

TAROONA COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION Inc.

President:
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Minutes of meeting held 24th September 2020, St Luke's Church Meeting Room

Present: Jill Hickie (Chair), Anne Parrott, Janette Power, Damian Devlin, Roger Kellaway & Maureen Robinson.

Apologies: Alison Phillip, Dal Andrews, Liz Haywood, Fiona Rice

Minutes: Minutes August 27, 2020 presented & accepted – moved Jill & seconded Anne

Correspondence:

Kingborough Council – Ornatas DA advertised

Meg Webb – Volunteering Tasmania - supplementary grant (closes 20/09)

Tarooma Bike Park group – request for letter of support

Breast Screen Tasmania – advising of mobile service visits

Correspondence from residents concerned about 'no access' signs around land at the end of Illawong Cres & subsequent email exchange with Su Sprott at council regarding this issue

Invitation to attend meeting – Housing Projects, Huntingfield housing development discussion

Invitation to Planning Matters Tasmania AGM

Kingborough Council – Dal submitted his drawings of the community hall as a follow up to the recent meeting to discuss future improvement of the hall

Business Arising & General Business:

1. Illawong Cres Reserve signage – Council has erected three No Public Access signs on land at the end of Illawong cres, the TCA understands from council that this was done at the request of the owner of the land to stop the public from accessing private property.
The TCA to work with the council on resolving this conflict, we have requested the position of the signs is checked to be sure they are on private land and that they have the council logo so that residents are clear on who to contact if they have a question on this matter. Jill will (a) ask council to clearly demarcate (survey) what is publicly accessible land and (b) talk to the resident to discuss concerns of community connectivity raised by the community and seek compromise if possible.

2. Ornatas – Development Application for construction of new commercial building, demolition of existing buildings and removal of vegetation. The building will be 2 storey with 20-30 people working there. Plan to freeze the waste and remove it off-site. 10 car parking spaces. In the TCA representation we will raise the issue of safety around traffic management – Jill will submit by 2nd October
3. Kingborough Awards – consider Tarooma Neighbourhood Garden for their *Seeds of Hope* & establishment of community worm farm. Janette to nominate, gather information from Deirdre Brown & Tina Curtis.
Ella Haddad has contacted the TCA as she wants to nominate us for a community award
4. Tarooma Street Coordinators – Damian, Jill and Anne met with the Tarooma Volunteer Fire Brigade (TVFB) and discussed how the street coordinator (SC) system could play a role in the bushfire season. It was agreed the aim is to encourage personal fire preparedness and the starting point would be alerting the community of concerning fire conditions. The TVFB called it a Bush Telegraph where there is a text message sent out from the TVFB to a small group in the TCA who then pass this on to their group of SCs who then pass on to people in their street who have indicated they wish to receive this alert. The TCA will ask street coordinators to attend a meeting to discuss this, the TVFB will be present at that meeting.
5. Annual General Meeting – new date Sunday 15 November. Janette advised the committee she will step down as secretary at the AGM. Advertise in the newsletter for new committee members - Liz
6. Louisa Hinsby Park – council attempted to erect bollards, but they cut off services despite Dial Before you Dig advice. Running out of time for signage to be ready in time for the 75th anniversary.
7. Newsletter – Liz has advised she will be calling for submissions shortly
8. KCCF – there will be a meeting to discuss the future of the forum. The TCA contends little is achieved or resolved through this forum as it currently stands.

Financial Report:

On September 21st, 2020, the TCA had a balance of \$3326.83.

Since my report of 25th August 2020, we have had \$1.27 interest. 1 new membership.

There is currently 1 financial member.

Anne Parrott (Treasurer)

Other Business:

Next Meeting: October 29