

# VICTORIAN RIFLE ASSOCIATION INC

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Council Meeting Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2021

## MINUTES

Virtual Meeting

**TIME: 6:12pm**

**Present:** Albert van Wyk (AvW), Marcus Gaebele (MG), Alan Wright (AW), Trevor Rhodes (TR), Craig Weaire (CW); Douw de Kock (DD)

**Apologies:**

**Minutes of previous meeting 28<sup>th</sup> JULY 2021**

**Moved AvW      Seconded MG      Carried**

**Business arising from previous meetings**

Nil

**REPORTS:**

Chairman's Report

In my last report I mentioned that it was great to be out of COVID but now unfortunately it is again not so great to be in lockdown again. I can make an announcement that as of the 1<sup>st</sup> September, the NRAA have now approved Lapua 30cal 155gn projectiles.

It is with sadness and disappointment that I have to announce the resignation of the Pattina Love from the council due to personal reason and that she feels she can't put in the time to benefit the council. It was also a sad but interesting occurrence to find out that the queens chair celebrated its 100<sup>th</sup> year in 2020 since being donated and presented by D.McKelly in 1920. I put it forward that we look at how many times the chair has been used over the last 100 years and then celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> year that it will have been sat in, at the next Queens.

**Moved AvW      Second DK      Actioned**

Treasurers Report

It is unfortunate to report that the sales from the shop have been down over the last month. I would like to put forward, due to my personal circumstances for MG to take an acting treasure position for the next 5 months.

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## 1. Shot Markers

CW mentioned that only a couple of clubs had got back to him about purchasing the Shot Markers through the VRA for the club. The council discussed the need to purchase, the costs involved and the amount required. CW would put together an email for the what items to purchase.

**Motion: That the VRA shop to purchase 14 units in total for both the clubs, VRA and shop to sell.**

**Moved AvW**

**Second MG**

**Actioned**

## 2. Target Repairs

AJ mentioned speaking with BS about the repairs to the targets and that as soon as COVID lockdown was cleared it could be completed.

## 3. Council Elections

After some council discussions, AJ to prepare correspondence for Council Elections and send a draft copy to AvW and get out ASAP.

## 4. State Teams

AJ asked who was due to state team elections and when. AvW mentioned TR had to have nominations for all positions. Forms and letters to be drafted up.

## **CORRESPONDANCE:** (Attached)

## 5. Matt Steel (attached)

After some discussion and explanation, AvW is to ring Matt Steel and talk to him and gather more detail on his proposal.

## **Other business arising:**

## 6. Shop Assistant

Council discussed the need for some assistance in the shop. It was decided that a new shop assistant would be required. Council decided to advertise for a new shop manager ASAP.

## **Upcoming Council Meetings**

- September 29<sup>th</sup>

## **Meeting Closed: 7:15pm**