



Community Reference Group
MINUTES for 21st July 2011
12.00 noon at CME Boardroom, 147 Egan Street Kalgoorlie

1. ATTENDANCE:

CRG Members:

Anne Petz
Deborah Botica
Murray Joyce
Bill Robinson
Kevin Smallhorn
Tony Stephenson
Morrie Goodz

KCGM Members:

Jacqui Niemand
Michelle Berryman

Invited Guests

Hugh Gallagher - KBCCI
Pam Baskind – DoP
Alan Holmes - DMP
Jim Boucaut – DMP
Ron Mosby – KBCCI

2. APOLOGIES:

Jim Watson, Charles Douglas – DOH, Janine Cameron – DOIR, Kathleen Bentley, Max Bentley, Guy Brownlee, Russell Cole, Holly Phillips, Graeme Smith, Tamera Sharp.

3. WELCOME GUESTS

4. MINUTES

Minutes of the meeting held 9th June 2011 were moved by Kevin Smallhorn and seconded by Tony Stephenson.

5. BUSINESS ARISING FROM MINUTES

No business arising from the minutes.

6. AGENDA ITEMS

General Manager's Update

Due to unforeseen circumstances Russell Cole was unable to present.

Environment and Social Responsibility (Michelle Berryman)

- The June 2011 Environment and Social Responsibility Department report was presented.
- CRG welcomed Jacqui Niemand, KCGM's new Community Relations Superintendent.
- Details of the recent EBA negotiations were explained. The Load and Haul roster is going to even time, 7:7. This was what the employees voted for, not a company decision. KCGM are aware there are concerns in the community that this will lead to a FIFO culture but explained figures showed most employees under the new roster have families living locally and so are not expected to leave town on their days off. Also mentioned that other local mines that had gone to 7:7 had only 3 out of more than 300 employees choose to do FIFO. As with all employees, KCGM are not providing FIFO provisions such as flights or accommodation. The EBA is yet to be signed off by Fair Work Australia, though is expected to be in place by January 2012. The new roster will create 83 new positions.

Environment (Michelle Berryman)

- Reportable Incidents
 - June the groundwater level at one bore was less than 4mbgl, the DEC was notified.
 - We had 2 dust incidents in June, both were above the NEPM standard, it is unlikely that these were caused by KCGM, both were reported to the OEPA.
 - Works at Kaltails were modified following discussion with the DEC regarding of saline water overspray.
 - We had a near miss with SO₂, changes have been made to shutdown wind arcs.
- Closure
 - KCGM met with the City of Kalgoorlie Boulder (CKB) to discuss KCGM closure issues.
 - Formal response have been received from Office EPA, DEC, DMP, DIA and DPI.
 - We are currently waiting on the formal response from the CKB.

- Approvals
 - The Fimiston Licence with the amendment to include Kaltails is currently under assessment by the DEC. The final amended license is expected in August 2011.
 - Kaltails borefield DMP mining proposal was approved on the 14th June 2011.
- Air Quality
 - Northern SO₂ Monitoring Programme - KCGM have ordered the equipment and are currently finalising access agreements prior to installation.
- BMX Trail rehabilitation
 - Some local BMX enthusiasts cleared some ground and developed a BMX track on KCGM's land which was rehabilitated in 1997 as part of the Greening the Golden Mile.
 - This was located at the base of Nanny Goat Hill, which is a registered DIA site and a mining tenement.
 - KCGM rehabilitated the BMX track.

Social Responsibility – (Michelle Berryman and Jacqui Niemand)

Sponsorships

- Goldfields Boxing Academy - Declined
- North Kalgoorlie Primary School – Monetary sponsorship Declined, Shop Item for raffle Approved
- Step Up Foundation – Approved \$2,000
- Kalgoorlie-Boulder Youth Council – More information requested for Blast Off Program
- Kacey O'Connell – Declined
- WA Police Midnight Basketball – Approved \$5,000 for basketball program
- GEMIA – Approved \$2,000 towards Girls in Mining, GEMS
- Church of Christ Kalgoorlie – Approved \$1,000 for 2011 Christmas in the Park
- Eastern Goldfield BMX Club – Approved, in kind donation of 1500t of crushed rock for a new BMX ramp

Community Relations

- 17 media reports in June, 8 positive, 4 neutral and 5 negative.
- The negative articles were related to the BMX track, tenements and Sutherland Street.
- 47 PIL's in June, 5 were complaints.
- There was one Parliamentary Question asked during June which was about the rock slip in Trafalgar.

Volunteering

- The Edward Collick Dementia Garden went really well.
- Engineers Australia Science Challenge was a success.
- To date our KCGM volunteers have completed a total of 539 hours since October 2010.

Volunteering – Upcoming Opportunities

- 23rd July - KBULG Tree Planting day
- 6th August - GEMIA Teachers Dust Off
- 10th August - GEMIA's Girls Exploring Mining
- 17th August - Vibe Alive 2011.

7. GENERAL BUSINESS

8. ACTIONS LIST

Action	Person Responsible	Notes
SIA	MB/JN	Refresh of the CRG Committee, need to put a proposal forward, look at expanding committee Look at taking a group photo next meeting.
Review Sponsorship Guidelines	MB/JN	Review the guidelines to include a set amount for schools.
Community Fair Sponsorship	TS	Ben from the Community Fair will come and present at the August CRG Meeting the future plans.

9. CLOSE

10. NEXT MEETING: 11th August 2011 at the CME Boardroom, 147 Egan Street Kalgoorlie.