



Hastings Access Sub-Committee

Business Paper

date of meeting: Monday, 18 June 2012

location: Emergency Operations Centre, Central Road,
Port Macquarie

time: 2.00pm

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**PORT MACQUARIE
HASTINGS**

Hastings Access Sub-Committee

CHARTER

- (a) To advise Council regarding issues of access and facilities for persons with disabilities to all public areas and public buildings within the Hastings Local Government area.
- (b) To provide expert advice and recommendations, including pre-lodgement advice on building and development applications relating to public buildings, where necessary.
- (c) To develop guidelines for assessing building and development applications relating to private buildings.



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HASTINGS**

Attendance Register

Hastings Access Sub-Committee

Member	13/02/12	12/03/12	16/04/12	14/05/12		
Camden Haven & Vision Impairment	✓	A	A	A		
Guide Dogs NSW	A	✓	✓	✓		
Access Building Designer	✓	✓	✓	A		
Wauchope Seniors	✓	A	A	A		
Physical Disability	✓	✓	✓			
Port Macquarie & Vision Impairment	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Camden Haven Access	✓	A	A	A		
Care & Mobility	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Hastings Macleay Community Transport	A	A	✓	✓		
Wauchope Access	A	A	A	A		
Education & Access	✓	✓	A	✓		
PMHC Aged & Disability Officer	✓	✓	✓	✓		

Key: ✓ = Present

A = Absent With Apology

X = Absent Without Apology



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Item: 01**Subject: ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY**

"I acknowledge that we are gathered on Birpai Land. I pay respect to the Birpai Elders both past and present. I also extend that respect to all other Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people present."

Item: 02**Subject: APOLOGIES**

RECOMMENDATION

That the apologies received be accepted.

Item: 03**Subject: CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES**

Item: 04
Subject: DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST

RECOMMENDATION

That Disclosures of Interest be presented

DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST DECLARATION

Name of Meeting:
Meeting Date:
Item Number:
Subject:
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I, declare the following interest:

Pecuniary:
Take no part in the consideration and voting and be out of sight of the meeting.

Non-Pecuniary - Significant Conflict:
Take no part in the consideration and voting and be out of sight of the meeting.

Non-Pecuniary - Insignificant Conflict:
May participate in consideration and voting.

For the reason that:
.....

Signed: Date:

(definitions are provided on the next page)



Definitions

(Local Government Act and Code of Conduct)

Pecuniary

An interest that a person has in a matter because of a reasonable likelihood or expectation or appreciable financial gain or loss to the person or another person with whom the person is associated. (LG Act s442 and s443).

A Councillor or member of a Council Committee who is present at a meeting and has a pecuniary interest in any matter which is being considered must disclose the nature of that interest to the meeting as soon as practicable.

The Councillor or member of a Council Committee must not take part in the consideration and voting on the matter and be out of sight of the meeting. (LG Act s451)

Non-Pecuniary

An interest that is private or personal that the Councillor or member of a Council Committee has that does not amount to a pecuniary interest as defined in the LG Act.

If you have declared a non-pecuniary interest you have a number of options for managing the conflict. The option you choose will depend on an assessment of the circumstances of the matter, the nature and significance of your interest. You must deal with a non-pecuniary interest in one of the following ways.

Non Pecuniary – Significant Interest

(For example; family, a close friendship, membership of an association, sporting club, corporation, society or trade union).

- Have no involvement by absenting yourself from and not taking part in any consideration or voting on the issue as if the provisions in the LG Act s451(2) apply.
- A future alternative is to remove the source of the conflict (for example, relinquishing or divesting the personal interest that creates the conflict or reallocating the conflicting duties to another officer).

Non Pecuniary – Less than Significant Interest

- It may be appropriate that no action is taken. However, you must provide an explanation of why you consider that the conflict does not require further action.

Item: 05

Subject: BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

Item:	5.1	Date:	12 March 2012
Subject:	Yellow Brick Road		
Action Required:	Nik Sandeman-Allen to re-send letter to Mr Bouris re. trademark of name.		
Current Status:	Provide update at June Meeting.		

Item:	5.4	Date:	12 March 2012
Subject:	Access Committee representatives meeting with Town Centre Masterplan Committee		
Action Required:	Brian Buckett to arrange meeting.		
Current Status:	Provide update at June Meeting .		

Item:	5.8	Date:	12 March 2012
Subject:	Access Map -review		
Action Required:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. New printed maps and Stage 1 i-phone app to be ready in August. 2. Angela Harrison to provide advice to Council Communications about apps and suitability for vision impaired users. 		
Current Status:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Access Map being updated. 2. Completed. 		

Item:	5.11	Date:	14 May 2012
Subject:	Access Improvement Works for Buildings		
Action Required:	Committee members to read the listing and to prioritise the works which will be discussed at the June Access meeting.		
Current Status:	For discussion at June Meeting.		

Item:	5.12		14 May 2012
Subject:	Aldi Car Park		
Action Required:	Julie Priest to contact the Sydney Building Certifier again and request clarification of why they approved this design which appears to contravene Australian Standards.		
Current Status:	Provide update at June Meeting.		

Item:	5.13		14 May 2012
Subject:	Footpath Improvement Request		
Action Required:	Julie Priest and Max Waters to review footpath obstruction near Joey's Playgroup.		
Current Status:	Provide update at June Meeting.		