AUSTRALIAN SOCIETY OF PLANT SCIENTISTS

Dear Members of ASPS,

Please be advised that the 2016 Annual General Meeting of the Australian Society of Plant Scientists will be held 18:15 – 19:15 on Thursday, 6 October, Plaza P2, Brisbane Convention Centre, Brisbane, Qld. As usual, the ASPS Annual General Meeting has been scheduled during the COMBIO conference week.

Below, please find the Preliminary Agenda. If you would like to add any items to the Agenda, please e-mail these to the Honorary Secretary Martha Ludwig (martha.ludwig@uwa.edu.au or secretary@asps.org.au), by Wednesday, 15 September 2016.

Sincerely,

John Evans

(President of ASPS)

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Preliminary Agenda

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Thursday 6 October, 18:15– 19:15

Plaza P2, Brisbane Convention Centre, Brisbane, Qld

1. **Apologies**
   Gonzallo Estavillo, Martha Ludwig, Sebastian Pfautsch,
2. **Reminder: only current ASPS members are allowed to vote.** (John Evans)
3. **Confirm minutes from 2015** (John Evans)
4. **President's Report** (John Evans)
5. **Treasurer's Report & Membership Fees** (Brent Kaiser)
6. **Website and Communication Sub-committee; Outreach, Visibility and Education** (Chris Cazzonelli, Tina Offler, Janet Wheeler)
7. **Functional Plant Biology Report** (Sergey Shabala)
8. **Plants in Action Report** (Rana Munns)
9. **Election of new members of the Executive Committee and new Discipline Representatives** (John Evans)
   a. President Elect
   b. Honorary Secretary
   c. Honorary Treasurer
   d. Plant-Microbe Interactions Discipline Representative
   e. Student Representatives – 3 positions
10. **Relationship of ASPS to other national and international societies** (John Evans, Barry Pogson, Ulrike Mathesius)
11. **Set venue for AGM 2017** (John Evans)
12. **Other business** (John Evans)