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21 NOVEMBER 2023 BNSW GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

Time & Date 7:30-9:00pm on Tuesday, 21 November 2023

Location: Zoom Videoconference

Attendees

Kirsten Mayer

David Bell

keith maxwell

Timothy Walsh

ann collins

Phill Isaacs OAM

robert lewin

Thais Turner

Frank McKone

Trevor Caldwell

Tomas Dowling

Jonathan Gray

Margaret Covi

Dianne Thompson

Michael Clisby

Tabatha Badger

richard fornari

Alan Dixon

John Flint

Rob Simon

Paulus Wijngaarden

Robin Stuart

Sue Stanley

Karen Huchendorf

Mary Rose Tenney

Tony Marsh

mary gotham

JOY BUTLER

Sara Maywood

Ute Foster

Leonie Bell

David Morrison

Barbara Bryan

Dorothy Jakab

Sam Garrett-Jones

Heather Ferguson

Nick Valentine

Rosemary Nichols

Kerrie McLean

margaret simpson

hedy bryant

barry williams

Melinda Turner

John Evans

Lucy Moore

peter jack

Bruce Haigh

Quorum: 5 delegates present in person or by proxy, representing at least 3 approved organisations constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at a general meeting.

Chair & Quorum

The meeting commenced at 7pm with David Bell as chair. The chair announced that a quorum was present and that the meeting was duly constituted.

Previous Minutes

Minutes of the General Meeting of Tuesday 16th May 2023 were accepted.

Agenda item/topic

Rewilding Lake Pedder

Our presenter Tabatha Badger was drawn to the Lake Pedder restoration project as a symbol of hope that we can restore and protect our valuable wilderness.

Urgent reasons for Lake Pedder Restoration include:

- protection of platypus habitat and threatened vegetation communities
- establishing Tasmania as a world leader in ecological restoration
- restore capacity for Lake Pedder waters/Lake Maria wetlands to support aquatic fauna
- enhanced regional weed management.

See the [meeting video](#) to learn more.

Kirsten Mayer thanked Tabatha for her very informative presentation.

Bushwalking NSW Update

A Special Motion was passed to grant honorary life membership to Bushwalking NSW Inc. to Keith Maxwell & Margaret Covi

Carried

Update from BNSW President and Conservation Officer David Bell:

Next Meeting

The next Bushwalking NSW General Meeting will be held at:

7:30-9:00pm on Tuesday, 20th February 2023 on Zoom conference

Meeting ended at: 9pm