

## UNLEY OVAL ADVISORY GROUP

**Minutes of Meeting held at 6.30 pm on Wednesday, 2 August 2006,  
in the Civic Centre, 181 Unley Road, Unley**

### ***Opening of Meeting***

The Chairman, Peter Williams, opened the meeting at 6.35pm and welcomed members to the meeting.

Members present were:

Mr. Peter Williams, Chairperson - Resident Representative  
His Worship the Mayor, Mr Michael Keenan  
Cr Rufus Salaman, Unley Ward  
Cr Mike Hudson, Parkside Ward  
Cr Barry Horan, Parkside Ward  
Mr Robert Freak Resident Representative  
Ms Susan Frayne, Resident Representative  
Mr Rick Bartlett, Sturt District Cricket Club  
Ms Meredith Nunan, Sturt Lawn Tennis Club

Apologies were received from:

Mr John Nairn, Resident Representative  
Mr Stuart Totham, Sturt Football Club  
Mr Tim Young, Sturt Bowling Club

Also present were:

Ms Deb Richardson, City of Unley  
Mr Mike Howley – City of Unley

### ***Agenda Item 24 – SANFL Post Match Review***

Match reviews for games held on 6 May, 10 June and 22 July 2006 were presented to the group. Discussion ensued about parking in the area particularly in reference to the comment in the match review of May 6 regarding Council staff following up a complaint from a resident who has no off street parking. Feedback will be provided to the group regarding this issue. Peter Williams commented that there are parking issues at other times not just during matches, e.g. Saturday mornings.

**Action: Deb Richardson to advise group members prior to the next meeting of the fines charged for various parking infringements**

### ***Agenda Item 25 – Correspondence***

It was noted that contrary to the Agenda, correspondence had been received from Peter Williams relating to unauthorised cars on the oval. It was agreed to defer the matter for discussion under other business.

### ***Agenda Item 26 – Review of Advisory Groups***

Deb Richardson advised that the consultants conducting the Advisory Group Review have held one on one interviews with most group members. Members were encouraged to let Deb know if they believed they had not had adequate opportunity to comment. Meredith advised she has yet to be interviewed due to being away.

### ***Item 27 – Reports from Clubs Regarding Future Events***

#### *Sturt District Cricket Club*

Cricket commences on Saturday, 7 October. The last minor round match is on 11 March with the final being on 25 March. Rick Bartlett noted the Club's inability to host a home final due the Unley Way to Go.

**Action: Deb Richardson to advise the date for Unley Way To Go in 2007**

#### *Sturt Lawn Tennis Club*

The Club is currently in winter recess.

#### *Sturt Football Club*

Stuart Totham sent an email to report the following:

- Home games on 12 August v. Glenelg; 19 August v. South Adelaide; 9 September v. Eagles (this date is subject to change depending on AFL Finals scheduling).
- The parking organised on home match days by Council on Frederick Street has worked well and the club appreciates the extra parks close to the oval.

### ***Agenda Item 28 – Any Other Business***

The issue of unauthorised cars accessing the oval, causing damage and disruption was discussed. Mike Howley reported that five cars had been on the oval since July 1. Three cars had entered using the crossover adjacent to the Bali memorial, one entered over the footpath on Langham Terrace and one via unsecured gates after a League game. Damage to the oval occurs very quickly with little chance of anyone identifying offenders.

The group discussed options for alleviating the problem such as mounds, deep kerbs, plantings, etc. Mike Hudson suggested small walls such as on Windsor Street. Mike Howley advised that options were being considered and

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that the intent is to avoid moving or patching up the problem, but to consider the oval as a whole and how it can be protected from unauthorised vehicles.

Mike Howley organised security patrols for Unley Oval and other Council facilities for the start of the school holidays.

Robert Freak raised the issue of young people spilling down Oxford Street late at night. This is creating unwanted noise for residents.

***Agenda Item 29 – Date and Time of Next Meeting***

The next meeting of the Advisory Group is scheduled for 6.30pm on Wednesday, 1 November 2006, Civic Centre, 181 Unley Road, Unley.