Minutes of Basin Villages Forum ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, held Monday 17<sup>th</sup> Sept, 2018. St Georges Basin Community Centre, Meriton Street, St Georges Basin. Commenced 7.30 pm.

Welcome: 14 people present.

President/Chair gave report of the previous year's activities.

Minutes of 2017 AGM were read out. Moved & 2<sup>nd</sup> Narrell & Maureen. Accepted. Annual Financial Report was presented. Moved & 2<sup>nd</sup> Narrell & Maureen. Accepted. Committee positions declared vacant, and Norm Webb acted as Returning Officer.

New Committee: Position Elected Moved by 2<sup>nd</sup> by

Chair David Revnolds Narrell Brown Maureen Webb Narrell Brown Vice President Chris Grounds David Reynolds Sec/Treas Christine Rigg Narrell Brown Wayne Smith Narrell Brown Maureen Webb Committee #1 **Betty Smith David Reynolds** Committee #2 Chris Grounds Narrell Brown David Reynolds Committee #3 Wayne Smith Narrell Brown Narrell Brown Committed #4 Sue Wood **Chris Grounds** 

Meeting Closed 8.00 pm.

## Minutes of *General* meeting, Mon 17<sup>th</sup> Sept, 2018. Commenced 8.00 pm.

Apologies: Pam Wells.

**Minutes** of previous meeting: read out by Chair. Moved/2nd Narrell, Chris.

Matters Arising: Griffith Uni workshop at Vincentia Golf Club ('Managing Environmental change through planning for transformative pathways')- only 8 attendees. Effectively postponed & discussion turned to how improve communication and get more community engagement. Attendance at the meetings has declined dramatically, raising need to review how the project functions.

## **Financial Report:**

Cheque ac \$200.38
Term Dep \$3,275.47
Total \$3,475.85
Debtors: SCC \$500 subsidy
Creditors: Hall Hire \$580

Moved Chris Grounds 2<sup>nd</sup> Narrelll Brown.

**Correspondence In/Out**. List read out, with some matters deferred to General Business.

- Boarding house: 120 Mcleans Pt Rd, Sanct Pt: No news yet from Council.

- 45° deg rule meeting: Present reps from Ulladulla CCB, BVF, council staff & Councillors. Our BVF reps present at this meeting, advised our Forum general meeting that all staff attending stated opposition to 45° rule; however, Councillors are unwilling to overturn it.
- Volunteer morning Tea: Narrell Brown to attend representing Basin Villages Forum.

## **GENERAL BUSINESS**

Review of Reserves: Assets & Strategy committee meeting; reviewing reserves across Shoalhaven that could be rezoned to 'operational' and then able to be sold to finance other reserves that need upgrading.

Our Forum needs a map from Council clearly showing all community-owned reserves in the Shoalhaven City.

• Sec to send letter, advising Council of our members' interest & requesting map.

**Bherwerre wetland:** Forum sec will email Megan about progress (or not) on its biobanking offsets being bought.

Meeting closed 9.45