

Queen Mary Gardens Advisory Committee Meeting, 2nd October 2024

Present Lyn Box, Dorothy Patton, Deirdre Freeman, Ros Small

Apologies Brenda Proctor, Sharon Sheppard, Jo Hamilton, Janelle Patching, Cr. Eddy Ostarcevic

As there were insufficient committee members attending to form a quorum, an informal discussion followed:

Minutes from previous meeting should be amended to state that the height of the hedge should be 1.2 rather than 1.5m.

Size of the committee could be increased to 11 members, rather than 9 as it is currently.

Play Area. The application for a grant of \$4,400 from the Bulgana wind farm has been successful for the purchase of the Xylophone and McKenzies transport have said that they could deliver it for about \$345, leaving only around \$290 to be funded by the Friends. Janelle has informed Tony Dark of this and asked what we need to do to start some progress on this project.

Signage in the Gardens. There has been no further action from Tina Baker on proposed signage.

Proposed pedestrian crossing in Kings Avenue will reduce the parking spaces in that area by about 10. This will be detrimental to both the gardens and the Shire Café.

Working Bee planned for Saturday 5th October has been cancelled as it coincides with Show Day. The next working bee will be on Saturday 2nd November.

Next Meeting Wednesday 4th December