



## MINUTES

# FLOODPLAIN RISK MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE (CENTRAL AREA)

at 4:38 pm

Thursday 17 October 2019

### In Attendance

Councillor J Dorahy - (Chair), Councillor C Blakey, A Monk - Roads and Maritime Services, N Pomfret - Representing O De Jong Department of Planning, Industry and Environment, A Aguiar - SES Illawarra/South Coast Region Mike Dowd - Manager Infrastructure Strategy and Planning, Isabelle Ghetti - Floodplain and Stormwater Unit Leader, Y Pandika – Floodplain Management Engineer, M Rahman – Floodplain Management Engineer, D Green – Land use Planning Manager, A Heaven – Development Engineering Manager, C San Gil – Community Representative, M Kulig - Community Representative, M McLachlan – Guest, J Groves - Community Representative, Jenna Conran - Emergency Management Officer, L Collins – Advisian, R Grella – Administration Officer



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## 1 STANDING AGENDA ITEMS

### 1.1 Welcome and Introduction

The Chair welcomed the group and opened the meeting at 4:38 pm.

### 1.2 Acknowledgement of Country

The Chair acknowledged the traditional owners of the land.

### 1.3 Apologies

The following apologies were received and accepted:

Cr T Brown, Cr A Martin, Cr C Walters, Cr D Brown, Cr D Figliomeni, Cr G Bradbery, Cr J Kershaw, Cr J Rimmer, Cr L Colacino, Cr M Cox, Cr V King, Transport NSW, R Summers, B Fitzpatrick, J Harvey, J G Mathieson, P Nunn, P Milevski, and C Thomas - Advisian.

### 1.4 Disclosures of Interest

Nil.

### 1.5 Confirmation of Minutes of Previous Minutes

The Minutes of the Meeting held on 26 June 2019 were accepted.

## 2 FLOOD MANAGEMENT UPDATE

### 2.1 Allans Creek Flood Study Review

Council staff presented a summary of the public exhibition process, the submissions received and how they have been considered in the final report.

The consultant from Advisian provided a presentation on the new flood model highlighting how well it represents historical flood events. The new flood model is far superior to any model to date.

The Committee, by majority, recommended that the Allans Creek Flood study 2019 report be adopted by Council.

The Northview Estate Flooding Residents Action Group (NEFRAG) representatives on the Committee did not support adoption of the plan by Council as the Flood Study does not apply the new National guidelines for flood estimation (AR&R 2016/19).

It was noted that Council has committed to implement AR&R 2016/19 as part of the review of the Floodplain Risk Management Study and Plans, with Allans Creek catchment being the first catchment to be reviewed, commencing in early 2020.

### 2.2 Fairy and Cabbage Tree Creeks Flood Study Review

An overview of the progress of this study was provided by the consultant from Advisian. It was noted that another Committee meeting will be scheduled when the draft flood study is prepared for presentation to the Committee. This is anticipated to occur towards the end of January early February 2020.

### 3 GENERAL BUSINESS

#### 3.1 Business Arising from Previous Minutes

Nil.

### 4 NEXT MEETING

This date is yet to be determined.

### 5 CLOSE MEETING

The Chair closed the meeting at 5:59pm.

### 6 ACTION SUMMARY

Item	Meeting Date	Action	Status