

**Wagga Wagga Local Command**  
**Community Safety Precinct Committee Action Minutes**  
**3 August 2011**

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**Participating Agencies/Community members**

Phil PINYON – Wagga Wagga City Council – General Manager  
Wayne GEALE – Wagga Wagga City Council – Mayor  
Paul HARDING – NSW Dept of Housing, Wagga Wagga  
Sgt Ross JACKSON – NSW Police, Crime Co-Ordinator Wagga Wagga  
Edwina MARKS – Wagga Wagga City Council  
Adrian LINDNER – Charles Sturt University  
David HAY – Commandant ARTC Kapooka  
Larry BUETE – Wagga Wagga Business Chamber  
Superintendent David Simmons - Commander, Wagga Wagga Local Area Command  
Detective Insp SMITH – Crime Manager, Wagga Wagga Local Area Command  
Inspector IRELAND – Duty Officer, Wagga Wagga Local Area Command  
Sgt Ross JACKSON – NSW Police Force, Crime Co-Ordinator Wagga Wagga

**Apologies:**

Paul FERNON – NSW Dept of Housing Wagga Wagga  
Daryl MAGUIRE – Member of Murrumbidgee  
Tony CHECKER – Commandant RAAF

**Meeting Opened:** 10am

**Previous minutes & outstanding business:**

Minutes accepted by Wayne GEALE and seconded by Phil PINYON.

**ANTI SOCIAL STATISTICS WAGGA CBD TO WWCC & DOH**

Sergeant JACKSON advised the committee that updating was presently being actioned by Sergeants Goodyer and Turney at the Wagga Wagga Local Area Command.

**EQUX SIGNAGE**

Completed

**WWCC UPDATE ON LIGHTING LOCATIONS BAYLIS/MORGAN ST and GURWOOD ST**

Completed

### **CPO TO FOLLOW UP LEGALITIES CCTV IN PUBLIC AREAS**

The issue In relation to the Listening Devices Act and recording of sound is still being reviewed.

### **CPO TO CONTACT BUSINESS OWNERS TO SUPPLY CCTV TO WWCC.**

Completed.

**ACTION:** Sergeant Jackson to send out list.

### **BROTHEL APPLICATION TO OPERATE AS STRIP CLUB IN RIEDELL ST**

Resolved. Not proceeding.

### **Crime overview – Detective Inspector Rod Smith**

Presentation provided to the meeting in relation to the statistics recorded for Wagga Wagga LAC. Committee advised the Home Hotel in Wagga Wagga is currently the only 'declared' premises in the town. Residential Break & enter is constant at present and a significant rise in Steal from Motor Vehicle.

### **General Business:**

Adrian Lindner suggested Police attendance at Charles Sturt University to alert students to issues such as crime prevention on and around campus, safety alert information.

**ACTION:** Date to be negotiated for this to take place. Police more than happy to carry out this visit.

David Hay raised the concern of defence houses being targeted by a white van in the Glenfield area, mainly when defence personnel are at work and partners are at home alone with children.

The Kapooka community has had some reported domestic violence matters of concern.

Mr Hay asked that Police be aware that the military police will be maintaining and increasing a visual presence of these areas.

Edwina Marks advised the Crime Project she is currently working on is Aboriginal crime in Tolland.

The community centre in Ashmont is titled NGUAA. Opening date is 12/8/2011.

The meeting has been advised new shop owners have taken over the Tolland store and there are no reported issues at this stage.

MEETING CLOSED 11am

NEXT MEETING: November 2011 (day to be advised).