

## PHAA NT meeting

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2008

Present: JM (chair) RL (secretary) CR, DA, WB, JB

Apologies: PT

CR: may day muster feedback, small turn out. Good group. Three eyed dog got a good response.

Gavin Mudd – lunchtime meeting well attended, 30 people. 200 people at evening talk.

**ACTION:** PT ordered lunch, need to follow up money trail for lunchtime seminar. RL to email Dacqmar.

### 1. Membership- lapsed members- follow-ups

CR going through current list,

Which is current list? CK (PHAA) to get back to us advising of correct contact list.

CAAC – lapsed membership

Who is covered by CAAC membership

**ACTION:** RL to email JP and renew membership: directorate

Nominate 2 people for corporate membership: DAC, SB

**ACTION:** JM to ask SB

CAARDS m'ship lapsed

**ACTION:** JM to follow up

Rest to be chased up

**ACTION:** CR drafted letter for follow up lapsed m'ship

### 2. Advocacy

Comment on exploration license from this branch, CR to email RL get put on www

New discussion group, YAHOO, CR to email address

Company doing a presentation to AS council – CR to email

2.1 Angela Pamela (including submission tabling)

2.2 Nuclear waste dump- joint letter.

NW has organised a letter, Michael Moore – CR to send by email

2.3 National Hospital and Health Commission- Peter's submission

Problematic that PT has submitted as PHAA NT.

**ACTION:** Letter to the commission explaining PT submission is an individual's view not PHAA NT, cc MM. Contact MM to explain and apologise: JM

2.4 Climate Change- NT Govt discussion paper (Peter's comments & getting top end member input) (also CDU Climate Change workshop)

PT: PHAA and Climate Action group to work together  
Comments due in July 4<sup>th</sup> 2008

Late June: CDU holding a workshop on climate change, local people to go  
Top end members to be invited to comment

JB: Recent policy statement endorsed at last year's PHAA conference

**ACTION:** CR to ask CK to send out comments to membership list

2.5 Urban Speed limits - new campaign?

RR keen to work on campaign to bring in new reformed urban speed limits  
Other groups: disability access, AS senior citizens club

**ACTION:** CR to follow up with RR, organise a meeting on speed limit stuff at Aug 2008 meeting. Target town council with informed delegation.

Statistics: pedestrian involvement in speeding could be got from police

### **3. Review / Edit of Branch current issues - as shown on website.**

– For next meeting. Nuclear stuff to be added: PT to write?

### **4. Any other Business**

#### **Treasurer's report**

JM: 27<sup>th</sup> Sept 2007: \$5235.89 in bank

April 2008: \$6034.10

No money yet transferred to AS Angela Pamela, **ACTION:** advise PT to arrange transfer

#### **Population Health Conference: PHAA along with other organisations, 7-9<sup>th</sup> July.**

JM: 6<sup>th</sup> July Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health policy sig. JM advocate an aboriginal delegate attends.

JM: letter from NT health promotion association, indicating desire to work together.  
Focus on primary health care beyond medical model.

Natasha Clements contact, NT branch has core membership in Darwin extend invitation to develop collaborative partnership to strengthen PH in NT.

Hoping to hold some activities at Congress

#### **JM to action**

#### **NHMRC public health research advisory committee**

NHMRC requesting PHAA to coordinate public health consultations to review NHMRC research process

We have no capacity, CK has now agreed to do from PHAA central end.

**ACTION:** CR suggest talking to J Wakerman at CRH: CR to follow up!

**Date of next meeting: 8<sup>th</sup> July 2008, 5.15pm TBC**