

MINUTES OF MEETING



COASTAL ESTUARY CATCHMENT PANEL MEETING

Venue	Conference Room, Station Street, Mullumbimby
Date	Thursday, 10 September 2020
Time	11.30am

BYRON SHIRE COUNCIL

COASTAL ESTUARY CATCHMENT PANEL MEETING MINUTES

10 SEPTEMBER 2020

Minutes of the Coastal Estuary Catchment Panel Meeting held on Thursday, 10 September 2020

File No: I2020/1382

PRESENT: Cr C Coorey, Cr M Lyon

Staff: Phillip Holloway (Director, Infrastructure Services)
Shannon Burt (Director Sustainable Environment and Economy)
James Flockton (Infrastructure Planning Coordinator)
Scott Moffett (Flood and Drainage Engineer)
Chloe Dowsett (Coastal & Biodiversity Coordinator)
Dominika Tomanek (Minute Taker)

Community Representatives: Mathew Lambourne and Duncan Dey

Visitor: Dylan Laicher, student

Cr Coorey (Chair) opened the meeting at 11:37 am and acknowledged that the meeting was being held on Bundjalung Country.

APOLOGIES:

CR J HACKETT,
CR RICHARDSON
MARY GARDNER
TIM HOCHGREBE

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST – PECUNIARY AND NON-PECUNIARY

There were no declarations of interest.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS

Report No. 3.1

Adoption of Minutes from Previous Meeting

File No:

I2020/1362

Panel Recommendation:

1. That the minutes of the Coastal Estuary Catchment Panel Meeting held on 12 March 2020 be confirmed.
2. That Council escalate the unresolved matters regarding the Belongil Drainage Board status and lack of response from NSW Department of Planning, Industry and Environment staff to the NSW Minister for Water, Property and Housing

(Dey/Lambourne)

The recommendation was put to the vote and declared carried.

Note: The minutes of the meeting held on 12 March 2020] were noted, and the Panel Recommendations adopted by Council, at the Ordinary Meeting held on 23 April 2020.

BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

There was no business arising from previous minutes.

STAFF REPORTS - SUSTAINABLE ENVIRONMENT AND ECONOMY

Report No. 4.1 Presentation from Student on Pesticide Occurrence in the Coastal Aquatic System
File No: I2020/913

Panel Recommendation:

1. That the Panel note the presentation.

2. That Council consider approaching NSW Premier Gladys Berejiklian, Minister for Energy and Environment Matt Kean, Minister for Health Brad Hazzard, Minister for Agriculture Adam Marshall and Minister Gabrielle Upton (responsible for National Parks) with a copy to Ballina MP Tamara Smith, asking them to follow the findings of the EU in banning the sale and use of the following pesticides in NSW:
 - a) Dimethoate
 - b) Omethoate
 - c) Terbutryn
 - d) Methomyl
 - e) Triadimenol

(Coorey/Dey)

The recommendation was put to the vote and declared carried.

Report No. 4.2 Coastal Projects Update
File No: I2020/1357

Panel Recommendation:

That the Coastal Estuary Catchment Panel note the update provided on the coastal projects presently being delivered by the Coastal, Biodiversity and Sustainability team.

(Coorey/Lyon)

The recommendation was put to the vote and declared carried.

There being no further business the meeting concluded at 1:44 pm.