

Bangalee Beach Access Reference Group Minutes



MEETING DETAILS

Section:	Engagement and Events	Date:	07 December 2022
Committee Chairperson:	Meegan Armstrong	Group Name:	Bangalee Beach Access Reference Group
Start Time:	4:00pm	Duration:	2 hours
		Location:	Community Room, The HUB

ATTENDANCE RECORD

Name	Name	Name
Meegan Armstrong (Chair)	Helen Schweikert	Ian Doherty (Phone)
Cr Adam Belot	Edwina Roberts	Rebecca French (proxy for Mac Hasler)
Cr Eastwood	Jo Fursman	
Tony Lau	Gavin Nash	

APOLOGIES

Name	Name	Name
Mac Hasler	Gary Hourn	Grant Kerlin
Leise Childs	Brittany Lauga	Neville Zarkovich (QPS)

AGENDA

Agenda Item	Responsible Person	Minutes / Action
WELCOME		
Confirmation of Minutes from previous meeting	Meegan	Minutes confirmed
NAMING OF THE REFERENCE GROUP	Meegan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recent meetings with the general community stating that the beach issues are just to benefit the Bangalee Community, has created a higher number of agitated community members. Current title suggest that this is an access problem when in fact there is a wider issue surrounding the environment and the overall management of Farnborough Beach. Suggestion a change of name to the group to better reflect its purpose. <p>ACTION: change group name to “Farnborough Beach Reference Group” (unanimous vote by Reference Group Members). Meegan to report to Council of proposed change.</p>
NEW BEACH ACCESS PROPOSAL	Tony	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tony provided updated on the feedback received from SARA - All feedback was positive, future progress should not see any triggers at this stage. Develop a masterplan that includes the whole of sandy point road to the National Park (approx. 5km). This will take traffic off the beach and provide an alternative beach access Keep Hinz avenue access open as boat launch access Tourism Act 1989 Tony getting advice on relevant section. Action: Dissect the Act to see who is responsible for what section or get advice from King & Co.

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		<p>ACTION: Reference Group agreed to starting the new proposed 'ALTERNATIVE ACCESS MASTERPLAN' that would include from the roundabout, existing access, Iwasaki Road, Sandy Point Road through to the National Park and the parcel of land for the new access which is 183646m²</p>
Qld International Tourist Centre Agreement Act Repeal Act 1989	Tony	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tony advised the group that this piece of legislation exists, but he hasn't had time to digest it to completely understand it <p>ACTION: Tony to allocate to his team to digest and/or seek clarification from our lawyers King and co</p>
FARNBOROUGH BEACH ROAD CLOSED TRIAL UPDATE	Meegan Tony	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Showed photography footage of vehicles No infringements issued as yet Provided update on the Questions and answers provided on the Get Involved information page Cr Belot noted that historical records indicate that the current beach access was never intended for its current purpose. It was originally used for transport of goods for the sugar mill. The Bangalee Subdivision dates back to 1960. <p>NO ACTION REQUIRED</p>
DES UPDATE	Meegan Tony	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Iwasaki haven't received formal notice of incursions as yet Slide show of endangered species was shown to the group Currently 17 turtle nests have been identified on Farnborough Beach <p>NO ACTION REQUIRED</p>
HINZ AVENUE BEACH ACCESS	Tony	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Currently there is no budget allocation for upgrades to the existing access An inspection occurred on the 5 December by Council and is deemed that no measures are required currently aside from a no pedestrian access, and the ramp should be upgraded in the future when budget permits, though is suitable in the interim. The 'NO PEDESTRIAN ACCESS' signage is being costed back to Operational Budget. All signage at the access will be tidied up when this new sign is installed Group agreed that the access should be upgraded to address the gradient issue and budget should be allocated in future council budgets. <p>ACTION: Infrastructure to allocate capital budget to ramp for future consideration</p>
Iwasaki Update		<p>Mayor & Cr Belot meeting with Iwasaki on the 15th December 2022</p>

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ACTION REGISTER

No.	Action	Actioning Officer	Date completed or to be completed by
1.	Funding Opportunities	LSC	Future Considerations
2.	NAMING OF THE REFERENCE GROUP Anonymous Vote by Reference Group Members Report to Council proposed change of name.	Meegan	Report to Council in January 2023
3.	NEW BEACH ACCESS PROPOSAL <i>Queensland International Tourist Centre Agreement Act Repeat Act 1989</i> Tony to request advice from King & Co to ascertain responsibility of subject areas.	Tony	Thursday 15 December 2022
3.	PROPOSED ALTERNATIVE ACCESS Reference Group agreed to starting the new proposed 'ALTERNATIVE ACCESS MASTERPLAN'	Tony	Draft to be completed to present to Council in January 2023
4.	CURRENT BEACH RAMP Tony to submit beach upgrade to the forward planning budget. Concept will be required for the signage. Concept required for the future upgrade of the ramp.	Tony	Early 2023
5.	Contact Capricorn Enterprises to update their website in regard to beach driving.	Meegan	COMPLETED
6.	Allocated Beach Access Budget for Bangalee Beach Access	Tony Jo	COMPLETED
7.	Discussion with Mark Taylor (0409 632 716)	Meegan	COMPLETED
8.	Total amount of land that is proposed for the new proposed beach access	Tony Jo	COMPLETED
9.	Safety Audit for Bangalee Beach Access to bring it up to fit for purpose	Tony Jo	COMPLETED

Meeting Closed:

5:45pm

Next Meeting Date:

Date to be set in early 2023