



Committee Meeting May 30 2022

Minutes

Attendance: John H, Angela, Sue, Shaun

Apologies: Barbara, Spider, Malcolm, Kelly

Acknowledgement of Country

Minutes of Previous Meeting:

Accepted as a true record. Moved Angela Seconded - John

Matters Arising:

Nursery. - Consultation with Community gardens has agreed on 2 possible locations for a 3m x 6m facility. Shaun to devise a possible plan for interior layout and fittings.

LH Strategic Plan- now finalised following feedback on draft from membership.

LHLC Priorities for the year - Shaun and Kelly have met with Kiri Dicker, B Ward Cr re LHLC priorities, still waiting on a response from E Ramsey and J Johnson.

*Designated Wildlife Habitat Zones - no progress

*White Head erosion - no report

*4WDs and dogs on Seven Mile - no report

*Wildlife Corridors - no report

Reports:

Treasurer - see attached.

Accepted as tabled. Moved Sue, seconded John

Action. Angela to audit all members prior to August meeting re equipment to be included in asset register

Skennars - we've installed some shade cloth fencing to protect seedlings near the Coast Rd entrance at the top of the hill; snipped 'the Summer Garden' east of the Cafe de Wheels and de-vined some banksias and wattles on the Sharpes Beach foreshore.

Lower Point (from John Hill) - The site is absolutely sodden to the point where it is impossible to even get onto most of it
This is true not only of the northern section which picks up all the storm water and which has actually been underwater for some months -lots of long grass which threatens to choke trees but just not possible to get at until water subsides
The same applies to the most southerly parts of the plot where Bangalows and Quinquinervia are thriving but not much else -this will likely remain underwater for some months
The western slopes are actually running water and last time I was in there I sank to my knees -some tree loss and even tuckeroos are really struggling
Any replanting will probably have to be with melaleucas and casuarina
Eastern (sandier) area has seen enormous growth and pasture grasses are finally being shaded out
All in all a bit of a mess and not much chance of doing much about it until the ground dries out -and that might be a while

Waterweeds - There's quite a lot of Hyacinth atm; extra hands would be good for the next few working bees, including some to walk/ work along the edges of the western shoreline

Feedback from BSC Meetings - nothing to report this quarter

General Business:

- potential new weekend working group

Correspondence in:

request for info re working bee opportunities on Thursdays or Fridays

Correspondence Out:

June working bees sent in response to above request

New Business:

- Possibilities for an organisation to represent the interests of landholders interested on flora/fauna conservation on their property;

Meeting Closed: 8.00 pm

Thanks to John Hutton for providing refreshments