

# MINUTES OF THE KIAMA LOCAL TRAFFIC COMMITTEE MEETING

commencing at 9.00am on

# **TUESDAY 4 MAY 2021**

Council Chambers 11 Manning Street, KIAMA NSW 2533

# MINUTES OF THE KIAMA LOCAL TRAFFIC COMMITTEE HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, KIAMA ON TUESDAY 4 MAY 2021 AT

**PRESENT:** Councillor M Honey (Mayor) (Chairman), Craig Gray (NSW Police Representative), Darrell Clingan (Local Member's Representative), Mark Way (Councillor), Darren Brady (Acting Director Engineering and Works), Rob Ingold (Council Ranger) and Alyson Hodgekiss (Minutes)

## 1 APOLOGIES

Andy Gaudiosi (Transport for NSW Representative), Janelle Burns (Kiama Council Road Safety Officer), Billy Wang (Acting Manager Design and Development)

### 2 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF TRADITIONAL OWNERS

The Mayor declared the meeting open and acknowledged the traditional owners:

"On behalf of those present, I would like to show my respect and acknowledge the traditional owners of the Land, of Elders past and present, on which this meeting takes place, and extend that respect to other Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people present."

# **3** CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

#### 3.1 Kiama Local Traffic Committee Meeting on Tuesday 6 April 2021

#### 21/017LTC

**Resolved** that the Minutes of the Kiama Local Traffic Committee Meeting held on 6 April 2021 be received and accepted.

(Member Darrell Clingan and Member Craig Gray)

### 4 BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

Nil

# 5 REPORT OF RMS DELEGATED FORMAL ITEMS

#### 5.1 Permanent loading zone – Blowhole Point Road, Kiama

#### 21/018LTC

**Resolved** that approval be given to converting the current temporary Loading Zone fronting the Visitor Information Centre on Blowhole Point Road, Kiama into a permanent Loading Zone.

(Member Darrell Clingan and Member Craig Gray)

#### 5.2 Proposed No parking Zone – Manning Street Kiama

#### 21/019LTC

**Resolved** that the Committee endorse the revised signage plan provide in Attachment 1 of this report for a no parking zone to be created from 5am to 8.30am Monday to Friday for frontage of 48 Manning Street, Kiama.

(Member Craig Gray and Member Darrell Clingan)

#### 6 GENERAL BUSINESS

# 6.1 Traffic safety at the corner of Bridges Road and Rowlins Road, Gerringong

DC advised that he has received an email from a resident in 55 Bridges Road, regarding the corner of Bridges Road and Rowlins Road Gerringong. It is claimed that drivers heading north along Rowlins Road onto Bridges Road, are wandering to the wrong side of the road. The resident advised that the signage at the intersection is extremely faded, but the line marking is fine.

DC advised that the issue appears to be driver behaviour, and that traffic need to stay legally on the left hand side of the road. DC is to forward the email to Council, and also send in a request to upgrade the current signage.

#### 6.2 Request for No Parking for Ritchie Place, Minnamurra

MW requested that Ritchie Place become a 'no parking zone', near the entrance to Bike Skills track. RI advised that children that are being dropped off to the bike track, will be dropped off in the actual car park, not in Ritchie Place. DB will investigate this proposal and report in future meetings.

#### 6.3 Intersection at Federal Street and Charles Avenue, Minnamurra -

MH referred to a cyclist accident that occurred on Federal Street and Charles Avenue, Minnamurra in February 2021. DB advised that Council are deploying traffic counters to collect speed data, before investigating options for this intersection. RI advised that narrowing the southern lane of the road could cause more safety issues for vehicles, as it is already quite a tight turn to get into Federal Street from Charles Avenue. MH advise to wait for the data before a decision is made.

#### 6.4 Police presence - Kiama Primary School

RI asked CG if there is a possibility of more police being present at Kiama Primary School, at drop off and pickup time, and when the police will be doing their information day at the school. CG advised that rangers need to book the education day in. DB advised that JB has had a meeting recently with the School P & C, and has a detailed report from one of the members, with ideas of how to overcome the current issues. RI and DB agreed that 'no parking' zones within school hours will help to alleviate the issues, and will allow a better flow of traffic. Council is reviewing the report at the moment, with a report expected to go to the June Committee Meeting.

## 7 CLOSURE

There being no further business the meeting closed at 9.33am

These Minutes were confirmed at the Ordinary Meeting of Council held on 1 June 2021

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Mayor

**Director Engineering & Works**