

**TO:**

Cr Robyn Bain  
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Graham Carmody  
Colin Dunn  
Nathan Johnston  
Rosemary Oates  
Chris Sparks  
John Reynolds  
Felicity Gates  
Jenny Robb  
Jennifer Russell  
Wendy McDonald  
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Connections  
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Shelli Reid – Executive Assistant  
Community, Environment & Planning  
(Secretariat)

# Access and Inclusion Advisory Committee

## MEETING NOTICE & AGENDA

You are requested to attend an Access and Inclusion Advisory  
Committee meeting of the Bega Valley Shire Council to be held at  
**11:00am on Monday 9 November 2020**  
**via online meeting platform, Zoom.**



## 1. Welcome and Apologies

Apologies have been received from Wendy McDonald.

## 2. Confirmation of the minutes

That the minutes of the previous Access and Inclusion Advisory Committee Meeting held on Monday 10 August 2020 be taken as read.

## 3. Presentations to the Committee

- 3.1 BVSC Water and Sewer Administration Building Design (Nathanael Wearne and Anthony McMahon)
- 3.2 Tathra All-Inclusive Playspace (video)
- 3.3 Access in Sri Lanka – Felicity Gates

## 4. Review Action Items and Outcomes Register

## 5. New and Other Business

- 5.1 Access and Inclusion Advisory Committee Update Requests
- 5.2 Sub Committee Reports and Updates
  - 5.2.1 Business (Colin Dunn)
  - 5.2.2 Community (John Reynolds)
  - 5.2.3 Tourism (Jenny Robb)
- 5.3 Major works/development project updates
  - 5.3.1 2019-21 Operational Plan Projects of Interest (John Grady)
- 5.4 Other Business
  - 5.4.1 Tura Access
  - 5.4.2 Process for new projects to be considered by AIAC
  - 5.4.3 Access Improvement Grants Update (Alice Howe)

182/2020 Council RESOLVED on the motion of Crs Bain and Dodds

1. That Council adopt the Access and Inclusion Advisory Committee's recommendations (Attachment 1) to award the following Grant allocations, for a total value of \$15,600:
  - a) Panboola Pambula Wetlands and Heritage Project Inc for the 'Improving disability parking at Panboola' project (\$600);
  - b) Bermagui Surf Life Saving Club for the 'Same Wave - An All Abilities Aquatic Program' (\$5,000);
  - c) Wolumla Football Club for the 'Wheelchair friendly picnic tables' project (\$5,000); and

- d) The Trustee for the Australasia Property Unit Trust for the 'Accessing the Australasia' project (\$5,000).
2. That unspent funds of \$4,920 from the 2020 Access Improvement grant round be allocated towards a grant application to support accessible tourism.
3. That Council thank the Access and Inclusion Committee, and its Grants Sub-committee, for coordinating the 2020 Access Improvement Grant Program.
4. That Council officers write to all applicants advising them of the outcome of their applications.

## 6. Correspondence

### 6.1 AIAC Correspondence In

Correspondence from	Subject	Action taken
Anonymous	Access to Candelo Post Office	Investigation undertaken by Council staff and letter from Access Committee sent to property owners inviting application to Access Improvement Grants in 2021 round to improve access for those with accessibility difficulties.
Jenny Robb	Inclusive Tourism – opportunity for study	Link attached for Committee's information: <a href="https://lgnsw.org.au/Public/Policy/Campaigns-and-Initiatives/Inclusive-Tourism/Public/Advocacy/Inclusive-Tourism.aspx">https://lgnsw.org.au/Public/Policy/Campaigns-and-Initiatives/Inclusive-Tourism/Public/Advocacy/Inclusive-Tourism.aspx</a>
Chris Sparks	National Disability Strategy Review	Secretariat forwarded link to Committee for information.
Wendy McDonald	Accessibility enquiry	Response provided to matters raised

### 6.2 AIAC Correspondence Out

Correspondence to	Subject
Candelo Post Office	Access to Candelo Post Office
Anthony McMahon – Director Assets and Operations Bega Valley Shire Council	Letter of appreciation – Assets and Operations Team (result of Action Item 12-2020)
Anthony Osborne – Sapphire Coast Destination Marketing	Letter of appreciation – Accessible Sapphire Coast (result of Action Item 10-2020)
Craig Mills - Two-Fold Aboriginal Corporation	Invitation to join the Committee – Access and Inclusion Advisory Committee
James Murray – Lions Club of Bemboka	Access Improvement Grant – Accessible Logo Display on website (result of Action Item 25-2019)
Serge Nachtergaele – Potoroo Palace – Native Animal Education Sanctuary	Access Improvement Grant – Accessible Logo Display on website (result of Action Item 25-2019)
Wendy McDonald	Response to questions raised in correspondence to AIAC

## 7. Next Meeting

Monday 8 February 2020