

Minutes

Crime Prevention Committee Meeting Date: Monday 23 November 2020 Venue: Committee Room Time: 4:00 pm

Lithgow Crime Prevention Committee				
Item Number	Agenda			
1	Present and Apologies			
2	Previous Minutes			
3	Business Arising from Previous Minutes			
4	Police Report			
5	Dog Attack			
6	General Business			

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ITEM: 1 PRESENT AND APOLOGIES

Present: Clr Coleman, Clr Goodwin, Acting Inspector Nigel Howard, Kath Compton, Danny Whitty and Jeff Smith.

Apologies: Jill Cusack

Officers: Matthew Johnson

Declaration of Interests: nil

ACTION

THAT The Present and Apologies and Declarations of Interest be noted.

MOVED: Clr Goodwin SECONDED: Danny Whitty

ITEM: 2 PREVIOUS MINUTES

SUMMARY

The previous minutes from 28 September 2020 were endorsed by three members present and will be reported to Council on 23 November 2020.

ACTION

That the reporting of the previous minutes to Council on 23 November 2020 be noted.

MOVED: Kath Compton SECONDED: Danny Whitty

ITEM: 3 BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

Nil

ITEM: 4 POLICE REPORT

SUMMARY

A report was provided by the Police on local crime and policing activities.

COMMENTARY

Acting Inspector Howard provided the following information on current crime data for Lithgow Command:

Number of Recorded Incidents

	September 2020	October 2020	November 2020
Assault	2	1	3
Domestic	8	3	8
Violence related			
assault			

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	September 2020	October 2020	November 2020
Break and Enter	3	2	0
dwelling Drug	6	12	4
Possession	Ŭ	12	'
Stolen Motor vehicle	0	1	2

Number of Reactive and Proactive Initiatives by Police

	September 2020	October 2020	November 2020
Reactive	66	63	52
Proactive *	92	171	99

^{*} Includes Bail and AVO compliance checks and stop and search.

Other Matters

The Police are targeting AVO compliance during October/November and implementing a Summer Safe program targeting licensed premises, waterways and public places.

The Police reported that the October long weekend was much quieter than usual due to the Covid restrictions on camping at Mt Panorama.

Hospitality venues are now required to have Covid sign in apps for guests.

There will be an additional Police officer on duty Friday and Saturday nights during Summer Time.

Police will be targeting graffiti tagging

There have been recurring incidents of graffiti and rubbish dumping and unauthorised camping at Maiyingu Marragu

ACTION

THAT The Police Report be noted

MOVED: Acting Inspector Howard SECONDED: Jeff Smith

ITEM: 5 DOG ATTACKS

SUMMARY

A recent report of a dog attack was referred to the Police for follow-up

COMMENTARY

Clr Coleman referred a dog attack matter that had been reported to her to the Police for follow up.

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ACTION

THAT

That a referral of a recent dog attack matter to the Police be noted

MOVED: Jeff Smith SECONDED: Kath Compton

ITEM: 6 GENERAL BUSINESS

Nil

Meeting Closed 5:00pm

Next meeting: To be advised