

Mareeba Shire Council - RADF Committee Meeting - Minutes

Date: Tuesday 21 March 2023

Time: 5:00 - 7:00pm

Venue: Board Room, Mareeba Shire Council, Rankin St Mareeba

Welcome – Cr Toppin, Meeting opened at 5:00pm

1. Attendance

- Cr Angela Toppin (Chair), Cr Lenore Wyatt (by telephone), Angela Musumeci, Merrilee Frankish, Kristy Braes, Rhonda Dooley, Sandy Ryan, Jane Hollins (Council Officer), Shellie Buckle (Council Officer), Julia Sheppard (Council Officer, notetaker)
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2. Apologies

- Kylie Lambert
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3. Minutes of the last meeting (Wednesday 13 April 2022)

- Motion: *That the minutes of the previous meeting held 13 April are accepted.*
Moved: Sandy Ryan; Second: Angela Musumeci; Carried.
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4. Business Arising from the Minutes

- RADF 2021/22 – review of 12 community grants approved by Council \$36,219.
 - RADF 2021/22 - An update of Council led initiatives under the Public Mural Action Plan was provided - Biboohra Water Tanks mural “Earth and Fire” in Tom Mahon Park by Sara Dragotto and installation of community mosaic in Centenary Park, Mareeba.
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5. General Business

- RADF 2023/24 - Arts Queensland consulting with Councils about future funding arrangements and have not yet announced grant round. However, Council has previously endorsed 3-year RADF program budget with focus on Public Mural Action Plan implementation.
 - RADF 2022/23 – An update on Council led initiatives was provided. MCC will run youth arts engagement program in April/May 2023; Mt Molloy Remembrance Mural project to be managed by Mt Molloy RSL starting March 2023; Council currently advertising for artist quotes/proposals for Mareeba Skate Bowl and Kuranda Visitor Information Centre Murals.
 - Review of community grant applications (10 received) and recommendations for funding. See attached assessment / recommendation table.
 - Confidentiality reminder - details of applications and Committee discussions are confidential; Council will announce funding decision in April.
 - Conflict of interest declarations – Kristy Braes – Crystal Leonardi’s application. Committee member left the room during discussion of this application.
 - RADF 2020/21 community grant outcomes – Committee expressed interest in meeting in May for short presentation of outcomes from previously funded projects.
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6. Next Meeting

- To be determined
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7. Meeting Closed 6:30pm

RADF 2022/23 COMMUNITY GRANT APPLICATION ASSESSMENT AND FUNDING RECOMMENDATIONS – RADF Advisory Committee 21 March 2023

Applicant Name	Project Name	Grant Request	Average Score	Funding Recommendation	Grant Amount Recommended
Kuranda Neighbourhood Centre	Paint the Nest	\$2,617	33	Recommended for funding	\$2,617
Crystal Leonardi	Three-Part Complete Life and Business Coaching	\$3,000	Not scored	Not recommended for funding	
Kate Prynne	Masterclass – Advanced Glass Art Training	\$1,500	28	Recommended for funding	\$1,500
Australian Earth Law Alliance	View from the Understorey	\$3,000	24	Not recommended for funding	
Belinda Bekkers	Professional Development for TV Screenwriting	\$1,500	21	Not recommended for funding	
Caroline Lieber and Varsha Lieber Brisbin	Mount Molloy CWA Veranda Mosaic	\$3,000	29	Recommended for funding if budget remaining at end of FY	
Centre for Australasian Theatre	Avatar in the Multiverse Youth Performance	\$3,000	29	Recommended for funding	\$3,000
Flexichoice	Workshop Access for People with Disability	\$3,000	22	Not recommended for funding	
Dimbulah Community Centre	Meet and Greet Night – Italian Themed	\$2,960	28	Not recommended for funding	
Gulf Savannah NRM	Earth and Country – Indigenous art and country celebration	\$3,000	30	Recommended for funding	\$3,000
		\$26,577			\$10,117