



NOTICE OF MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that of a meeting of **Community Environment Committee** will be held:

DATE: WEDNESDAY 13 JUNE, 2012

TIME: 6.30pm – 8.30pm.

PLACE: Councillors' Room, 1st Floor, Town Hall, 1 Belgrave Street, Manly.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Councillors

Cllr Jean Hay AM, Mayor (ex officio)	Manly Council
Cllr Cathy Griffin	Manly Council (Chair)

Other Representatives

Angelika Treichler	Penguin Warden Representative
Eira Battaglia	Community Representative
Susan Buchan	Community Representative
Diana Deeley	Community Representative
Jacqueline French	Community Representative
Richard Hewitt	Community Representative
Lloyd Keen	Community Representative
Keelah Lam	Community Representative
Neil Ohlbach	Community Representative
David Thomas	Community Representative
Lee DeGail	National Parks & Wildlife Representative

Council Staff

Judy Reizes	Manager, Manly Environment Centre
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All other Councillors are free to attend as observers and are invited to do so and to engage in discussions, but not in voting, on any matter before the Committee.

Stephen Clements
Deputy General Manger
Executive Manager – Land Use and Sustainability

Date: 29 May, 2012.



THE COUNCILLORS' ROOM, MANLY TOWN HALL, 1 BELGRAVE ST, MANLY

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| ITEM 1 | Apologies and leave of absence |
| ITEM 2 | Declarations of Interest – Pecuniary
Non- Pecuniary |
| ITEM 3 | Confirmation of Minutes of Meeting 9 May, 2012 and
Matters Arising |
| ITEM 4 | Report – MEC Report & Current Local Environmental Issues Report |
| ITEM 5 | Presentation by Christina Femia, Manly Council Water Cycle
Management Team on Water Sensitive Urban Design in Manly. |
| ITEM 6 | General Business brought to the Attention of the Chair Prior to the
Meeting and Approved for Consideration |
| ITEM 7 | Date for Next Meeting: 11 July, 2012 |



TO: Manly Community Environment Committee

MEETING DATE: 13 June, 2012

AUTHOR: Judy Reizes, Community Environment Committee Co-ordinator

SUBJECT: MEC and Current Local Environmental Issues Report

Manly Environment Centre Report

INTERNSHIPS AND VOLUNTEERS:

We have a new Intern from China, Christian Chang, who started with us in early May & he is with us for 6 weeks.

We have 1 Duke of Edinburgh student who has just started with us.

We have had some new Volunteer & Intern enquiries over the last few weeks.

MEETINGS:

Meetings/Visits/events attended in December included:-

8 May - Meeting re plastic bags.

8 May - Meeting with community representatives on seagrass submissions to DPI/
Community Seagrass Protection meeting held at MEC.

10 May - Science Committee meeting.

15 May - Meeting at MEC with Community Centre Project workers re: capacity building.

15 May - Met with by Dr. Denis O'Carroll, to finalise presentation of Talk "Nanotechnology & groundwater, 'Little Solutions to Big Problems'" on 5 June.

23 May - Penguin Recovery Team meeting.

31 May - NSEEN Meeting in Chatswood.

VISITS:

30 May - Host visit by Chinese delegation from Baotou, the second biggest city in Inner Mongolia in China.

EVENTS/LAUNCHES:

3 May - Project Penguin at Manly Cove with six Primary Schools & 4 Secondary Schools

5 May - 350 Connect the Dots event.

6 May - MEC Open from 1-4pm for National Permaculture Day - included 3 speakers.

15 May - Attended 2 Hands fundraiser.

17 May - Attended United Nations Rio+20 Seminar in Melbourne – Collective Action for Sustainable Development Rio+20 and the Transition to a Green Economy.

17 May - Interns attended Nutrition tour and talk at Woolworths, Warringah Mall.

19 May - North Head Sanctuary Foundation Executive & General meeting & Talk by Graham Owen from The Society for Insect Studies.

22 May - Attended launch for Cash for Containers Legislation.

23 May - Attended ORRCA/Whale fundraiser.

RECOMMENDATION:

Report be received and noted.

Judy Reizes

Manly Community Environment Committee Co-ordinator

31 May, 2012