

Minutes

Access Reference Group Meeting

Oran Park Administrative Building

Oran Park NSW 2570

20 March 2024

2.30pm – 4pm



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Disability Inclusion Action Plan Report 2024 Project delivery undertaken Volunteer Expo Community Grants Program	

MEETING COMMENCED AT 2.3PM

PRESENT

Lisa Grimson, Gayle Martin, Penny Williams, Brooke Hardy

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

Brooke Hardy - Acknowledgement of Country.

APOLOGIES AND LEAVES OF ABSENCES

Mhari Paterson, Giuliana Ferretti

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Nil

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

Gayle moved January minutes as accurate and Lisa second them.

BUSINESS ARISING

Nil / That the business arising be noted.

1. REPORT TITLE

Disability Inclusion Action Plan

Reported outcomes of the 2022-2023 DIAP were presented to the group. Members were advised of strategic actions currently being delivered within the DIAP and initiatives were discussed.

Group discussed roles and responsibilities for the delivery of projects within the action plan.

Group agreed to support the planning and delivery of under
DIAP Focus Area 1

Attitudes and Behaviours

1.1 Increase opportunities for PwD to participate in volunteering opportunities

1.2 Enhance understanding of inclusion and participation in Council volunteers.

Action Items:

<u>Task</u>	<u>Responsibility</u>
Volunteer Expo flyer sent to group for promotion	Lisa to email
Support and promote Volunteer Expo Distribute information throughout networks	All
Represent the Group at the Expo	All – advise if available to attend
Provide information resources for the Expo	All

Focus Area 2 Liveable Communities

2.1 Financial support for groups, services and businesses who advocate for and work with PwD

Action Items:

Task	Responsibility
Community Grant information and links sent to group for promotion	Lisa to email
Support and provide funding ideas and initiatives for businesses	All
Work in partnership to seek further opportunities and projects to enhance the grant program	All

2. GENERAL BUSINESS

The group were advised that there is Federal Government EOI inviting Councils to express interest for Changing Places funding. .

Action Items:

Council will explore this opportunity

Seeking information regarding an existing Disability Forum being delivered across the South West.

Action Items:

Mhari to provide further information and contact details.