

RESIDENT SURVEY

and

Island Association Membership Form

2016
Residents
Association Membership
Form included.
For Renewal or New Membership.
Staple/attach \$5 fee in an envelope to
your Survey return.

St Huberts Island Canals - A Plan Of Management

(Survey carried out by the St Huberts Island Residents Association Inc on behalf of the Central Coast Council and GHD Consultants)

ALL ISLAND RESIDENTS ARE REQUESTED TO COMPLETE THIS SURVEY



Your contribution to this project will be greatly appreciated.

PLEASE return by

MONDAY 25th JULY 2016

Survey Summary

The canals are of major importance for all the residents of the Island. Whether you live on a canal, fish in their waters, kayak, swim, boat or just enjoy the views from different parts of the Island, the canals make the Island what it is.

For more than 20 years successive committees of the Residents Association have worked with the local council to prepare a Plan of Management (POM) for the canals and tried to have these plans activated.

Council has now appointed a consultancy firm to move forward with a plan that will provide direction as to how we look after the canals - your survey responses will contribute to this implementation.

The aim is to provide a POM to enable residents and Council to conduct maintenance activities including dredging within the canals. The POM will allow activities to protect and restore foreshores, seawalls and canal depths in a manner that will not affect the hydraulic, sedimentary or ecological processes occurring within the canals, foreshores and Brisbane Water.

The POM will also specify the minimum requirements for seawalls and boat ramps when they are constructed, replaced or repaired.

(A full copy of the Consultancy Brief can be found on the St Huberts Island website at sthubertsisland.nsw.au.)

Whether you rent or own, we are all invited to participate in the discussion on how to look after this most valuable asset and what are the most important aspects that you feel need to be protected and enhanced.

You are asked to participate in the Survey which is attached here in writing, or on the Island's website, or located on Survey Monkey, or emailed to you.

What's in the Survey

Seven key areas have been identified for addressing through the Plan Of Management (POM). Council and *GHD Consultants* would like feedback as to the relevance of each of these key areas, and to determine other areas the residents would like to see addressed in the POM.

We consider it essential that you read the Council's "Consultancy Brief" for the POM project. It is an eight page PDF document, making it too large to include here. This document is accessible on the Island's website at sthubertsisland.nsw.au, or you can request a printed copy of this document from secretary@sthubertsisland.nsw.au.

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Options - Several ways to complete the Survey

In order to receive as many replies as possible regarding this very important Council project, the Association is carrying out this Survey using FOUR possible choices:

- 1. This letterbox-delivered survey** ----> to be filled out by hand then delivered to one of the letterboxes below.
 - * Steve @ 107 Helmsman Bvd
 - * Frank @ 64 Helmsman Bvd
 - * Annabel @ 1/29 Marina View Parade
 - * Ken @ 7 Discovery St
- 2. An email** ----> containing a link to the "Survey Monkey" version of the Survey (if you are on the Association's email list).
- 3. On the Island's website** ----> at sthubertisland.nsw.au, where there is a link to the "Survey Monkey" version of the Survey.
- 4. The internet "Survey Monkey" survey** ----> accessed directly from your Internet browser, to be filled in and submitted while online.
Access the "Survey Monkey" Survey at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/ZRPF8LD>.

To avoid duplication of surveys, please provide your NAME, Island STREET ADDRESS and EMAIL ADDRESS on the completed Survey.

(This information will only be used by the Association and for it's purposes.)

The Survey and 2016 Island Association Membership Form - FOLLOWS

PAGE 1 of the SURVEY

- * Use the first table on the next page to express support for or against each of these seven key areas and provide comment where relevant.

PAGE 2 of the SURVEY

- * Use the second table on the last page to raise and comment on any further areas of concern that should be addressed by the POM.

2016 Island Association Membership Form

The bottom of the 2nd page contains your 2016 Island Association membership form (for new or renewal membership).

Tear off the last page with your completed Survey AND/OR Membership form + \$5 stapled in an envelope, and put it in one of the 4 letterboxes mentioned at the top of this page.

If you have completed the Survey Monkey version of this Survey, please still return your completed MEMBERSHIP FORM and \$5 stapled to the Survey page.

TABLE 1: YOUR RESPONSES TO THE SEVEN KEY AREAS

Complete both sides. Tear Off. Attach \$5 Membership. Put in "one-of-four" letterboxes.

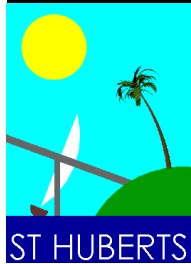
This table provides an opportunity for residents to express support for or against each of the seven key areas and provide comment where relevant. *Attach another sheet of paper if there is insufficient room here for your responses.*

Key Area	Approach	Expected Outcome	Supported? (Check box)	Comment
Canal Depths and Sedimentation	Provide advice regarding intervention levels at which point dredging should be undertaken	Achieve unobstructed boating access within canals across all tides and identify the trigger point and approval pathway for any maintenance work requirements	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	?
Foreshore Management	Identify preferred practices for the management of the canal foreshore	Ability to draw on preferred foreshore practices to ensure long term sustainability of foreshores	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	?
Shoreline Erosion/ Accretion (build-up)	Provide general advice regarding management measures and approval pathways for these measures	Clear steps required to undertake works and recommendations for any further works necessary to support implementation of these works and gain best results	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	?
Seawalls	Provide guidelines to ensure consistent future design of seawalls	A typical cross section including tidal planes, extreme water levels and design parameters for seawall design	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	?
Boat Ramps	Provide guidelines for the design criteria and approval pathway for upgrades and construction of existing and new boat ramps	Identification of approval pathway and design requirements	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	?
Pontoons/ Walkways	Provide guidelines for the design criteria and approval pathway for upgrades and construction of existing and new pontoons/walkways	Identification of approval pathway and design requirements	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	?
Wrack (seaweed) and debris build-up	Recommendations for the removal and management of wrack/debris	Include the distinction between debris types and associated management responsibility	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	?
Table 2 and Residents Association MEMBERSHIP form over			Please Turn Over	

TABLE 2: ARE THERE ANY OTHER AREAS YOU FEEL SHOULD BE INCLUDED IN THE "POM"?

Please provide details of any further areas that you believe should be included as a key area of concern for the POM.
 Attach another sheet of paper if there is insufficient room here for your responses.

Key Area	Preferred Approach	Preferred Outcome	Comment
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St Huberts Island Residents Association

2016 Association Renewal/New Membership Form

Name :

New member
 Renewal

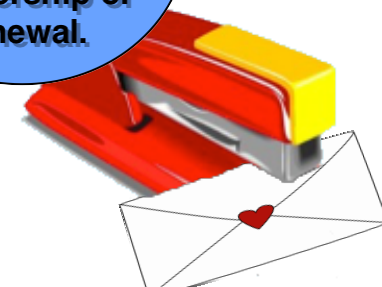
Address :

Email :

Annual Membership = \$5

NOTE: A receipt will not normally be issued.
 Email the Association's Secretary at secretary@sthubertsisland.nsw.au if you do require a receipt.

We need your details here regardless of new membership or renewal.



Staple your envelope with \$5 inside it **HERE.**