

# Woodlawn Eco-Precinct

## Community Liaison Committee Meeting Minutes

<b>Date</b>	Thursday 17th June 2021	<b>Time</b>	5:00 pm
<b>Coordinator</b>	Henry Gundry	<b>Location</b>	Woodlawn Conference Room

### Committee List ✓

Name	Present	Name	Present
Henry Gundry (HG) (Veolia)	✓	Sandra Ellson (SE) (Community)	X
Cr Denzil Sturgiss (DS) (GMC Councillor)	✓	Scott Martin (SM) (GMC Designated Off)	X
Simon Reynolds (SR) (Community)	X	Cid Riley (CR) (Community)	X
Adrian Ellson (AE) (Community)	✓	Owen Manley (OM) (Tarago Men's Shed)	✓
Cr Mark Schweikert (MS) (QPRC Councillor)	✓	Richard Kirkwood (RK) (Community)	X
Kym Wake (KW) (TADPAI)	✓		

### Guests/Observers ✓

Name	Present	Name	Present
Marea Rakete (MR) (Veolia) (minutes)	✓	Tobias Stanley (Veolia)	✓
Lee Smith (LS) (Veolia)	✓		

### Minutes

	<b>Welcome</b>
	Meeting declared open by the Chair at 5:05pm. Attendees were invited to participate in round the table introductions due to new faces at the meeting.
<b>1</b>	<b>Present / Apologies</b>
	Simon Reynolds, Scott Martin, Sandra Ellson & Cid Riley
<b>2</b>	<b>Approval of Previous Minutes</b>
	Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes. Motion moved MS and seconded AE.
<b>3</b>	<b>Matters Arising from Minutes</b>
	HG tabled document from CR/AE. KW mentioned appreciation for timely minutes after the last meeting.
<b>4</b>	<b>Woodlawn Eco-Precinct Operational Update (Slide)</b>
	<b>Bioreactor and Leachate Treatment Plant (TS)</b> Emphasis made on odour management improvements including Clarke Energy works at the Power Station. HG explained EPA inspection, and EPL variation following shortly thereafter. KW suggested adding scope for IOA to include situating monitoring instrumentation in the village for assessment as part of the annual IOA. LS explained monitoring of odour can only be done by nose, such instruments can only measure gas. MS queried odour mapping, and comparison to the same time last year.

	<p>AD explained the “odour management update” slide. AE queried if rain impacts gas extraction or over compaction of waste surface. HG pointed out the rain event resulting in 1200mm in one year (more than twice the average rainfall). AE mentioned that landfill surface cracks will be difficult to manage due to size of the waste face and queried if temperature of waste is known or monitored.</p> <p><b>Bioenergy (TS)</b> LS requested the provision of a graph in minutes. OM queried what happened to new engine plans. HG plans are on hold for now. AE emphasized the stress that the odour has put on the community.</p> <p><b>Mechanical Biological Treatment (HG)</b> HG explained the Tailings Dam rehab project and overall objective of the trial and process involved in transitioning the AWT to a FOGO processing plant.</p> <p><b>EPA site Visits - See comments above</b></p>
<b>5</b>	<b>General Business</b>
	<p><b>Tarago Lead Contamination</b> HG explained that Transport for NSW (TRfNSW) have discussed excavation options and use Woodlawn as a process and disposal facility for the material in the Siding. The project is the sole responsibility for TRfNSW to resolve. TRfNSW are working through what sort of approvals would be required to carry out such excavation and processing activity.</p> <p><b>Bungendore/Tarago Road Maintenance</b> MS advised works have started and there is more to come. Rain has hindered works and more prioritized works due to poor road conditions. There is still no time frame for completion of this work. KW advised that it’s not just waste trucks damaging roads but also vacationers going to the coast. MS advised that due to land acquisitions, it is very difficult to say what works will be undertaken with funding provided by Veolia. DS pointed out that open trenches in the middle of the road by QPRC crews at night without warning is dangerous.</p> <p><b>Regional Waste - Planning Modification Update</b> AE queried the planned waste sources for an extra 70,000t (130,000 to 200,000). HG indicated demand was from the existing customer base.</p> <p><b>FOGO Processing at Woodlawn MBT</b> HG explained the process involved in transitioning the AWT to a FOGO processing plant including the planning modification requirements and process design (mentioned above).</p>
<b>6</b>	<b>Other Business</b>
	<p><b>Future Waste to Woodlawn Briefing Response - HG</b> Discussion re: Truck Movements - Compare ARRB report to Veolia’s truck movements to ascertain % of road usage etc - HG to present data on % usage at the next meeting AE queried what trucks traveling between Mugga Lane (ACT Recycling) and Woodlawn were carrying. HG confirmed as commercial waste only - residual waste from recycling facilities, Veolia doesn’t receive municipal waste from the ACT. MS explained the new QPRC waste strategy which closed in June, with no input from Veolia. The future vision/focus is on harmonising the waste rating system (collection of costs). MS suggested that Woodlawn is a cheaper and more environmentally friendly option from QPRC waste rather than Mugga Lane. No changes to disposal methods or options appeared to have been considered in the strategy. Discussion held around road traffic incidents and reporting methods for Veolia and QPRC. HG explained Veolia’s 35-40 years for landfill and lifespan of other facilities within the precinct and plans for the future. The MBT transition project is key at present. Veolia’s Response - Future Waste to Woodlawn Briefing Response will be attached to the meeting minutes. AE advised that the growth and future vision for Veolia is important to the community. KW</p>

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	queried if Veolia would be attending the GMC strategic planning at Tarago Hall on July 10th 2021 which Veolia was unaware of.
<b>7</b>	<b>Woodlawn Advanced Recovery Centre</b>
	LS advised that the 2nd Open day will be held this Sunday 20 June 2021 to talk about the ERF proposal for preparation of the EIS and spoke about plans/milestones moving forward. OM suggested Veolia re-consider community engagement strategy and perhaps take Open days or meetings outside of the Bioreactor eg. Tarago to entice more community interaction. TADPAIs have submitted a statement to the GMC in relation to Veolia's request for SEARS. AE will send this letter to HG and will be available on the TADPAI website.
<b>7</b>	<b>Meeting Closed by Chairperson</b>
	Meeting Closed by Chairperson at 7:13pm.

### Attachments:

- 1/ Veolia CLC Meeting #6 Operational Presentation
- 2/ Future Waste to Woodlawn Briefing Response
- 3/ Veolia Road Design Review Draft (AARB)