

CONFERENCE MOTIONS

Agenda Motions: A1 Accommodation

A1 Midwest Branch

Accommodation

“That ICPA (WA) lobbies the Minister for Education and Training to review the varying and inequitable fee structure at the Geraldton Residential College and ensure that non-government school students pay no more than 10% more in boarding fees than government school students.”

Moved: *Naomi Obst (Midwest)*

Seconded: *Susanne Warr (Midwest)*

CARRIED

Agenda Motions: A2, A3, A4, A5 Allowances

A2 Pilbara Branch

Allowances

“That ICPA (WA) lobby the State Government to reverse the decrease in the Boarding Away from Home Allowance (BAHA) and instead increase it in line with the Consumer Price Index (CPI) annually, to accommodate the significant increases in boarding fees charged by all boarding facilities”.

Moved: *Robin Pensini (Pilbara)*

Seconded: *Sandie McCombie (Pilbara)*

CARRIED

A3 Lakes District Branch

Allowances

“That ICPA (WA) lobby the Minister for Education, the Minister for Primary Industry and Regional Development and the State Government to immediately reinstate the full Boarding Away from Home Allowance (BAHA).”

Claire Walter (Lakes District)

Deemed covered (A2)

A4 Central Wheatbelt North Branch

Allowances

“That ICPA (WA) lobbies the State Government to reverse the decision of removing the Royalties for Regions component to the BAHA allowance, with a view to increasing the allowance and take into account the significant increases in boarding fees placed on all parents by all boarding institutions, Government and non-Government”.

Nancy Werder (CWN)

Deemed covered (A2)

A5 Goldfield Eyre Branch

Allowances

“That ICPA (WA) lobby the State Government and the Education Department to reinstate the Royalties for Regions (R4R) funding for the Boarding Away from Home Allowance (BAHA) and continue to lobby for a substantial BAHA increase to take into account the significant annual rise in boarding fees.”

Jimmy Woods (Goldfield Eyre)

Deemed covered (A2)

Agenda Motions: S1, S2 Communications

S1 Central Wheatbelt North Branch

Communications

“That ICPA (WA) lobbies Telstra and the Minister for Regional Development to ensure the time taken to restore faults, and the entitlements for every working day of delay beyond an agreed repair date is within the Customer Service Guarantee guidelines, in Rural and Remote WA.”

Moved: *Lisa Brennan (CWN)*

Seconded: *Nancy Werder (CWN)*

CARRIED

S2 Central Wheatbelt North Branch

Communications

“That ICPA (WA) lobbies the Minister for Regional Development and telecommunication service providers to ensure the retention and maintenance of landline services in rural and remote areas, until another means of reliable, affordable and appropriate voice service is available.”

Moved: *Lisa Brennan (CWN)*

Seconded: *Nancy Werder (CWN)*

CARRIED

Agenda Motions: A7 Distance Education

A7 Goldfield Eyre Branch

Distance Education

“That ICPA (WA) lobby the Department of Education to ensure that the role of Support Teacher of Learning (STL) and the funding for the position in Schools of the Air (SOTA) continues past 2019.”

Moved: *Jimmy Woods (Goldfield Eyre)*

Seconded: *Elyce Donaghy (Goldfield Eyre)*

CARRIED

Agenda Motions: A8, S3 Rural & Remote Schools / Appropriate Schooling

A8 Esperance Branch

Appropriate Schooling

“That the ICPA (WA) lobbies the Minister for Education and the Department of Education to provide relevant Professional Development training in areas such as online budgeting, Human Resources Management Information

Systems (HRMIS), Policy requirements and School Council training to all new Level Three School Principals that have not had previous Principal or Deputy Principal role/s prior to beginning their position.”

Moved: Tracey Schlink (*Esperance*)

Seconded: Elaine Egan (*Esperance*)

CARRIED

S3 Esperance Branch

Rural & Remote Schools

“That ICPA (WA) lobbies the Minister for Education and the Department of Education for the role of an Executive Principal being trialed with the Esperance Mallee Schools; to provide an overarching supporting role for new Principals.”

Moved: Tracey Schlink (*Esperance*)

Seconded: Elaine Egan (*Esperance*)

CARRIED

Agenda Motions: A9, A10, F2 Travel

A9 Kimberley Air Branch

Travel

“That ICPA (WA) lobbies the Minister for Transport to increase the payment per kilometre for the Conveyancing Allowance”

Moved: Connie Wood (*Kimberley*)

Seconded: Kirsty Forshaw (*Kimberley*)

CARRIED

A10 Lakes District Branch

Travel

WITHDRAWN

“That ICPA (WA) lobby the Minister for Transport for a full policy review of the “Orange Bus Service” for rural students.

F2 Lakes District Branch

Travel

“That ICPA (WA) lobby the Public Transport Authority to review the Operational Policy Manual with a view to ensure more remotely affected families can get better transport solutions under the existing policy transport assistance framework.

Moved: Claire Walter (*Lakes District*)

Seconded: Jodie Dunkeld (*Lakes District*)

CARRIED

Agenda Motions: A6, A11, A12, A13, S4, F1, S5, S6 Miscellaneous

A6 Lakes District Branch

Miscellaneous

“That ICPA (WA) offer to provide all boarding facilities with ICPA information pamphlets to be made available for orientation satchels/bags/electronic distribution.”

Moved: *Claire Walter (Lakes District)*

Seconded: *Jodie Dunkeld (Lakes District)*

CARRIED

A11 WA State Council

Miscellaneous

“ICPA (WA) recommends that all twelve WA Branches adopt a blanket membership fee of \$100.00 starting 2020, to bring all branches in line with each other and to ease the workload of both the WA State Treasurer and Branch Treasurers.”

Moved: *Sally Brindal (State Council)*

Seconded: *Kym Ross (State Council)*

CARRIED

A12 WA State Council

Miscellaneous

“That the ICPA (WA) State Publication, Bits & Pieces, be reduced from two paper editions annually, to one electronic edition per year.”

Moved: *Kym Ross (State Council)*

Seconded: *Sally Brindal (State Council)*

LOST

A13 Central Wheatbelt North Branch

Miscellaneous

“That ICPA (WA) consider offering members the option of member publications in print format with the default being electronic format (i.e. Bits & Pieces).”

Moved: *Lisa Brennan (CWN)*

Seconded: *Nancy Werder (CWN)*

LOST

S4 Gascoyne Branch

Miscellaneous

WITHDRAWN

“That State Council consider holding the Annual State Conference, Annual General Meeting and General Meeting in the week preceding the Term One school holidays”

F1 Gascoyne Branch

Miscellaneous

“That State Council consider different options for the date of state conference and State AGM”

Moved: *Alys McKeough (Gascoyne)*

Seconded: *Mary Wake (Gascoyne)*

LOST

S5 Lakes District Branch

Miscellaneous

“That ICPA (WA) ask the relevant course coordinators at WA Universities to encourage a post graduate student to complete a thesis on the positives and negatives of sending your children to boarding school in year 7.”

Moved

Claire Walter

Lakes District Branch

Seconded

Jodie Dunkeld

Lakes District Branch

LOST

S6 Lakes District Branch

Miscellaneous

“That ICPA (WA) lobbies the Education Department, Minister for Education and the Boarding Schools Association to encourage all WA schools (both private and public) to have the same school holidays and boarders’ weekends.”

Moved

Claire Walter

Lakes District Branch

Seconded

Jodie Dunkeld

Lakes District Branch

LOST