

Ardmore Park Community Consultative Committee
Minutes of Meeting held at Bungonia Community Hall
at 2:30pm on Friday 20 March 2020

Present: Don Elder (Chairman)
Jason Mikosic (MQ Representative)
Alexander Cox (MQ Representative – Environmental Officer)
Steve Wall (MQ Representative)
Phil Broadhead (Community Member)
Joanne Macey (Community Member)
Damien Cole (Community Member)

Observers: Daryl Knight, Neil Cooper, Anna Cooper

1. **Welcome:** The meeting was declared open at 2.30pm.
2. **Apologies:** Scott Martin, Bill Dobbie, Mick Ireland, Mick Rogers
3. **Recording of meetings.** The Chairman advised that he would only permit recording of meetings if the person wishing to record assured him:
 - a. The recording equipment is in working order
 - b. The whole of the meeting excluding the "Welcome" was recorded
 - c. If requested by the Chairman, the recording will be made available to him in Goulburn within 72 hours of it being requested
 - d. The recording is kept available for at least two months
 - e. The recording is only made available to a person or organisation, other than the Chairman, with the Chairman's consent.
The meeting approved the above rule.
Phillip Broadhead and Alexander Cox advised that they wished to record the meeting and upon their giving the above assurances permission to record was granted.
4. **Declaration of Pecuniary or Other interests:** nil
5. **Minutes of the meeting** held 20 November 2019 were confirmed.
6. **Business arising from the minutes:**
 - a. Phillip Broadhead advised that he had been complaining about the water flow from his spring since 2004. He stated that the only bore put in properly was the Production bore which had been cased. He also stated that there were differing reports obtained, and in one from SLR Consulting it was stated that the non-encasement of bores would cause an induced leakage from the top layer of alluvium to the centre layer of alluvium. This is verified by the rise at bore BHAP5 which monitors the centre layer of alluvium.
Following a letter sent to him by DPIE dated 04 March 2020 advising his complaints had been referred to the National Resources Access Regulator (NRAR) for investigation, he was adopting a different approach. The letter was tabled.

- b. A letter from Scott Martin (GM Council) dated 19 March 2020 advising that the construction/upgrade of the haul route had been completed and that ongoing maintenance and repairs were occurring was tabled.
 - c. A letter to Daryl Knight from DPIE dated 18 March 2020 advising that his concerns relating to bore installation, water sharing and/or allocation had been referred to the National Resources Access Regulator was tabled. Daryl advised that he was involving DPIE and the Department of Water in his request that the approvals granted to Multiquip be re-assessed.
7. **Correspondence:** Correspondence referred to in Item 6 above was received.
8. **Company report:** Alexander Cox presented the Company's report which is attached with the Minutes. Matters arising:
- a. Replacement bores have been approved by the EPA.
 - b. Neil Cooper suggested that the Company use polymer suppressants on roads rather than water as they were better at settling dust. The Company will investigate this.
 - c. Phillip Broadhead advised that the noise from the crusher is more audible when there is overcast weather.
 - d. Comments were made on truck movements and damage to windscreens on Jerrara Road. It was agreed that if it was loose gravel involved this was the responsibility of G M Council.
9. **General business:** The Chairman's Report to DPIE for the period January 2019 to December 2019 was tabled and is attached. Members requested that DPIE be requested to respond to comments in the report.
10. **Next Meeting:** The next meeting will be held at 2.30pm on 17 July 2020 at the Bungonia Progress Association Hall.

The meeting was declared closed at 3:30pm.

Confirmed

Chairman