

Woden Valley Community Council Inc.

Record of Meeting in Hellenic Club

Wednesday 4 February 2015

- 1 The Chair, Martin Miller, welcomed attendees to the meeting. Apologies were received from Chris Burke, MLA and Nicole Lawder, MLA.
- 2 Minutes of the meeting of 3 December 2014 were approved.
- 3 Ben Riches and Helena Seagrott presented the drafts of the Woden and Mawson master plans. Comprehensive coverage of feedback from stage 1 of community consultations was provided. Parking, pedestrian, bicycle and related issues together with high-density and mixed-used development were noted. Response to the Master Plans is being considered in the context of the Master Plan Charter Statement, planning principles and a variety of implementation strategies. Once finalised, the Master Plans will be given statutory effect through Precinct Codes in the Territory Plan.
- 4 John Mackay outlined developments in relation to the Disability ACT & Ricky Stuart Foundation respite centre in Chifley. Planning approval is expected in February and completion is expected in September this year. Concerns were expressed about the lack of consultation in relation to this development.
- 5 There was no local member presentation.
- 6 News and other developments in Woden Valley: the new Childcare Centre in Phillip College for School-age mothers was noted; the new synthetic surface athletics track was considered a welcome addition to Woden Park.
- 7 It was noted that the Penrhyn House development was complete.

The next meeting of the Council was scheduled for 7:30pm on Wednesday 4 March 2015.

Timoshenko Aslanides

Minutes Secretary