

Pohangina Valley Community Committee Minutes

Pohangina Community Committee Meeting
31 October 2017 at 7.30pm
County Fayre, Finnis Road, Pohangina Village

Present: L Besley, J Barnett,, K Hayes, S Edwards, G Martin,H Wallboys, R Galyer H McDonald,D Roberts, R Searle, J Hawthorn and Cr S Bielski.

1		Procedural Matters	Action
1.1	Apologies	<i>That the following apologies be accepted.</i> S Stevens,M Pratt,M Ellis, Cr A Short, J Graham, L Bowe and B Hyde.	<i>J Barnett/K Hayes</i> Carried
1.2	Correspondence	<u>Inward:</u> <i>That the following correspondence be accepted.</i> <u>Inward:</u> Email from S Kilmister, Feilding Herald offering to publish stories on community events, projects etc	. <i>L Besley to reply.</i> . <i>K Hayes/S Edwards</i> Carried
1.3	Confirmation Previous Minutes	<i>That the minutes from the previous meeting held on 27th August 2017 accepted as a true and correct record.</i>	<i>L Besley/J Barnett</i> Carried .
1.4	Matters Arising	In future if community believes road closure signs which have been erected by council are not appropriate they should ring council to get clarification of the need for them to remain or be removed.	
2.1	Finances	<i>That the Financial Report showing a balance of \$22461.50 be received</i>	<i>L Besley/S Stevens</i> Carried
2.2	Emergency Management	J Barnett to arrange meeting with Jan McGaffin and G Stoneley to ensure continuity of Neighbour Support network following Jans departure from the Valley in December	J Barnett
2.3	PVCC and Election Protocols	J Barnett to set date for review of Community action Plan. Suggestion is to have this on the last Tuesday in January or March 2018. G martin requested that the Agenda and minutes be distributed in PDF format.	
2.4	PVC Newsletter	We can no longer get hard copies of the newsletter printed. Current recipients of hard copies have been contacted and the majority will now receive the newsletter by email. A hard copy will still be available at County Fayre. The	

		newsletter is also available at www.pohangina.org	
2.5	Pohangina Recreation Reserve	Meeting held with Carl Johnstone and Peter Shore and members of sub committee . Peter will produce development plan for the Recreation reserve for consideration by sub committee and PVCC	
2.6	Pohangina Wetlands	PVCT has formed a sub committee consisting of L Besley and J Culling with assistance from S Bielski to work with Gordon and Anne Pilone regarding community involvement with the Pohangina Wetlands	
2.7	Pohangina Village Information Kiosk/ Bus Shelter	Renovation of Bus shelter has commenced. New roof has been installed. D Roberts understood no guttering is being installed because of aesthetic issues however believed guttering should be installed. J Barnett to discuss with C Pullar	J Barnett
2.8	Pohangina Hall	Raywene Searle attended part of the meeting to hand over responsibility for running the Pohangina Hall to PVCC. Meeting arranged for 7 th November. H McDonald, G Martin, R Galyer and J Barnett agreed to attend. R Galyer will bring bookings book. J Barnett to contact C Knight about meeting.	
3.0	General Business		
3.1	MDC	Cr S Bielski reported on MDC activities including <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recent celebration of young achievers from the MDC region including one from Awahou School • Feilding has won the best town category for the 16th time. There is a village category which villages of the district could enter. • Whanau Day to be held in Feilding 	
3.2	Walking/Cycle Track proposal	A community group has initiated a plan to develop a staged series of tracks from Piripiri bridge to the fern walk. A meeting with representatives from DOC and Horizons is being held in November	
3.3	Pohangina Village Vehicle Speeds	Speeding has continued through the Village 70kph area. S Bielski to discuss with Mark Dickens to see what can be done	S Bielski
3.4	Bee Hives	A resident has raised concerns about bee hives placed on the boundary of his property. S Bielski will investigate MDC rules regarding location of bee hives and report back to next meeting. Resident also had a concern about increased truck movements in the valley. To be discussed at next meeting.	S Bielski

	Meeting Closed	9.05pm	
	Next Meeting	Tuesday 12 th December 2017 at 7.30pm at County Fayre.	