

Meeting of the Cooks River Alliance Executive Committee

Wednesday 12 June, 2013, 4.30pm

Canterbury Council Mayoral Offices

Meeting Minutes

Attendance

Alliance Chair, Cllr Brian Robson, Canterbury City Council

David Dekel, Rockdale City Council

Cathy Jones, Strathfield Council

Jim Frazer, Marrickville Council

Chris Hudson, Cooks River Alliance

Apologies

Alliance Deputy Chair, Cllr Philip Sansom, Rockdale City Council

General Business

- Chair Cllr Robson unable to attend 26 June 2013 Alliance Board meeting, due to a Mayors' meeting
- Cllr Robson to request Deputy Chair Cllr Samson chair the 26 June meeting
- Cllr Robson to consider raising support for a Container Deposit System at the Mayors' meeting
- Chris Hudson to telephone Board members to remind them of the Board meeting
- Cllr Robson to request Cllr Asfour nominate an alternate representative for Bankstown

Board Meeting Papers

The meeting accepted the Board papers for the 26 June as proposed, subject to the following amendments:

- Letters of advice to Community Representative applicants to come from the Chair, Cllr Robson
- All Community Representative applicants to be invited to Board Meetings, as observers
- The Alliance to consider forming some type of Community Reference Panel, comprised of applicants

'Green Army' Report

The meeting endorsed the report, and approved the following recommendation to the Executive on the 'Green Army':

That the Cooks River Alliance decline an invitation from Strathfield resident Dr. Amit Chanan for the Alliance to participate in a proposal for a 'Green Army' to work on the Cooks River, on the basis that it is not a current government program and cannot be considered or evaluated in its current form.

ACTION: Project Manager to send letter of advice to Dr Chanan
