

**ANZUIAG CONFERENCE 2006**  
**CENTRE FOR REMOTE HEALTH - ALICE SPRINGS**  
**9<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> November 2006**

**AGM 2006**

**Facilitator: Mr Greg Connell, Monash University.**

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1. *Role and Purpose of ANZUIAG*

**Greg** spoke about ANZUIAG being a networking group. At last year's conference it was decided that a nominal fee would be levied to cover dinner and some administrative overheads. A financial statement will be prepared and posted on the web-site to show the revenue and expenses associated with the 2006 Conference.

**Greg** called for any comments or views about **the current role and purpose of ANZUIAG**.

2. *Structure of ANZUIAG*

**Vick Kristoff** suggested that the group might consider **drafting a Mission Statement which describes broadly the role and purpose of ANZUIAG**. It was agreed that **Vick** would prepare a draft **and call for comments**.

3. *Web-site and mail list*

In terms of the **web-site** it was agreed that if the Uni of Qld and Neil were happy to continue hosting and maintaining the site then it would remain unchanged. **Greg** mentioned that the mail list of ANZUIAG seemed to be out of date and asked that delegates check that their details were up to date and e-mail Neil with any changes.

In terms of the **format of the Conference**, **Greg** indicated that there was a slightly altered format this year with no formal presentations and just general topics for group discussion. Most people indicated they were happy with the format of the conference. **Craig Stagoll** suggested maybe **a couple of presentations in the form of hypotheticals might be worth considering for next year**.

4. *Interface with AVCC/IIA*

What about ANZUIAG's **interface with the AVCC or IIA**?

At one stage it was suggested to piggy-back the ANZUIAG Conference and SOPAC. **Jean** felt that ANZUIAG didn't need the Institute to support it. ANZUIAG is a

unique group and it is well organised. **No need to change the present arrangements.**

Jean reminded delegates that SOPAC 2006 is taking place at the World Trade Centre in Melbourne.

## **5. *Venue for next year***

**Venue for next year?** ANZUIAG 2007 will be the last for a couple of the delegates. 4 destinations were suggested:

- Australian National University in CANBERRA
- University of Western Australia in PERTH
- Monash University in KUALA LUMPUR
- CHRISTCHURCH, NEW ZEALAND.

**It was agreed that a survey would be sent to ANZUIAG members to obtain feedback on a venue for 2007.**

**Timing of the Conference?** Traditionally in has been set for early October.