

To the communities of Marino / Marino Rocks / Kingston Park and Seacliff.

I'd like to take this opportunity to acknowledge and thank members of our community who attended this year's AGM and community forum at Kingston House on Sunday the 13th of October.

We congratulated Neville Hoffmann and Jan Haese for receiving the Neighbourhood Watch 30 Year Certificate of Service. The award was also posthumously awarded to our friend and fellow volunteer Graham Haese and was accepted by Jan Haese.

I'd like to acknowledge the following guests for their attendance, accessibility and interaction with members attending the meeting:

The Honourable Minister for Infrastructure and Transport, Tom KOUTSANTONIS MP.

The Federal Member for Boothby, Louise Miller FROST MP.

The Shadow Minister for Infrastructure and Transport, Regional Roads and Government Accountability Ben HOOD MP.

The Liberal federal candidate for Boothby, Ms Nicolle FLINT

The Liberal state candidate for Black, Ms Amanda WILSON.

Chief Executive Officer for Infrastructure and Transport, Mr Jon WHELAN.

This year we again had three fantastic guest speakers, who were both informative and enthusiastic. I would like to acknowledge and thank Constable Varun CHOPRA from South Australia Police, Mr Stephen ZILLANTE Unit Manager Regulatory Services, City of Marion and Mr Adrian HILL Manager of Community Safety, City of Holdfast Bay.

The election of your Neighbourhood Watch Committee was conducted, and the following members were elected to the 2024 - 2025 executive.

Area Coordinator Mr Darren BAILHACHE

South Australia Police Coordinator Mr Varun CHOPRA

Secretary Ms Marilyn REVELL

Treasurer Mr Tim HOOPMANN

Property Officer Mr Gavin BREESE

First Aid and Technical Operations Ms Wendy HALL

Area 266 Life Member Mr Peter HALL.

Your Neighbourhood Watch Committee thanks the team at Kingston House for hosting our AGM and community forum in this historic building.

The Committee looks forward to meeting you as we continue to build upon the 1000 signatures for the House of Assembly Petition, calling on the State Government to undertake the Safety and Security upgrade to the Marino Railway Station.

Keep a look out in your letter box on or around the 1st of December 2024, as we look to expand our Neighbourhood Watch Newsletter distribution beyond our current roll-out of 1600 homes.

Thank you

As always, stay safe.

Kind regards,

Darren BAILHACHE

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Photo left to right - Constable Varun Chopra- Jan Haese- Darren Bailhache
