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Alpine Events Risk Management Advisory Group

Date: Held Monday 31st August 2026

Time: 3pm

Meeting notes:- 31/08/2026

Attendees: Nathan, Ractiffe, Justin Foots, Peter Johns, Melinda Stewart, Darren Viney, Domenica Hunkin, Hamish Nelsen, Ebony Buckley, Pia Kenedy, Melanie Atkins, Paul Mock, Erin Cotter, Heather Felix, Steve Contessa, Claire CFA, Gary Noal, Marcus Warner,

Apologies: Tracey Pawlik, Mike Dealy, Russel Beatson, Brad Brennan, Karen Van Huizen

Pioneer Park
Official event scaled down at Pioneer Park

- No trading on Saturday
- No marquee, no dinner
- Sunday market only
- Estimate 400 registered cars down to approx. 300 cars at the Show n Shine.
- Might see more attend the in□ormal event

Informal CBD event

- 20% increase in the last 2 years

Ongoing issues
Little to no in□ormation in paperwork □rom the RR committee. Very basic.
- basic schedule, risk MP, event MP, site plan

[Action] Emergency Management Plan Development / Bushfire Risk / Place o□Last Resort

Bright Rotary will be submitting site plan and own risk management plan

2nd Meeting without the Rod Run Committee attending noted by Vic Police and a request □or attendance at the next meeting.

CFA

- Sees a significant risk because o□the □ormal event decrease.
- Planning needs to be different to last year's (circuit) traffic congestion. Major risk.
- Risk MP needs to address bush fire danger (□ormal & in□ormal event)
- Neighborhood place o□last resort and availability □or the event.

Gary

- Need to keep the arterial road □unctioning – what is the overall approach □or the circuit?

Paul

- More resources, the more we take it on a risk, step back from it however we can – but how do we manage that?

Vic Pol

- Someone needs to be responsible

Ebony

- Communication campaign to reduce numbers, but the risk exists and we need to mitigate it.

Erin

- Suggesting to take it on as an event

Justin

- Discussion to shift it to an alternative venue as we are unable to stop them coming (Winton speedway)

Hamish

- **Make a one-way circuit - Trial for a day / few hours**
- Halo Ireland Street closed to pedestrians only.
- Timed parking trial in the closed off halo Ireland.
- Widening the circuit track would be beneficial, lessening the congestion

Domenica

- Supports one way, widened circuit
- Would need additional resources for this

To Action

- Resend documentation to stakeholders, no one received the updated docs (Mel A)
- Lack of attendance from Rod Run Committee is not ok.
- Emergency access and fire risk documentation (Sara & Mel A – by Wednesday change this to Monday Draft to be sent)
- Chief Warden / Communication Point and Safety management required
- Communication and Engagement meeting, taking place 1st September
- Resourcing – Vic Police is requesting to scale up

Myrtleford Show

To Action

- To meet up with Hamish to discuss access issues with vehicles & congestion