

<b>Braidwood Community Association</b>			
<b>Meeting Type: General Meeting</b>	<b>Place: Braidwood Servicemen's Club</b>	<b>Date: 19 August 25</b>	<b>Time: 5.30 pm</b>
<b>Committee Present</b>	Sarah Leheny, Cathie Owen, John Tuckwell, Judy van Rijswijk		
<b>BCA Members Present</b>	Margaret Tuckwell, Cr Bill Waterhouse, Cr Mareeta Grundy, Peter van Rijswijk, Mike Duff (QPRC)		
<b>Apologies</b>	Sue Murray, Martin Glover, David Anthony		

<b>Item</b>	<b>Discussion/Summary/Motion</b>	<b>Motion Moved</b>	<b>Motion Seconded</b>	<b>Vote</b>
<b><u>Item 1:</u> Welcome and Apologies</b>	John welcomed all attendees and performed an Acknowledgement of Country.			
<b><u>Item 2:</u> Endorsement of Previous Minutes</b>	Minutes from meeting 17 July 25 were tabled and accepted by the meeting.	John Tuckwell		
<b><u>Item 3:</u> Presentation and discussion on the QPRC Waste Strategy 2025-2045</b>	<p>Josh Hrynko and Toby Browne presented. Strategy is open for consultation until 15 September.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Expansion of opening hours of Waste Transfer Station and buy-back shop is being considered.</li> <li>• NSW govt has made <b>weekly</b> FOGO collection law. QPRC need to ensure weekly collection by June 2030. This should result in red bins being collected fortnightly.</li> <li>• Some areas want garden waste collection (Majors Creek and Araluen)</li> <li>• FOGO is currently sent out of the LGA for processing. A query was raised about the possibility of developing a facility in our LGA as a revenue raising activity (use by other councils).</li> <li>• Replacement of the recycling material separating plant in Hume not due for completion until end 2028. Until then our recycling is taken to Sydney.</li> </ul>			

<b><u>Item 4a:</u> Tree Removal - 119 Wallace St (Albion Hotel site)</b>	Ongoing enquiries about why the elm tree was removed.
<b><u>Item 4b:</u> 88 Wallace St and 41 and 41A Ryrie St</b>	Sue attended a meeting of local community reps where some ideas for development of the D&S site were discussed. Further community consultation is planned. John requested we send Rebecca Ryan a reminder to forward the site contamination report.
<b><u>Item 4c:</u> Camping at the Servicemen’s Club</b>	No further information
<b><u>Item 4d:</u> Community Transport</b>	Emails sent to QPRC and Kristy McBain’s office asking for information about federal funding opportunities.
<b><u>Item 4e:</u> Barriers on Kings Hwy east of town</b>	Emails sent to Steve Whan’s office. No reply yet received.
<b><u>Item 5: General Business</u></b>	
<b><u>Item 5a:</u> Councillor’s report from Cr Bill Waterhouse</b>	See attached.
<b><u>Item 5b:</u> BCA involvement in event planning</b>	BCA is involved in planning for QPRC Christmas Party in Ryrie Park, and for Seniors Week events in March 2026.
<b><u>Item 6:</u> Any Other Business</b>	
<b><u>Item 7:</u> Next Meeting</b>	23 September 2025