

**THE BERRI BARMERA COUNCIL  
NOTES OF A MEETING OF THE LIBRARY RELOCATION WORKING GROUP  
HELD 13/01/2022 COMMENCING AT 9am**

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1       **Present:** Peter Hunt (Mayor), Karyn Burton (CEO), Rhonda Centofanti (Councillor), Peter Ison (Library Manager)

2       **Apologies:** Nil

3.       **Discussion Points:**

This is the initial meeting of the Library Working Group held in the Council Chambers, 19 Wilson Street. Notes of meeting recorded by LM.

**Request by school to vacate existing Library**

- Discussion about the letter received from Glossop High School asking Council to vacate the existing library site on Kay Avenue by 30<sup>th</sup> September 2021 as they require more space for the Berri Regional Secondary College. Clarification required from school about the details in the letter.

**Car Parking**

- Car parking at the proposed 29 Riverview Drive site will likely be an issue and suitable car parking for library customers needs to be identified if this site becomes the Berri Public Library.
- Noted that other local public libraries are also located in main streets and do not have dedicated car parking.

**Building Use**

- Consideration should be given to also accommodate the VIC in this building on or after 2024.

**Public Consultation**

- Plan for the initial public consultation in form of printed and a web based survey to take place in February and report to Council SAMP in April. To be developed by LM and draft sent to Working Group members for comment.
- Proposal is to complete initial survey and then investigate design and costings.

4       **Closure:** The meeting closed at 10am