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TRURO AND DISTRICT COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION INC.

Meeting held Thursday 15 October 2020 at 7.00pm Supper Room - Truro Hall

1. Welcome: Chair Andrew Philpott welcomed The Honourable Tony Pasin MP, (assistant to Tony Pasin), Graham and Kristin Falkenberg, Chris Fox, Sally Fox (Op Shop Rep), Cr. Kevin Myers (MMC), Daryl Sherwood, Liz Giles, Ron Giles, Michael Schliebs, Jenni Schrapel, Kingsley Munchenberg (Truro Cricket Club), Sam and Joan Brown, Phil Holmes, Duane Boerth, Cheryl and Holger Ueding, Max Butler, Margaret Gelston and Dave Lemmey.

Apologies: Ben Scales (CEO, MMC)

- **2. Minutes**: Moved Liz Giles and 2nd Chris Fox that the minutes from special meeting of 20 August be accepted.
- 3. Business Arising from Minutes

See below

- 4. Reports for information:
 - **5.1 Council** Cr. Myers reported that Dave Hassett and Jake McVicar can attend the November meeting to discuss a range of issues currently being considered by the association. MMC have commenced a Strategic Plan consultation process and that folk can go on-line to provide feedback and get more information about the process.

5.2 Chair -

5.2.1 – The Chair welcomed **The Honourable Tony Pasin MP** to speak about the proposed Truro By-pass and to take any questions from the committee.

Tony spoke to the following matters:

Truro Bypass

- The Commonwealth are responsible for three highways in the Barker Electorate, these are the Sturt, Stott and Dukes Highways;
- ➤ The by-passing of Truro remains a high priority for the Commonwealth and these is \$250M currently allocated to upgrade works for the Sturt Highway;
- ➤ The State Government are the lead in the matter of the by-pass as they have the planning, engineering and community consultation staff. The Commonwealth are funding partners;
- ➤ The challenge for the Truro by-pass is selecting the correct alignment. Ideally the further to the north of the town the better but this will affect the overall cost for the project which in turn will affect the cost benefit ratio (BRI). Tony gave the example of Mount Gambier where a section of the Princess Highway was designed to go around the town many years ago. This section now effectively divides a section of the town due to population growth and housing expansion over the years;
- The by-pass project is listed on Infrastructure Australia, which is a very positive sign for the project;
- Tony acknowledged that there seems to have been little progress with State Government in the advancement of this project. To this end Tony has committed to write to the State Minister for Transport, The Honourable Corey Wingard MP and seek an understanding as to the delays in design and consultation work that were promised by DPTI senior staff some years ago;
- Mr Duane Boerth, who is a Main Street trader challenged the notion of the bypass claiming that such a project is very likely to hurt local traders financially. Tony responded to this by reiterating

that it up the State Government to effective and fairly consult with the Truro and broader community.

Phone, Internet and TV reception problems

- Mr Max Butler raised concerns about the ongoing problems with TV reception in the town. Most townsfolk use the VAST system and that this has limitations with local news and current affairs content. Many folks at the meeting agreed with this statement. Tony undertook to see what options there were to include local news and current affairs on this platform. There was also the view that a transponder was promised to be installed on the tower on the Eudunda Road to improve free-to-air television. This matter also needs investigation.
- Concerns were also raised about the interrupted nature of mobile phone reception in the town. There is a view that the battery backup in the Telstra exchange in the town is not working so when there is a power disruption the whole system goes down for some time. Tony undertook to contact a Mr Mark Bolton who is the Telstra Infrastructure Manager;
- Chris Fox raised the issue of connecting to the fibre optic cable which runs through the town. The line is managed by Vocus and Chris has had difficulties in getting a response from this company. Tony as chair of the NBN Committee committed to contacting Vocus and asking them to contact the association.

The Chair thanked Tony and his assistant for their time in attending the meeting.

5.2.2 - Election of committee members – several positions are up for election.

Joan Brown kindly took over as chair during the election of the new chair for the next one year term:

Moved Phil Holmes and 2nd Chris Fox that Andrew Philpott continue as chair – accepted and approved; Moved Liz Giles and 2nd Phil Holmes that Chris Fox continue as Treasurer – accepted and approved; Moved Kristin Falkenberg and 2nd Chris Fox that Liz Giles takes over as Secretary – accepted and approved;

Moved Phil Holmes and 2nd Michael Schliebs that Kristin Falkenberg be removed as bank signatory and that Liz Giles be added as bank signatory – accepted and approved.

4.3 Hall and Oval -

- Oval sprinkler repairs likely to be completed in the next week, waiting on new parts from Queensland;
- ➤ A letter from the Truro Cricket Club to the MMC was read out. The letter raised some concerns about turf preparation and other maintenance issues. It was agreed to convene a meeting between members of the association and the cricket club to review the lease agreement and discuss relevant matters.

4.4 Op Shop.

Income for month: \$1,574.60 Expenses for month: \$ 142.50 Hall Hire 10 dates \$ 500.00 Op Shop Takings: \$ 932.10

Rotary to receive @25% of takings. \$233.03

4.5 Projects and Grants—

4.5.1—Old Council Chambers progress report - pending

4.5.2 — Oval camping and RV project - pending

4.5.3—Truro Town Entry Statements - pending

Reports for decision:

5.1 Treasurer

Financial report (please refer to attached financial report)

Account balances: as at 15/10/20
Society Cheque \$3,983.31
Term Deposit 960 \$22,932.17
Term Deposit 660 \$18,034.61
Total \$44,950.09

Moved: Chris Fox Seconded: M. Schliebs That the financial report be accepted. Carried

Accounts for payment

o Truro Agencies, Oval mowing and fertilising, September \$1950.00

Moved: Chris Fox Seconded: M. Schliebs That the account be paid. Carried

6. Correspondence:

6.1 Correspondence: - In

• MMC re Oval

6.2 Correspondence: - Out

• To be reported at next meeting

7. Motions without notice: nil

8. Any Other Business: nil

9. Close: The meeting was closed at 9.20pm

10. Next Meeting: 19 November 7 pm Truro Hall supper room



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FINANCIAL REPORT FOR BOARD MEETING		Thursday, 15 October 2020			
DATE		AMOUNT	DESCRIPTION	AC	COUNT
INCOME:					
14/09/2020	5	163.00	Op shop deposit	Socie	ty Cheque
14/09/2020) \$	110.00	Op shop deposit	Socie	y Cheque
16/09/2020	5	77.00	Op shop deposit	Socie	ty Cheque
17/09/2020) \$	43.00	Op shop deposit	Socie	y Cheque
18/09/2020) \$	115.10	Op shop deposit	Socie	y Cheque
21/09/2020	1 \$	45.00	Op shop deposit	Socie	ty Cheque
22/09/2020	1 5	50.00	Book Sales	Socie	y Cheque
23/09/2020	5	135.00	Op shop deposit		y Cheque
24/09/2020) \$	48.00	Op shop deposit		y Cheque
25/09/2020) \$	92.00	Op shop deposit		y Cheque
28/09/2020	1 \$	189.00	Op shop deposit		y Cheque
28/09/2020	1 5	102.00	Op shop deposit		y Cheque
28/09/2020) \$	124.00	Op shop deposit		y Cheque
30/09/2020		0.02	Credit Interest		ly Cheque
30/09/2020	100	75.00	Op shop deposit		y Cheque
30/09/2020		100.00	Op shop deposit		ty Cheque
1/10/2020	2	43.00	Op shop deposit		ly Cheque
2/10/2020		125.00	Op shop deposit		y Cheque
3/10/2020		2.83	Interest		D 960
5/10/2020		120.00	Op shop deposit		ly Cheque
7/10/2020		116.00			ly Cheque
8/10/2020	2000	87.00	Op shop deposit		
	10.10747	165.50	Op shop deposit		ty Cheque
9/10/2020 Total	\$	2,127.45	Op shop deposit	Socie	ly Cheque
XPENDITURE: 18/09/2020	1 5	1,170.00	Kyle Savin Rail yards mowing	Socie	ty Cheque
21/09/2020	2.10.70	50.00	Cleaning Joanne Nash		y Cheque
1/10/2020		55.00	BankSA EFTPOS Fee		ty Cheque
5/10/2020		37.50	Cleaning Joanne Nash		ly Cheque
5/10/2020	0000	364.93	MMC Oval Power		ly Cheque
12/10/2020	100	62.50	Cleaning Joanne Nash		ty Cheque
12/10/2020	TOUR YE	251.46	Rotary Club op shop payment		ly Cheque
Total	\$	1,991.39	rodaly Club op allop payment	Socie	ly crieque
ACCOUNT BALANCES:		as at:	12/10/2020	INTERES	T AND TERM
Society Cheque	\$	3,983.31		AT.	CALL
Term Deposit #055 4036 917 960				.20% RENI	W 03-11-202
Term Deposit #055 4037 126 660	\$	18,034.61		.45% RENI	EW 14-11-202
Total	\$	44,950.09			
ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT:		4.050.00	To an America Continue for and findition		
1/10/2020 Total	\$	1,950.00 1,950.00	Truro Agencies Oval mowing and fertiliser		
NTERNAL FUND BALANCES:					
OVAL	\$	8,293.02	Op Shop Financial Report 15/09/20 to 12/10/20	8	
HALL (INC OP SHOP RENT)	\$	6,539.86	Gross Revenue	\$	1,574.60
CEMETERY ENHANCEMENT	\$	2,706.88	Expenses	-\$	142.50
COUNCIL CHAMBER	S	267.76	Hall Hire 10 dates	-\$	500.00
BMX MAINTENANCE	\$	441.96	Nett Takings	\$	932.10
RAILYARDS MAINTENANCE	s	119.65	25% on Nett to Rotary	\$	233.00
TDCA (INC OP SHOP TAKINGS)	5	26,580.96			
TOTAL	\$	44,950.09			