Queensland Combined Council of Historic Vehicle Clubs Minutes of Monthly General Meeting

Held at 1376 Old Cleveland Rd, Carindale QLD on Thursday 26th Jan 2006

Meeting Opened 7.30 pm

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- 1. **Present:** Delegates as per attached attendance sheet. NB Some delegates represent more than one club.
- 2. **Apologies:** Val Sharp, Christine Stevens, David James
- 3. **Visitors:** Nil.
- 4. New Delegates: Nil.
- 5. **Minutes of GM 24th Nov 2005** were accepted without modification. Moved by Lawrie Bennett , seconded by Fred Clark, carried.
- 6. **Business from Minutes:** Nil.
- 7. Correspondence In:
 - a. 5 Club affiliation renewals.
 - b. AHMF Receipt for \$130 for 2005 AGM fees.
 - c. Invoice from AHMF for 2005-2006 Affiliation fees \$350.
 - d. Letter from Early Ford V8 Club asking for information on nominating Colin Payne for a Shannon Trust award for young people.
 - e. Letter from Maryborough Dist Antique Motor Club asking QCCHVC to include the Third Custodians Rally to be held 28th /29th Oct 2006 on the events calendar.
 - f. Letter from SAPPHIRE Resort outlining their Brisbane accommodation.
 - g. Council of Motoring Clubs WA Minutes of Meeting 19th Dec 2005.
 - h. Council of Motoring Clubs NSW Minutes of Meeting 28th Nov 2005.
 - i. 12 club magazines.

Correspondence Out:

- a. Letter from Early Ford V8 Club (Colin Payne Re approach for nominating a person for the Robert Shannons's Trust award.
- b. Letter and Robert Shannons Cheque sent to Alex Moon.

Richard Egglesfield Moved that the inward correspondence be accepted and the outward be adopted seconded Graham Leacock.

Business Arising.

- 8. **Treasurer's Report:** The Treasurer reported on our income and expenditure for the month and advised that the balance of our accounts were Inv A/c \$ 10,475.72, Gen A/c \$6163.37. Brian Shelley moved that the report be accepted and accounts be approved for payment and that \$4500 be transferred from our general account into our term deposit account. Seconded by Graham Allum, carried.
- 9. **Calendar of Events:** Tom Lewis distributed the updated calendar. Details of more events added and will be distributed with these minutes.
- 10. Queensland Transport Liaison Report:

Nil new developments to report.

11. Australian Historic Motoring Federation:

Jim Scott reported that there were no issues or concerns this month.

- 12. **Public Liability Insurance report:**
 - Jim Scott reported that there have been no changes.
- 13. **Publicity Report:** David James (our Publicity Officer) is contacting all vehicle clubs that are not currently members of the QCCHVC to advise them of the advantages of

being members. If you know details of clubs that are not CC members, please provide the information to David, or to the Secretary.

14. **General Business:**

- a) Richard Egglesfield moved that CC donate \$500 to the Gympie Historic Auto Club to assist in the running costs of the 2006 Combined Council Rally. Seconded Alex Connors. Carried
- b) It was discussed and agreed that a Queensland Transport Inspector will attend the next CC meeting to discuss the issues relating to the use of SIVS registered vehicles. This will give delegates an opportunity to ensure they fully understand the rules relating to the use of SIVS vehicles.
- c) There was some discussion relating to the recent action by the BCC to remove and destroy old vehicles from an inner south-side residential property. Issues raised related to:
 - i. The potential threat to genuine restorers' vehicle collections.
 - ii. How vehicles need to be stored to avoid potential problems with neighbours and councils.
 - iii. The potential loss of "valuable/collectable/rare auto items" when a court order is issued for the removal and destruction of old vehicles declared a nuisance.

The meeting agreed that the secretary should prepare a draft letter, for discussion at the next meeting, prior to potentially sending a letter to the Brisbane City Council outlining any potential help that CC affiliated clubs could offer in saving collectable vehicles and asking for guidance on how genuine restorers / collectors should store their vehicles.

Meeting Closed at 8: 25 pm.

CC News

Combined Council Rally: CC has donated \$500 to assist the Gympie Historic Auto Club to run this year's Combined Council Rally over the Queens Birthday Week-end this year. In 2007 the CC rally will be organised by the Classic & Historic Automobile Club of Caboolture, 2008 will see the Bayside Vehicle Restorers Club organising the CC rally, while the Qld Vintage Vehicle Association will run the event in 2009. The 2010 rally will be organised by the Bundaberg Vintage Vehicle Club.

Storing Old Cars: Recent action by the BCC in obtaining a Court Order to remove old vehicles from a residential house yard in Brisbane together with the initial publication and then withdrawal by the Logan Shire Council of a pamphlet outlining the restrictions of the maintenance/restoration of cars in residential areas has highlighted the potential risk of additional restrictions that may be placed on car restorers/collectors. The Combined Council is investigating actions we can take to reduce the impact of any new restrictions on club members.

Queensland Transport: A QT Transport Inspector is available to address club meetings on issues relating to the use of concessionally (SIVS) registered vehicles. The Transport Inspector will address the next meeting of the CC. A report of this address together with contact details will be included with next months minutes.

More Vintage and Classic Cars: The first big event of the year, The Bayside Vehicle Restorers Club's Australia Day Rally attracted 300 vehicles this year, up 100 on last year. Let's hope that all events this year attract simular increases in numbers.