



Minutes of General Meeting

Meeting Held: 8.30pm 21 July 2005 at Greenwell Point Community Memorial Hall

Present: Allan Mayze (Chair), Graham Bannister(Minutes), Bob Luckman, Norma Luckman, Dianne Lamet, Tony Lahood, Wendy Vaughan, Ron Vaughan, Julie Brown, Vera Farnham, Marilyn Delaney, Laurel Kennedy, David McCorkell, Barry Allen, Michael Donohue, Rob Downie, Jill Downie

Apologies: Joe Franklin

Proceedings:

The formal meeting was preceded by an interesting and informative presentation by the Mayor, Mr Greg Watson, on Shoalhaven Water and the implications of the plans to pipe water to Sydney. Approximately 30 residents attended this presentation.

1. Welcome

President Alan Mayze welcomed members to the General Meeting.

2. Previous Minutes

Acceptance of minutes moved Vera Farnham, seconded Ron Vaughan.

3. Business Outstanding from Previous Minutes

- a) Tennis courts – Council have advised that a new contractor has been asked to provide recommendation on upgrading the surface.
- b) Main Street banners. No further progress.
- c) Scout Hall water rates bill. Letters sent to all Ward 2 Councillors. Council reviewing the Community Service Obligation policy in regard to the Scouts.
- d) Telstra Tower. Council have yet to advise the date for a public meeting to discuss.
- e) Fencing Gordon Ravell Reserve. Very little feedback as a result of the Gazette article.
- f) Hospital transport. Joe Franklin has confirmed that travel vouchers are available to anyone finding themselves in a predicament with discharge from hospital when alternative transport is not available. To be reported in next Gazette.

3. Financial Report

See attached.

4. Correspondence

President noted a welter of correspondence on several topical issues.

5. Council Issues.

a) Foreshore Erosion Works

A development application has been lodged and tenders called for the works. Detailed plans were on display at the meeting.

b) Rezoning Application

Council are considering an application to rezone the industrial land surrounding the old Rosebery Spray factory to medium density residential.

c) Entry Sign

Council have asked for community input on the content of the “information panel” to be located on the sandstone plinth. The light fitting has been returned to the manufacturer to rectify problems reported by the community.

6. General Business

a) Car Boot Sale

Vera Farnham reported that the Car Boot Sale 9 July was a great success despite inclement weather forecasts. \$450 was raised for the Get to the Point Programme.

b) Bumper Stickers

A suggestion has been made for a Get to the Point Programme bumper sticker. Vera Farnham volunteered to explore this further.

c) Scouts Charity Auction

Julie Brown confirmed that the fundraising auction was scheduled for the 13 August at the Hotel. Details to be posted in the Gazette.

7. Next Meeting: 7.00pm 18 August at the Greenwell Point Community Memorial Hall

Meeting Closed : 8 55 pm

Graham Bannister,
Secretary
23 July 2005