

Minutes

Glenorchy Airstrip Consultive Governance Committee (GACGC) Meeting

Date & Time	Thursday 04 th June 2026 1:00pm – 2:00pm
Location	Online, Microsoft Teams

Attendees

Blanket Bay	Tom Butler (TB) (Chair)
Councillor Representative	Stephen Brent (SB)
Glenorchy Community Association	Andrew Green (AG)
Operators	Tess Kelly (TK) – Action Helicopters
QAC	Juliet Breen (JB)
QLDC	Roger Davidson (RD), Jeannie Galavazi (JG), Christina Hitchcock (CH)
Wyuna Preserve Residents Association	

Apologies	Robin Bailey (RB), Nick Nicholson (NN) – Action Helicopters, James Stokes (JS) – Glenorchy Air, Josh Greer (JGR)
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Meeting Commenced at 1.00pm		
1	Welcome and summary for newcomers of the purpose of these meetings.	TB
2	RMP Update RMP was approved late 2025. QLDC are working through the various conditions within the RMP such as: Flight Allocation Methodology and Fees & Charges.	JG
3	QLDC Update QLDC is discussing Hangar options with two operators. No further progress to date. QLDC will update GACGC once information is available.	RD
4	Airstrip Ops Update QAC advised: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - All summer mowing and maintenance was completed and there was additional work in April to fill in rabbit holes and remove weeds and wilding pines from the fenceline. - Drones Query from Action Helicopters: They have seen drones flying in Glenorchy Township across various days. This is within the 4km no fly zone radius of the airstrip. QAC is reviewing this matter with QLDC and will be installing new and/or additional signage. Potential locations include the Glenorchy lakefront car park and Stoney Creek. JB provided a copy of the signage to everyone at the meeting. 	JB
5	Landings Overview For 01 March to 31 May 2026 there has been 714 landings recorded (Year to Date is at 1,343 landings) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - QLDC has instructed Marshall Day to complete a Noise Contour Assessment, date for assessment to be confirmed. - All concession holders have received their Concession Agreements, QLDC are waiting for the last of the agreements to be signed. 	JG/CH

6	Terms of Reference <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Terms of Reference has been updated to reflect current representatives - Further discussion was had regarding the members of the committee and the Chairperson, and whether a change was appropriate. Everyone agreed for TB to remain the Committee Chair. 	JG
7	AOB <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Next GACGC meeting scheduled for Thursday 01 October 2026 at 1pm 	
Meeting Close at 1.30pm		

Actions from Meeting

1	RMP	- QLDC to provide update on the methodologies at the next meeting	JG
2	Drones	- QAC to provide an update on the Drones matter and signage location/s at the next meeting	RB
3	Drones	- Andrew to discuss potential drone signage location/s at the next GCA meeting	AG
4	Drones	- Advise QAC of any other potential drone signage locations that would be appropriate	ALL
5	Landings	- Christina to include the movement limits under the designation on the agenda as a standing item	CH