

VICTORIAN RIFLE ASSOCIATION INC

ESTABLISHED 1860

Registration Number A13641H ABN 37 571 868 151

12/01/25

Council Meeting

Sunday 12th January 2025

Meeting opened at 10.34am

Present: Markus Gaebele, William (Bill) Poynton, Garry Kay, Frank Conner, Peter Farley, James

Corbett

Apologies: Brodie Dare

Welcome to new Councillors Peter Farley, Bill Poynton and returning Councillor Garry Kay.

Minutes of previous meeting: Moved Markus, seconded Frank.

Constitutional Review Committee: Review to include Council election procedures, electronic voting, electronic communication to members, MMS renewal with Code of conduct, CoC structure, National Integrity Framework (NIF).

Fees for 2025: Reduced fee for 2nd year membership, fees are \$105, \$155, \$225 for first year, second year and full membership.

Ranges: Discussion and updates on Bacchus Marsh, Ballarat East, Colac, Dimboola, Geelong, Hamilton, Lilydale, Lang Lang, Karramomus, Mildura and Wentworth.

Cone of Fire (CoF) study: Permission be sought to forward the report to all Council members.

Junior Development fund: We offer 36rds of factory ammunition FOC with every Howa package for new membership entrants. We build two rifles for Junior Development days being a Sporter rifle in 223 and Fclass rifle in 308.

223/6mm: We investigate low recoil alternatives 223/6mm using the BR case.

Kings 2025: Sporter class scoring V=6, Muzzle breaks to use the muzzle barrel, Fouling shots as per Kings24, Vortex challenge trophy for users of Vortex scopes.

Wellsford RC closure: We refer the external report for legal advise.

Shooting Integrity Australia (SIA): Waiting on final review for membership dispute.

Wages CPI: Increase of 3.75% starting Week2 2025.

Meeting closed at 3.19pm

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