

# Wagait Shire Emergency Management Recovery Committee

## Draft Minutes

### Meeting Date

7 December 2016 at 6.30pm

### Venue

Wagait Shire Community Centre

### Attendance

Chris Tyzack, Peter Clee, Nic Barclay, Barry Demasson, Deb Allen, Chris Tyzack

### Apologies

Fred Gillis, Ian Hinchliffe, Kym Dye, Lorna Manning

### Previous Minutes

Minutes of meeting 19 October agreed.

### Business Arising/Action arising from previous minutes

- Finalise community resource list – Chris
- People needing support in event of emergency - discussion
- Community Notice board - Peter

### General Business

Community Resource list was discussed and some updates made. The document has been amended and presented at this meeting. Barry advised there is now a second electrician in the community and another with "b class" licence.

There was general discussion of the need to be aware of groups and individuals that may need some extra support in the event of a cyclone/emergency occurring. They generally fall into 2 categories, older alone/ incapacitated persons and young families.

Peter advised that the 35 m CB tower that has been dismantled and currently at back of council block will need funding for reconstruction and this will be a longterm project. He did advise it would appear council has received funds (\$4000) for the additional equipment needed and he plans to put this on a temporary tower. It will provide a very valuable communications resource once available.

Peter advised the group that council was considering a sandwich type notice board but had recently considered again an electronic one due to less labour involved in changing the signage. He will follow up with pricing. This group agreed in May 2016 that a community notice board (electronic) would provide an excellent means of communications.

### New Business

The group confirmed availability over Christmas period  
Nic talked about black spot funding for a communications tower going into Bynoe.  
Pater said he knew about it and though location would be useful.

### Business arising from this meeting

- Community Notice board – Peter
- Funding for reconstruction of CB tower - Peter
- Availability list - Chris

### Next meeting

The next meeting - Wednesday 8 February 2017 at 6.30.