

RANDWICK PRECINCT

Minutes of the General Meeting 2 August 2023, 7:00pm

Please note all resolutions passed unanimously unless stated.

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Precinct	Randwick
Date, meeting time and venue	7:00pm Wed 2 August 2023 (via Zoom)
Chair	Leanne Bergan (Acting)
Secretary	Katrina Drewer
Welcome	Leanne welcomed everyone to the meeting and gave an Acknowledgement of Country.
1. Attendance	(6 residents) Leanne Bergan, Helen Gallagher, Katrina Drewer, Jonathon Milford, Cr Rafaela Pandolfini, Cr Kathy Neilson, Mary Gallagher, Boris Patoka
2. Apologies	Elliott Jones
3. Declaration of Interests	none
4. Confirmation of previous minutes	No quorum – deferred to next meeting
5. Correspondence	<p>Incoming and outgoing correspondence:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Resolution 07062023(2): Could Randwick Council please provide an update on the status of the project and advise what has happened to the funding allocated in previous years. See the response hereUpdate about Bundock Street Housing - 991 homes put on hold for 4 years however significant areas within LIA site identified as needing protection under Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999. The reference material for Sydney Live-In Accommodation Project, may also encompass the Bundock Street Housing Redevelopment Project.Saving Sydney Trees – South Coogee Cycleway. A number of issues cited. Large numbers of emails from residents opposing the proposed route Residents detail the issues and multiple problems with the proposed route Impact of proposed traffic lights at Avoca Street intersection a major concern for many residents Residents reject the “cycleway to nowhere”, compared to their choice of the Avoca Street route. They have requested a meeting with Council
6. Treasurer report	No transactions, funds transferred to new account, balance \$4,505
7. Business arising from previous minutes	<p>(a) Investigated costs to advertise = \$990 for 15K letterbox drop; \$550 to advertise in The Beast and RCC offered help.</p> <p>(b) No response on Govett St Gates. Cr. Neilson to follow up with Tony Lehmann.</p>
8. General Business	General Business:

	<p>(a) Safety - Frenchmans Road Shopping Precinct: We raised resolutions 02052018(7) and 06062018(6) concerning the provision of pedestrian islands for the safe crossing of Frenchmans Road at Kemmis Street and for Kemmis Street itself. A follow up resolution 06032019(1) received a response that Integrated Transport (IT) had submitted a Plan to the RMS for funding. However, this was only successful in respect of Kemmis Street at its angled junction with Frenchmans Road, which has now been completed and is working well. However, the much more dangerous issue of many people crossing Frenchmans Road to and from Roscrea Avenue at this point, often between parked cars, has not been addressed. To be safe, one must go up to the lights at Clovelly Road, but most people, even mothers with prams, cannot be bothered with the extra distance and time waiting for the lights to change. Parking spots are at a premium along Frenchmans Road so, rather than a reduction in parking to provide for a crossing, we suggest the provision of an islanded crossing further to the east, replacing the bus stops which are no longer in use. Cr Neilson recommended the Precinct Executive write to Tony Lehmann and include photos.</p> <p>(b) Abandoned vehicles: Katrina complained that vehicles were being left in the streets despite being unregistered for months at a time. Cr Neilson offered to follow up.</p> <p>(c) Cat containment: Mary asked about cat containment policy. Cr Neilson and Cr Pandolfini advised there will be a campaign starting around September.</p> <p>(d) Zoom issues: settings were changed without notice and attendees required a pin to access the meeting which was a deterrent. There was also a new 40-minute time limit and the meeting closed mid-conversation. Leanne to email Amanda.</p>
9. Meeting close	7.36pm
10. Next meeting	Next Meeting: Wednesday 6th September via Zoom