

Minutes

Heritage Advisory Committee

Date: Tuesday, 08.02.2022 (Microsoft Teams Meeting)

Councillors: Cr Edward Crossland (EC) - Chair

Attendance: Alexis Arrowsmith (AAr), Greg Chenhall (GC), Jeffrey Atkinson (JA), Kirsteen Thomson (KT), Laura Campbell (LC), Nina Tory-Henderson (NTH), Ivan Gilbert (IG) - Group Manager, CEO's Office, City of Yarra (CoY), Richa Swarup (RS) - Principal Advisor City Heritage, CoY

Apologies: Cr. Bridgid O'Brien (BOB); Cr Anab Mohamud (AM), Ian Wight (IW), Malcolm MacDonald (MM), Terence Nott (TN), Ursula Chandler (UC).

Guest Speaker- Olivia Allen (OA), Community Arts Officer, CoY

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<p>1. <u>Statement of Recognition of Wurundjeri Land and Welcome</u></p> <p>EC started the meeting with the Statement of Recognition of Wurundjeri Land and welcomed all attendees.</p>	
<p>2. <u>Members present and apologies. Resignation from Janet Taylor</u></p> <p>EC informed HAC about the resignation from Janet Taylor, one of the longest serving members of the HAC. HAC appreciated the significant contributions made by Janet to the committee over the years of and conveyed their thanks.</p>	<p>Action</p> <p><i>That RS send an email to JT conveying HAC's appreciation.</i></p>
<p>3. <u>Confirmation of the minutes of the previous HAC meeting and actions arising</u></p> <p>The minutes of the HAC meeting of 16.12.2021 were adopted unanimously with corrections to the action of item 4 of the minutes which requires removal of the reference of paint controls.</p>	<p>Action</p> <p><i>That RS ensure that the suggested corrections are reflected in the final minutes.</i></p>
<p>4. <u>Heritage Comms</u></p> <p>RS circulated the communications guidelines and timelines to the HAC members and informed that an article in the Yarra News for April Edition would require submission of a storey idea to Yarra's communication team by 15 February.</p> <p>AA and LC suggested that the first article could be on heritage overlays and invited ideas from the other HAC members.</p> <p>EC also informed the members about the Council resolution on the other matters of the Delegates report on the previous HAC Meeting which included the council resolution about writing a letter to real estate agencies operating in Yarra and preparation of information sheets and Dos and Don'ts.</p>	<p>Actions</p> <p><i>That AA sends the storey idea and a small writeup to RS for her onward submission to Communication unit.</i></p>

<p><u>5. Progress on LBGTIQA+ cultural heritage study/recommendations</u></p> <p>OA presented on “Retraces Yarra’s Queer Footprints with Pride” and explained about Yarra’s partnership with Melbourne Pride and the launch of a new iteration of the Queer-ways project by Luciano and Georgia Keats on 13 February.</p> <p>She acknowledged the partnership and the support of Yarra City Council through Yarra City Arts, City Heritage, Community Partnerships and Yarra Libraries on this project and informed that</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Retracing Queer Footprints</i> consists of a multi-modal public artwork as well as a series of self-led walking tours, which will introduce listeners to the queer history and rainbow communities of the City of Yarra. • Listeners will also experience music created for the project by local queer musicians Jennifer Loveless and Maize Wallin. • This project will be permanently maintained by Yarra City Council, so it remains accessible into the future through the Queer-ways website and Yarra City Council website (Yarra Arts, City Heritage and Yarra Libraries pages). <p>OA welcomed the HAC members to participate in the launch on 13th February.</p> <p>HAC were pleased to note the progress on the topic through this project.</p>	<p><u>Action</u></p> <p><i>No specific action needed.</i></p>
<p><u>6. Updates</u></p> <p>RS provided updates on the status of the following topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HC determination on Fairfield Park • WHEA Strategy Plan Heritage Council Hearing Process • Planning Scheme Amendment Am269 • Parliamentary Committee Enquiry on Local Planning – including heritage • Preparation of Inner Circle Railway Land CMP and Masterplan • Recruitment for Heritage Officer (Indigenous Heritage) <p>RS informed the committee that TN had sent his interest in being involved in the discussions for the development of Inner Circle Railway CMP and Masterplan. JA also indicated his interest to be involved in the project consultations and requested to receive the contact details of the officer who would be managing the preparation of the of Inner Circle Railway Land CMP and Masterplan.</p>	<p><u>Action</u></p> <p><i>That RS provide email details the project manager of inner circle railway land CMP and masterplan to JA.</i></p>
<p><u>7. Yarra Heritage Strategy Progress</u></p> <p>It was decided to defer this item to the next meeting.</p>	<p><u>Action</u></p> <p><i>That RS include the item in the next HAC meeting agenda.</i></p>
<p><u>8. Any other matters</u></p> <p>No other matters were raised by the committee</p>	<p><u>Action</u></p> <p><i>No specific action needed.</i></p>

9. Dates for forward meetings and items for discussion:

RS informed that she sent a new meeting schedule to HAC members by email.

HAC recommended to discuss the HAC membership in the next meeting as the current HAC's term is expiring the end of June 2022

Action

Thar RS send the meeting schedule to the HAC members and discuss HAC membership in the next meeting