

| Braidwood Community Association | | | |
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| Meeting Type: General Meeting | Place: Braidwood Servicemen's Club | Date: 27 May 25 | Time: 5.30 pm |
| Committee Present | David Anthony, John Tuckwell, Sarah Leheny, Cathie Owen, Sue Murray | | |
| BCA Members Present | Jan Mason, Annie Chilton, Margaret Tuckwell, Malcolm Bishton, Judy Lawson | | |
| Apologies | Martin Glover, Judy van Rijswijk | | |

| Item | Discussion/Summary/Motion | Motion Moved | Motion Seconded | Vote |
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| <u>Item 1:</u> Welcome and Apologies | Sue welcomed all attendees and performed an Acknowledgement of Country. | | | |
| <u>Item 2:</u> Endorsement of Previous Minutes | Minutes from meeting 15 Apr 25 were emailed to attendees. Tabled and accepted by the meeting. | John Tuckwell | Cathie Owen | |
| <u>Item 3a:</u> Palerang Water Access Charge | See item 4c | | | |
| <u>Item 3b:</u> Community Transport | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cathie Owen reported from the MPS CCC meeting – People can seek transport from the MPS by calling MPS (Sally or Linda) and ask for transport, if available. There is a suggested donation of \$20. This represents a change in procedure, although transport may be limited. • Valmar have offered a fortnightly service. There is a need to book their bus and it is only available on restricted days / hours. \$50 charge for door-to-door service. • There was a suggestion to ask Murrays if they have considered coming through Braidwood in the morning rather than afternoon. | | | |
| <u>Item 3c:</u> Weeds Control in QPRC | No further information from Council or Cr Ross McDonald. | | | |
| <u>Item 4:</u> General Business | | | | |

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| Item 4a: QPRC Community Strategic Plan Consultation | Kitchen table discussion was held and valuable suggestions were made. Council staff have responded and picked up half of the suggestions. John drafted a submission listing the unaccepted suggestions and Sue sent to all councillors for their information and consideration. |
| Item 4b: QPRC Braidwood Community meeting 15 May 25 | John raised the water issue (again). We agreed that BCA raising peoples’ individual issues is not our job and that we should encourage people to come to the meetings and raise their own issues. Discussion centred around how we can get the word out to encourage people to attend – Facebook, local radio, Changing Times. |
| Item 4c: Planning proposal | Planning proposal to reclassify and rezone land at 88 Wallace St, and 41 and 41A Ryrrie St. Report from Public Hearing on 20 May 2025. Council provided information regarding proposed rezoning. The meeting was held to disseminate information to residents. |
| Item 4d: QPRC Integrated Plans 2025- 26 | <p>John reported on issues and takeaways from the Integrated Plans:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water – Braidwood households pay \$573 more than Queanbeyan this financial year. • 15% of total spend being spent on Braidwood projects (Braidwood population 7%). • Roads – big increases from Federal Govt. 2 new road teams rather than the proposed one additional team. • Spending will see a huge increase in debt. • Harmonisation of water charges has been delayed. • Nothing on community transport. • New Braidwood cemetery, heritage control plan, relocation of council depot and redevelopment of site, is not on the agenda for the next four years. |
| Item 4e: QPRC Pedestrian and Cyclists Priorities | The survey is open on Your Voice for consultation. All are encouraged to complete the prioritisation survey. |
| Item 4f: Camping at the Servicemen’s Club | The strip of Caravan parking is Crown Land leased by the club. Complaints have been made by resident about blocking their view and rubbish being left in a household bin. ‘No Camping / No Caravan’ sign has been erected by QPRC. The Club needs to apply for a ‘Primitive Campground’ licence through Crown Lands. Council advise the Club must submit a DA. It was mentioned that there are reputational and economically damaging issues with the ban. David advised that the BCA can’t take sides. Sue explained how the BCA constitution works when it comes to taking positions and voting on support of issues. Sue suggested we wait until next meeting when Rebecca Ryan will be in attendance and more information will be known. |
| Item 5: Any Other Business | |

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| Item 6: Next Meeting | 17 June 2025 – QPRC GM Rebecca Ryan and Mayor Winchester will be our guests. |
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