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Friends,

Our next meeting is on Sunday, July 10, 2-4pm, at the Uniting Church Hall, Katoomba St., Katoomba. Enclosed is the minutes of the last meeting.

There's been a lot happening since our last meeting, so there'll be lots to report and to decide on. Perhaps this is a good place to remind ourselves about how we govern ourselves. It's pretty simple. The members collectively govern the organisation in all that it does and these decisions are made at the meetings we have every two months (sometimes at special meetings also). We have a working group of four members whose job it is to do whatever is necessary to implement the actions authorised by the members' meeting. The working group has no authority to act outside of directions decided on by members' meetings. Where the members have agreed on a long-term policy, then the working group can take action consistent with that policy - a good example is doing the necessary things in relation to the proposed sub-division and development of the side valley between Stuarts Rd. and Wellington St. So that's one of the things to be reported on and further discussed.

We did alright at the recent street stall - \$296 on a very cold day. We've paid the insurance. But that payout and a couple of debts still leaves us fairly skint.

See you.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Neil'.

Neil Stuart,  
on behalf of the working group.