

## Trees In Newcastle Inc. 2019 - 2020 Committee Nomination Form

I wish to nominate 2019 -2020 Trees In Newcastle Gove	rnance Committee	for membership to the
For the position of		
The Chairperson	The treasurer	
The Deputy Chairperson	• The secre	tary
Ordinary committee membe	r	
Public Officer		
Nominated by	Date	Membership #
Seconded by	Date	Membership #
l accept the nomination	Date	Membership #

The Annual General Meeting is set for 5:00pm, Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November 2019 at the Redhead Guide Hall, Steel St, Redhead. Voting for these positions will take place at the AGM. Ordinary committee members are elected to support the Executive in decision

making. It is in the interest of all members of Trees In Newcastle to have input into the management of our organisation.

- The Nominee, Nominator and Seconder must be financial members of Trees In Newcastle at time of nomination.
- To be returned by 21st November 2019 to Returning Officer via nursery@treesinnewcastle.org.au or via post to PO BOX 11 Charlestown NSW 2290

# Roles of the Trees In Newcastle Governance Board

## **Chairperson**

Also known as the President (see Model Constitution), the Chairperson will provide leadership and direction for the Board. They work to optimise the relationship between the Board, any paid employees, volunteers and members. Importantly, the Chairperson works to achieve Trees In Newcastle's agreed goals.

## The Deputy Chairperson

Also known as the Vice-President (see Model Constitution), the Deputy Chairperson is responsible for assisting the Chairperson to fulfil their responsibilities for the governance and success of the organisation. This may mean chairing meetings at short notice. The Deputy Chair is regarded as the potential future Chairperson.

## The Secretary

The Secretary should be a good communicator, maintain confidentiality on relevant matters and have the ability to delegate tasks and supervise others. Tasks include the preparation of agendas, preparation and distribution of minutes. This positions supports and is supported by the Public Officer.

#### The Treasurer

The Treasurer is responsible for reviewing the financial records in consultation with Trees In Newcastle's accountant and/or relevant staff members for presentation to the Committee at meetings and for presentation at Annual General Meetings.

#### Ordinary Committee Members

Ordinary Committee Members support the goals of the organisation, and work with all Board members to oversee and steer the direction of Trees In Newcastle.

More information can be found via the Department of Fair Trading website, Trees In Newcastle's guiding documents and the Institute of Community Directors Australia website.

