# MINUTES OF THE BETTYS BAY RATEPAYERS ASSOCIATION on 31 January 2017

# at Crassula Hall, Bettys Bay

#### **Present**

Rudi Perold, Adrian de Kock, Wilna Rademeyer, Hilda van der Merwe, Hein Foot, Jorika Rabie, Bill Steyn, Tim McGavin, Fanie Krige

**Apologies** - Richard Starke

# **PORTFOLIO CHANGES**

Bill Stein - Security / Neighbourhood Watch

Tim McGavin - Property and Minutes Secretary

**CORRESPONDENCE -** As per Secretaries register

# **FINANCE**

A 4<sup>th</sup> reminder to pay BBRA fees will be sent out shortly. 90 people owing. Membership will cease in terms of the Constitution thereafter where non payment is evident ( AdK )

JR to be reimbursed for cell phone costs - R350 initially (AdK)

Insurance on new equipment to be decided upon (BS)

R1200 to be charged to the CPF and Police – water wastage following a meeting on 17 November 2016 . If not paid, the Crassula Hall will no longer be made available to these organisations ( AdK )

## **WARD COMMITTEE**

First meeting of the year – 7 February 2017 at Crassula Hall – Feedback 18H00 Open to public.

#### **WCDF**

Next meeting February 2017. Is it still functioning (HF)

# **FEDERATION**

In a state of flux at present.

# **WEB SITE**

Committee members input required ( All ) All members to be encouraged to keep an eye on the web site ( AdK ). Software from previous publisher to be returned ( AdK )

# SAND DUNE MANAGEMENT

Hilda advised of a number of matters taken up with Desmond & Denovan which still have to be resolved. She was advised that if not resolved they should be brought to the attention of the Ward Committee. Some of these are the ropes denoting access to at main beach being stolen, Rip tide notice boards disappeared, State of public toilets etc.

#### **ROADS AND STORMWATER**

Seaview Drive (gravel road side), Plateaux Road (requires rebuilding – use building rubble), Morea and Nerine – all in need of repair

#### **PROPERTY**

Policy / action to be sorted on builders taking too long completing house building. Building inspector – Sheridan Roussouw – to be involved. Existing by law to be obtained. Delelict house action required ( eg Delport Road – pink house) ( TM ). Road against Sandy Carruthers fence?

**WATER** – no problems other than low water pressure on mountain side (Jos Visser) (ADK).

#### **FIRE**

2 fires in November, 2 in January

Emergency Plan required – to include provisions – consider alternative to Centre Shop ( JR )

Volunteer Fire fighting training took place in Pringle Bay.

Braai area in the Davidskraal area suspect. Build a braai area which caters for the weather conditions – a fire hazard as people leave coals burning. ( JR )

#### **SECURITY**

Leading of the Neighbourhood watch handed over to Bill Steyn – a natural progression as Operations represents 90% of the focus (BS). Handover required (TM)

#### **GENERAL**

Bettys Bay Map – feedback to Heine prior to finalisation. Emergency numbers and areas to be considered ( eg Stony point, Sunny Seas etc.)

Ticketing took place to a degree. Car guards not managed. The plan was a good one but implementation to be improved on.

Toilets condition remain a problem – Jocks Bay, Main Beach (?)

## **NEXT MEETING**

28 February at 16h00 at Crassula Hall

<u>Chairman</u> <u>Secretary</u>