GTTP

Gazette to ask local business to give information so we can help support their business

Telstra Site is still not happening, suggestion to send letter to Telstra CEO David Thodey, and ask for something to be done, the site is a hazard for school children, with long grass and snakes possible, also in summer a fire hazard with long dry grass and the exchange.

GTTP to send letter to CEO David Thoady re: Telstra Site.

Meeting closed at 8.30pm

Next meeting – Thursday 17th May 2012 7.00pm