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Sa cta News:

AGM | New committee: Another successful AGM was held at The Catalyst Foundation on 29 September 2016. Please welcome your new committee: Craig Frost (Chair/ Red Cross), Julie Mason (Treasurer/ YP Transport), Barb Cowey (RAA), Sidique Bah (Multicultural Communities Council SA), Marisa Elks (Mount Barker District Council), Gordon Hampton (City of Holdfast Bay), Eugena Knight (Anglicare SA), Tim Hobbs (COTA SA), Samantha Herbert (City of Charles Sturt) & David Denmark (representing NT).

Refer to back page of newsletter for your committee member contact details.

Members Survey | Strategic Planning: Sa cta recently conducted a members survey, hosted by the RAA. Thank you to everyone who participated. The survey was critical in helping the committee work towards a new strategic direction for Sa cta, including having a new definition of Community Transport. The committee agreed that a definition was necessary to help our members to understand what it is we mean, as a peak body, by the term 'Community Transport'. After much discussion, and utilising the words and thoughts from the members survey, the following definition of Community Transport (to be used by Sa cta) was agreed on:

"Community Transport builds, connects & underpins communities"

It is important to stress that you as members of the association are under no obligation to adopt this definition; Sa cta recognises that each service provider is at liberty to develop its own mission statement/vision/definition of CT. The new definition to be adopted by Sa cta is simply to help clarify our own position and direction.

[Click here](#) to view the full member survey & strategic planning report

Sa cta says goodbye to Founding Member | Secretary: Sue Aplin has decided, after enjoying her Long Service break, to resign from her position as Eastern Metro CPN Coordinator, which also means we will be losing her invaluable input as the Sa cta Secretary & Public Officer. Sue was one of the founding members of Sa cta, and has worked tirelessly for many years towards establishing a successful peak body for community transport in SA. We wish Sue every happiness in her new adventures.

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