

<p>Neighbourhood Forum 5</p> <p>Wollongong's Heartland</p>		<p>Coniston, Figtree, Gwynneville, Keiraville, Mangerton, Mount Keira, Mount St Thomas, North Wollongong, West Wollongong, Wollongong City.</p>
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Minutes of meeting at 7.00 pm Wed. 6th February 2019 in the Town Hall Ocean Room

Present 16 members and Councillor Tania Brown

- 1 Presentation. Chris Stewart was thanked for his presentation on Planning the City.
- 2 Apologies
- 3 Minutes of meeting of 5th Dec 2018 were confirmed with no matters arising.
- 4 Comments Councillor Tania Brown offered to follow through on a number of issues raised by members.
- 5 Responses **Disabled Parking at Continental Pool:** noted

Travel Times on South Coast Line: noted

Community Participation: noted
- 6 Reports **Genelle Thomson:** noted

draft Creative Wollongong 2019 - 2024:
It was agreed that the draft Creative Wollongong proposals be supported and Council be congratulated on this initiative, but to express regret that there is no reference to the Town Hall's Sharp Organ.

draft Public Toilet Strategy:
It was agreed that Council be requested to:
 - 1 increase substantially the content and value of the strategy by spelling out the criteria they propose to use when setting priorities for new and upgraded facilities;
 - 2 ensure these include a high priority for public places in and around the city centre.

Current active membership of Neighbourhood Forum 5 : 383 households

Air conditioners

It was agreed to defer this item.

Pedestrian Plan:

It was agreed that Council be requested to advise on their latest process and timetable for the City-wide Pedestrian Plan and specifically that it:

- 1 incorporates the City for People Implementation Plan;
- 2 gives priority to the footpaths in Crown Street east from the hospital.

Hanson quarry output and Mt Ousley road issues

It was agreed that Ryan Park MP be requested to make representations on our behalf to the relevant Ministers (roads, and planning).

7 Projects

Keiraville/Gwynneville

It was agreed that Council be requested to advise on their latest timetable for the Keiraville/Gwynneville Access Study.

North Wollongong:

It was agreed that, in the light of significant community involvement, Council be requested to include in the 2019-20 works programme a footpath on the eastern side of View Street between Gipps and Edward Streets.

South Wollongong & City Centre:

It was agreed that Council be requested to advise on their latest timetable for the flood studies in South Wollongong.

Neighbourhood Forums Alliance: noted

8 Planning

DA/2018/1518 Dual Occupancy 84 Figtree Crescent, Figtree

It was agreed that the submission of support be endorsed.

DA/2018/1520 Dual Occupancy, 31 Valley Road, Figtree

It was agreed that the submission of objection be endorsed.

DA/2018/1484 24 units 5 stories, c/o Mercury & Bligh Sts W'gong

It was agreed that the submission of support be endorsed.

DA/2018/1604 Dual Occupancy 4 Thames St, W. Wollongong

It was agreed that a submission of support be lodged.

DA/2018/1543 Place of Public Worship, 95 O'Briens Road, Figtree

This item lapsed, so no submission will be made.

DA/2019/15 Dual Occupancy 62 Princes Highway, W Wollongong

It was agreed that a submission of support be lodged.

DA/2018/1630 11 units at 35 Yellagong St W, Wg

It was agreed that another submission of objection be lodged.

DA/2018/1625 33 lot Subdivision, Redgum Forest Way, Figtree
It was agreed that a strong submission of objection be lodged.

DA/2018/1638 38 units in 14 stories 71-77 Kembla St, Wollongong
It was agreed that:

- 1 objection be lodged as to height of the building in its context;
- 2 strong objection be lodged to removal of trees in Kembla St;
- 3 concern be lodged at the apparent limited notification.

DA/2018/1620 Boarding House, 47 Staff St Wollongong
It was agreed that a submission of support be lodged.

9 General Business: **Wollongong Harbour**

Members were advised that a tender has been let for the re-institution and management of the slipway.

10 Snippets noted

Next Meeting: 7.00 pm on Wed. 6th March 2019, Town Hall Ocean Room.