



Media Release

American River Hall future

Monday 25 January 2016: Mayor Peter Clements chaired a large community meeting in American River on the evening of Tuesday 19th January to discuss the future of the American River Hall.

The overriding view of the attendees was to retain the hall and have it upgraded with 61 voting for, and 3 against.

Mayor Peter Clements said: "it is obvious to me that the community has spoken and has spoken very clearly. Council will now consider this at its next meeting."

"In a sense the community's view to retain the hall was the easiest part of the exercise but the work to upgrade and maintain the asset will require much more input from the community, I am confident however that the passion exhibited by the community at the recent meeting will once again be shown in the future work required.

"I encourage the Community to commence looking at options and opportunities so that the Hall can be utilized more fully and that the American River Community and Progress Association provide a promotional plan to help achieve this.

"Council recognizes the community's excellent track record in pitching in with volunteer labour, and raising funds to achieve some excellent outcomes and this will always be supported."

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