



# Wilson Residents and Ratepayers' Association

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**WRRRA represents you in Wilson by working co-operatively with:**

- *City of Canning*
- *Mason Ward Councillors*
- *Canning River Regional Park Community Advisory Committee*
- *WA Government Depts.*
- *Neighbourhood Watch program & WA Police*
- *State & Federal Government Politicians*
- *Wilson Wetlands Action Group Inc. and other community groups*
- *Community Newspapers*

**The WRRRA Committee currently meets on the first Monday of every 2nd month at Wilson Community Hall @ 7.30pm.**

**New members are welcome.**

*Next meeting: 7 JUNE 2010.*

## Editorial

Dear Wilson residents,

We in Wilson are fortunate indeed to have along most of the suburb's southern boundary, the Canning River Regional Park (CRRP). This amenity and the recently opened Eco-centre at Kent Street add immeasurably to the area's desirability as a place to live.

Most week-ends it is enjoyed by walkers, cyclists, boaties and picnickers with many visitors travelling considerable distances to enjoy the area.

In recent times, the park has received some setbacks on various fronts such as the withdrawal of funding for staff at the Eco-centre, pollution problems arising from the March storm resulting in dead fish and the stalling of discussions for land purchase. The land acquisition issue and staffing

problems at DEC have resulted in the extension of the dual-use path extension towards Castledare being delayed. Add to this the ongoing pollution from algal blooms in high summer and the death of the dolphins in the lower Swan and it would appear that all is not well.

This in fact is not so, as all the above problems are currently being addressed by the appropriate bodies up to ministerial level prompted by input from **WRRRA**, **WWAG** (Wilson Wetlands Action Group) and members of the public.

We urge you to visit and enjoy the CRRP and support the City of Canning and all the organisations and individuals who work towards improving local amenities including the new kiosk at Riverton Jetty Park, soon to be opened.

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### IMPORTANT NOTICE

**Our Annual General Meeting will be held on Wednesday, 7 July 2010 at 7:30pm.**

**Wilson Community Hall  
Braibrise Road (Near Armstrong Road)**

**All Wilson residents welcome to attend.**

For more information, or have issues to raise, contact Kerry Malone on 9356 9502, Email [secretary@wrra.org.au](mailto:secretary@wrra.org.au) or attend the meeting.