

CONFIRMED MINUTES OF CCC MEETING 2nd April 2020

Meeting of the Community Consultative Committee (CCC) of the Shire of Christmas Island by teleconference at 4.15pm 2nd April 2020

1 Declaration of Opening of Meeting / Announcement of Visitors

1.1 Gordon **THOMSON** declared the meeting opened at 4.30pm

2 Record of Attendance/Apologies

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President-SOCI Gordon **THOMSON**

Poon Saan Club
Shire Councillor
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CI Phosphates

Jackie TEH
Morgan SOH
Hafiz MASLI
Joy WICKENDEN

Chinese Literary Association
CI Neighbourhood Centre
CEO SOCI
CI Women's Association
Union of Christmas Island Workers

GEE Foo
Oliver LINES
David PRICE
Nora KOH
Kelvin LEE

Minutes

SOCI Manager of Governance Chris SU

2.2 Apologies

Malay Association of Christmas Island Azmi YON

Islamic Council of Christmas Island Greg MCINTOSH

3 Agenda

3.1 COVID-19 Protocols for Christmas Island

Members discussed developments on island regarding 'Essential Staff' exemptions and the closure of the Supermarket and Meng Chong trading.

RESOLUTION 1

The CCC strongly recommends again that the CI Territory Controller, the Administrator and the EMC implement the conditions outlined in the CCC resolution of 1st April 2020 immediately.

Should that decision not take place immediately, the CCC strongly recommends to the CI community to remain in their homes over the weekend as per the Prime Minister's directives this week on the mainland to stay home unless absolutely necessary to minimize any possible contact with exempt Essential Staff.

RESOLUTION 2

Resolved to advise the Territory Controller that there is wide community support for the CCC resolution of April 1st including from health workers on island.

To receive the communication made to the CCC since the April 1st meeting to advise the Territory Controller that a request has been put forward to have the Australian Defence Force and Australian Border Force wear masks at all times during bus transfers between plane and ship and that hand sanitizers also be made available at the commencement and end of these bus transfers. The request also includes that the bus driver be the last to get on and first to get off the bus and that he/she should be afforded mask, hand sanitizer and other personal protective equipment as necessary.

There has been awareness amongst workers in front line positions interacting with persons exempt from quarantine and so front line workers have informed the CCC to inform the Territory Controller on their behalf.

Moved: Jackie TEH Seconded: Nora KOH

Carried: 11/0 Resolution: CCC7/2020

Abstain: 1

6. Closure of Meeting – 5.35pm April 2nd 2020

- 7 Date of Next Meeting
- 7.1 Next scheduled CCC to take place at 4.15pm May 6th 2020.