



# Norman Creek Catchment Co-ordinating Committee



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**To protect and enhance the ecosystem within Brisbane's Norman Creek Catchment**

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## **N4C General Meeting Monday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2004**

### **Meeting Commenced at 7.40pm**

Damien took the chair

**Attendance:** Graham Jurott, Paulina Stretton, Leonie Lea, Peter Lello, Damien Madden, Elaine Smith, Councillor Shayne Sutton

**Apologies:** Margie Milgate (President), Tim Wallis (Secretary), Matthew Smith, Carolyn Polson.

Motions could not be passed due to a quorum not being present

### **1. Announcements and Communications**

- NRMSEQ interim funding of \$8,898 inc. GST

### **2. Correspondence: Inwards & Outwards**

**Moved:**                      **Seconded:**

The correspondence was tabled by Damien but could not be passed. Please see attached list.

### **3. Treasurers Report**

**Moved:**                      **Seconded:**

The treasurer's report was tabled by Peter but could not be passed. The report can be seen at the CREEC.

### **4. Administration: amended and Confirm Previous Minutes**

**Moved:**                      **Seconded:**

Tabled but not passed.

## **5. Agenda Items from Actions of Previous Minutes**

### **5.1 DCP Update**

- 102-107 Nicholson St multi unit development N4C's submission  
-Peter has submitted a letter outlining N4C's objections to the development, which include improvements to the hard surface run off, and concerns about the velocity of water exiting from the stormwater outlets.
- Envirofund 2004-2005; 5pm 9<sup>th</sup> July 2004-N4C's grant application  
-Submitted by Damien – Well done!
- SITA Corporate Volunteering @ DCP on 27<sup>th</sup> June update  
-A great success. Had a great day and planted (560) trees, shrubs and groundcovers with ~ 25-30 volunteers.

### **5.2 NRMSEQ –SEQWNM&E Interim Funding Agreement 2 (\$8,998)**

N4C has received interim funding of \$8,898 incl. GST from NRMSEQ as a devolved grant. The funding is through the South East Queensland Waterwatch Network Maintenance and Enhancement component of the NHT Interim Funding Agreement 2.

### **5.3 Clean up Norman Creek project update**

Tony has been busy cleaning out the mangroves and waterways of Norman, Kingfisher, Coorparoo and Bulimba Creeks. Has been receiving help from Damien and other N4C members. Has received Clean up Australia bags from Cnr Shayne Sutton.

### **5.4 Bennetts Rd bushland update (Cllr Shayne Sutton/Leonie Lea)**

BCC has agreed to buy back the land with the State Government paying for the stamp duty incurred. The land will resume to Council in approximately 1 month. This would not have happened without the hard work of Leonie Lea and the support of Maureen Hayes, Shayne Sutton, Pat Purcell and the Lord Mayor. A meeting is scheduled for the 12<sup>th</sup> July to discuss the enhancement of the existing bushland re: community needs, costs etc. Leonie also thanked Damien and N4C for their support.

**Action:** Letter of thanks to Pat Purcell MP, Lord Mayor Campbell Newman, Cnr Maureen Hayes & Cnr Shane Sutton

### **5.5 Tom Collingwood Reserve Landscape Plan & Bushcare Group Submission**

N4C is happy with proposed landscape plan for Tom Collingwood Reserve. The N4C will submit a bushcare application on the site this year on behalf of local community.

### **5.6 DNRM Community Natural Resource Awareness Activity – Date and agenda TBD**

Still to be worked on. Will pass to a management committee meeting.

## **6. BCC Waterways Update**

Patrick was not at tonight's meeting.

## **7. Other News/Business & Bushcare Group Reports.**

**7.1. Brisbane Catchment Network Meeting, 3.00pm to 6.00pm, Friday 30<sup>th</sup> July**

**7.2. Habitat Brisbane Restoration Celebration@ Parkland off Granvill St, Wilston  
9.30am to 1.30pm, 1<sup>st</sup> August 200.**

- E.Smith asked the group if they had any historical information on the Belmont train lines and the quarry (now the GA headquarters) in this area.

**Meeting closed at 8.40pm**

## **N4C Correspondences from the 3<sup>rd</sup> May to 7<sup>th</sup> June 2004 Meetings**

### **Inward Correspondences:**

- Commonwealth Bank Statement 22 May – 22 June 2004.
- Suncorp Metway Bank Statement 23 May – 22 June 2004.
- Suncorp Bank Chequebook.
- Sunsuper contribution return for June 2004.
- ATO BAS for April to June 2004.
- ATO June 2004 – Changed tax rates new PAYE withholding tables.
- Work Cover Qld declaration of wages (31/08/04).
- Smokey Flats Timber Cutting – mulch invoice.
- Office of Fair Trading (24/06/04 – Pat Moxan) Re: N4C's new constitution (1<sup>st</sup> March 2004) registered.
- BCC (11/06/2004 – Sue Finlay) Re: Env .Grant Program ID# 5379 acquitted.
- BCC Restoration Celebration Bushcare invite 1<sup>st</sup> August 2004.
- BCC (21/05/04 – L/M Campbell Newman) Re; Response to N4C letter 12/05/04 new administration 's environmental promises.
- BCC (15/06/04 – L/M Campbell Newman ) Re: Ambulance station /Bennetts Rd Bushland approved by Civic Cabinet.
- BCC (2/06/04 – Cnr Catherine Bermingham) Re: enclosed letter from Ms Cecelia Hodgson.
- BCC (June 2004 – Cnr Helen Abrahams) Re: Friends of SEQ .
- NRMSEQ (24/06/04 – Dr. Adrian Volders) Re: Ltr Advice SEQWNM&E; plus Interim Funding Agreement Contractual Form 2004; Annex A & Annex B.

- NRMSEQ (28/05/04 – Dr. Adrian Volders) Re: Feedback summary & Information Paper # 2 – May 2004.
- NRMSEQ ( 16/06/04 – Dr. Adrian Volders) Re: Set of Action Packages based on the seven key regional forces W/S 21/05/04.
- NRMSEQ Landscape Asset Summary Papers # 3 - 10 3/06/04.
- River Festival 7<sup>th</sup> International River Symposium 31 Aug – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept-04 Info pack.
- Pat Purcell MP (28/05/04) Re: Invite Information Session on Volunteers, Funding & Liability Insurance .
- Sinclair Knights Mertz (22/06/04 – Ellen Davidge) Re: Thanks for ‘Know Your Creek’ booklets.
- Planet Ark (11/06/04 – John Dee) Re: National Tree Day July 25 & CD “All about weeds” April 2004.
- Healthy Waterways “Happenings” newsletter Issue # 7 June 2004.
- DNRM Budget Highlights 2004 –05.
- Australian Pesticide & Veterinary Medicines Authority News 1-2004.
- Arts Academy Centre for Visual Arts Re: Info brochures.
- **Outward Correspondence:**
- N4C Minutes & Agenda.
- L/M Campbell (17/06/04) – Catchment Coordinators issue.
  - Cr David Hinchcliffe, Deputy Mayor, Catchment Councillors for Wards Morningside , East Brisbane, Holland Park, Moorooka & Fairfield
  - Leonie Lee, Bennetts Bush Defenders , Brisbane Catchment Network members & N4C network
- BCC (21/06/04) Re: Lease/Rent of N4C CREEC payment
- Energex (14/06/04) .Re: N4C CREEC payment
- TELSTRA (5/06/04) Phone a/c 3391 4235
- TELSTRA (5/06/04) Phone a/c 3324 8307
- TELSTRA (5/06/04) mobile a/c 0438118580
- EPA Qld Herbarium Report -DCP Eucalyptus Regeneration - payment (14/06/04)
- Smokey Flats Timber Cutting (14/06/04) Invoice payment.
- N4C submission (25/06/04 – Peter Lello) Re: Proposed multi unit development 102 to 107 Nicholson Strteet, Greenslopes.

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