



Minutes

Community Development
Committee

Tuesday 8 January 2019

Lithgow City Council

Committee Room

4.00 – 5.00 pm

Community Development Committee	
Item Number	Agenda
1	Welcome, Present & apologies
2	Previous Minutes
3	Business Arising from Previous Minutes
4	Australia Day Awards
5	Adventure Playground Name

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Present: Clr Coleman, Clr Statham, Rachael Young, Bryan Williamson, Leanne Walding and Glenda Anthes

Apologies: Paul Phillips

Officers: Matthew Johnson and Rebecca Dallwitz

Declaration of Interests: NIL

ITEM: 2 PREVIOUS MINUTES

The minutes of the 13 November 2018 meeting were endorsed by three members present and reported to Council on 26 November 2018.

ACTION

THAT

The endorsement of the previous minutes by three members present and their reporting to Council on 26 November 2018 be noted.

MOVED: Bryan Williamson

SECONDED: Rachael Young

ITEM: 3 BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

3.1. Financial Assistance

Council resolved on 26 November 2018 to provide \$26,985 Round 2 Non-Recurrent Financial Assistance to 7 projects with the following 5 projects deferred for further consideration early in 2019:

CWA – Wallerawang Lidsdale Branch Rate Reimbursement
Capertee Progress Association Hall Improvement and Repairs
One Mob Deadly Dance & Didge Days
Wallerawang Kids Club Rent waiver
Lithgow Area Women’s Shed

Further information is being obtained from these organisations with their applications to be reconsidered by the Committee at the next meeting.

ACTION

THAT The discussion on Business Arising from the Previous Minutes be noted.

MOVED: Clr Statham

SECONDED: Leanne Walding

ITEM: 4 AUSTRALIA DAY AWARDS

SUMMARY

The Committee considered the nominations received for the 2019 Australia Day Awards

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COMMENTARY

Nominations have been received as follows:

Category	Nominees	Awarded to
Young Volunteer of the Year	Elyse Hudson	Elyse Hudson
Open Volunteer of the Year	Sue Murdoch	Sue Murdoch
Young Citizen Achievement	Emily Bennett	Emily Bennett
Open Citizen Achievement	Ramsay and Suzie Moodie	
	Helen and Sharon Riley	Helen and Sharon Riley
Service to the Community – Organisation	Lithgow Highland Pipe Band	Lithgow Highland Pipe Band
Recognition of Outstanding Event of the year	Lithgow Chapter of the Eastern Star 900 th anniversary event	
	Resilience Music Festival 2018	Resilience Music Festival 2018
	Scottish Heritage of Lithgow – Family History Society	

RECOMMENDATION TO COUNCIL

THAT Council:

Note the awarding of the 2019 Australia Day Awards.

MOVED: Glenda Anthes

SECONDED: Bryan Williamson

ITEM: 5 NAMING OF THE NEW ADVENTURE PLAYGROUND

SUMMARY

Council called for suggestions from the community for naming the new adventure playground.

COMMENTARY

Council called for name nominations from the public, including schools for consideration by the Community Development Committee and then for recommendation to Council. Nominations closed on 19 December 2018.

A number of suggestions were received and considered by the Community Development Committee.

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The Committee considered all nominations and resolved not to endorse these but to instead recommend the naming of Lithgow Adventure Playground. Being a regional level park that aims to attract visitation from outside the LGA, the Committee considered that it is important to include the words Lithgow and adventure in the name.

The naming of the playground does not require the endorsement of the Geographical Names Board (GNB) but does need to undertake in accordance with GNB place naming guidelines. The naming guidelines include that names should be easy to pronounce, spell and write and preferably not exceed 3 words of 25 characters.

The Geographical Names Board has further advised that Endeavour Park is not officially assigned in the geographic names register. Accordingly the Community Development Committee recommends that Council request that the Geographical Names Board of NSW gazette the official naming of Endeavour Park.

RECOMMENDATION TO COUNCIL

THAT Council:

1. Endorse the official naming of the new adventure playground as Lithgow Adventure Playground and advise the Geographical Names Board of NSW of such.
2. Further request that the Geographical Names Board of NSW gazette the official naming of Endeavour Park.

MOVED: Clr Statham

SECONDED: Glenda Anthes

Meeting Closed 4:32pm

Next Meeting 4:00pm Tuesday 12 February 2019