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

## **ConFest Committee**

## **Minutes**

**Date:** Thursday 13 July 2023

Scheduled Start: 7:30 PM Venue: Zoom

Audio: <a href="http://dte.org.au/audiominutes">http://dte.org.au/audiominutes</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) 8015 2088 Meeting ID Number 2362803699

**Submit PDF version of** ccmail@dte.coop minutes to either: ocmail@dte.coop

#	Item			Raised by:
1	Acknowledge and pay respect to the traditional owners and ongoing custodians of the land			
	We would like to pay our respects to the elders of these lands, past present and emerging, also to the elders of the lands you might be listening from.  We recognise the past atrocities against Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples of this land and that Australia was founded on the genocide and dispossession of First Nations people.  Indigenous sovereignty has never been ceded in Australia. It always was and always will be, Aboriginal land.  We should endeavour to be mindful of this in everything we do, given our focus is gathering to create better ways of living in our society, not just for festival attendees but for all.			
2	Meeting Started			Procedural
	07:35 PM			
3	Meeting coordinators			Procedural
	Chairperson: Mark Rasmuss Minute Keeper: Robin Macpl Zoom Host/s: Suzi Helson Attendance monitor:			
4	<u>Attendance</u>			Procedural
	Aaron Shiperlee Brett Dalton Brian Denham Charlie Dalton-Twist Darrell Reid Darrylle Ryan	Jason Thomas Jessica Townsend John Magor John Reid Kathy Ernst Kevin Taylor	Lindy Hunt Mark Helson Mark Rasmussen Marte Kinder Ray Higgins Rick Gill	

	David Cameron David Cruise Ian Hales	Khee Win Kim Chadwick Lance Nash	Robin Macpherson Shardae-Breeane Reed Susan Helson Walter Padovani	
	Eligible to vote - https://dte.c	coop/online/cc-attendance		
5	Confirmation of previous minutes			Procedural
	Previous Minutes Dated: 08/06/2023			Mvd: Robin Macpherson Sec: Mark Rasmussen PBC
6	Matters Arising			Procedural
	1. No Matters arising			
7	Correspondence			
	1. No Correspondence			
8	Action Tasks			
	OC Action list https://data.dte.org.au/meeting/current_meeting/tasks/index.php  CC Action List https://data.dte.org.au/meeting/current_meeting/tasks/index.php			
9	Relevant Forms & Folders			
	CONFEST FUNDING APPLICATIONS FOLDER (2023) https://dte.coop/online/applications  FUNDING APPLICATIONS FORM https://dte.coop/online/images/forms/DTE_Funding_Application_22-05-2022.pdf  MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM https://dte.coop/images/forms/DTE_MembershipApp_20210329.pdf  ACTIVITY FORM https://dte.coop/online/activity-form			
10.0	<u>Motions</u>			
10.1	That CC approve a budget of \$	4950 for a facilitators confere	nce in October 2023	Mvd: Shardae Reed Scd: Jessica Townsend PBM
10.2				
	The CC approves funds for the held in October this year. The environment to allow our onsproduce valuable reports and	Facilitators Conference will pr site volunteer facilitators to co	ovide an appropriate ollectively and individually	Mvd: Charlie Dalton-Twist Scd: Lindy Hunt FBM

	familiarise with DTE requirements and policies and strengthen relationships between	
	teams in preparation for our next gorgeous event.	
10.2		
	That, commencing in 2024, the ConFest Committee commits to organising two ConFests each year, the Autumn ConFest, to be held over Easter, and the Spring ConFest, on dates to be determined each year.	Mvd: Lance Nash Scd: Suzi Helson PBC
10.3		
	That expressions of interest be sought from members or volunteers who wish to be involved in working groups to represent the ConFest Committee in planning each of the two ConFests to be held each year.	
10.4		
	Aaron Shipperlee is to be reimbursed for receipted and submitted ConFests (Permaculture Village & Natural Building) costs totalling \$1158.03	Mvd: Aaron Shipperlee Sec: Darrylle Ryan PBC
11	Carried Resolutions	Procedural
	<ol> <li>That CC approve a budget of \$4950 for a facilitators conference in October 2023</li> <li>That, commencing in 2024, the ConFest Committee commits to organising two ConFests each year, the Autumn ConFest, to be held over Easter, and the Spring ConFest, on dates to be determined each year</li> <li>Aaron Shipperlee is to be reimbursed for receipted and submitted ConFests (Permaculture Village &amp; Natural Building) costs totalling \$1158.03</li> </ol>	
12	Next Meeting Date & Time Confirmation (or expectation)	Procedural
	10/08/2023 at 7:30PM	
13	Meeting Ended	Procedural
	9:50PM	