Minutes for NZART Council Meeting held via Zoom

Tuesday 5 October 2021 @ 7:30pm

05/01 Roll Call

Chairman: ZL2UFI Mark Gooding

Council Present: ZL1BXA Howard Buxton, ZL2AJ Warren Harris, ZL1TAJ Neill Ellis

ZL2RO Phil Garside, ZL2DRV Daniel Vandenberg, ZL2FY Richard Harkett

ZL3PAH Phil Holliday, ZL3DMC Don MacDonald

ZL4DK Dave Mulder

Others present: ZL2DL Debby Morgan / ZL2TYR Don Robertson

Minute Secretary: Topsy Scott ZL2LS

5/02 Apologies

Nil

5/03 Confirmation of Minutes September 2021

Moved: ZL2RO Phil Garside Seconded: ZL2DRV Daniel Vandenberg Approved

05/04 Additional Agenda Items

Branch 82 Proposal

05/05 Action points

O1) ZL3DMC update on amendments to NZART Exam Question Bank. On track Ongoing

Action points Council meeting June 2021

- 1) **ZL2UFI** follow up with ZL2TW on letter sent to Chorus. Update given that discussions with Chorus are ongoing. Update from ZL2UFI, those that require access have been granted. Working to get an Agreement in writing.

 Ongoing
- 2) **ZL3PAH/ZL2FY/ZL4DK** to consider longer term strategy of NZART, incorporating discussions held at the Monday meeting of Council 2021. Ongoing

Action points Council meeting July 2021

1) **ZL2TYR** to appoint AREC person to IARU R 3 Disaster Manager Position and advise John Moriarty. No one has applied for this position as yet.Zl2TYR will do the role until an appointment is made.

Ongoing

Action points Council meeting August 2021

ZL2UFI/ZL2DRV to advise outcome of meeting on 6th October for SAR ED – Wellington.
 Report via email or by the next meeting after tomorrow's meeting.

Ongoing

05/06 Confirmation of New Members September 2021

Approved

05/07 Finance September 2021

- a) Payments
- b) Credit card transactions September
- c) Actuals versus Forecast

Moved: ZL1BXA Howard Buxton Seconded: ZL2DRV Daniel Vandenberg Approved

05/08 Monthly Reports

- a) LGLO
- b) Monitoring Service

Approved

05/09 Appointments of positions:

Motion: That Geoff Clark ZL3GA be appointed to the role of NZART Contest Manager

Moved: ZL2PAH Phil Holiday Seconded: ZL2AJ Warren Harris Approved

Motion: That Don Wallace ZL2TLL is appointed to the position of AREC Lower North Island

Regional Manager.

Moved: ZL2TYR Don Robertson. Seconded: ZL2FY Richard Harkett Approved

05/10 Opotiki Branch into recess -ZL1TAJ

Branch currently has three NZART Members. ZL1KDB, ZL2WAX, ZL1IH – Jane & Steve Winders have not been members since 2013.

A/P ZL2UFI / ZL2DL: to write a letter Opotiki Branch, advising of the requirement of the NZART Constitution, plus giving them a time frame to reply to letter. If no response will be put into recess.

Ongoing

05/11 Band plan Amendments – ZL1TAJ

Council acknowledged thanks to Neill for his work he has done with this area.

Moved: ZL1TAJ Neill Ellis Seconded: ZL2RO Phil Garside

Approved

05/12 Branch 82 Proposal for Engagement with Councils and Local Civil Defence

AREC is making inroads into local CDs contacts for emergencies.

A/P ZL2TYR to draft letter in reply to this and send to ZL2UFI and ZL2DL for review prior to sending a reply to the branch.

Ongoing

05/18 Information Papers

a) AREC Monthly Minutes

ZL2TYR gave report from Dunedin training weekend had seventeen people in attendance. Next meeting is Murchison doing Nelson/Tasman regions weekend 9/10 October. AREC have prepared policies and codes of conduct for final draft, to be sent to Council for review.

5/19 Leave of Absence

Debby on leave on 8-13 October 2021.

05/20 General Business

Break-In update hopefully be out next week. Two people are looking at taking over Editors' job from Mark ZL2UFI. Mark expects to send out their CV's once both are received and updated. There is one position for the Editor, but since two have applied would be ideal to appoint a Deputy, a new support position that would be advantageous for Break In.

Assuming the roles are taken when offered, then the new team will commence with the January/February 2022 issue. A question on whether the Deputy Editor needs an honorarium was discussed, but Mark said it would be handled by the current Editors one and an additional one wasn't required. It is expected to appoint the new Editor plus Deputy at Councils November's meeting.

No further business Meeting closed at 20.22 hrs

Topsy Scott ZL2LS On air minute secretary