## **Down-To-Earth (Vic) Cooperative Society Limited**

## **Organising Committee**

## **Minutes**

Date: 29<sup>th</sup> November, 2018

**Time:** 7.30 PM

**Venue:** Ceres Learning Centre, Lee St East Brunswick

Audio: <a href="http://dte.org.au/audiominutes/2018-11-29%20OC.mp3">http://dte.org.au/audiominutes/2018-11-29%20OC.mp3</a>

Register on line: <a href="https://dte.coop/live.meeting">https://dte.coop/live.meeting</a>
Zoom Connect: <a href="https://dte.coop/to/zoom">https://dte.coop/to/zoom</a>

**Phone Connect:** (02) 8018 2088 Meeting ID Number 2362803611

Status: Confirmed 13th December, 2018

#	Item	Raised by:
1	Acknowledging traditional owners of the land.	
	I acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the land on which we are meeting. I pay my respects to Elders, past, present and emerging.	
2	Meeting Started	Procedural
	7.40 PM	
3	Election Of Chair	Procedural
	Confirmation of Chairperson: Kate Shapiro Confirm Minute Keeper: Coral Larke	
	Host: Troy Reid	
4	Attendance	Procedural
	Cruise David Hunt Lindy Gregory Steven (Scouse) Johnston Zoe Joy Kristen Larke Coral MacPherson Robin Mathews Malcolm Newcomb Craig Shapiro Kate Tarr Jenni Rasmussen Mark Reid John Reid Troy Ryan Darrylle Wilkinson Andrew	
5	Confirm previous minutes	Procedural

	11/10/18 Minutes <b>Moved: Seconded: Amendments:</b> Change time and add \$ amount to	
	Think Water. Approving minutes deferred.	
6	25/10/18 Minutes Moved: Malcolm Mathews Seconded Steven Gregory PBC	Procedural
0	Action Task List	No progress
		Work In
		PROGRESS
		COMPLETE
		No Longer RELEVANT
		TASK RESUMED
_		<u>BY</u> Procedural
7	Correspondence / Payments	Procedural
	Invoice # INV-1309 9/11/18 Cloud Accounting \$1305.50	
	Correspondence	
	Essential Energy Power Outage Notification 12 <sup>th</sup> December, 2018  Newsletter from NSW Water	
8		Coral Larke
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	Agenda details: For DTE vehicles that are occasionally driven to Melbourne to have etags	
	and an amount of money on a city link account to cover fees.	
	<b>Motion:</b> Budget request: For \$200 to be paid onto linkt accounts. <b>Motion</b> withdrawn,	
9	this has already been set up.  Travel expenses	Lars Nissen
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	<b>Agenda details:</b> DTE is NOT a Holiday club! Was there a budget application for Travel by Robin to attend the facilitators meeting? And if not then no reimbursement for his travel	
	should be allowed above the limit. Flight and Rental Car!	
	Motion: That travel expenses to and from Facilitators meetings be limited to \$ 100 per	
	car/person	
	Deferred	
10	Minutes on internet	Coral Larke
	Agenda details: DTE minutes are on the internet for the public to view. You just need to	
	Google a few related words.	
	Motion: For David Cruise to pay for a digital certificate to ensure minutes are not	
	broadcast publicly through dte.org.au	
	Amendment: That the agenda items and minutes be put on the members VIA password	
	protection.	
	Amendment: That anonymous access to meeting agenda recordings and minutes be	
	revoked and instead accessible to active members and volunteers.	
	Deferred to special general meeting.	
11	Ceres	Coral Larke
	Agenda details: Ceres needs confirmation if we will be hiring the venue next year. Does	
	DTE want to keep Ceres going?	
	Motion: To renew Ceres for the next quarter Moved Kate Shipiro Seconded Mark	
	Rasmussen. PBC	
	Motion: For a working group to sort out DTE's needs for realestate Seconded Scouse PBC	
12	Post box	Coral Larke
	<b>Agenda details:</b> Do we need to continue the mail redirection?	
	Coral Larke will pay for the redirection for another 3 months	
13	<u>Permacroft</u>	David Cruise
	To consider DTE's position in the windup/transfer of the Permacroft Co-op	<b>Moved</b> Troy Reid

	<b>Motion:</b> That DTE offer to loan Permacroft Coop up to \$1500 to fund a sworn valuation of its property 210 Muncktons Lane Sugarloaf Creek to be repaid upon settlement of the sale of property or shares.	Kate Shapiro <b>PBM</b>		
14	Budget App for on-site paperwork depot			
	Budget request from Kristen Tunney facilitator of Villages and Memcom \$3518 To assist her working while she is at the ConFest site.	Moved: Kristen Tunney Seconded Troy Reid PBC		
15	NSW Health & Council Site Inspection Report	Troy Reid		
	Water results; Edward River+ 80 NTU (turbidity) Current filtration + 5 – 10 NTU NSW Health target = 0.5 NTU Ultrafiltration is needed to bring the water to a standard that NSW Health Budget Request: For a \$2000 budget for Asset management for water testing and water test kits.	Moved Troy Reid Seconded Mark Rasmussen PBC		
16	Formation of Finance Support Committee	Kate Shapiro		
	Motion: OC recommend the formation of a finance working group	Moved Kate Shapiro Seconded Malcolm Mathews PBM		
17	Bookkeeper	Kate Shapiro		
	Kate will put forward a bookkeeper to interview. This will be raised at the next board meeting. Malcolm will send a Request for a criteria for the new bookkeeper.			
18	Consumer Affairs Bills			
	For \$500 be allocated to Consumer Affairs for fees to submit 3 years of annual reports and change of details.	Moved Coral Larke Seconded David Cruise PBC		
19	Carried Resolutions	Procedural		
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	Next Meeting Date & Time Confirmation	Procedural		
	Meeting Ended	Procedural		
	10.45 PM			