

The 55th Annual General Meeting of the National Trust of Australia (WA) was held on: 12 November 2014

Held at:

The Perth Medical & Health Department Offices (former) 57 Murray Street, Perth

MINUTES

1. General Welcome

The Master of Ceremonies, Enzo Sirna, AM Deputy Chief Executive Officer welcomed members to the 55th Annual General Meeting and acknowledged the Traditional custodians of this land, of elders past and present and also respectfully acknowledged the contributions of Aboriginal Australians and non-Aboriginal Australians in this country in which we live and share.

On behalf of the National Trust of Australia (WA) he also acknowledged the special guests present at the AGM, .as well as Members, Volunteers, Staff and Friends.

2. Welcome to Country

A Welcome to Country was presented by Ms Irene Stainton, Aboriginal Elder.

3. Special Appreciation Award Presentation

Tom Perrigo, presented to Irene Stainton, a Certificate of Appreciation for her work with the National Trust Aboriginal Advisory Group.

4. Opening of AGM Meeting

The Members of the National Trust of Australia (WA) were advised that the necessary quorum was present to permit the meeting to proceed and as such the President of the National Trust of Australia (WA), Mr Max Kay AM CitWA, formally opened the 55th Annual General Meeting at 5.40pm.

5. Present

57 Members were noted as being present.

6. Apologies

The Secretary, Ms Helen Cogan was called upon to inform the meeting of 8 apologies which were received and duly noted.

Hon John Cowdell AM

Gregory Boyle

Hon Michael Murray AM QC

Roy Ellis

Dave Shaw

Don Young

Halina Krapez

Seonaid MacKay

It was noted that the following members sent through late apologies:

Dr Robyn Taylor

Prof Jenny Gregory AM

Hon Cheryl Edwards

It was also noted Mr Geoff Moor advised he would be running late.

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7. Notice of Meeting

The President informed the AGM that the Notice of Meeting was provided to all members in a timely manner according to the Trust's protocols, and also appeared in the early summer edition of the National Trust of Australia (WA) News and on the National Trust website.

8. Minutes of Previous AGM

A copy of the Minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting held on Wednesday 13 November 2013 was provided to Members.

Resolved

That the Minutes of the 2013 Annual General Meeting of the National Trust of Australia (WA) held on Wednesday 13 November 2013 at the Constitutional Centre of Western Australia, cnr Havelock Street and Parliament Place, West Perth, be certified as a true and accurate record.

Moved: Max Hipkins Seconded: Fiona Bush

CARRIED

9. Presentation of Reports

a) Presentation of Annual Report

The President of the National Trust of Australia (WA), Mr Max Kay AM CitWA, presented the President's Report for 2013/14 and the Annual Report for adoption.

Resolved

The President's Report by received and the Annual Report 2013-14 be adopted.

Moved: Roger Jennings **Seconded:** Max Hipkins

CARRIED

b) Presentation of the Financial Statements

The Treasurer of the National Trust of Australia (WA), Mr Grant Godfrey, spoke about the Financial Statements for 2013/14 confirming that the statements received an unqualified report from the Auditor General. He also provided an overview of the National Trust's financial position.

Resolved

The National Trust of Australia (WA) Financial Statements for the year ended 2013/14, be received and adopted.

Moved: Fiona Bush **Seconded:** Gae See

CARRIED

c) Presentation of CEO's Report

The Chief Executive Officer of the National Trust of Australia (WA), Mr Thomas E Perrigo, presented the CEO's Report for 2013/14.

CARRIED



d) Special Tribute:

Tom Perrigo called for a moment of reflection for the passing in the last year of three Councillors of the National Trust. Peggy Clarke, Rosalind Lawe-Davies and David Liggins.

10. Announcement of Elected Councillors 2014

In accordance with Trust Rules amendment no.7 nominations were called from the membership to fill six vacant positions. The call for nominations was advertised in the West Australian on Friday 18 July 2014 advising that nominations would open on Friday 8 August, 2014. Five nominations were received by the closing date on Friday 22 August 2014.

There were five nominations for six available positions. As such no election was required. The following five nominees were elected for a three year term expiring November 2017:

- i. Gregory Boyle
- ii. Helen Cogan
- iii. Ken Collins
- iv. Christine Lewis
- v. Roger Jennings

Congratulations were extended to these Councillors who commenced their appointment at the conclusion of the Annual General Meeting.

11. Retiring Councillors

This year saw the retirement of the following Councillor:

Fiona Bush

Resolved

A vote of thanks to be given to the above mentioned retiring Councillor.

Moved: Max Hipkins Seconded: Nick Drew

CARRIED

12. Notice of Motions

No Notices of Motion were received.

13. General Business

14. Closure of AGM Meeting

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 6.10pm.

15. Awards Presentation

The Master of Ceremonies, Mr Enzo Sirna AM, Deputy Chief Executive Officer, invited the President of the National Trust of Australia (WA), Mr Max Kay AM CitWA to present the Volunteer Awards.

National Trust Volunteer Recognition Awards are presented annually to volunteers for outstanding service to our organisation. Volunteers are vital to the National Trust. They provide knowledge, expertise and knowhow in the operation our organisation and work



tirelessly for the cause of sharing heritage with our communities and all Western Australians for the benefit of generations.

The following awards were presented:

McLarty Awards - In recognition of your support and contribution to the National Trust of Australia (WA) for over 5 years.

Halina Krapez Woodbridge

Seonaid MacKay Old Farm, Strawberry Hill Anastasia Brown Peninsula Farm (Tranby) Max Hipkins Council and Executive Shirley Babis East Perth Cemeteries

Nola Dickson Woodbridge

Sybil McCaughey Peninsula Farm (Tranby)

Dr Michael Wheatley Council

Peter King Finance & Audit Committee

Elizabeth Mills Woodbridge

Forrest Awards - In recognition of your support and contribution to the National Trust of Australia (WA) for over 10 years.

Geoffrey Moor Council & Classification Standing Committee

Krystyna Curtis Peninsula Farm (Tranby)
Christina Ing Peninsula Farm (Tranby)
Dave Shaw Old Farm, Strawberry Hill

Frederick Ellis

Keith Jarvis

No 8 Pump Station

No 1 Pump Station

No 1 Pump Station

Roger Jennings No 1 Pump Station, Council, Education

Don Young No 1 Pump Station

Stirling Award - In recognition of your support and contribution to the National Trust of Australia (WA) for over 15 years.

Pamella Hall Peninsula Farm (Tranby)
John James East Perth Cemeteries
Carol Sharp East Perth Cemeteries

Special awards were presented by the Chief Executive Officer of the National Trust of

Australia (WA), Mr Thomas E Perrigo

Special Awards - Certificates of Appreciation

In recognition of your support and contribution to the National Trust of Australia (WA)

Irene Stainton For significant contribution to reconciliation through the

National Trust Aboriginal Advisory Group

Roman Kan For significant contribution in assisting the development of

Aboriginal Foundations.

Alisha Maharaj-Maclean For significant contribution in assisting the development of

Aboriginal Foundations.

Jeanette Hasleby For significant contribution in assisting the development of

Aboriginal Foundations.

The Friends of Battye Library For significant contribution with developing the online

(Inc). database of East Perth Cemeteries burials and

biographically information.

Accepting the Award - Pamela Stratham Drew - President of the Friends of the Battye

Library (Inc).



Cherie Strickland For significant contribution with developing the online

database of East Perth Cemeteries burials and

biographically information.

Lorraine Clarke For significant contribution with developing the online

database of East Perth Cemeteries burials and

biographically information.

Feilman Award

The Margaret Feilman Award is named after Margaret Feilman, a founding member and past Chair of the National Trust, and is presented to a nominee who has provided extraordinary service over a long period of time.

Lotterywest In recognition of Lotterywest's outstanding commitment to

the conservation and interpretation of Western Australia's cultural heritage and the National Trust of Western Australia.

Accepting the Award - Garry Trinder - Lotterywest Board Member

16. Conclusion

The Master of Ceremonies, Enzo Sirna, AM Deputy Chief Executive Officer invited Members for light refreshments.

signed as a true and correct record
Max Kay AM Cit WA
Procident