

**The Owners of The Mews – West Perth  
147-159 Charles St West Perth  
Strata Plan 5629**

**MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

Held at the office of Exclusive Strata Management,  
Suite 15, 443 Albany Highway, Victoria Park  
on Tuesday, 31 October 2017, commencing at 5:30 pm

**PRESENT**

Rod Kanter	Robin Waters	Bob Olsson
Richard Kosovich	Ian Heath	Maree Heath
Kate Bingham	Sekularac Tanasceva	Saxon Mailey
Rachel Riley	Benita Ng	Sean Saunders

**BY INVITATION**

Jasmine Abraham                      representing Exclusive Strata Management (**ESM**)  
Roslyn Carbon

**APOLOGIES**

Nil

**PROPRIETORS PRESENT OR REPRESENTED BY PROXY**

<b>Lot</b>	<b>Proprietor</b>	<b>Represented by</b>	<b>Proxy and/or Proprietor</b>
1	Mr S Mailey	Saxon Mailey	Proprietor
4	Ms J Millington	Saxon Mailey	Proxy
7	Mrs C Chapman	Chairman	Proxy
8	Mr B Mahony	Saxon Mailey	Proxy
12	State Housing Commission	Chairman	Proxy
13	Mr S & Mrs K Tanasceva	Sekularac Tanasceva	Proprietor/Proxy
14	Mr I & Mrs M Heath	Ian Heath	Proprietor/Proxy
15	Ms K Bingham	Kate Bingham	Proprietor
17	Ms R Waters	Robin Waters	Proprietor
18	State Housing Commission	Chairman	Proxy
20	Ms R Riley	Saxon Mailey	Proxy
21	S Allam & S Saleh	Chairman	Proxy
23	S Mailey	Saxon Mailey	Proxy
25	Mr L Chan	Chairman	Proxy
26	Mr R Kanter	Rod Kanter	Proprietor
29	S Allam	Chairman	Proxy
32	Mrs B Mentiplay	Saxon Mailey	Proxy
33	Ms Y Berman	Chairman	Proxy
34	S Allam	Chairman	Proxy
36	Mr S Clarkin	Saxon Mailey	Proxy
37	Ms N Browne	Sheki Tanaseev	Proxy
38	Mrs C Ryan	Chairman	Proxy

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39	Mr R Kosovich	Richard Kosovich	Proprietor
40	Ms B Ng	Benita Ng	Proprietor
41	Mr T Woods	Chairman	Proxy
42	Ms E Foston	Edna Foston	Proprietor
43	Mr K Thongkam & Ms C Connery	Saxon Mailey	Proxy
46	Mrs D Gilbert	Saxon Mailey	Proxy
48	Mr S Saunders	Sean Saunders	Proprietor
51	S Allam & S Saleh	Chairman	Proxy
52	Ms G Lawson	Saxon Mailey	Proxy
54	Mr J Jurkov	Chairman	Proxy

It being confirmed by the strata company manager of an enabling quorum being present, the meeting is properly constituted and may proceed to the conduct of business.

**1. Appointment of chairman for the meeting**

On a motion moved by Ian Heath it was resolved that Jasmine Abraham be authorised to act as chairman of the strata company for the purpose of the meeting. The chairman declared the meeting open at 5:40 pm.

**2. Confirmation of previous minutes**

On a motion moved by Kate Bingham and seconded by Edna Foston it was resolved that the previously circulated minutes of the general meeting held on 25 October 2016 be confirmed as a true record of those proceedings.

**Matters arising from the previous minutes**

Nil.

**3. Consideration of statement of accounts**

On a motion moved by Ian Heath and seconded by Edna Foston it was resolved that the statement of accounts for the period 1/10/2016 to 30/09/2017 showing an amount of \$48,457.83 net owners' funds, be adopted as presented.

**4. Constitution of the council**

**4.1** On an amended motion moved by Saxon Mailey and seconded by Robin Waters it was resolved that the council of the strata company consist of 6 proprietors.

**4.2** The following candidates were nominated:

- Saxon Mailey
- Daniel Hawkins
- Sean Saunders
- Benita Ng
- Bryan Mahony
- Richard Kosovich

The above 6 candidates were duly elected to the council.

**5. Annual report of the council**

On a motion moved by Benita Ng and seconded by Kate Bingham it was resolved that the annual report of the council was received and discussed at the meeting.

**Note:** Robin Waters gave thanks to the outgoing council of owners.

**6. Insurance**

On a motion moved by Kate Bingham and seconded by Edna Foston it was resolved that the council be directed to renew the current insurance policy prior to its expiry date in such sums as are suggested by the insurer or as are recommended by qualified professional advisors.

**7. Items of business notified by council**

**Modifications to Common Property**

Owners are reminded that ANY modifications to common property must be approved in writing by the Strata Council, this includes any modifications to the plumbing ducts or hot water systems. Owners are also reminded that if approvals have been granted for modifications in the past, any replacement or upgrades of modified items must be reapproved. Note that common property includes: external walls/windows/doors, the entire balcony area, walkways and the entire plumbing duct.

**Electric Hot Water Systems**

Due to limitations in the electrical supply to the building electrical hot water systems are not permitted to be installed, if electrical systems have been approved by the strata company in the past, they may not be replaced and must be converted to gas. The strata company has investigated the option of upgrading the power supply to the complex and all units and found this to be extremely expensive and cost prohibitive.

**8. Arrears and Debt Collect Recovery Procedure**

On a motion moved by Ian Heath and seconded by Edna Foston it was resolved that the strata company accepts the Debt Recovery Procedure as detailed in the Notice and Agenda.

On a motion moved by Ian Heath and seconded by Edna Foston it was resolved that all costs associated with debt recovery from a proprietor (including Exclusive Strata Management's internal recovery costs) will be payable by the relevant proprietor. The strata company acknowledges its liability to pay the costs incurred by such debt recovery in the first instance, however the debt will remain with the lot until the strata company is reimbursed.

**9. Consideration of budget of estimated expenditure from the administrative fund**

On a motion moved by Edna Foston and seconded by Kate Bingham it was resolved that the budget of estimated expenditure from the administrative fund GST inclusive for the period 1/10/2017 to 30/09/2018 amounting to \$133,400.00 be adopted.

**10. Determination of the levy of contributions for the period 1/01/2018 to 31/12/2018**

On a motion moved by Ian Heath and seconded by the Saxon Mailey it was resolved that the levy of contributions on proprietors for the administrative fund be payable in advance, inclusive of GST, by instalments due and payable in the amounts and on the dates as shown below:

\$/UoE <sup>1</sup>	For the Period	Period Total	Due Date
\$155.00	01/10/17 – 31/12/17	\$28,830.00	01/10/17 (Previously Approved)
\$155.00	01/01/18 – 31/03/18	\$28,830.00	01/01/18
\$155.00	01/04/18 – 30/06/18	\$28,830.00	01/04/18
\$155.00	01/07/18 – 30/09/18	\$28,830.00	01/07/18
to raise a total of <b>\$115,320.00</b> for the financial year (01/10/2017 to 30/09/2018)			
And			
\$/UoE	For the Period	Period Total	Due Date
\$155.00	01/10/18 – 31/12/18	\$28,830.00	01/10/18 (Pre Issue) <sup>2</sup>

and,

that the levy of contributions on proprietors for the reserve fund be payable in advance, inclusive of GST, by instalments due and payable in the amounts and on the dates as shown below:

\$/UoE <sup>3</sup>	For the Period	Period Total	Due Date
\$20.00	01/10/17 – 31/12/17	\$3,720.00	01/10/17 (Previously Approved)
\$20.00	01/01/18 – 31/03/18	\$3,720.00	01/01/18
\$20.00	01/04/18 – 30/06/18	\$3,720.00	01/04/18
\$20.00	01/07/18 – 30/09/18	\$3,720.00	01/07/18
to raise a total of <b>\$14,880.00</b> for the financial year (01/01/2017 to 31/12/2017)			
And			
\$/UoE	For the Period	Period Total	Due Date
\$20.00	01/10/18 – 31/12/18	\$3,720.00	01/10/18 (Pre Issue) <sup>4</sup>

**Note:** Owners present agreed to keep the standard levies at a reduced rate this year. It was noted that it was highly likely that standard levies would increase next year.

#### 11. Matters without notice for discussion and referral to the council

- (a) **Special projects** – This year Special Projects will be used to rectify the fence around the clothesline area and upgrade gate security.
- (b) **Savings** – Richard Kosovich proposed the council of owners explore saving options especially for fixed services.
- (c) **Insurance Valuation** - Insurance valuation will be considered next year.
- (d) **Painting** – Roslyn Carbon asked if the colour scheme for the complex could be changed. Council of owners agreed to review options presented by Roslyn.
- (e) **Screen Doors** – Strata Company replaces broken/security doors as required.
- (f) **Solar Power** – Installation scheduled for the 9<sup>th</sup> November will be connected to the pool pump.
- (g) **Special Thanks** – Enda Foston thanked council of owners for their efforts at the complex.

<sup>1</sup> Unit of Entitlement

<sup>2</sup> Levy that is approved for the next financial year.

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<sup>4</sup> Levy that is approved for the next financial year.

**12. Close of meeting**

There being no further business the meeting closed at 6:30 pm.

Signed as a true and correct record of this meeting:-

**DATE: 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2017**

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**CHAIRMAN**