

## Redcliffs Residents Association

### Minutes of the Committee meeting held at 7.30pm on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2025 at the Beachville Road

1. Present: Christine Toner (Chair), Pat McIntosh (Sec), Robyn Pearson, Ashley Rule, Martin Ward  
Apologies: Chris Bartlett, Tony Burns (Treas), Duncan Currie, Chris Doudney, Evan Price  
Absent: Peter Croft
2. Declaration of Interest (conflict of interest). None.
3. Deputations/submissions/petitions. None.
4. Notice of motions. None.
5. Minutes. Acceptance of minutes of 9<sup>th</sup> December 2024 moved by Martin, seconded by Robyn and carried.  
Matters arising. Christine apologised for not holding a social meeting in January but she had been away.  
Item 10 (a) Ashley had approached council about speeding along Moncks Bay and although increased policing had been promised there was no sign of action. The problem is worst at 6-7 a.m. Christine suggested that signage from the Sumner direction was inadequate and suggested discussing with police.
6. Correspondence: In: Peter Crowe, Dr Tim Lindley and Cllr Sara Templeton re illegal parking on Beachville Esplanade. Circulated.  
Invitation to Residents Group Forum, 27<sup>th</sup> Feb.  
From Matthew Hellicar wondering what to do about an abandoned bicycle, Cave Terrace – replied.  
From Sumner Ferrymead Foundation – information about community grants.  
From Alicia Fitzpatrick who is working with Sumner on emergency planning, re getting together.  
  
Correspondence: Out: To Community Board asking about action following our presentation re illegal parking on Beachville Esplanade.  
To council: End of Project report for Strengthening Communities Fund grant.  
To Companies Office registering the change in constitution.
7. Finance. Tony had previously tabled the cash flow information and receipt was moved by Christine, seconded by Martin. There were no comments.
8. Reports of sub-committees:
  - a. CCC, Coastal Pathway. Pat reported on the progress about the RRA complaints about repeated illegal parking on Beachville Esplanade. A staff report has been completed recommending notices be put up, and she has asked when the Community Board will consider this.  
No response has been received yet regarding notices to fishers and the Sec has chased this up and reminded them. Robyn raised the issue again of graffiti on the New World site.  

**Action - Sec**

b. Coastal issues. No report.

c. Newsletter, community and social events, fundraising. No report

d. Website, email, communications, Facebook. There has been a problem with the gmail database with the loss of group labels such as our mailing list. The committee authorized the payment of up to \$200 if needed for professional technical support to remedy this.

e. Environment, Eco Village, climate change action. No report

f. Regreening Barnett Park and Predator Free Redcliffs. Martin reported that the rainy summer has help with survival rates for the plantings and there is a water station for people to help with the ongoing watering. The first weeding day of the year there was a good turnout of twelve. Priority is dealing with boneseed, banana passion fruit and elder. 3000 seedlings are being prepared for planting. Ashley reported that the trapping continues to be productive with two possums caught recently.

g. Response and Resilience Team, emergency planning. Sumner Community has employed a part time worker Alicia Fitzpatrick who has got in touch to find out about our team organization and resources. Pat has shown her the Hub kit. They are planning to create their own Emergency Hub and are also actively working on the tsunami evacuation plan. Pat suggested that we hold a joint meeting and the committee suggested that in the first instance we should invite Andrea and Alicia to our next committee meeting to update us.

9. General Business.

a. Gmail database problems – discussed above.

b.. Parking on Beachville Esplanade – discussed above.

c. 2025 AGM date and arrangements. It was decided to hold a public meeting, if possible Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> April, for updating residents and having a speaker. Martin suggested an archeologist to talk about the Redcliffs finds and agrees to contact him. The AGM at present only requires the attendance of the committee members so could be held at the committee meeting of Monday 14<sup>th</sup> April.  
**Action - Martin.**

10. Other business.

Robyn asked about progress re dog control in the estuary. The council plans to put the amendments to the policy and by-law out for consultation in March.

11. Next committee meeting at 7.30pm on 10<sup>th</sup> March 2025 at 35B Beachville Road.