



Friends of Lane Cove

A number of people concerned about making the area of the Lane Cove municipality a better place to live have come together to establish an association called the “Friends of Lane Cove” (**FoLC**), to which individuals and organisations can belong :

The following provides a brief overview of what we see as the role of **FoLC**:-

Mission :

o To provide a focal point for the people and organisations of the Lane Cove Municipality who are concerned about making Lane Cove Municipality a better place to live.

Objective :

o To provide the communication tools for people and organisations in the Lane Cove Municipality to make their views and opinions known to others in the community.

o To provide access to such communication tools.

o To ensure that people and organisations in the Lane Cove Municipality are aware of the procedures and processes available to bring about change in the community.

Strategy :

o Establish a community focused association that can and will provide information and facilities, such as web sites, databases, information resources and facilitate the coming together of people with common concerns, goals and objectives.

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DRAFT CHARTER: FRIENDS OF LANE COVE

To create an awareness of our activities in the population of Lane Cove Municipality.

To encourage Membership of FOLC from all levels of the Municipal Population.

To maintain strict Political impartiality whilst recognizing the interests, needs and aspirations of genuine and registered Political Organisations.

To provide a sounding board to hear and examine the needs of Residents of Lane Cove.

To develop Policies in accordance with the needs of our Residents, and determine strategies to enable implementation of those policies

To monitor the Commercial activity in Lane Cove and ensure that supply and services required by Residents are available.

To promote the provision of adequate and under cover parking at our Shopping Centres for the convenience of Residents and Visitors to each centre.

To support the legitimate activity of recognised Organisations such as The Lane Cove Chamber of Commerce and Incorporated Community Groups, including Rotary, Lions, Probus and other Groups which from time to time may register with us.

To encourage Religious tolerance and the right to worship for all residents of Lane Cove Municipality.

To actively discourage Racial discrimination.

To monitor the needs of the Handicapped, the Aged and the Infirm, and eliminate discrimination either intentional or unintentional, against them.

To encourage and endorse suitable candidates to represent residents at Local Government Council level.