



# Gibson Park Precinct

## Minutes of Gibson Park Precinct Meeting

Tuesday 24th April, 2012

The Library E. Fremantle Primary School – Forrest Street, Fremantle

Attendance : 4 persons

Apologies : Brendan Redfern, Ron & Jill Kawalilak, Gerald & June Shepperson, Annolies Truman, Gaye Page Burt, Valerie Cousins & Judy Moore.

Minutes of Previous Meeting : Accepted as read.

Meeting Chair Person : Alison Bullock

Meeting opened : 7.05 pm.

**Correspondence :** - Resident requesting information whether the proposed High St upgrade plans 4 & 4A have been endorsed by Main Roads to proceed with either of the 2 proposals. Meeting held outside library because lock was changed. Karl to pick up new key. Council believed GPP meeting cancelled and informed the Gazette because details had not been put up on Freospace by the secretary (that's me !)

### Items on the Agenda :-

- 1). Update to High St Upgrade + community consultations :-** Annolise met with Brad Pettitt who was in touch with Main Roads. They are amenable to a less sweeping curve but must go back to DoT. Council to meet again on May 25<sup>th</sup>. After that there will be more community consultation. Construction expected to happen Mid 2014. Alison to come on board on Freospace; asked Barry to write a paragraph.
- 2). Air Quality Assessment Project :-** “out of the blue”, Curtin Uni want a test carried out of all pollutants including particulates. Plan to use a front yard from which the air will be monitored for 1 week in July 2012, results in August.....followed by another test in January 2013, results in February (just before the elections in March '13)
- 3). Sheep Ships :-** Discussed what can be done. Animal Rights were at the gates. Should a letter be written to Council, given that there have been protests happening. Acknowledged that farmers depend on the trade for their livelihood. Discussed how the stench affects the community, causing economic problems. Need to find a way that doesn't impinge on community eg. consider Rail. Also to be considered is cruelty conditions for the sheep eg. pregnant sheep giving birth on boats, throwing overboard any sheep with broken legs.
- 4). Ongoing maintenance – Holland St / Stirling Hwy crossing :-** Discussed that ongoing maintenance is required at this crossing. There are branches growing on the West side that are a danger. If travelling East, drivers can't see properly. Loppers needed. Contact “Parks and Gardens”. Barry said he would ring them later this week.



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**General Business :-**

**Meeting closed : 7.25 pm.**

**Next Meeting : ..... Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2012**

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