



NEW SOUTH WALES POLICE FORCE
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AGENDA GENERAL BUSINESS MEETING

Tuesday October 12th, 2010

Chatswood Police Station

Commencing: 6:30 PM

- 1. Opening, Welcome, & Apologies received.**
- 2. Administrative Matters**
 - Amendment & acceptance of previous Minutes**
 - Matters Arising / Outstanding**
- 3 Police Briefing / Local Crime Priorities**
- 4. Community matters and concerns as raised / Police Service Response**
- 5. Meeting close**
- 6. Next Meeting of the North Shore LAC CSPC**



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**Minutes of the
North Shore LAC Community Safety Precinct Committee.**

Minutes of the North Shore Local Area Command Community Safety Precinct Committee meeting held at the Chatswood Police Station Briefing Room at 6.30pm, October 12th, 2010.

Present:

NAME	AGENCY
Insp Kent	NSW Police
Det/Insp Bell	NSW Police
S/Con Matt Jewell	NSW Police
Debbie Hutchens	Community Representative
Margaret Hill	West Roseville NHW
Carlo Palamara	Longueville / Northwood NHW
Ron Hicks	Northbridge NHW
Ian Fletcher	Artarmon NHW
Joanne McGrath	Chatswood Chamber of Commerce
Tiiu Kroll-Simmul	Chatswood High P&C
Ian St Vincent	Lindfield Public School
Lorraine Lusby	Lane Cove West Residents Assoc
Reg Miu	Lane Cove West Residents Assoc
Joye Monaghan	Westfield Chatswood
Betty Holt	Longueville/Northwood NHW
Estelle Renard	Castlecrag / Middle Cove NHW
John Woodward	Willoughby Council
Amanda Terranova	Castlecove NHW
Margery Rowell	Castlecove NHW

Apologies:

NAME	AGENCY
Det/Supt Dalton	NSW Police
Det/Insp Peter Yeomans	NSW Police
Gladys Berejiklian	NSW Liberal Party
Anthony Roberts	NSW Liberal Party
Cr Pat Reilly	Mayor - Willoughby Council
Cr Ian Cross	Mayor - Kuring-Gai Council
Amanda Donlan	Northbridge Public School
Ralph Bertinetti	OPPA
Tony Chatfield	Osborne Park NHW
John Fogerty	Lane Cove West Residents Assoc

Opening and Welcome.

The meeting was opened at 6.40pm by **Debbie Hutchens**, who thanked all present for attending before introducing the members of the Police Force present at the meeting.

Amendments and acceptance of previous meetings.

There was one amendment to page one of the previous minutes, where Insp Jeff Bell was incorrectly referred to as “Ian” Bell. Record copy adjusted accordingly.

Moved by: **Lorraine Lusby**
Seconded by: **Betty Holt**

Matters Arising:

Insp Bell updated the group on the graffiti issue around Coles at Lindfield. Car crews have been tasked to patrol the area since the last meeting. **Ian St Vincent** stated that there had been a noticeable reduction in offences. **Lorraine Lusby** added that it seems these offences have moved to Roseville.

Community Police Briefing – Local Crime Priorities

S/Con Jewell

S/Con Jewell provided the group with a presentation and discussion of the current crime maps.

Insp Bell:

Inspector Bell provided the group with a further discussion on crime numbers, providing some specific discussion on Break, Enter and Steal (BES) and Malicious Damage offences across suburbs within the LAC. In general terms incident rates (particularly BES) have dropped significantly in recent weeks after a period of higher than expected numbers.

The fall in BES figures coincided with the arrest of one male offender who is believed to have been very active in the area, and who no doubt contributed to the increased numbers prior to his arrest.

Insp Bell then highlighted some good work done recently by Police from the LAC. Two female Constables will be recommended for awards after saving the life of a two year old who was unconscious and not breathing. Police arrived quickly on the scene and managed to provide life saving first aid to the girl until Ambulance crews arrived. The Proactive team were also mentioned for the recent arrest of a significant break and enter offender, which has seen the large reduction in these offences since the arrest.

Community Issues / Outcome

ISSUE	ACTION / OUTCOME
John Woodward from Willoughby Council introduced himself to the meeting. John is overseeing the creation of the Council's Community Safety Plan. John discussed what Council intended to achieve through the plan, which is currently in the public consultation phase. Council would like to engage all stakeholders in the local community to help ensure the plan is as relevant as possible. Accordingly John welcomes the input of this group to the process	John will continue to liaise with the group to gain input and provide feedback on the progress of the plan.

Meeting closed: 7.05pm

5. Next general meeting:

The next meeting will be held at 6.30pm on Tuesday the 14th of December, 2010 at the Chatswood Police Station Briefing Room.