

MINUTES

MEETING OF THE CAMPBELL TOWN DISTRICT FORUM HELD IN THE UPSTAIRS MEETING ROOM AT THE TOWN HALL, CAMPBELL TOWN ON TUESDAY, 7 JUNE 2016 COMMENCING AT 9:30AM

1 PRESENT

Mrs Jill Clarke (Chairperson), Mr Bevis Perkins, Mr John Ashman, Ms Sally Hills, Mrs Jill Davis, Mrs Judith Lyne, Mr Owen Diefenbach

2 IN ATTENDANCE

Mrs Kerin Smith-Harvey

3 APOLOGIES

Mr Michael Roach, Cr Leisa Gordon, Miss Amanda Mason

4 DECLARATION OF ANY PECUNIARY INTEREST BY A MEMBER OF A SPECIAL COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL.

In accordance with the provisions of the *Local Government Act 1993*, a member of a Special Committee must not participate in any discussion or vote on any matter in respect to which the member:

- a) has an interest; or
- b) is aware or ought to be aware that a close associate has an interest.

A member has an interest in a matter if the matter was decided in a particular manner, receive or have an expectation of receiving or likely to receive a pecuniary benefit or pecuniary detriment.

Nil declared.

5 BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

5.1 Campbell Town War Memorial Oval

Update to be provided on progress of project as available. Council awaiting outcome of funding application.

The Forum indicated their view that more transparent consultation is required. Enquiry made as to whether or not Ms Lorraine Green could attend a meeting of the Forum to discuss funding.

5.2 Campbell Town Traffic Management Strategy and Entrance Statements

JMG engaged and have requested meeting with the Campbell Town District Forum on 21 June 2016 at 9:30am. Forum to confirm available on that date and at that time.

5.3 Motions to Council

Meeting of 19 October 2015: Min Ref 287/15	Northern Midlands Council note and investigate the following recommendations of the Campbell Town District Forum	That the signs for the museum are re-hung so they are more visible for passing cars. <i>Request submitted to Works Department. Planning approval required.</i>
		That council investigates Blackburn Park's suitability for free overnight camping for self contained vehicles and opportunities for relocation. <i>Planning & Development Manager to attend Forum meeting to discuss.</i>

6 GENERAL BUSINESS

6.1 Riparian Management

Forum to note discussion at the informal meeting held in May regarding Mr Bill Chugg's concern regarding riparian management in Campbell Town. Miss Mason has actioned the requests of the Committee and notified the Works Department of Mr Chugg's concerns.

6.2 Nominations – Campbell Town District Forum

Forum to note that the term of the committee expires in June 2016. Nominations close on 8 June 2016 and will be considered by Council at its 27 June 2016 meeting.

6.3 Off-leash area

Council's Dog Control Officer has requested suggestions from the Forum on an appropriate off-leash dog area in Campbell Town.

Forum to consider further.

6.4 Apologies next meeting

Miss Mason and Mrs Judith Lyne are apologies for the July meeting.

6.5 Police notification of incidents

It was noted that after the advice from Inspector Flude (Tasmania Police) reports have been given to the police. It was noted the Forum hopes these have been acted upon.

6.6 Flooding

It was noted some areas in Campbell Town are prone to heavy flooding.

6.7 Local business group

Mrs Lyne enquired as to whether any local businesses would be interested in forming a local business group. To be discussed further at a future meeting.

6.8 Guest speaker

It was suggested by Mrs Lyne that a representative from Elizabeth Macquarie Homes be invited to speak to the Forum.

6.9 Service clubs

Discussion was held regarding encouraging service clubs such as Lions and Rotary to have a branch in Campbell Town.

6.10 Lake Leake

Mr Ashman reported Lake Leake is rising.

6.11 Trees

Mr Perkins raised concern regarding a tree opposing the supermarket in Queen Street.

6.12 Road safety

Mrs Clarke enquired as to whether or not, Chair of the Road Safety Council, Mr Jim Cox could be invited to provide comment on use of vehicle headlights on the Midland Highway.

6.13 Planning

The Forum noted Planning Application P16-133.

7 CLOSURE

Chairperson closed meeting at 10:35 am.

Next meeting to be held on **5 July 2016** at the Town Hall, upstairs meeting room.