

## **CITY OF JOONDALUP**

**Minutes of the Art Collection Working Party meeting held at the City of Joondalup Civic Centre, Boas Avenue, Joondalup on Monday 20 August, commencing at 6.00pm.**

### **ATTENDANCE**

Cr Carol Mackintosh

Cr Paul Kimber

Rie Heymans, Curator City of Joondalup Art Collection

James Boyd, Coordinator of Cultural Development

Belinda Cobby, Arts Project Officer

### **1. WELCOME**

James Boyd welcomed everyone and declared the meeting open.

### **2. APPOINTMENT OF CHAIRPERSON**

**MOVED** Cr Mackintosh **SECONDED** Rie Heymans that Cr Kimber be appointed Chairperson of the Art Collection Working Party.

**CARRIED**

There being no further nominations Cr Kimber was appointed Chairperson and assumed the chair.

### **3. CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES**

**MOVED** James Boyd **SECONDED** Rie Heymans that the minutes from the previous meeting held on Wednesday 8 November 2000 be confirmed as a true and correct record.

**CARRIED**

### **4. PURCHASE OF ARTWORKS**

Rie Heymans recommended that Council purchase an artwork by Lisa Wolfgramm. Two paintings by the artist were presented for consideration:

Painting # 30, oil on canvas (1999) \$2,500

Painting # 80, oil on canvas (2001) \$2,500

The Art Consultant recommended purchase of #30 by Lisa Wolfgramm for \$2,500 because the work:

- meets the Art Collection profile;
- is an excellent example of a work by a respected Western Australian painter;
- is highly suitable for display in the Joondalup Civic Centre or in the proposed Performing Arts Facility;
- would appreciate in value.

The Working Party heard that the sister artwork of #30 was recently purchased by BankWest for inclusion in their notable art collection.

**MOVED** Cr Mackintosh **SECONDED** Cr Kimber that the Art Collection Working Party recommend that Council purchase the artwork # 30 by Lisa Wolfgramm for \$2,500 for inclusion in the City's Art Collection.

**CARRIED**

## **5. GENERAL BUSINESS**

### Future Acquisitions

Rie Heymans suggested that artworks by contemporary Western Australian Indigenous artists be purchased for the collection. It was noted that many of the City's earlier purchases of Aboriginal Artworks had moved into the City of Wanneroo's Art Collection as part of the division of the former City of Wanneroo.

### Invitation Art Award

The 2001 Invitation Art Award is to officially open on the Monday 3 September 2001. Members of the Art Collection Working Party were invited to meet one of the judges and preview the winning artwork prior to the opening of the exhibition. It was noted that the winning work would become a major piece in the Collection.

### The Art of Moving by Marcus Beilby

The Working Party noted the high profile given to an artwork by Marcus Beilby owned by the City during the artist's mid-career retrospective at Lawrence Wilson Art Gallery. The work, *The Art of Moving* is on loan to the gallery and featured on the front cover of exhibition catalogue and appeared The Australian Newspaper's Review section on 18 August 2001.

### Valuation Of Artworks

Cr Kimber requested that a current valuation of the Art Collection be prepared for insurance purposes and presented at the next meeting.

## **6. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The date of the next meeting is to be advised.

## **7. CLOSE**

There being no further business Cr Kimber closed the meeting at 7.00pm.