

Minutes of Basin Villages Forum General Meeting Monday 17th February, 2020. St Georges Basin Community Centre, Meriton Street, St Georges Basin. Commenced 7.30 pm

Welcome:

Apologies: Clr John Levett, Pam Wells, Ron Tomlin, Wayne & Betty Smith.

Present: 17

Minutes of November 2019 meeting read out by Chair.

Matter arising: Awaiting further correspondence from Bendigo Bank regarding funding for St Georges Basin plan.

Paul Hawkin moved, 2nd Maureen. Accepted.

Financial Report:

• Cheque ac	\$269.22
• Term Dep	<u>\$3,345.84</u>
Total	\$3,615.06

Narrell moved, 2nd Phil Blackman.

Correspondence list read out by Chair.

• Letter from Shoalhaven City Council addressing in detail, traffic & pedestrian safety issues in Erowal Bay, was read out in full.

Su Wood to send draft to Forum Secretary - 'thankyou' to SCC for improvement of roadside 'shoulders' of Erowal Bay Road for bikes.

GENERAL BUSINESS

Boarding House: "Sanctuary Shores", 120 McLeans Pt Rd. Record 'Objection' to calling *change from hardiplank to brick veneer*, a 'minor change'.

Ability Swing about to be installed at Clifton Park. Funded by Viola Mulwarey trust & Sanctuary Point Pride.

A query was raised about status or ability to construct new playground facilities on land over which there may a Land Claim, or which is under Aboriginal Land Council administration.

Poisoning of Casuarinas at Blacket Park. Forum send letter to Shoalhaven City Council requesting SCC investigates this.

Debbie advised that she'd sent a letter to David Shoebridge (Greens MP in the NSW Parliament), on Manyana Matters; bushland which was not burned in the Summer 19-20 bushfires, but is zoned for clearing for development; is now a sole remaining & important green belt.

Intersection of Island Point Road & Princes Highway. Roundabout has been proposed by Transport NSW who advised all options had been considered, and decision arrived at based on various criteria. Forum write to Project Manager for RMS, Southern Projects, inviting him to come to speak at a Forum meeting.

Blacket Park buoys have floated significantly out of position and need relocation. Maureen send draft letter to Forum Secretary, addressed to RMS/Service NSW, requesting buoy relocation.

Meeting closed 8.40 pm.