Council Meeting





23 July 2018

Notice of Motion No. 81

Halt all work on the rezoning of Millers Homestead, Boronia, to complete full community consultation process

I hereby give notice that it is my intention to move at the Ordinary Meeting of Council on 23 July 2018 the following motion.

That Council resolve:

- To write to the Minister for Planning advising that it no longer wishes to proceed with Proposed Amendment C171 and that all work on the amendment be halted in order to honour a written commitment (18/8/2005) to residents near Millers Homestead to undertake a wide circulation of information when dealing with issues affecting the homestead;
- 2. To note that there is overwhelming community opposition to proceeding with the Proposed Amendment C171 process, especially from those residents directly affected, that is, living adjacent to Millers Homestead;
- 3. Consideration of any planning scheme amendment relating to Millers Homestead to proceed only after an updated Heritage study is completed;
- 4. To receive a report in November 2018 on the community interaction with Council regarding Millers Homestead over the past 25 years, noting an attempt to change the planning scheme to allow receptions in 1996 and usage of the homestead by U3A in 2005; and
 - this report include usage of Millers Homestead by the Council and the community since 1997;
 - this report include complaints made by community members over the past 5 years in relation to Millers Homestead; and
 - this report include copies of any past reports to Council on potential uses of Millers Homestead
- 5. That comprehensive consultation with our community be commenced that seeks possible future uses of Millers Homestead under its current zoning, and tests those ideas through such things as public meetings, focus groups and regular information dissemination, assisting Council to determine the future productive use of Millers Homestead, including social, environmental and economic considerations.

Cr Peter Lockwood Baird Ward JA/