# NEIGHBOURHOOD FORUM 1 Meeting 7pm Wednesday 9 March 2022 Helensburgh Thistles Soccer Clubhouse Minutes of Meeting

AttendanceAs per attendance register (limited to 30 people as per current restrictions)ApologiesCr Richard Martin, Cr Cameron Walters and Alan BondChairWarwick ErwinActing Co-ChairJenny SherrattCouncillor PresentCouncillor Present

Meeting Opened 7:00 pm

## Police

If you see something report it – 131444 Helensburgh Patrol Truck 0400 761 423 Wollongong Station 4226 7899 Wollongong LAC Facebook page

## Confirmation of Previous minutes – February 9, 2022

## Helensburgh Community Centre and Library – Update

Wollongong Council's preferred site for the Community Centre and Library is for an amalgamation with the site of Helensburgh Pool. Issues with this site is that it is part Council owned land and part Crown Land.

## Helensburgh Town Centre Plan Walker Street and Western Terrace - Update

Wollongong Council have erected barriers around trees on western side of Walker Street to protect them while work is being undertaken. Work has stalled over the last few weeks due to weather and will recommence once safe to do so. There has been criticism from the community over plans to include a blister at the top of Short Street on the southern side. There is concern that the blister will add to traffic problems as this space is required for turning left out of Short Street onto Walker Street.

#### Package Liquor Licence 19-21 Walker Street - Update

The Liquor and Gaming NSW will hold an online meeting on 30 March 2022 from 6.30 to 8.30 pm to discuss Coles' proposal for a Package Liquor Licence for the site on the corner of Short Street and Walker Street. The meeting may be held as an in-person meeting if there is the demand for it.

#### Water Issues in 2508

Tunnel Road and Gibbons Lane in Helensburgh.

Lawrence Hargrave Drive where it joins with Longview Crescent and further south toward Bald Hill in Stanwell Tops. Otford Weir, Beaumont Rd from Pie Shop down to Otford Station and under part of Otford Rd in Otford. Beginning of Sea Cliff Bridge due to build up of dirt at Coalcliff.

#### **General Business**

Residents of a shared private driveway on The Crescent Helensburgh have been having issues with a property facing onto Vera Street Helensburgh regarding a granny flat being used as a B&B. The residents have raised issues such as noise, parking and extra rubbish.

The next NF1 meeting will be held in the Community Centre next to the tennis courts in Otford.

Next meeting7pm Wednesday 13 April 2022Meeting Closed8.10 pm