



**MINUTES OF THE KATHERINE SHOWGROUNDS AND MULTI-PURPOSE ADVISORY  
COMMITTEE MEETING HELD AT THE KATHERINE CIVIC CENTRE  
THURSDAY 21 FEBRUARY 2019 AT 5.30PM**

**1. WELCOME**

Meeting opened at 5.30pm.

**In Attendance:**

Alderman Clark	KTC Elected Member (SHG Chair)
Alderman Gazey	KTC Elected Member
Kylie Leonhardt	Australian Stock Horse Society (ASHS)
Anna Kerwin	Australian Stock Horse Society (ASHS) - Treasurer
Patricia Glackin	Katherine & District Show Society – Executive Officer
Vicki Haddock	NT Appaloosa & Western Performance Club – President
Sally Burdin	Katherine & District Show Society
Matthew Harris	Katherine Turf Club
Peter Rose	Katherine Turf Club
Mark Robertson	Katherine Dirt Kart Club – President
Luke Haddow	Katherine Dirt Kart Club
Sam Tapp	Australian Stock Horse
Randal Ashford	Ashford Group Architects
Steven Ehrlich	Ashford Group Architects
Mark Pilla	Ashford Group Architects
Joe Tag	KTC Project Manager
Peter Reeve	KTC Executive Manager – Infrastructure & Environment Services

**2. APOLOGIES**

David Flood	Blue Eagles Muay Thai
Daryl Hill	

**3. GENERAL BUSINESS**

**3.1 Introduction**

Alderman Clark welcomed everyone to the meeting and invited everyone to identify themselves and the organisations they represent. She then introduced the representatives from Ashford Group Architects.

Randal Ashford introduced his team members and outlined the methodology of their process. Steven from their team is in Katherine from Monday 25 February to Friday 1 March 2019 and will be available to meet with representatives during these times. An aerial photograph of the site was available, and all groups were invited to put forward their ideas on the future needs of their organisation.

**3.1.1 Campdraft Arena**

The Campdraft arena would like it to remain in its current location. There would be a huge cost to relocate it to the other side of the racetrack. Bores, water, electricity are all required for the new site. Therefore, the proposed camping area and new toilets would be too far to walk if the campdraft area is left as is.

**3.1.2 Racing Club**

Racing Club wish to construct a new structure which includes ablution block, storage and office space.



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- The Club is keen to have greater use of their facility for community use.
- Receptive to using the centre of racecourse for carparking except when it interferes with racing.

**3.1.3 Dirt Kart Club**

The Club are happy with their designated area and will provide plans of their development.

**3.1.4 Horse Racing Track**

Discussion took place on the possible reorientation of the horse racing track, but it was decided it was not feasible.

**3.1.5 Golf Club Access Road**

Possible new access road through the golf club was discussed but would not work if campdraft area is to remain in its current location.

**3.1.6 AFL Oval**

AFL was not represented but it was agreed that the oval they use is the most utilised area in both the dry and wet seasons.

**3.1.7 Guild**

It was discussed that the guild is not required to move.

**3.2 Next Steps**

- a. Architects to prepare a data sheet which will be distributed to all user groups. This will be done by Agnes on 25 February 2019. This will require groups to populate and return the sheets.
- b. Meetings will be set up between each group and the architects at times to suit in the next week to discuss their needs. Steven is available Monday to Friday each week.
- c. Next meeting of all user groups with architects will be held on Wednesday 6 March 2019 5:30pm.

**4. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

Wednesday 6 March 2019 at the Civic Centre commencing at 5:30pm

**8. MEETING CLOSED**

The meeting was closed at 7.30pm.