

KANGAROO ISLAND

MARINE PARK LOCAL ADVISORY GROUP

RECORD OF MEETING

Meeting No. 2: Thursday, 3 June 2010 at Kingscote, KI

The objectives of Marine Park Local Advisory Groups (MPLAG) are to:

Facilitate effective communications between the Department for Environment and Heritage (DEH) and regional communities and to assist in the development of draft marine park management plan using the design principles.

Members present

John Lavers (Chair) Graeme Connell, Graham Walden, Tony Geyer, Matthew Ingram, Terry Lehmann, Bevan Patterson, Ken Rowe, Che Spruyt, Mary-Alice Ballantine-Swan, Cherie Tyley, Bruce Weatherspoon, Kate Venerables (vice Fraser Vickery)

DEH staff Bill Hadrill, Phil Hollow, Robyn Morcom, Kate Clements

Apologies Andrew Gilfillan, Fraser Vickery, Dr Margi Prideaux

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- The Chair welcomed Kate Venerables (proxy for Fraser Vickery) and two members of the gallery
 - Minutes from meeting one were adopted with some changes.
 - Two letters addressed to MPLAG chairs were received and one email from absent member (and Chair) Andrew Gilfillan. Phil to provide a written response to MPLAG members regarding this correspondence.
 - SAMPIT map data was displayed and discussed. Members broke into groups to review the maps of the four marine parks around KI to ensure accuracy, identify gaps and indicate priority areas. SAMPIT data is still being received by DEH for entry onto maps.
 - DEH staff gave a presentation on the marine park management planning process; the policy commitments and the design principles. Worksheets, seeking local information relating to issues, threats, impacts and opportunities were distributed so that members could contribute to park management planning. Robyn Morcom will be available to assist MPLAG members. These are due back on 25 June 2010. It is to be stressed that these management plans will be in draft form with considerable community consultation still to occur
 - The date of the next meeting is expected to be late July or early August but will be confirmed with members by mail and promoted on the Marine Parks website:

<http://marineparkssa.ning.com/page/local-advisory-groups>