# **Minutes**

#### 1. ATTENDANCE

#### **Present:**

Helen Williams, Angela Jenkins, Peter Goss, Andy Byard, Daniel Rowbottom and in attendance Richard Goss and Paul Terret.

# **Apologies:**

Helen Howard, Maurita Taylor, Katie Lamprey, Ane Green

### 2. DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTERESTS.

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 declarations were received.

## 3. CONFIRMATION OF LAST MEETING MINUTES

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Moved Helen Williams, seconded Peter Goss

That the minutes of the Cressy Local District Committee meeting held on 29 March 2023 be confirmed as a true and correct record of proceedings

**CARRIED** 

# 4. BUSINESS ARISING:

- Dump point, Awaiting completion.
- Pool sign. Suggested that the sign be double sided and mounted on the top of the wall so it can be seen from both directions. to discuss with the pool committee.
- Additional street library. Andy to contact the Longford Men's Shed to discuss having it built.
- Play equipment for park. Feedback suggests that any additional equipment be aimed at younger children.
- Water Tower, to be carried over until inspection completed.
- Speed limit. State Growth will not entertain changing Cressy Main Street speed limit to 50 km.

# **COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

Moved Peter Goss, seconded Helen Williams

That CLDC request the NMC make a public statement to the community regarding the lack of insight from State Growth who refuse to lower the limit on the main road of Cressy, and that State Growth are disregarding the safety of the public, who cross this road many, many times each day.

**Carried** 

Peter spoke to the motion that we should try and get the whole community involved in pressuring State Growth to re-consider their decision. No-one spoke against the motion.

### 5. NEW BUSINESS

# **Review of District Committees**

The association agreed to accept the revised MOU as stated, but request NMC advise the group as to why is Poatina to be added to the association, as the Poatina community is a closed community and as such have very little involvement in the NMC community.

Also, the CLDC urge the NMC to communicate with the CLDC more regarding information when they seek it.

### **2023 Christmas Function**

RSVP required if anyone wishes to attend the NMC local district committee Xmas dinner being held at the Blenheim Hotel on November the 23<sup>rd</sup> November at 5.45pm for 6.00 pm.

# 6. CLOSURE AND NEXT MEETING

Meeting closed at 8pm