

BAWLEY POINT KIOLOA COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION – SKATE PARK WORKING PARTY

Minutes of Meeting 14 April 2021

Chair, Michael Skwarko opened the meeting at 5.10pm.

Attendance (as per the COVID attendance register): Michael Skwarko, Cec Skwarko, Terry Nicholls, Kathy Clifton, Lucian McDowell, Paula Mullins, Paul Mullins, Shane Leitch, John Kovar, Renee Skwarko, Roger Lucas

Apologies: Carly McTavish

COVID: Members present complied with COVID restrictions in the occupation of the hall and during the meeting.

Minutes of the meeting of 17 March 2021 were adopted.

The Chair announced that Carly McTavish, a financial member of the BPKCA had accepted the request to take the position of secretary of the working party. As Carly cannot take up duties until early May 2021 the Chair asked Roger Lucas to continue as acting secretary.

Sub-committee Terms of Reference: The Chair distributed hard copies of the Terms of Reference to each member

The Chair gave Lucian McDowell the opportunity to table and speak to a document “ANTI-SOCIAL/PRO-SOCIAL” that could be related to skate parks. It was agreed that this type of statement should be inform any mission statement that we develop.

Reports on Key Components of the Project:

SITING (Cec Skwarko)

Members of the sub-committee have had the opportunity to consider all of the potential sites identified at the last meeting.

It was resolved to initially measure each site against the criteria of FAMILY FRIENDLY and ANTI-SOCIAL/PRO-SOCIAL.

On that basis, the following sites were rejected:

- In the Mens Shed grounds
- The Kioloa basketball court
- Watts Reserve
- “Mudholes”
- North end Cormorant Beach
- Private land – land on the eastern side of Murramarang Road between Rosemary Avenue and Malibu Drive
- Private Land – ANU.

The balance of the nominated sites were assessed on the basis of other more detailed assessment criteria set out in the subject document. In order of preference, those sites are:

1. Bawley Beach Reserve adjacent to the toilets
2. Northern (preferably) or Southern end of the Kioloa playing field, subject to the community not losing a standard sized playing field
3. Land to the east of the Bawley Point RFS
4. Land to the west of the Kioloa community hall and tennis courts
5. Land to the south of the Bawley Point boat ramp
6. Adjacent to the Southern boundary of the Mens Shed.

DESIGN (Rory Betts-McCrae, Lucian McDowell)

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION

COUNCIL LIAISON (Mel Croan, Cec Skwarko)

VISITS TO OTHER SITES/LIAISON (Lucian McDowell, John Kovar)

FUNDING (Private and Corporate) (Cec Skwarko)

FUNDING (GRANTS AND GOVERNMENT) (Mel Croan, Roger Lucas)

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT (Terry Nicholls)

TEMPORARY STRUCTURE AND LOCATION

GENERAL BUSINESS

- It was agreed that we should ask the BPKCA to conduct an open forum on the site issue and consider inclusion of any proposals on the BPKCA website asking for comment, after which the proposal would be sent to Council and become a CCB matter
- A discussion took place on the role of members of the sub-committee
- Kathy Clifton stated her intention to resign from the sub-committee

NEXT MEETINGS:

May 12, June 9, July 14, August 11, September 8, October 13, November 10, December 8

MEETING CLOSED 7.45pm