SOUTH BONDI / TAMARAMA PRECINCT MEETING

Wednesday 24 February 2021

Held by Zoom at 7pm

1. Welcome and apologies

The Chair, Ludovico Fabiano, delivered the Acknowledgement of Country and welcomed all to the meeting.

Present: 17 residents, incl. Council officers; Clr T Kay.

Apologies: G. Bullivant, Clr Marjorie O'Neill, Clr G. Copeland,

2. Guest speakers-Calum Hutcheson& Paul Cai-proposal for a one-way road system and alternative pedestrian route on the Bondi to Bronte coastal walk

Cal presented Council's proposal for a one-way road system, answered residents' queries and noted the issues residents raised. Issues were raised primarily by residents affected by Dellview St becoming a one-way street. It was of particular concern that residents in Dellview St and Gaerloch Ave did not receive Council's communication about the intended changes and Council's consultation. Cal will ensure a letter drop in the area, trying for this Friday and seek an extension of the survey consultation period, which was originally scheduled to close on 28 February.

Cal advised that in regard to General Business item 1. Proposal for Creation of CASTLEFIELD PARK (Bissera Dikova) Mary Shiner had asked him to advise that a petition by residents has to be put forward to Council to action on this proposal.

Ludovico then invited Bissera to introduce the Proposal for a creation of Castlefield Park. Bissera outlined the vision for the park, Clr Kay sought clarification of parts of the proposal and outlined what Council needs to do and can't do. Residents will work on getting the petition together.

3. Council's Community Composting Program

Ludovico reported on Council's Community Composting Program and provided the link to the relevant Website.

4. Minutes of previous meeting & Matters arising

The previous meeting was held some time ago and there were no matters arising.

5. Reports – Updates on Development Applications, Traffic Issues

No reports report were presented.

6. General Business

Johannes Geppert local Bondi artist proposal 'The Lighthouse - there is light'

Johannes presented a flyer and a proposal for a possible opening exhibition in the new Bondi Pavilion Art Gallery with focus of the pandemic on health and well-being especially of Bondi's youth; the topic and the impact of the pandemic were discussed.

Precinct members then passed the following motion:

Council to investigate the proposal to create an Art and Photographical exhibition that responds to the Corona Virus pandemic that has impacted our nation, with focus of the exhibition on inspiring our community and youth to take part or enrol in outdoor mental health and well-being programs.

Michelle offered to work with Johannes on this topic.

Michelle reported that a resident sharing a fence with council lane ways at Jackaman and Watson street was seeking clarification if Council was responsible with the upkeep of these fences.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.50 pm