SIR JOSEPH BANKS GROUP

MARINE PARK LOCAL ADVISORY GROUP

RECORD OF MEETING

Meeting No. 3: Thursday, 18 November 2010

Tumby Bay Senior Citizens Club

The objectives of Marine Park Local Advisory Groups (MPLAG) are to facilitate effective communications between the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) and regional communities and assist in the development of draft marine park management plan.

Members present: Dion Watson (Chair), Greg Palmer, Paul Harrison, James Brook (proxy for Julie Pettett), Brian Wilkins, Wayne Goedecke, Barry Power, Tom Tierney, Steve Pocock (proxy for Matt Waller), Darryl Evans (proxy for David Ellis).

DEH staff: Simon Clark, Shelley Harrison, Dirk Holman, Henry Rutherford.

Apologies / absent: Julie Pettett, Julie Elliot, Julie Fischer, John Holland, Kevin Malaxos, Darren Tressider, David Ellis, Matt Waller.

Gallery: 15 present.

Members advise that the following outcomes were achieved at the meeting:

- Preliminary sanctuary zone scenarios in the Sir Joseph Banks Group Marine Park were presented as a starting point for discussion.
- Comments were:
 - General discussion about the size of the sanctuary zones is a key issue, considered too large. Lack information backing the size of the zones. Motion recorded in Minutes.
 - Suggestions of possible zoning discussed and alternatives put forth, not in place of 25 %.
- Issues:
 - Size of the sanctuary zones is a key issue, considered too large. Lack information backing the size of the zones. Motion recorded in Minutes.
 - Commitment from MPLAG members to go back to their community networks to discuss the possible sanctuary zones and provide feedback.

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