HERBERT RIVER IMPROVEMENT TRUST Lower Herbert Levee Study Group

MEETING MINUTES

THURSDAY 7TH JUNE, 2012 AT 2:00 P.M.



A. <u>ATTENDANCE</u> - Present were Mr. W.H. Pickering [Trust Chair], Cr. D.G. Carr [Trust Member], Cr. W.G. Skinner [Trust Member], Mr. Bruce Mahony [Community Member], Mr. Vince Russo [Canegrowers], Mr. Graham Dickson [Sucrogen], Mr. Brian Tabone [Canegrowers], Dr. Mark Jempson [BMT], Mr. B.E. Leach [Trust Engineer], Mr. RW Clark [Trust Secretary].

B. BUSINESS

Dr. Mark Jempson presented an overview of the history and background of the Herbert River Levee Modelling Study.

The Study Group reviewed the draft report and made some minor amendments to the recommendations to include a provision that interim town planning measures be put in place to prevent further levee construction pending Council implementing planning scheme amendments to control levees.

<u>Resolved</u> – That the Study Group adopt the draft report as presented and the recommendations therein be advanced to the Hinchinbrook Shire Council for consideration. (*Cr. Carr and Mr. Dickson – Carried*)

C. <u>CONCLUSION</u> Meeting closed at 4.00 p.m.

Mr. W.H. Pickering TRUST CHAIRPERSON