

23 July 2018

Notice of Motion No. 82

Modify public consultation process on Millers Homestead, Boronia

I hereby give notice that it is my intention to move at the Ordinary Meeting of Council on 23 July 2018 the following motion.

That Council resolve:

1. *To note that the public consultation period for Proposed Amendment C171 (rezoning of Millers Homestead) is for six weeks rather than the statutory four weeks;*
2. *that we extend consultation to include community feedback on potential uses for Millers Homestead;*
3. *that we contact the residents of Melrose Court, Dorrigo Drive, Gilja Court, Tathra Court, Clover Court, Jarrah Court, Bambil Court, Bogan Court, Casuarina Ave, Hovea Court, Karri Court, Eugenia Court and Shalimar Court inviting them to make submissions; and*
4. *that we undertake to consider all submissions received during the consultation, except those made anonymously, and be guided by those submissions when making its decision on Proposed Amendment C171.*
5. *note that a written commitment to residents near Millers Homestead to undertake a wide circulation of information when dealing with issues affecting the homestead was given in 18 August 2005;*
6. *note that there is already overwhelming community opposition to proceeding with the amendment process, especially from those residents directly affected, that is, living adjacent to Millers Homestead;*
7. *To receive a report in November 2018 on the community interaction with Council regarding Millers Homestead over the past 25 years, noting an attempt to change the planning scheme to allow receptions in 1996 and usage of the Homestead by U3A in 2005; and*
 - *this report include usage of Millers Homestead by the Council and the community since 1997;*
 - *this report include complaints made by community members over the past 5 years in relation to Millers Homestead; and*
 - *this report include any past reports to Council on potential uses of Millers Homestead*
8. *That after the C171 amendment process is concluded, Council establishes a process to keep the community informed through such things as public meetings, focus groups and regular information dissemination, assisting Council to determine the future productive use of Millers Homestead, including social, environmental and economic considerations.*

Cr Peter Lockwood
Baird Ward



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