

## Burrinjuck Landcare Group Meeting

Location: Bowning Hotel  
Date of meeting: 20 June 2013  
Time of meeting: 7.00 pm

### Minutes

No.	Item	Details	Action
1.	<b>Welcome to new members and guests</b>	Alan Cole Landcare Support Officer Murrumbidgee Landcare Inc. welcomed all attendees, and each attendee provided a short verbal pen picture of themselves.	
2.	<b>Apologies</b>	Mark Bosma, Elizabeth Goodfellow, David Tough	
3.	<b>Attendance</b>	Kim Turner, Jacqie Kuiters, Gus Sharpe (YAN), Matt Doyle, Stephen Frith, Catherine Frith, Kathryn McGuirk, Gary Armour, Hansie Armour, Keith McGrath, Nan Betts, Sam Weir, Tony Folkard, Alan Cole.	
4.	<b>Public Meeting</b>		
5.	<b>Chair Position (Public Meeting only)</b>	Alan Cole held the chair for this public meeting.	
6.	<b>Officer/s report</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Chair</i></li> </ul>	Alan Cole provided some background on his role as Landcare Support Officer, Murrumbidgee Landcare Inc. and why he called for expressions of	



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>RLF and/or CMA Representative</i></li><li>• <i>Gus Sharpe Yass Area Network</i></li></ul>	interest in re-activating the Burrinjuck Landcare Group. Gus Sharpe provided some background on the Yass Area Network (YAN), how it fits with Landcare Groups in the Yass region and current YAN proposals and projects.	
<b>7.</b>	<b>Special Projects</b> Consideration of any special projects/activities that should be the focus of the group.	A survey was taken at the meeting to ascertain the principal interest of the attendees in Landcare: Member's Number 1 priorities were: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Re-vegetation (5 members),</li><li>• Rabbit Control,</li><li>• Remnant Vegetation Management,</li><li>• Grazing Management,</li><li>• Workshops,</li><li>• Drought Management.</li></ul>	
<b>8.</b>	<b>Community Engagement</b> <i>Actions to be taken to gain support and sponsorship from the local community.</i>	Alan Cole outlined typical annual costs required to run an active Landcare group and flagged an initial requirement to raise funds in order to activate the group.	
<b>9.</b>	<b>Youth Activities in Landcare</b> <i>Projects or programs targeted at youth education and involvement in Landcare</i>	No Report	
<b>10.</b>	<b>Current Grant Applications</b>	Alan Cole outlined a current grant application submitted by Murrumbidgee Landcare Inc. for a Community Environment Grant under the Caring for our	



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		Country funding for Burrinjuck Landcare.	
<b>11.</b>	<b>Other Business</b> Show of Hands for Group Formation Group Name Suggestions (to be resolved at next meeting) Group Area (to be resolved at next meeting) Startup Committee	A show of hands for people supporting the re-formation of the Burrinjuck Landcare Group was called and an overwhelming support was shown. The name "Burrinjuck" was discussed and it was agreed that alternative names will be canvassed and presented at the next meeting. At Start up committee was nominated. Nominees included Matt Doyle, Kathryn McGuirk, Keith McGrath, Tony Folkard and Alan Cole.	Startup committee meeting 4 July 2013, 7.00 pm Bowning Hotel
<b>12.</b>	<b>Closure &amp; Date &amp; Place of Inaugural Meeting</b> Next Meeting Date:	Meeting Closed 7.45 pm. <b>Next Meeting 18 July 2013 Bowning Hotel Dining Room, 6.30 for 7.00.</b>	
<b>13.</b>	<b>Dinner</b>		

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