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1/1 all records have been retrieved from Marion and are getting sorted and organised Whilma purchased to Lever Arch files, Vic code 2 to document environmental zones, CCS made a submission, to Vic code 2. a definite win for those of us concerned with character. Waste management strategy for Melbourne metropolitan area, look at progressing well. Meeting with CEO we made submissions regarding environmental living zones. 12/1 CCS responds to Vic Code 2 Sites of Biological significance Mt Dandenong median reserve

9/2 working bee at Mount Dandenong Road to weed. Meeting with commissioners booked for Friday at 11:30, Mount Hotham weekend has been cancelled, Ross has stepped down from representing us with Environment Victoria. Vic code 2 implemented. Interim commissioners are recommending the office be in Ringwood what does that mean for Croydon. Details of Incorporation documents Vic Gove decides to amalgamate councils. Maroondah Council is formed as commissioners take over. Elm leaf beetle has arrived in local Elms.

9/3 GRV in Croydon are the printers chosen, they have quoted us \$3200 for 2500 copies of the Wildflower booklet,. Letter of support keeping Croydon offices as the main Council office, a resident of Ruthven Way asked if Council would incorporate their area under L 66 guidelines. An independent panel appointed by the Minister for planning and development regarding L 66 to be held Tuesday, April 4 and Wednesday the fifth at the Croydon office. Liz cannot attend. CCS to assist in public education about Elm Leaf beetle.

23/3 AGM President Liz Sanzaro, Vice pres Jim Burns, Sec Hazel Rogers, Assit sec Whilma Hewlett, other committee Patrick O'Shaughnessy, John Wilson, Ros Savio, Robert Harding, David Scarr, Debbie McGrath,

13/4 as of 10 April we are now Incorporated. Maroondah Bushlinks has formed, do we want to be members? 230 plants to go into Mt Dandenong Road on April 30. An application on the corner Mount Dandenong Road and Maroondah highway to allow a petrol station and fast food shop CCS will oppose this. We also invited Gwen Elliot to launch the new booklet. Another 230 plants into Mt Dandenong median reserve, Commissioners for Council select a consultative committee, Liz has signed a confidentiality agreement to be on the committee.

11/5 do we want to be Greenpeace members? We also have joined Australian conservation foundation and Greening Australia asked for us to register for the spring planting suggested Wicklow Avenue. Weeding at Nangathan way.

8/6 we are exempt from tax for the printing of the booklet. Duncan to report on the freeway protest. The petrol station in 24 hour food shop on the corner of Mount Dandenong Road and Maroondah highway not to be granted a permit thanks to Council, Do we intend to become a registered as an environmental Association to maximise our donations. We continue to support Friends of Helmeted Honeyeaters. Paper sales have dropped to \$106 this month, query its continuance since members are ageing.

13/7 Mc Adam Square bakery has a new philosophy, "cradle to grave" good to see like minded people in business.

10/8 Planning, the de Felice land on the corner of Dorset and Canterbury rds is 40 acres, belongs to 2 brothers. Problems arose when half was zoned residential and the other half Commercial. The old dam at the rear is now degraded with loss of habitat, for frogs birds etc

14/9 Trees and Wildflowers Booklet 2nd edition is now printed ready for distribution. Amendment C66 is now to help protect Vasey Concourse land from being subdivided.

12/10 Commissioners are looking for small reserves to sell off. Planning – Taylor Rd adjacent to the wetlands donated to Council as open space, but Council wants to sell it to the Ministry of Housing.

9/11 History – the last bundles of newspapers collected today, our income ceases! Liz and Patrick publicise Elm Leaf Beetles More planting in Mt Dandenong rd reserve.

14/12 Planning, VCAT rejects the application for 29 Units at Vasey Concourse. The BANKSIA award to DR Graeme Lorimer for work on significant vegetation, Helen Moss to be nominated next year bylaw No further burning off in backyards. Spray can graffiti a new blight on the Environment.