

22nd June, 2018

**MAYOR
COUNCILLORS
CITY OF MOUNT GAMBIER**

NOTICE is given that the Community Engagement & Social Inclusion Sub-Committee will meet in the following Meeting Room on the day, date and time as follows:

Community Engagement & Social Inclusion Sub-Committee
(Committee Room - Level 4):

Thursday 28th June, 2018 at 5:30 pm

An agenda for the meeting is enclosed.



Mark McSHANE
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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AGENDA OF COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT & SOCIAL INCLUSION
SUB-COMMITTEE MEETING

Meeting to be held in the Committee Room, Civic Centre, 10 Watson Terrace, Mount Gambier on
Thursday 28th June 2018 at 5:30 p.m.

PRESENT

Mayor Andrew Lee

Cr Hanna Persello (Presiding Member)
Cr Penny Richardson
Cr Mark Lovett
Judy McKay
Mel Stephenson
Kate Amoroso

COUNCIL OFFICERS

General Manager Community Wellbeing - Ms B Cernovskis
Library Manager - Mrs G Davison
Community Development and Engagement Officer - Mr B Kilsby
Community Development and Engagement Officer - Mrs H Gajic

WE ACKNOWLEDGE THE BOANDIK PEOPLES AS THE TRADITIONAL CUSTODIANS OF THE LAND WHERE WE MEET TODAY. WE RESPECT THEIR SPIRITUAL RELATIONSHIP WITH THE LAND AND RECOGNISE THE DEEP FEELINGS OF ATTACHMENT OUR INDIGENOUS PEOPLES HAVE WITH THIS LAND.

1. APOLOGY(IES)

Apology(ies) received from Cr

That the apology from Cr be received.

Moved:

Seconded:

2. CONFIRMATION OF COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT & SOCIAL INCLUSION SUB-COMMITTEE MINUTES

Meeting held on 16 May 2018.

That the minutes of the Community Engagement & Social Inclusion Sub-Committee meeting held on 16 May 2018 be confirmed as an accurate record of the proceedings of that meeting.

Moved:

Seconded:

3. QUESTIONS

3.1. With Notice

Nil submitted.

3.2. Without Notice

4. DEPUTATIONS

Nil

5. COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT & SOCIAL INCLUSION SUB-COMMITTEE ITEMS

Community Engagement & Social Inclusion Sub-Committee Items commence on the following page.



5.1. GOVERNANCE – Community Engagement and Social Inclusion Sub-Committee - Resignation - Sue Mutton - Ref. AF17/432

The General Manager Community Wellbeing reported:

Mrs Sue Mutton has tendered her resignation from the Community Engagement and Social Inclusion Sub-Committee.

- (a) the report be received;
- (b) Mrs Mutton’s resignation be received and she be thanked for her services to the Community Engagement and Social Inclusion Sub-Committee.

Moved:

Seconded:



5.2. Yerkalapata – Leading the Way: City of Mount Gambier Reconciliation Action Plan Update – Report No. AR18/24653

COMMITTEE	Community Engagement and Social Inclusion Sub-Committee
MEETING DATE:	28 June 2018
REPORT NO.	AR18/24653
RM8 REFERENCE	AF17/432
AUTHOR	Ben Kilsby
SUMMARY	Update on the activities of the City of Mount Gambier Reconciliation Action Plan focus group.
COMMUNITY PLAN REFERENCE	Goal 1: Our People
	Goal 4: Our Climate, Natural Resources, Arts, Culture and Heritage

REPORT RECOMMENDATION

- (a) That Community Engagement and Social Inclusion Sub-Committee Report No. AR18/24653 titled '*Yerkalapata – Leading the Way: City of Mount Gambier Reconciliation Action Plan*' as presented to the Community Engagement and Social Inclusion Sub-Committee on 28 June 2018 be noted.
- (b) To be determined at the meeting.

Moved:

Seconded:



Background

This report provides an update on the progress of the endorsed actions of the Reconciliation Action Plan (RAP) focus group from their meeting held at Council on Monday 7 May 2018.

Discussion

NAIDOC Week

Council will acknowledge and celebrate NAIDOC Week between 8 - 15 July 2018, with the following programming and events:

Cave Gardens Flag Raising Ceremony

Monday 9 July 10:30am

Mayor Andrew Lee will participate in an official flag raising ceremony with local Elders and agency representatives to highlight the commencement of NAIDOC Week Celebrations in Mount Gambier.

Mount Gambier Library

Book Launch “Annie's Story - Growing Up Strong on Boandik country” By Aunty Michelle

Monday 9 July at 6:30pm

The exclusive launch of Aunty Michelle's book; a tribute to her great grandmother's life. Annie's story showcases Boandik country as a land steeped in dreaming stories, hunting, gathering, cultural protocols, traditions and ways of living. Annie takes you on a journey through beautiful localised photographs, and the language is in English and Bungaditj; which you can hear spoken via QR codes.

Main Corner

'Carriberrie' - Indigenous Australian song and dance in a live-action 3D VR documentary

Presented in the Main Corner VR Suite between 8 – 15 July - 8 x 15 minute screenings daily

Travel from traditional ceremonial dance and song, towards intrinsically contemporary and modern expressions. Intimate, immersive and breath-taking, this documentary showcases a stunning range of Australian locations and performances from iconic ceremonial traditional dance in Uluru, through to food gathering dances in the rain forest, war songs on the most northern tip of Australia and funeral songs in the Arnhem wetlands before culminating with a highly charged hunting track in the central desert.

Dual Naming and Associated Signage

On behalf of the Reconciliation Action Plan Working Group, Council has written to the Bunganditj Language Reclamation Committee to seek final clarification on the agreed titles for the dual-naming of a range of prominent local sites. Particular clarification has been sought to confirm an agreed preference for sites which have been known by more than one name or those which have conflicting names on record. Once names are confirmed, Council will continue with the development of visual concepts for the signage.

RAP Committee Invitations

Upon request of the Elders, Council has published a simple overview of the work and function of the Reconciliation Action Plan Working Group for use as a tool in inviting additional participation in the group moving forward. Elders have identified a particular focus in engaging the participation of 1-2 new young members and at least one general member to increase the capacity of the group locally



Conclusion

The RAP Focus Group will continue to meet regularly to implement the endorsed initiatives that are strategically aligned with the direction of Council.



Ben KILSBY
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND ENGAGEMENT OFFICER



Barbara CERNOVSKIS
GENERAL MANAGER COMMUNITY WELLBEING

22 June 2018



5.3. GOVERNANCE - Community Engagement and Social Inclusion Sub-Committee - Vulnerable Families - Ref. AF17/432

The Presiding Member sought the approval of at least two-thirds of the members present at the meeting to suspend meeting procedures:

Purpose of the Suspension:

To discuss the following:

- *Action aligned with key focus area 3 – Vulnerable Families*
 - *Youth Engagement*

To be carried by more than two-thirds of the members present at the meeting.

Meeting Procedures were suspended at p.m.

The Presiding Member determined that the period of suspension should be brought to an end.

To be carried by more than two-thirds of the members present at the meeting.

The Period of Suspension came to an end and Meeting Procedures resumed at p.m.

RECOMMENDATION

(a) To be determined at the meeting

Moved:

Seconded:

6. MOTION(S)

6.1. With Notice

Nil Submitted

6.2. Without Notice

Meeting closed at p.m.

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