

Minutes of Meeting

Floodplain Management Advisory Committee Meeting

Venue	Conference Room, Station Street, Mullumbimby
Date	Tuesday, 14 February 2023
Time	9.00am



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Minutes of the Floodplain Management Advisory Committee Meeting held on Tuesday, 14 February 2023

File No: I2023/168

PRESENT: Cr M Lyon (Mayor), Cr D Dey

Staff: James Flockton (Infrastructure Planning Coordinator)

Scott Moffett (Flood and Drainage Engineer)

Dominika Tomanek (Minute Taker)

Community: Karl Allen, Matthew Lambourne, Steven Harris, Catherine Lane,

Cr Lyon (Chair) opened the meeting at 9:09AM and acknowledged that the meeting was being held on Bundjalung Country.

ATTENDANCE VIA AUDIO-VISUAL LINK:

Cr C Coorey

Martin Rose (Dept of Planning and Environment)

Rebecca Brewin

Robert Crossley

APOLOGIES:

Phil Holloway (Director Infrastructure Services)

Ziwar Sattouf

Chad Ellis

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST – PECUNIARY AND NON-PECUNIARY

There were no declarations of interest.

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ADOPTION OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS

Report No. 3.1 Adoption of Minutes from Previous Meeting
File No: I2023/156

Committee Recommendation:

That the minutes of the Floodplain Management Advisory Committee Meeting held on 11 October 2022 be confirmed. (Lyon/Dey)

The recommendation was put to the vote and declared carried.

BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

There was no business arising from previous minutes.

PROCEDURAL MOTION

Committee Recommendation:

That Committee change the order of business to deal with Reports 4.2 and 4.1; 4.3; 4.4 next on the Agenda. (Lyon/Dey)

The recommendation was put to the vote and declared carried.

STAFF REPORTS - INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES

Report No. 4.1 Byron Shire Council-Strategic Fill Policy
File No: I2023/113

Committee Recommendation:

That the Floodplain Management Advisory Committee advises Council:

1. that committee members will meet between quarterly meetings to consider
 - a) changes to strengthen Chapters B14 and C2 of the 2014 Byron Shire Council Development Control Plan in relation to Fill on Floodplains and
 - b) the value of a broader Policy that goes beyond what the DCP can achieve in limiting Fill on Floodplains,and that the support of appropriate planning staff would be greatly appreciated in such considerations.
2. to resolve that the 2014 Byron Shire Council Development Control Plan should be updated as a priority each and every time a Floodplain Risk Management Study is created or updated within the Shire or across our Shire boundaries (eg the Tweed –

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Byron Coastal Creeks Flood Study of 2010).

3. to update the 2020 North Byron Floodplain Risk Management Study as soon as possible to reflect the February 2022 flood event.
4. to update the 2020 North Byron Floodplain Risk Management Plan as soon as possible to reflect changes caused by the February 2022 flood event.

(Lyon/Coorey)

The recommendation was put to the vote and declared carried.

Report No. 4.2 Modelling of Various Flow Scenarios at South Golden Beach
File No: I2023/89

Committee Recommendation:

That Council includes in the information it will disseminate under AGRN1012 -Local Government Recovery Grant Program results of a basic review of extracting water from the floodplain north of New Brighton. (Crossley/Dey)

The recommendation was put to the vote and declared carried.

Report No. 4.3 Hydrology Inputs to the North Byron 2020 Flood Model
File No: I2023/88

Committee Recommendation:

That Council:

1. Notes that all catchment inflows are included in the Council adopted North Byron Flood Risk Management Study.
2. Includes in the information it will disseminate under Local Government Recovery Grant Program results discussed by WMA in Attachment 1 of this report.

(Lyon/Dey)

The recommendation was put to the vote and declared carried.

Councillor Coorey left the meeting at 10:44AM.

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Report No. 4.4 **Byron Shire Post 2022 Flood Analysis Update**
File No: I2023/67

Committee Recommendation:

That Council:

1. Notes the report to the Floodplain Management Advisory Committee.
2. Circulates the 2022 Flood Analysis Reports as soon as they are available and then call an extraordinary committee meeting to consider the reports.

(Lambourne/Harris)

The recommendation was put to the vote and declared carried.

There being no further business the meeting concluded at 11:03AM.