



ROADWISE COMMITTEE

MINUTES

SECTION 5.9(2)(c) LGA 1995

The functions of the RoadWise Committee are:

- (1) To provide a structured forum for stakeholders to consider and discuss road safety issues; and*
- (2) To discuss and make recommendation regarding the identification and appropriate counter measures to negative attitudinal, behavioural and environmental factors linked to enforcement, engineering, education, encouragement and evaluation of road safety initiatives.*

Meeting of the RoadWise Committee held in the
Council Committee Room, Lowood Road, Mount Barker WA 6324
2.00pm Thursday 13 August 2020

Paul Sheedy
ACTING CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Committee Members

Cr Len Handasyde, Cr Brett Bell - Local Government Elected members, Mr David Lynch - Manager Works and Services, Mr Carl Beck - RoadWise Officer, Mr Andrew Duffield - Main Roads WA, Sergeant David Johnson - Mount Barker Police, Mr Roger Barrett - Mount Barker Community College, Mrs Elsa Drage - Community Representative, Mr Leon Pitt, Mount Barker Community College Parents and Citizens Association (Resolution No. 208/19), Ms Pauline Hughes, Mount Barker Community College (Resolution No 160/20)

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Presiding Member: Cr L Handasyde

Deputy Presiding Member: Cr B Bell

Membership: Quorum (5)

Cr L Handasyde	Council Representative
Cr B Bell	Council Representative
Cr M O'Dea	Deputy for Cr Handasyde
Cr K Woltering	Deputy for Cr Bell
Mr D Lynch	Executive Manager Works and Services
Mr C Beck	RoadWise Officer
Mr A Duffield	Main Roads WA
Mr B Lenton	Deputy for Mr A Duffield
Sgt D Johnson	Mount Barker Police
Senior Constable K Brown	Deputy for Sgt D Johnson
Ms P Hughes	Mount Barker Community College
Mr W Beck	Deputy for Ms P Hughes
Mrs E Drage	Community Representative
Mr L Pitt	Mount Barker Community College P&C Association
Mr A Fraser	Deputy for the Mount Barker Community College P&C Association

1 DECLARATION OF OPENING / ANNOUNCEMENT OF VISITORS

At 2.00pm, Cr Handasyde declared the meeting open.

2 RECORD OF ATTENDANCE / APOLOGIESAttendance

Cr L Handasyde	Council Representative
Cr B Bell	Council Representative
Mr D Lynch	Executive Manager Works and Services
Mr C Beck	RoadWise Officer
Mr B Lenton	Deputy for Mr A Duffield
Ms P Hughes	Mount Barker Community College
Mrs E Drage	Community Representative
Mr L Pitt	Mount Barker Community College P&C Association

Staff

Ms A Chadbourne	Senior Administration Officer, Works and Services
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Apologies

Sgt D Johnson	Mount Barker Police
Senior Constable K Brown	Deputy for Sgt D Johnson

3 DISCLOSURE OF MEMBERS' INTERESTS

Part 5, Division 6, Local Government Act 1995

Nil.

4 CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

Moved Cr B Bell, Seconded Mrs E Drage;

That the minutes of the Meeting of the RoadWise Committee, held on Thursday 11 June 2020 be taken as read and adopted as a correct record.

CARRIED

5 REPORTS OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS AND OFFICERS**5.1 SAFE SPEEDS****6.1.1 COURTESY SPEED DISPLAY SIGNS (CSDS)**

Loan CSDS (WALGA) are due to arrive by the end of August.

The following locations were suggested:

- Albany Highway - between the school crossing and the northern Woogenellup Road roundabout;
- Albany Highway – south side of town where the 90km/h zone changes down to 60km/h;
- Oatlands Road; and
- Muir Highway western approach to Woogenellup Road roundabout;
- Lowood Road – between the fire station and the fuel station.

5.2 SAFE ROAD USE

5.2.1 DRIVER REVIVER

The Committee discussed the upcoming Driver Reviver (DR) to be held on Friday 25 September 2020 at the pull-in bay on the east side of Albany Highway just north of Cranbrook (usual site).

The following was agreed for the event:

- Mrs Drage would organise the volunteer roster;
- The DR would be ready to start around 1.00pm and run until midnight demand permitting;
- Ensure enough supplies;
- More focus on advertising ahead of the event; and
- Consideration given to a sign further north on Albany Highway advising of the site ahead – at Kojonup or Tunney.

5.2.2 BLESSING OF THE ROADS CAMPAIGN

To be kept on the Agenda for planning for 2021.

5.2.3 MOUNT BARKER CRC – ROAD SAFETY AWARENESS EVENT

A request was received from the Mount Barker Community Resource Centre for a member of the RoadWise Committee to act as a Master of Ceremonies at an upcoming Road Safety awareness event. See Attachment One.

Sgt Johnson from the Mount Barker Police had advised he was happy to take on the role.

5.3 SAFE ROADS AND ROADSIDES

No report for this meeting.

6 AGENCY REPORTS

6.1 ROADWISE

See report from Mr Beck at Attachment Two.

Mr Beck highlighted the following points from his report:

- The Great Southern region has experienced less road fatalities at this time of year compared to last year;
- Advertising around the SLOMO campaign;
- Cranbrook Road Safety Forum to be held in November 2020; and
- RAC to run a caravan towing education event in Albany on Sunday 18 October 2020.

6.2 MAIN ROADS WA

Mr Lenton reported on the following:

- \$14 million had been allocated for shoulder sealing over four years which would involve sections on Chester Pass Road, Muir and Albany Highways and Great Southern Highway;
- Stop, Revive Survive signs had been installed to encourage motorists to take a break in Plantagenet at Sturdee and Beattie Roads; and
- Work was continuing on South Coast Highway and would continue until the end of this year.

6.3 MOUNT BARKER POLICE

Both representatives were apologies for the meeting.

6.4 SHIRE OF PLANTAGENET

Mr Lynch advised that some eastern sections of Chillinup Road would be widened and sealed by Main Roads due to the use of the road as a detour. Mr Lynch thanked Main Roads for the work which would take place in 2020/2021.

Mr Lynch reported he had no success to date in sourcing a caravan for use at Driver Reviver events. He would keep looking.

6.5 MOUNT BARKER COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Ms Hughes reported that the parent/student drop-off system at the school was working well. She also reported the school had a number of 10km/h advisory signs which was keeping vehicle speed low.

6.6 COMMUNITY MEMBER

Mrs Drage advised she had nothing to report at this meeting.

7 NEXT MEETING

Thursday 15 October 2020 at 2.00pm

8 MEETING CLOSURE

At 2.55pm, Cr Handasyde closed the meeting.

Presiding Member

Date

ATTACHMENT ONE
