

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE CRESSY LOCAL DISTRICT COMMITTEE HELD AT THE CRESSY MEMORIAL HALL ON WEDNESDAY, 28 JANUARY 2015 COMMENCING AT 7:00 PM**

**1 PRESENT**

Mrs Fae Cox (Chair), Mr Andrew Turnham, Mrs Maurita Taylor, Mr Peter Goss, Mrs Helen Howard, Mrs Helen Williams

**2 IN ATTENDANCE**

Miss Amanda Mason (Secretary)

**3 APOLOGIES**

Cr Richard Goss, Mr Des Jennings (General Manager), Mrs Angela Jenkins, Mrs Megan Cables, Mrs Anne Green

**4 CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES**

*Mr Peter Goss/Mr Andrew Turnham*

*That the minutes of the Cressy Local District Committee meeting held on Wednesday, 26 November 2014 be confirmed as a true and correct record of proceedings.*

*Carried.*

**5 WELCOME**

Mrs Cox welcomed everyone to the meeting and expressed, on behalf of the Committee condolences to Mrs Williams for her recent bereavement.

**6 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*, Part 5, S48A – S56, 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.

*\*It should be noted that any person declaring an interest is required to notify the general manager, in writing, of the details of any interest declared within 7 days of the declaration.*

*Nil.*

**7 BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES**

**7.1 Sale of land on Main Street, Cressy**

Motion of the Cressy Local District Committee at the meeting of 26 November 2014 that Council investigate the purchase of 94 Main Street, Cressy went to December council meeting. Matter under Council consideration.

## 7.2 Priority project planning for Cressy

The Committee resolved to meet at the conclusion of the meeting to discuss and prepare a list of priority projects for the Cressy district.

## **8 PENDING ITEMS**

### 8.1 Works Issues

Matters for attention:

Issue	Comment
Photo frames	Mrs Howard has arranged for two sets of photographs to be framed. Will be available to view in March.
117-119 Main Street, Cressy	Council liaising with school regarding concerns.
Telstra pits – corner of Charles St and Saundridge Rd, and Macquarie St opposite the bowls club.	Mrs Howard to contact Telstra
Spotlight on Town Hall Mural	Complete.
Dump point at Cressy Recreation Ground	Overnight camping committee to consider at next meeting, seeking confirmation from the Cressy Local District Committee that it would like a dump point and overnight camping at the Cressy Recreation Ground. It was confirmed this was correct.
Items for budget consideration 2015/16	Street trees Footpaths – list to be prepared by Mrs Cox and provided to Miss Mason

### 7.2 Cressy Boat Ramp

Matter will be discussed at the upcoming Council workshop on 2 February 2015 and any updates arising out of that meeting will be forwarded on to the Committee.

### 7.3 Cressy History Project

- Mrs Cox has visited Mrs Hodgetts and viewed the board which is coming along well.
- Letters to property owners have been prepared to be sent out seeking permission to display a plaque on the property.
- Research is in progress for the families who are to be displayed on the back of the board.
- Miss Mason following up a picture of the design of the stand.
- It was noted the TV has stopped working in the Hall foyer.

#### **Action**

Miss Mason to follow up TV not working with Council IT Officer.

Mrs Cox to prepare article for Your Region and Country Courier advising residents of progress of the history project.

#### **7.4 Perth Bypass**

The Committee noted that Minister Hidding attended the Northern Midlands Council meeting on 19 January 2015 to discuss the project. Reference was made to the Council meeting minutes relevant to the discussion. Works to commence in summer of 2015/16.

#### **7.5 Rural processing precinct**

Report on public display at the Council and on Northern Midlands Council website for review and comment by the community.

Enquiry was made as to who would pay for the proposed infrastructure in the project.

### **8 NEW BUSINESS**

- Entrance statement to Cressy – to be discussed in Priority Projects discussion at conclusion of meeting.
- Christmas Street decorations – Miss Mason to make enquiries in respect to availability of Christmas decorations.
- AED Unit for Cressy

Mrs Cox enquired as to whether or not there is an AED Unit in Cressy. It was noted by the Committee that there is a unit at the Cressy War Memorial Swimming Pool.

- Swimming Pool – it was noted by the Committee there is a sign in Campbell Town advertising a heated pool. Enquiry was made as to whether or not a similar sign could be provided for Cressy – Miss Mason to investigate.
- Marking on road corners between Campbell Town and Cressy and on Lake River Road – Miss Mason to follow up.
- Tidy up of Cressy Road – it was noted by the Committee the road is State Growth road, Miss Mason to make enquiries to have it cleaned up.
- Tree stump, Main Street – Miss Mason to issue customer request.
- Incorrect slide on video in Town Hall –  
Miss Mason to provide slides to Mrs Howard to advise which one requires amending.
- Video location – it was noted by the Committee the location of the video does not draw visitors to it.
- Shrubs in pots – a request has been made by the publican to have shrubs planted in the large pots. Mrs Cox advised there is a planting program in place, next phase will be shrubs.
- The Committee wished to publicly thank Mrs Toni Burton and Mrs Lyn King for maintaining the garden at the front of the swimming pool and the school.

### **9 CLOSURE & NEXT MEETING**

The Chairperson closed the meeting at 8:05 pm.

The next meeting to be held on 25 March 2015 following the Annual General Meeting.