Coordinating Committee Meeting Sunday 29th July, 2018 Minutes

Present: John Brannan (Chair), Warren Bond, Denise Hall.

Meeting opened at 1330

1. Apologies – Margo Hellyer, Keith Thomas, Alana Wilkes

2. Minutes of the Last Meeting / Business Arising

The Minutes of the FOTPIN CC meeting held 7th May, 2018 were accepted as a true and fair record of that meeting.

Actions arising:

051216/Item 10 Revegetation

John is following up with John Fitzgerald with a view of planting the trees he has along the creek in Hawker paddock.

Planting completed on 16th May by John, John, Warren and Wayne Hoy.

051216/Item 11 (e) Ideas for consideration: -

i. <u>Social Media</u>: Facebook page being updated and is looking good. A question of privacy was raised as the page contains photos of several people. A new sign-on sheet is to be developed by John to enable people to authorise the use of their images on Facebook and Web pages.

Action: **John** (sign on sheets) and **Margo and Denise** (updating Facebook page). No action to date

ii. Member Survey: No action to date.

Action: Warren and Margo to draft a survey to determine members' communication preferences. Ongoing.

060317/Item 11 (c) Interpretive signage: -

No action until the current landscape classification process is finalised.

Keith to continue to liaise with whomever about signage.

Action: This will be followed up by incoming Committee.

060317/Item 14 (b) FOMP - Belconnen Hills Strategy

John still talking to Sarah (of FOMP) and whole question is waiting for decisions from PCS at present. No real progress from last meeting.

Action: This item cannot be progressed until PCS has finalised its Landscape Classification Assessment.

180917/Item 6 (b) Treasurer's Report

Action: Account signatories to be updated. **Warren** to arrange.

Incoming office bearers to complete.

050318/Item 4 (a) Convenor's report

Action: Margo to raise an invoice to cover design of posters and other promotional materials. Incoming Treasurer to complete.

050318/Item 6 Treasurer's report

Action: Margo to provide receipt to Andria Kannane for \$15 donation.

Incoming Treasurer to complete.

050318/Item 8 Weed Management

Action: John and Warren to encourage more spraying volunteers. This is still underway, but need more people with Chemcert qualifications.

Some actions taken; more required.

050318/Item 11 (a) ACT Government Inquiry on the value of the natural environment to an urbanising Canberra

Action: John to send members of the CC the link to the call for submissions and coordinate a submission.

Completed. Submission sent on 29th June.

3. Correspondence in and out (Attachment A)

Noted

4. Other Business

Nil

Meeting closed at 1350

Attachment A. Summary of Major Items of Correspondence between since May meeting

Major items of correspondence – emails only

| Date | Sender | Topic | Summary content |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 3 rd May | Alison McLeod to Community Programs | New ACT Region Landcare Gateway | Invitation to have our group listed on the new website. |
| | Kathy Eyles to Joachim Zeil and Parkcare coordinators | ParkCare Ranger support | Phillip Selmes absence and suggestions on having a ParkCare volunteer involved in recruiting a replacement. |
| 4 th May | Ann Milligan | Ginninderra Catchment Group News | For information |
| 10 th May | Alison McLeod | ParkCare Convenors Meeting | Notice of meeting for 31st May |
| 11 th May | Richard Milczarek | LGSS Scout activity in Pinnacle Nature Reserve | Outlined interest and numbers attending the hike (31 scouts and 7 leaders) |
| | John Brannan to Richard Milczarek | LGSS Scout hike | Support of the activity and involvement by John on behalf of FOTPIN |
| 16 th May | Alison McLeod | Invitation to Parkcare Convenors | To be involved in the Landscape Classification System being initiated by Jasmine Foxlee |
| 20 th May | John Brannan to lan Loiterton | FOTPIN update | Some feedback to a question asked by lan. |
| 23 rd May | Alison McLeod | Volunteering Awards | ParkCare Volunteers were awarded a Highly Commended for the <u>Profound Influence Award</u> at the 2018 Volunteering Awards- Canberra Region. |
| 24 th May | Karissa Preuss | Planting event at CSIRO | Being held 27 th May |
| 1 st June | Sally Macintosh via Alison McLeod | 2018-19 ACT Environment Grants | For consideration |
| 4 th June | Mary Gleeson, ACT Heritage Grants officer | Progress and Final Reports | Chasing any outstanding reports on heritage grants |
| 5th June | Karissa Preuss | Funding Announcement | GCG received funding from the ACT Government of a share of \$342,000 (split 3 ways). |
| 6 th June | Alison McLeod | ParkCare Ranger Update | Information of seeking a new ParkCare Ranger |
| 18 th June | Alison McLeod | ParkCare Ranger appointment | Marty Bajt was appointed to the position of ParkCare Ranger commencing 25th June, 2018 |

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| 29 th June | Karissa Preuss | Inquiry into Nature Submission | Draft GCG submission |
| | John Brannan to Standing Committee on Environment and Transport and City Services | FOTPIN Submission for the Inquiry into Nature review | For consideration by the review committee. |
| 3 rd Jul | Martin Bajt | Update of ACT Park Rangers | Outlining the rangers and their responsibilities and areas of activity. |
| 5 th — 9 th Jul | Warren Bond – Jess Shute – John Brannan | Pinnacle – Molonglo watermain | Update for interested parties. |
| 16 th Jul | Martin Bajt | Annual Parkcare Meeting | Arranging an Annual Planning Meeting |
| | Martin Bajt | Tree Guards | Supply of free tree guards |
| 17 th Jul | Martin Bajt | Personal Protective Equipment | Encouraged to wear them and get more if needed |
| | John Brannan | Jamison Centre display | 7 th – 9 th September |
| 18 th Jul | Ann Milligan | GCG Newsletter | Seeking articles |
| 20 th Jul | Alison McLeod | Parkcare Annual Report | Do I have all the information for weeding? |
| 23 rd Jul | LandCare Australia | Subscription to Landcare, Coastcare and Junior Landcare Australia | Do we want to continue this subscription? |
| 27 th July | Karissa Preuss | Next GCG General Meeting | Agenda |
| 28 th July | Ann Milligan | Ginninderra Catchment Group newsletter, July 2018 | See www.fotpin.org.au/other_newsletters.html |