



**The Interfaith Network
City of Greater Dandenong
Annual General Meeting (AGM)
Wednesday, September 24th, 2025
Minutes**

Date:	Wednesday, September 25th, 2024
Start Time:	12.15 pm
Finish Time:	2.00 pm
Venue:	Chamber Room Level 1 39 Clow Street, Dandenong
Attendees:	Venerable Bodhicitta, Livia Carusi, Zoe Canaider, Anita Davine, Joanne Hopkins, El Metahry, Agnes Kean, David Moffat, Pannasobhana Thero, Lilian Poke, Rienzie Machado, Gisela Rankin, Kamla Reddy, Dean Reynolds, Kanaha Sabathy, Paris Sard, Maree Walker, Neville Walker, Mehtap Williams, Venerable Then Sen, Michelle Channon, Mohammed Taiyab, Mayor Jim Memeti, Amiry Abbas, Kanaha Sabapathy
Apologies:	Pastor Peter Debuth, Ursula Aruma, Anne Maslin, Zoe Canaider, Jancie Clear, Pastor Peter Demuth, Isabella Do, Jennifer D'Souza, Father Bruce Duncan, Elizabeth Ellen, Imran Furkan, Helen Heath, Kathy Kaplan OAM, Mr Leng Chaiwatanatorn, Sister Jacqueline Russell, Acharya Hariishanand Avadhuta, Ali Elmetahry, Venerable Gnanawqimala Bandarulpatha, Silthy Marika, Father Jean Mawal, Esta Minelli, Vivek Shah, Venerable Thinh Thien Tam, Rathi Vinay, Thurai Vinay, Murrey Lobley, Jasbir Singh Suropada, Julian Hill, Venerable Thinh Thien Tam,
Proxies:	Jasbir Singh Suropada (Proxy allocated to IFN President, Mehtap Williams)

- Mehtap Williams, Office Bearer, IFN President
- Anita Davine (Retires from the position of IFN Vice President at the 2025 AGM, remains as an Ordinary Member)
- Imran Furkan, Ordinary Member
- Thero Pannasobhana, Ordinary Member
- Venerable Bodhicitta, Ordinary Member
- Father Jean Mawal, Ordinary Member (Retires from the IFN Executive Committee at the 2025 AGM)
- Loretto Cannon, Ordinary Member (Retires from the IFN Executive Committee at the 2025 AGM)

IFN Executive Committee Election Outcome – 2025

IFN Vice President – Jasbir Singh Surpoda (Nominated Person)

Nominator 1

Nominator 2

Anita Davine

Imran Furkan

Moved

Anita Davine, IFN Ordinary Member

Second

Venerable Bodhicitta, IFN Ordinary Member

Carried

IFN Treasurer – Vivek Shah (Nominated Person)

Nominator 1

Nominator 2

Anita Davine

Mehtap Williams

Moved

Agnes Kean, IFN Member

Second

Anita Davine, IFN Ordinary Member

Carried

IFN Association Secretary – No nominations received

	Moved Second Carried The 2025-2026 IFN Executive Committee composition, including bios will be updated on the IFN website – About Us section.	
14	Business without notice , No business without notice was tabled	
15	IFN Ordinary Member, Venerable Bodhicitta led prayer. Venerable Bodhicitta thanked.	
16	Guest Speaker, Mayor Cr Jim Memeti (Dandenong Ward) Mayor Jim Memeti delivered the keynote address IFN Executive Officer thanked Mayor Memeti for his address	
17	Final Remarks , Led by Livia Carusi, IFN Executive Officer	
18	Meeting close 1.45pm	

Minute Taker:	Livia Carusi, IFN Executive Officer and Lilian Poke, IFN Administration Officer
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IFN President Signed:	
Name:	Mehtap Williams
Date:	