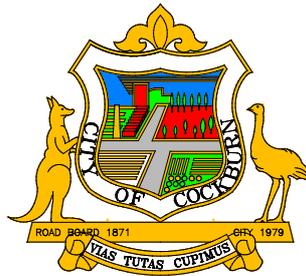


# **CITY OF COCKBURN**



## **GRANTS & DONATIONS COMMITTEE**

### **AGENDA PAPER**

**FOR**

**THURSDAY, 29 OCTOBER 2015**

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**RECOMMENDATION**

That the minutes of the Grants and Donations Committee meeting held on 29 July 2015 be adopted as a true and accurate record.

**COMMITTEE DECISION**

6. DEPUTATIONS & PETITIONS
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**9.1 (GAD 29/10/2015) - AUSTRALIAN SCULPTURE GIFTING TO NAGASAKI PEACE PARK AND MAYORS FOR PEACE 2015 MEMBERSHIP FEE (162/002) (R AVARD) (ATTACH)**

**RECOMMENDATION**

That Council:

- (1) makes a donation of \$2,000 towards the Australian Sculpture-Gifting to Nagasaki Peace Park to commemorate the 70th Anniversary of the end of WW2, and
- (2) approves becoming a member of the Mayors for Peace Network Australia, including payment of the 2,000 Yen (approx. \$25 AUD) 2015 annual membership fee.

**COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

**COUNCIL DECISION**

**Background**

The City of Fremantle joined Mayors for Peace a decade ago as part of a push from cities around the world to make sure nuclear disarmament is front and centre of the global agenda. Fremantle recently became the lead city in the Australian Mayors for Peace Network.

Mayor Logan Howlett has requested consideration of the payment of an annual membership fee for 2015 for the Mayors for Peace Network. Previously, there was no membership fee of this organisation applicable, so the Mayor simply joined in his capacity as Mayor. Now that there is a request for a membership fee and funding for an

affiliated project, it would be prudent for Council to consider and approve this arrangement, even though the amount sought is minimal (membership fee of 2,000 Yen, approx. \$25 AUD).

### **Submission**

An invitation to join the Mayors for Peace Network and proposal to become an official partner for the Australian Sculpture-Gifting to Nagasaki Peace Park is attached to the Agenda.

### **Report**

The City of Cockburn has been invited to join as an official partner for the Australian Sculpture-Gifting to Nagasaki Peace Park and share in this unique cross-cultural gifting opportunity. Attached is the design proposal for the sculpture, as sent to Nagasaki. *(Please note: this is a confidential document and should not be circulated publicly please.)*

This sculpture contribution is a collaborative venture between the Australian Mayors for Peace Network, Yalata Community and the Nuclear Futures creative arts program.

Nuclear Futures is a three-year international arts and cultural program funded by the Australian Government through the Australia Council for the Arts. The Nuclear Futures Partnership Initiative is being coordinated by Sydney-based arts production company Alphaville.

In terms of the donation process, the project is administered by Alphaville, in partnership with Mayors for Peace (Aust). All funds raised go directly towards project-related material expenses (fabrication and transport) and no salaries are covered by the contributions.

The program links atomic survivor communities in several countries – that is, communities who have had experience of nuclear weapons – to create new artworks that share their stories ([www.nuclearfutures.org](http://www.nuclearfutures.org)).

Alphaville has partnered with City of Fremantle, as lead city in the Australian Mayors for Peace (MFP) Network, on an international project to facilitate a sculpture gifting from Australia to Nagasaki Peace Park, Japan. Close partners from MFP are Mayor Brad Pettitt, Adrian Glamorgan and Elizabeth PO' (MFP working group).

Nagasaki Peace Park was established in 1955, to commemorate the 1945 atomic bombing of Nagasaki during WW2. Now an internationally renowned sculpture park frequented by thousands of visitors annually, Nagasaki Peace Park features a diverse range of monuments conveying messages of friendship and peace to the City of Nagasaki by donor cities and/or countries. Included are some twenty sculptures, such as from Portugal, Czech Republic, Bulgaria, The Netherlands, the

former USSR, China, Italy, Turkey, Argentina, and New Zealand. To date, there is no Australian presence.

The proposal for an Australian Sculpture for Nagasaki Peace Park embodies a timely message of peace, and is inspired as a contribution to the peace-related activities taking place in Nagasaki during the 70-year commemoration of the atomic bombings. The proposed artwork of excellence represents the passing of a call for hope and peace across generations and across borders, sent as an internationally relevant message of peace from Australia to Japan.

Over the past 12 months Mayors for Peace (Australia), Alphaville and partners have been working with Nagasaki City to realise an Australian contribution. A prominent site for an Australian sculpture has been allocated on the central promenade and arrangements for installation are underway. The approval process will be finalised by Nagasaki City in mid-December, with a gifting ceremony anticipated for March 2016.

The commissioned sculpture for the proposed installation is based on Indigenous design elements and is linked with an existing sculpture project being run with remote Indigenous communities in South Australia, in collaboration with a professional team of creative artists led by sculptor John Turpie. John is experienced in public art commissions with Indigenous communities in Australia, and previous work includes large-scale installations on the cliff top at Elliston on the Eyre Peninsular amongst other acclaimed works. The key community partner for the initiative is Yalata Anangu community (far west South Australia), whose recent history relates to the British nuclear tests of the 1950s at Maralinga.

To date, financial support for the Mayors for Peace sculpture gifting has so far been received from the Australia Council for the Arts, the Australian Embassy in Japan and is endorsed by Yalata Community Council and Maralinga Tjarutja Council.

Contributions are being sought from local councils and businesses for the final phase of the project, to aid with fabrication and transportation (a gap of approximately \$20,000). Ideally, donations of \$2,000 or above are sought, however the financial value partners are able to offer is negotiable starting at \$500. A range of partnership benefits are available to create a value-exchange for donations, such as having Council included on the plaque accompanying the sculpture as a contributor, as well as cultural exchange and promotional opportunities across the next twelve months (in Japan and Australia).

## **Strategic Plan/Policy Implications**

### **Community & Lifestyle**

- Community environments that are socially cohesive and embrace diversity.

- Communities that are connected, inclusive and promote intergenerational opportunities.
- The significance and richness of our local Indigenous people and diverse multicultural community will be recognised and celebrated.

#### **Leading & Listening**

- A responsive, accountable and sustainable organisation.

#### **Budget/Financial Implications**

A \$2,000 contribution towards the Nagasaki Peace Park Sculpture Gifting and a 2,000 Yen 2015 membership fee payment (current exchange rate, approx. \$25 AUD) from the Grants and Donations 2015/16 budget.

#### **Legal Implications**

N/A

#### **Community Consultation**

N/A

#### **Attachment(s)**

1. Invitation to join the Mayors for Peace Network and Proposal to become an Official Partner for the Australian Sculpture-Gifting to Nagasaki Peace Park.

#### **Advice to Proponent(s)/Submissioners**

The submissioner has been advised that they will be notified of the outcome following the November 2015 Council Meeting.

#### **Implications of Section 3.18(3) Local Government Act, 1995**

Nil

### **9.2 (GAD 29/10/2015) - GRANTS AND DONATIONS COMMITTEE RECOMMENDED ALLOCATIONS 2015/16 (162/003) (R AVARD) (ATTACH)**

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

That Council adopt the revised grants, donations, and sponsorship recommended allocations for 2015/16 as attached to the agenda.

**COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

**COUNCIL DECISION**

**Background**

Council approved a budget for Grants and Donations for 2015/16 of \$1,200,000. The Grants and Donations Committee is empowered to recommend to Council how these funds are to be distributed.

At its meeting of 29 July 2015 the Committee recommended a range of allocations of grants, donations and sponsorship which were duly adopted by Council on 13 August 2015.

**Submission**

N/A

**Report**

The September 2015 round of grants, donations and sponsorship funding opportunities was advertised to close on 30 September 2015. A total of 25 applications were received including 8 applications for Community Grants and 2 applications for Sustainable Events Grants which have been reviewed under the delegated authority of the Manager Recreation and Community Safety. The remainder include 8 applications for Donations and 7 applications for Sponsorship to be considered by the Committee.

In the Summary of Grants, Donations and Sponsorship Recommended Allocations Budget 2015/16, attached to the Agenda, these are the following items for the Committee to consider:

- 2 proposed adjustments to the committed/contractual donations
- 8 applications for donations
- 7 applications for sponsorship, and
- 3 proposed adjustments to grant funding allocations.

The proposed adjustments and applications for donations and sponsorship are described in brief below.

### COMMITTED/CONTRACTUAL DONATIONS

As can be seen in the Budget attachment, a number of donations are deemed to be committed by legal agreements, such as leases, or by Council Decision. There is one adjustment and one new proposed commitment highlighted:

#### Spearwood Dalmatinac Club Inc. – Rates Reimbursement

Council resolved on 14 May 2009 to provide an annual reimbursement of 50% of the annual rates payable by Spearwood Dalmatinac Club for 41 Azelia Road, Spearwood. The actual amount of this reimbursement for 2015/16 equates to \$11,307.90, so there is a proposed adjustment to the budget from an allocation estimate of \$11,500 reduced to \$11,308.

#### Australian Sculpture Gifting to Nagasaki Peace Park and Mayors for Peace 2015 Membership Fee

This proposal is addressed in Agenda Item 9.1.

The total for committed/contractual donations will be \$496,000.

### GRANTS

As can be seen in the Budget attachment, there are a number of grants for which there are established criteria and processes in place.

There are three proposed adjustments to grant allocations for the 2015/16 financial year:

- Increase to the Cultural Grants program allocation from \$12,500 to \$20,000 due to a delay in payment processing from the previous financial year that has required funds from last year to be paid out of this year's budget.
- Increase in the Youth Arts Scholarships from \$4,000 to \$5,000 based on the number of applications received in the first round, and to allow for an equitable pool of funds to be available for the second round in March 2016.
- Increase to Cockburn Community Group Volunteer Insurance from \$8,000 to \$8,500 to allow for additional groups to join throughout the financial year.

The total proposed for grants is \$449,000.

DONATIONSApplicant: Cockburn Toy LibraryRequested: \$4,000Recommended: \$4,000

The Cockburn Toy Library is volunteer-run service offering parents/ carers access to a range of toys that are often beyond their financial means. The Library purchases and maintains toys that are available to for loan for approximately 35-40 families who pay either a biannual or annual membership fee.

Previous funding received from the City includes:

|                |   |                                       |
|----------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| March 2003     | – | \$1,283 (Community Grant – New Venue) |
| March 2008     | – | \$2,000 (Community Grant – New Toys)  |
| September 2011 | – | \$4,000 (Donation)                    |
| September 2012 | – | \$4,000 (Donation)                    |
| September 2013 | – | \$4,000 (Donation)                    |
| September 2014 | – | \$4,000 (Donation)                    |

The Cockburn Toy Library has requested a \$4,000 donation to help with their rental expenses within the Meerilinga centre. The funding from the City allows the group to use their membership income to keep toy supplies in excellent condition and purchase new toys to meet needs within the community. The result is that they have an extensive, relevant and modern toy catalogue that will increase their membership base in the Cockburn community.

The application has the support of the Chief Executive Officer of the Meerilinga Young Children's Foundation and the City's Children's Services Officers. The requested donation of \$4,000 is recommended for approval.

Applicant: St Vincent de Paul Society Yangebup ConferenceRequested: \$5,000Recommended: \$5,000

St Vincent de Paul Society Yangebup Conference is a volunteer-driven charitable organisation that helps families in need in the suburbs of Atwell, Success, Aubin Grove, Jandakot, Yangebup, Spearwood and Munster. On the organisation's guiding principle 'A Hand Up, not a Hand Out', these families are assisted in times of emergency with food, furniture and clothing; and help with bills and rent. In the past year, the Yangebup Conference assisted about 1,500 individuals from 500 families within the City of Cockburn.

The Mater Christi Catholic Parish Yangebup strongly endorses the community contribution of the St Vincent de Paul Society Yangebup Conference.

In September 2013 and September 2014, St Vincent de Paul Society Yangebup Conference received \$5,000 donations from the City of Cockburn. It is recommended to support the organisation's application this year for a \$5,000 donation towards ongoing costs.

Applicant: Cockburn Community and Cultural Council

Requested: \$9,000

Recommended: \$9,000

The Cockburn Community and Cultural Council supports, sponsors and promotes artistic, cultural and leisure activities within the City of Cockburn. For many years the group has received an annual donation to assist with operating costs.

Previous funding from the City of Cockburn includes:

|                |   |   |
|----------------|---|---|
| October 2006   | – | \$7,500   |
| October 2007   | – | \$8,000   |
| September 2008 | – | \$8,000   |
| September 2009 | – | \$8,600   |
| September 2010 | – | \$9,000   |
| September 2011 | – | \$9,000   |
| September 2012 | – | \$9,000   |
| September 2013 | – | \$9,000   |
| March 2014     | – | \$1,200 (one-off Donation 40th Anniversary)   |
| September 2014 | – | \$9,000   |
| March 2015     | – | \$3,000 (Fremantle Ports Cockburn Community Projects Fund Grant for the 2014 Cockburn Visual and Performing Arts Festival). |

The Cockburn Community and Cultural Council has requested a donation of \$9,000 towards operating costs, which is recommended for approval this year; however, it is requested that the group consider making their facility available for use by other local arts/crafts groups.

Applicant: Meerilinga Young Children's Services

Requested: \$10,000

Recommended: \$10,000

Meerilinga is a not-for-profit organisation and registered charity that promotes the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child. Based at the Cockburn Children and Family Centre in Winterfold Road, Coolbellup, the organisation works to reduce developmental

vulnerability in children and to assist parents to increase coping skills and achieve a quality of life.

The City supported Meerilinga in September 2014 with a \$10,000 donation.

Meerilinga's contribution to the community – in particular, the Caralee Early Years intervention program – is endorsed strongly by the Fremantle Language Development Centre.

It is recommended to support Meerilinga's current application for a \$10,000 donation to support the continuation of their programs and their proposed extension of programs to include the participation of local seniors groups.

Applicant: Returned and Services League – City of Cockburn

Requested: \$10,000

Recommended: \$10,000

The Cockburn Branch of the Returned and Services League supports the welfare of the serving and ex-military service community of Cockburn. The group conducts commemorative services throughout the year, including the ANZAC Youth Parade and Service. The group also promotes the ANZAC history and military service in local schools.

Previous funding received from the City of Cockburn includes:

|                |   |          |
|----------------|---|----------|
| March 2007     | – | \$7,500  |
| October 2007   | – | \$8,000  |
| September 2008 | – | \$8,000  |
| September 2009 | – | \$8,000  |
| September 2010 | – | \$8,300  |
| September 2011 | – | \$8,000  |
| September 2012 | – | \$9,000  |
| September 2013 | – | \$10,000 |
| September 2014 | – | \$10,000 |

The Returned and Services League has requested a \$10,000 donation for its programs and activities. It is recommended to support this donation for \$10,000 to reflect the previous year's donation.

Applicant: Yangebup Family Centre

Requested: \$12,000

Recommended: \$12,000

The Yangebup Family Centre is a community-managed, not-for-profit organisation that provides a range of community services for residents

of Yangebup and the surrounding area. Services include children's programs, and parenting workshops, information and support services.

Previous funding from the City includes:

|                |   |  |
|----------------|---|--|
| October 2006   | – | \$5,000  |
| October 2007   | – | \$5,000  |
| September 2008 | – | \$5,000  |
| September 2009 | – | \$5,000  |
| September 2010 | – | \$5,000  |
| September 2011 | – | \$5,000  |
| September 2012 | – | \$7,000  |
| September 2013 | – | \$9,500  |
| September 2013 | – | \$3,025 (Alcoa Project Grant for Open Day)               |
| September 2014 | – | \$12,000   |
| March 2015     | – | \$2,500 (Sustainable Events Grant<br>Community Open Day) |
| August 2015    | – | \$1,637 (Donation for Health Nurse Clinic)               |

The Yangebup Family Centre crèche was established in 2002 to support the need for a craft group at the centre. Previous funding from the City contributed to providing affordable crèche services to mothers that attend the craft groups. The crèche provides 57 places for children aged 0-6 years on a weekly basis. In 2014 the Centre requested an increased donation to add an additional crèche session and facilitate more community workshops focusing on parenting skills and wellbeing. In 2014–2015 more than 160 families participated in programs supported by the crèche.

The City of Cockburn Family Support Services strongly endorses the Centre.

It is recommended to support the Yangebup Family Centre's current application for a donation of \$12,000.

Applicant:                    Cockburn Central YouthCARE Council

Requested:                    \$13,000

Recommended:                \$13,000

The Cockburn Central YouthCARE Council requests a donation of \$13,000 to enable the continuation of its chaplaincy service at Lakeland Senior High School (LSHS).

In 2014, the City of Cockburn donated a total of \$48,100 to the Council to support chaplaincy services at LSHS and local primary schools in need of the service. About \$17,500 has yet to be expended, as the Council has committed the funds to the provision of chaplaincy services for Atwell, Bibra Lake, Harmony, Jandakot, South Coogee and

South Lake primary schools in 2016, to account for gaps in national and school funding.

Funding provided by the City of Cockburn to Cockburn Central YouthCARE Council (formerly Lakeland District Council of the Churches Commission of Education) includes:

|                |   |  |
|----------------|---|--|
| October 2006   | – | \$9,000 (Chaplaincy for LSHS)  |
| October 2007   | – | \$9,000 (Chaplaincy for LSHS)  |
| September 2008 | – | \$9,000 (Chaplaincy for LSHS)  |
| March 2010     | – | \$11,600 (\$9,000 for Chaplaincy LSHS and \$2,600 for Chaplaincy at Atwell College)  |
| March 2011     | – | \$9,000  |
| March 2012     | – | \$9,450  |
| March 2013     | – | \$24,000 (Chaplaincy in 4 local primary schools)   |
| September 2013 | – | \$9,000 (Chaplaincy for LSHS)  |
| September 2014 | – | \$48,100 (\$13,000 for Chaplaincy LSHS and \$35,100 towards Chaplaincy at local primary schools identified as in need of chaplaincy support) |

It is recommended to support this application for \$13,000 for chaplaincy at Lakeland Senior High School.

Applicant: Coastal Motorcycle Club

Requested: \$20,000

Recommended: \$20,000

Coastal Motorcycle Club of WA (Inc.) is a not-for-profit organisation based in Henderson. Established in 1919, the club provides motocross facilities and events for children and adults. About 70 per cent of the club's 350 members are City of Cockburn residents.

The club has applied for a donation for the replacement of the club's current 35-year-old loader that is not viable, as it will cost more to repair and rebuild the transmission than it is worth, according to a mechanical diagnostic report. A replacement loader is essential to provide a safe and well-maintained track for training and competitions, and to comply with the licence conditions set by the governing body, Motorcycling WA. The club is contributing \$55,000 and has requested the balance of \$20,000 towards the \$75,000 cost of the loader.

It is recommended to support Coastal Motorcycle Club's application for a \$20,000 donation to assist with the purchase of a replacement loader to grade and maintain the track.

The total proposed allocation for Donations has been reduced to \$185,000 to account for an increase in applications for Sponsorship.

### SPONSORSHIP

Applicant: Cockburn Masters Swimming Club  
(20th Anniversary Jetty to Jetty Swim)

Requested: \$15,000

Recommended: \$10,000

For many years the Cockburn Masters Swimming Club Inc. and Rotary Club of Cockburn Inc. have jointly organised the annual Coogee Jetty-to-Jetty Swim. The event has grown to become a well-known and well-supported event within Cockburn. In 2015, the event attracted more than 700 participants from across WA.

The City of Cockburn has assisted this event in previous years:

|                |  |
|----------------|--|
| October 2007   | \$1,000  |
| September 2008 | \$2,000  |
| September 2009 | \$2,000  |
| September 2010 | \$3,500  |
| September 2011 | \$10,000 (Naming Rights Sponsor of 2012 event) |
| March 2012     | \$10,000 (Naming Rights Sponsor of 2013 event) |
| September 2013 | \$10,000 (Naming Rights Sponsor of 2014 event) |
| September 2014 | \$10,000 (Naming Rights Sponsor of 2015 event) |

The Rotary Club has withdrawn from the 2016 event, which will be the 20th anniversary of the event. Unlike the past four years, the Swimming Club have withdrawn the offer of “City of Cockburn Jetty to Jetty Swim” naming rights (which was the reason for the large increase in sponsorship from the City for the 2012 event) preferring to go with the new “20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Jetty to Jetty Swim” event name and logo, and have already designed and ordered their merchandise with this name and logo.

In return for sponsorship, the City of Cockburn will benefit from some media promotion, including use of banners and display tents/marquee at the event. They are prepared to negotiate other avenues of promotion of the sponsorship, and have a few other sponsors already on board, such as Frasers Property Group (formerly Australand), Cockburn Cement and NextGen clubs.

Without naming rights, it is recommended to maintain the level of sponsorship of \$10,000, to support the event.

Applicant: Swimming WA

Requested: \$6,000

Recommended: Nil

The Western Australian Swimming Association (Swimming WA) is a membership-based organisation that has requested sponsorship for an open water swim competition (Open Water Series 2015-16 Round 5) to be held at Coogee Beach on 5 December 2015.

This event is one of a large program of swimming events around WA. It has been held previously in November 2014 and attracted some community criticism for issues related to noise and traffic management.

It is recommended that the City of Cockburn not provide sponsorship for this particular event, as the City has traditionally sponsored a similar longstanding event, the Coogee Jetty to Jetty swim, and this Swimming WA organisation is not based in Cockburn and the event does not offer extensive benefits to Cockburn.

Applicant: Jervoise Bay Sailing Club

Requested: \$7,000

Recommended: \$5,000

Jervoise Bay Sailing Club is a not-for-profit recreational club of about 140 members. The club is striving to build its junior membership, and has requested sponsorship for the purchase of one of four new small 'Nacra 350' catamarans (purchase price approx. \$8,000 each) for the club's juniors for training and competition purposes to increase participation in sailing.

In return for Sponsorship the City of Cockburn will receive naming rights of the catamaran, which will be displayed on the hull.

The City has not previously provided funding to the club.

It is recommended to provide sponsorship of \$5,000, with the provision that the City of Cockburn's naming rights also apply to the catamaran's sail as well as the hull.

Applicant: Southern Lions Rugby Union Football Club

Requested: \$20,000

Recommended: \$12,500

The Southern Lions Rugby Union Football Club (SLRUFC) is a not-for-profit sporting club founded in 1987. Based at Success Regional Sports

Facility, the Club has more than 500 members, with the majority being City of Cockburn residents participating in juniors, Women's, Men's and Golden Oldies Divisions.

In 2013, the SLRUFC hosted the successful inaugural City of Cockburn 7s Rugby Tournament that saw 18 teams and 1,500 fans from all over Perth come to Success Regional Sporting Facility.

The Club received \$12,500 sponsorship from the City in the September 2013 funding round for the 2014 event. In 2014 the City provided \$12,500 sponsorship for the 2015 event, as well as a \$4,000 Minor Capital Works Grant towards floodlighting upgrades and a \$1,000 Sports Equipment Grant.

The SLRUFC has sought an increase in sponsorship from the City, from \$12,500 to \$20,000, to provide increased prize money to entice more interstate participants.

In line with sponsorship of the 2015 event, the City will receive naming rights of the event, and inclusion on event advertising including media coverage via radio, newspapers and websites; logo inclusion on event signage, opportunity to display signage at the event and logo inclusion and sponsor recognition on advertising and promotional material official event merchandise (e.g. referees' shirts).

It is recommended that the City maintain its current level of support at \$12,500, as additional interstate participants provide negligible benefit to the City and local residents.

Applicant: Cockburn Central Town Centre Association

Requested: \$20,000

Recommended: \$10,000

Cockburn Central Town Centre Association (CCTCA) is a community group of local residents and business owners who promote the interests of the local Cockburn Central community, and lead projects and events that enhance Cockburn Central as a place to live, work and visit.

The Association is planning a new not-for-profit event called the Cockburn Central BillyCart Festival. The event will draw the wider community into and promote the Cockburn Central Town Centre. Proceeds from the event will raise funds to support the work performed by the Princess Margaret Hospital and Butterfly Foundation to address eating disorders.

The proposed event has support from several Cockburn Central local businesses, and the City of Cockburn's Community Development team is supporting the event.

In return for sponsorship, the City's support will be promoted on all event advertising materials and media releases. The City is offered to display banners and run an informational market stall on the day. The Mayor will have the opportunity to deliver a speech and award prizes.

The CCTCA has requested sponsorship of \$20,000, they also have \$10,000 from Landcorp and \$4,000 from local business pledges. Being the inaugural event, it is recommended that the City provide sponsorship of \$10,000, and evaluate the event's outcomes for future sponsorship support.

Applicant: The Sir Oliver Cricket Club (Split Cricket Club)

Requested: \$5,850

Recommended: Nil

Mr Jeff Grzinic has applied for City of Cockburn support for the participation of a cricket team from the City's sister city of Split, Croatia, in the Mediterranean Cricket League tournament. Mr Grzinic is an organiser of the tournament, which will be held in Split in June 2016. While Mr Grzinic is not a local Cockburn resident (he resides in Kewdale), he believes that a City of Cockburn resident will participate in the event. As yet, the City of Split has not pledged sponsorship of the event.

Mr Grzinic met with the Mayor and Director Governance and Community to discuss the proposal. If funding were to be provided by the City, indicative support would be for sponsorship of items such as uniforms, equipment and marketing, totalling \$2,140. However, the applicant has yet to provide required documentation such as evidence of incorporation and financial statements. In addition, there is concern that the City may not be authorised to deposit funds into an overseas bank account, and that sponsorship of an overseas team and event provides negligible benefit to the City and its residents. In the reverse situation, it would be as if the Cockburn Cricket Club approached the City of Split to sponsor their activities in Cockburn. As such, it is recommended that the application for sponsorship is not supported.

Applicant: Leukaemia Foundation of Australia

Requested: \$3,500

Recommended: \$1,000

The Leukaemia Foundation of Australia is a not-for-profit organisation that assists about 293 leukaemia patients in the local area. The Foundation has requested support for an outdoor fitness event titled 'Get Your Blood Pumping' to be held at Bibra Lake. The event will comprise a walk/job around the lake followed by circuit and yoga classes. The event targets those experiencing blood cancer and their family/carers, and the wider community. The event will promote the Foundation and its work.

In return for sponsorship support, the City of Cockburn will receive logo acknowledgement across media platforms, and will have the opportunity to display signage and speak at the event. Profits from the event will go to supporting leukaemia patients, some of whom are City of Cockburn residents.

The Foundation has requested sponsorship of \$3,500; however, it is recommended that, as this is the inaugural event, the City provide sponsorship of \$1,000 and evaluate the event's outcomes for future sponsorship.

The total proposed allocation for Sponsorship has been increased to \$70,000 due to the increase in applications so far this year, and to allow for an equitable pool of funds to be available for the second round in March 2016.

## **Strategic Plan/Policy Implications**

### **Community & Lifestyle**

- Community environments that are socially cohesive and embrace diversity.
- Communities that take pride and aspire to a greater sense of community.
- Promotion of active and healthy communities.

### **Leading & Listening**

- A responsive, accountable and sustainable organisation.

## **Budget/Financial Implications**

Council approved a budget for Grants and Donations for 2015/16 of \$1,200,000. Following is a summary of the proposed grants, donations and sponsorship allocations.

Summary of Proposed Allocations

|                                 |                    |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| Committed/Contractual Donations | \$496,000          |
| Specific Grant Programs         | \$449,000          |
| Donations                       | \$185,000          |
| Sponsorship                     | \$70,000           |
| <b>Total</b>                    | <b>\$1,200,000</b> |

|   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| Total Funds Available                     | \$1,200,000        |
| <u>Less Total of Proposed Allocations</u> | <u>\$1,200,000</u> |
| Balance                                   | \$0                |

**Legal Implications**

Nil

**Community Consultation**

In the lead up to the September 2015 round, grants, donations and sponsorship funding opportunities were promoted through the local media and Council networks. The promotional campaign has comprised of:

- Three advertisements running in the Cockburn Gazette on 01/09/15, 08/09/15 and 22/09/15.
- Three advertisements running fortnightly in the City of Cockburn Email Newsletter.
- Half Page advertisement in the August 2015 Soundings.
- Promotion to community groups through the Community Development Service Unit email networks and contacts.
- All members of the Cockburn Community Development Group and Regional Parents Group have been encouraged to participate in the City's grants program.
- Additional Advertising through Community Development Promotional Channels:
  - Community Development Calendar distributed to all NFP groups in Cockburn.
  - Community Development ENews September 2015 edition.
- Closing dates advertised in the 2015 City of Cockburn Calendar.
- Information available on the City of Cockburn website.
- Reminder email sent to regular applicants.

**Attachment(s)**

1. Revised Summary of Grants, Donations and Sponsorship Recommended Allocations Budget for 2015/16.

**Advice to Proponent(s)/Submissioners**

Applicants have been advised that they will be notified of the outcome of their applications following the November 2015 Council Meeting.

**Implications of Section 3.18(3) Local Government Act, 1995**

Nil

10. **MOTIONS OF WHICH PREVIOUS NOTICE HAS BEEN GIVEN**
11. **NOTICES OF MOTION GIVEN AT THE MEETING FOR CONSIDERATION AT NEXT MEETING**
12. **NEW BUSINESS OF AN URGENT NATURE INTRODUCED BY DECISION OF MEETING BY COUNCILLORS OR OFFICERS**
13. **MATTERS TO BE NOTED FOR INVESTIGATION, WITHOUT DEBATE**
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## CITY OF COCKBURN

### MINUTES OF THE GRANTS & DONATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY, 29 JULY 2015 AT 6:00 PM

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#### PRESENT:

|                |   |                               |
|----------------|---|-------------------------------|
| Mr L. Howlett  | - | Mayor                         |
| Mr S. Portelli | - | Councillor (Presiding Member) |
| Ms L. Wetton   | - | Councillor                    |
| Mr P. Eva      | - | Councillor                    |

#### IN ATTENDANCE:

|               |   |                             |
|---------------|---|-----------------------------|
| Mr R. Avard   | - | Manager, Community Services |
| Ms M. Bolland | - | Grants & Research Officer   |

#### 1. DECLARATION OF MEETING

The Manager, Community Services declared the meeting open, the time being 6:10pm.

#### 2. APPOINTMENT OF PRESIDING MEMBER (If required)

The Manager, Community Services advised that in the absence of the appointed Presiding Member, and pursuant to Section 5.44 of the Local Government Act, 1995 he had been delegated the power to preside at the Grants and Donations Committee Meeting held on 29 July 2015 and to conduct the election to determine the Presiding Member of the Committee, in accordance with Schedule 2.3 Division 1 of the Act.

The Manager, Community Services called for nominations and received a nomination for Clr Steve Portelli to be appointed Presiding Member for the meeting, from Clr Lyndsey Wetton.

There being no further nominations, Clr Steve Portelli was duly declared Presiding Member.



**3. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF WRITTEN DECLARATIONS OF FINANCIAL INTERESTS & CONFLICT OF INTEREST (BY PRESIDING MEMBER)**

Nil

**4. (GAD 29/07/2015) - APOLOGIES & LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

|                                 |   |         |
|---------------------------------|---|---------|
| Deputy Mayor Carol Reeve-Fowkes | - | Apology |
| Clr Stephen Pratt               | - | Apology |
| Clr Yaz Mubarakai               | - | Apology |

**5. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES**

**5.1 (MINUTE NO 85) (GAD 29/07/2015) - MINUTES OF THE GRANTS AND DONATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING - 22/4/2015 (ATTACH)**

**RECOMMENDATION**

That the minutes of the Grants and Donations Committee meeting held on 22 April 2015 be adopted as a true and accurate record.

**COMMITTEE DECISION**

MOVED Clr L Wetton SECONDED Clr P Eva that Council adopt the Minutes of the Grants and Donations Committee meeting held on 22 April 2015 as a true and accurate record.

**CARRIED 4/0**

**6. DEPUTATIONS & PETITIONS**

Nil

**7. BUSINESS LEFT OVER FROM THE PREVIOUS MEETING (IF ADJOURNED)**

Nil

**8. DECLARATION OF COUNCILLORS WHO HAVE NOT GIVEN DUE CONSIDERATION TO MATTERS IN THE BUSINESS PAPER**

Nil



## 9. COUNCIL MATTERS

### 9.1 **(MINUTE NO 86) (GAD 29/07/2015) - INDIAN OCEAN FIREWORKS SPONSORSHIP AGREEMENT WITH CITY OF FREMANTLE (162/003) (S SEYMOUR-EYLES) (ATTACH)**

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

That Council provide an annual donation of \$25,000 (plus GST), for a three-year period up to and including 2018, from the Grants and Donations Budget to the City of Fremantle, to co-host the Indian Ocean Fireworks event on Australia Day, and agree to the terms and conditions outlined in the Sponsorship Agreement attached to the Agenda.

#### **COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

MOVED Mayor L Howlett SECONDED Clr P Eva that the recommendation be adopted.

**CARRIED 4/0**

#### **COUNCIL DECISION**

### **Background**

Since 2007, the City of Fremantle has held a fireworks display in Fremantle on Australia Day. In 2011, the City of Cockburn agreed to become a Sponsorship Partner to contribute to the fireworks display, which is now known as the Indian Ocean Fireworks.

The latest three-year agreement expired in the 2014/15 financial year and the City of Fremantle has proposed a new three-year Sponsorship Agreement for the event in 2016, 2017 and 2018.

### **Submission**

The proposed Indian Ocean Fireworks Agreement is attached to the Agenda.



## **Report**

### The Event

On Australia Day each year, the night sky above Bathers Beach and Fishing Boat Harbour in Fremantle comes alive with a 20-minute display of fabulous fireworks (with simulcast) from 8pm. Prior to the fireworks display from 4pm, the Esplanade Reserve is filled with music, food, roving entertainers and kids' activities.

### Attendance

It is anticipated that in excess of 40,000 people will enjoy the atmosphere of the Australia Day Celebrations and the Indian Ocean Fireworks display at Bathers Beach in 2016 with expected attendance numbers to increase each year.

### Participation

In 2015, the fireworks were viewed by a large cross section of many age demographics, music tastes and different backgrounds from Perth's coastal suburbs, north and south of the river. The Indian Ocean Fireworks display is seen as a relaxed family orientated fun event.

According to the independent market research and evaluation undertaken by Asset Research for the 2015 event, it shows that the majority of respondents (91.1%) who had visited Fremantle on Australia Day were 'at least' satisfied with the experience they had. 31.1% of these respondents were very satisfied with the experience, with a further 60.0% being satisfied.

A total of 96 survey respondents on the day came from suburbs within the City of Cockburn (up from 89 in 2014). This represented 32.7% of all Perth metropolitan area respondents (31.1% in 2014) and 29.5% of all survey respondents (28.3% in 2015). This represents a continuation in the growth of respondents coming from the Cockburn area in this survey period.

### Sponsorship Agreement

For the City's \$25,000 (plus GST) contribution, the Sponsorship Agreement proposes a list of Sponsorship Partner Benefits (Item 8 in the Schedule to the Agreement) including:

- Recognition of the Sponsorship Partner as a partner in the event on all forms of printed advertising and promotional material in relation to the event and published before, during and after the event.



- 30 invitations (free of charge) to the VIP function at Bather's Beach House.
- An evaluation report of the Sponsorship Partnership arrangement by 1 March in each year.

### **Strategic Plan/Policy Implications**

#### **Community & Lifestyle**

- Communities that are connected, inclusive and promote intergenerational opportunities.
- Communities that take pride and aspire to a greater sense of community.
- Promotion of active and healthy communities.

#### **Leading & Listening**

- A responsive, accountable and sustainable organisation.

### **Budget/Financial Implications**

An allocation of \$25,000 (plus GST) from the 2015/16 Grants and Donations Budget has been recommended.

### **Legal Implications**

If Council agrees to the proposed Sponsorship terms and conditions, as contained in the proposed Indian Ocean Fireworks Agreement attached to the Agenda, it will enter into a legal agreement with the City of Fremantle for a term of three years.

### **Community Consultation**

An independent Asset Research evaluation survey is conducted each year to gauge community satisfaction. For the 2015 event it shows that the majority of respondents (91.1%) who had visited Fremantle on Australia Day were 'at least' satisfied with the experience they had. 31.1% of these respondents were very satisfied with the experience, with a further 60.0% being satisfied.

### **Attachment(s)**

1. Proposed Indian Ocean Fireworks Agreement with the City of Fremantle.



**Advice to Proponent(s)/Submissioners**

The City of Fremantle has been advised that the proposed Agreement will be presented to the Grants and Donations Committee on Wednesday 29 July 2015 and the Committee's recommendations will go to the August Council Meeting for a decision.

**Implications of Section 3.18(3) Local Government Act, 1995**

Nil

**9.2 (MINUTE NO 87) (GAD 29/07/2015) - SPEARWOOD BOWLING CLUB REQUEST FOR DONATION TO RESURFACE BOWLING GREEN (162/002) (R AVARD) (ATTACH)**

**RECOMMENDATION**

That Council:

- (1) contribute up to one-third of the cost of resurfacing one of the synthetic bowling greens at Spearwood Bowling Club, to a maximum contribution of \$57,300 (plus GST), and
- (2) the works in (1) above be to a standard to allow the Club to retain eligibility for pennant competitions.

**COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

MOVED Mayor L Howlett SECONDED Cllr P Eva that the recommendation be adopted.

**CARRIED 4/0**

**COUNCIL DECISION**

**Background**

Spearwood Bowling Club was established in 1993 and is located on Azelia Road at the Dalmatinac Club in Spearwood. The bowling greens



are on City of Cockburn land leased to the Club. The Club currently has 99 members and the close proximity of the Cockburn Bowling and Recreational Club limits the membership growth of both clubs as they compete for members. The Club has three greens in use and all need replacement as they have had seven years of use. On a weekly basis there are 50 people who regularly use the greens about three times a week.

### **Submission**

The request letter from Spearwood Bowling Club and a quote for the resurfacing works (Option B) is attached to the Agenda.

### **Report**

The Spearwood Bowling Club have advised that they are currently having some major problems with their synthetic bowling greens, which have now deteriorated to a point that they may not pass inspection by Bowls WA. This may result in the Club's exclusion from the next pennant competition which will commence towards the end of October 2015.

The Club must urgently resurface at least one bowling green to satisfy Bowls WA standards to retain eligibility for pennant competition. Funds required for this short-term fix are approximately \$171,900 (plus GST), as indicated in "Option B" in the attached quote. Currently neither the club nor its members are in a financial position to cover this entire cost.

The Club has requested Council support for a grant application to the Department of Sport and Recreation (DSR) Community Sporting and Recreation Facilities Fund (CSRFF) for the funding to be shared between the Club, Council and the State Government on the basis of one-third of the cost, or \$57,300 (plus GST), being contributed by each party.

The Club proposes to raise its contribution through a mixture of fundraising, member donations and a loan for the remainder.

It is proposed that the Grants and Donations Committee make a one-off \$57,300 (plus GST) allocation from its 2015/16 Budget on the condition that the other \$114,600 (plus GST) is externally funded.

### **Strategic Plan/Policy Implications**

#### **Infrastructure**

- Community facilities that meet the diverse needs of the community now and into the future.



### **Community & Lifestyle**

- Community environments that are socially cohesive and embrace diversity.
- Promotion of active and healthy communities.

### **Leading & Listening**

- A responsive, accountable and sustainable organisation.

### **Budget/Financial Implications**

An allocation of \$57,300 (plus GST) from the 2015/16 Grants and Donations Budget has been recommended on the condition that the other \$114,600 (plus GST) is externally funded.

### **Legal Implications**

Nil

### **Community Consultation**

Nil

### **Attachment(s)**

1. Spearwood Bowling Club Request Letter and Quote for the Resurfacing Works (Option B).

### **Advice to Proponent(s)/Submissioners**

The Spearwood Bowling Club has been advised that request will be considered by the Grants and Donations Committee on Wednesday 29 July 2015 and the Committee's recommendations will go to the August Council Meeting for a decision.

### **Implications of Section 3.18(3) Local Government Act, 1995**

Nil



**9.3 (MINUTE NO 88) (GAD 29/07/2015) - GRANTS AND DONATIONS COMMITTEE RECOMMENDED ALLOCATIONS 2015/16 (162/003) (R AVARD) (ATTACH)**

**RECOMMENDATION**

That Council:

- (1) adopt the grants, donations, and sponsorship recommended allocations for 2015/16 as attached to the agenda, and
- (2) advertise the availability of the grants, donations and sponsorships in two instalments closing 30 September 2015 and 31 March 2016 respectively.

**COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

MOVED Mayor L Howlett SECONDED Cllr L Wetton that the recommendation be adopted.

**CARRIED 4/0**

**COUNCIL DECISION**

**Background**

Council approved a budget for grants and donations for 2015/16 of \$1,200,000. The Grants and Donations Committee is empowered to recommend to Council how these funds are to be distributed.

**Submission**

The City received funding requests from:

- City of Fremantle - Indian Ocean Fireworks Sponsorship Agreement (Agenda Item 9.1 and Attachment)
- Spearwood Bowling Club (Agenda Item 9.2 and Attachment)
- Native ARC (Report Attached)
- Cockburn Wetlands Education Centre (Report Attached)



## Report

### Committed/Contractual Donations

As can be seen in the Budget attachment, a number of donations are deemed to be committed by legal agreements, such as leases, or by Council Decision.

There is one new proposed commitment for the 2015/16 financial year:

- Spearwood Bowling Club (as to Agenda Item 9.2 and Attachment)

And there are three ongoing commitments that require approval for the 2015/16 financial year:

- City of Fremantle - Indian Ocean Fireworks Sponsorship Agreement (as to Agenda Item 9.1 and Attachment)
- A donation to support the administration costs of Native ARC of \$87,921.91.
- A donation to support the administration costs of Cockburn Wetlands Education Centre of \$87,921.91.

At its meeting on 14 August 2014, the following Council Decision was approved:

*That Council:*

- (1) *approve the contribution sponsorship request from both the Cockburn Wetlands Education Centre and Native ARC for funding towards the annual administration costs for each organisation (Cockburn Wetlands Education Centre \$86,708 and Native ARC \$86,708) for a period of four years indexed annually according to Perth consumer price index, and coinciding with the terms of their leases and also being subject to:*
  1. *The Cockburn Wetlands Precinct members providing an annual report detailing their progress in meeting designated joint Key Performance Indicators as endorsed previously by Council.*
  2. *The Cockburn Wetlands Education Centre and Native ARC each providing a separate annual report which summarises the previous 12 months activities and their progress in meeting designated individual key performance indicators previously endorsed by Council.*

Native ARC and Cockburn Wetlands Education Centre have provided their reports for 2015-16, which are attached to the agenda, and it is



recommended to approve the 2015/16 donation of \$87,921.91 (including CPI of 1.4%) to each organisation.

The total for committed/contractual donations will be \$496,000.

### **Grants**

As can be seen in the Budget attachment, there are a number of grants for which there are established criteria and processes in place.

The 2015/16 Budget includes small increases in the following allocations based on the previous year's expenditure and predicted expenditure for 2015/16:

- Sustainability Grants Program
- Grants General Welfare
- Alcoa Cockburn Community Projects Fund
- Environmental Education Initiatives Program
- Grants to Schools

The 2015/16 Budget includes decreases in the following allocations based on little to no expenditure in the previous year:

- Len Packham Hall Hire Subsidy (Burdiya)
- Safety House/Walk to School Program

There are no other significant changes from last financial year in the new allocations.

The total proposed for grants is \$439,000.

### **Donations**

It is proposed that Council will seek applications for Donations from not-for-profit organisations in two instalments. It is proposed for 2015/16 to have the first round closing on 30 September 2015 and the second round closing on 31 March 2016.

Applications for Donations will be assessed under policy ACS2, and a report presented to the Committee for its deliberation. The Committee will then consider the requests for Donations and make a recommendation to Council.

Due to an increased demand for Donations in 2014/15, it is proposed to increase the allocation for Donations from \$196,300 to \$210,000 for 2015/16.



## **Sponsorship**

It is proposed to allocate \$55,000 of the 2015/16 Grants and Donations Budget to the Sponsorship program, to reflect the actual expenditure in 2014/15 and allow for a small increase.

It is proposed to seek applications for Sponsorship for Groups in line with the other funding opportunities closing on 30 September 2015 and 31 March 2016, other than Sponsorship for Individuals, where applications are invited all year round.

## **Strategic Plan/Policy Implications**

### **Community & Lifestyle**

- Community environments that are socially cohesive and embrace diversity.
- Communities that take pride and aspire to a greater sense of community.
- Promotion of active and healthy communities.

### **Leading & Listening**

- A responsive, accountable and sustainable organisation.

## **Budget/Financial Implications**

Council approved a Budget for Grants and Donations for 2015/16 of \$1,200,000. Following is a summary of the proposed grants, donations and sponsorship allocations.

### **Summary of Proposed Allocations**

|   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| Committed/Contractual Donations           | \$496,000          |
| Specific Grant Programs                   | \$439,000          |
| Donations                                 | \$210,000          |
| Sponsorship                               | \$55,000           |
| <b>Total</b>                              | <b>\$1,200,000</b> |
| <br>                                      |                    |
| Total Funds Available                     | \$1,200,000        |
| <b>Less Total of Proposed Allocations</b> | <b>\$1,200,000</b> |
| <b>Balance</b>                            | <b>\$0</b>         |

## **Legal Implications**

Nil



### **Community Consultation**

Council's grants are advertised widely in the local community through the City's website, local media, Cockburn Soundings, and Council networks. It is recommended that advertising start immediately following the Council decision to ensure a wider representation of applications.

### **Attachment(s)**

1. Grants, Donations and Sponsorship Recommended Allocations Budget for 2015/16.
2. Cockburn Wetlands Precinct Reports from Cockburn Wetlands Education Centre and Native ARC.

### **Advice to Proponent(s)/Submissioners**

Submissioners have been advised that a decision will be made at the Council Meeting on 13 August 2015 and they will be advised of the outcome following this meeting.

### **Implications of Section 3.18(3) Local Government Act, 1995**

Nil

#### **10. MOTIONS OF WHICH PREVIOUS NOTICE HAS BEEN GIVEN**

Nil

#### **11. NOTICES OF MOTION GIVEN AT THE MEETING FOR CONSIDERATION AT NEXT MEETING**

Nil

#### **12. NEW BUSINESS OF AN URGENT NATURE INTRODUCED BY DECISION OF MEETING BY COUNCILLORS OR OFFICERS**

Nil

#### **13. MATTERS TO BE NOTED FOR INVESTIGATION, WITHOUT DEBATE**

Nil



**14. CONFIDENTIAL BUSINESS**

Nil

**15. (GAD 29/07/2015) - CLOSURE OF MEETING**

6:15pm

**CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES**

I, ..... (Presiding Member) declare that these minutes have been confirmed as a true and accurate record of the meeting.

Signed: ..... Date: ...../...../.....



Our Ref: RNB22072015  
 Contact: Elizabeth PO' and Adrian Glamorgan  
 Mayors for Peace Working Group for WA  
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22 July 2015

Dear Mayor/President

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## FROM MAYOR OF FREMANTLE

There are some exciting, low-cost opportunities in local government to support the work of Mayors for Peace, which I would like to share with you in this letter.

But first I would like to focus on the question that sparked Mayors for Peace into being – the need for nuclear weapons to be eliminated. Even nuclear possessor states have committed to this, in signing the Nuclear Non-Proliferation [NPT] Treaty in 1967. With the NPT Review Conference in New York having risen recently, it's an excellent time for those of us in local government to consider how we can help nuclear possessor states rid the world of these last weapons of mass destruction.



*City of Fremantle, 22 September 2014, Inaugural Mayors for Peace WA meeting*

In short, there is the real prospect of a Nuclear Weapons Convention being adopted by the majority of countries in the world. Instead of nuclear weapons being perceived as prestigious, they will be put in the same category as Chemical Weapons and Biological Weapons, and banned. Mayors for Peace representing 6,733 cities globally are joining the humanitarian call.

### Why mayors are saying “Cities are Not Targets”

**Too Many Bombs** Surprisingly, there are still over 16,000 nuclear weapons in the world – meaning there are roughly 8 nuclear weapons for every city with a population more than 150,000. And each nuclear weapon is unimaginably more powerful than the original weapons that destroyed Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

**Too Devastating for Emergency Response** Just one nuclear weapon is enough to destroy a city's entire infrastructure, eliminating hospitals and killing doctors, nurses and those trained in emergency services. The Red Cross knows from its own experience at Hiroshima that neither governments nor volunteers are sufficient to tend to the needs of the injured in a nuclear blast. With the Red Cross leading the international call to abolish all nuclear weapons, and more than 100 nations actively considering a nuclear weapons convention, Mayors for Peace has been reminding world leaders that Cities Are Not Targets!

**National Infrastructure at Risk** Nuclear weapons are also a problem for those beyond city limits. Just one nuclear weapon detonated high above the centre of Australia could send a debilitating electronic pulse freezing electronic gear across the country, meaning that infrastructure – from mobile phones towers to traffic lights to medical equipment to electrical services generally – could immediately cease to function across the country, and stay debilitated for quite some time.

**Disaster for Agriculture** Latest research demonstrates that even a limited nuclear war in Asia would impact on growing seasons. There would be a major frost in the WA wheat belt, and would take around 23 years before the worst of the climate effects were over – and that's just from 100 weapons being used in a regional conflict!

**Terrible Waste, even if never used** Even if nuclear weapons are not fired, they come at a great cost. Nuclear weapons are an unimaginably expensive diversion from essential services. Wherever they are in the world, mayors around the world are in a good position to see how the money could be better spent.

## Building a Culture of Peace

Councils actively build peace, even if we haven't been using that specific banner! There is Harmony Day, and NAIDOC week; there may be support for local DV refuges and Alternatives to Violence programs in schools; and communications courses run in learning centres, as well as with your own staff; and forums for participation and involvement. There may be a designated Peace Park that needs sprucing up, or rededicated.

Your Council might like to become more involved in the MfP network by sharing a peace calendar that incorporates current events and commemorations that help build a culture of peaceful behaviours in your locale.

We also suggest that you might like to consider linking up with other events suggested by the Mayors for Peace website, particularly:

- this year's 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Hiroshima (August 6) and Nagasaki (August 9),
- the 70th anniversary of the founding of the UN (its first resolution was to abolish nuclear weapons), and
- International Peace Day, 21 September, each year,
- Any other days of reconciliation or cooperation important to your community

There's also a unique opportunity for local Councils to partner in a Mayors for Peace initiative, namely the historic gifting of an Australian peace sculpture, the last planned for Nagasaki Peace Park. The gifted artwork will be the first of its kind to represent Australia in the international sculpture park, and carries a timely message of peace from participating Australian communities commemorating the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the bombing of Nagasaki. We are inviting local Australian partners to become involved. See flier attached.

## How Can Your Town, City or Shire be involved in the work for a Nuclear Ban Treaty?

1. If your local government authority hasn't joined Mayors for Peace, become a member. We can help you with background before you take it to Council.
2. Whether you are a member of Mayors for Peace or not, sign the Fremantle Declaration (included). This was created out of the first regional meeting of Mayors for Peace in September 2015. Once signed the next step might be to publish it on your website or advise key stakeholders.
3. Write to your state government and ask them about the Emergency Response Plan for your local government area. We are seriously concerned they are underestimating the damage to infrastructure, and are unaware of the warnings from the Red Cross. It is still a good precaution to be clear about what would happen if there was a nuclear accident, electronic pulse and/or nuclear weapons event in your proximity. Who is in charge of the response – and where would they meet – and how could you be in touch? (We earnestly hope you never need the number.)
4. Write to the Foreign Minister urging the Disarmament Ambassador John Quinn to progress in good faith the provisions of the NPT treaty. We can provide you with a customisable template.
5. Assign a contact person in your council for our ongoing communications.



*Rededicated Peace Grove for City of Fremantle, 21 September 2014*

### Future Contacts

Fremantle has taken on responsibilities as "lead city" for Western Australia MfP. In Aotearoa/New Zealand the city of Wellington has taken on responsibilities as "lead city" for Australasia.

Given the busyness of this year, including council elections for some, we are suggesting that WA MfP meets in March 2016. You are welcome to join us then! It would be great to hear from you if you would like to participate in or host this event.

Yours sincerely,

Dr Brad Pettitt  
Mayor



Mayors for Peace  
Working Group in WA  
Elizabeth PO' & Adrian Glamorgan  
Email: mayorsforpeace@fremantle.wa.gov.au

Local Councils are invited to join the City of Fremantle  
to become an official partner for an

## Australian Sculpture-Gifting to Nagasaki Peace Park

A Mayors for Peace Australia initiative



Mayors for Peace Australia is working towards gifting an artwork of excellence to Nagasaki Peace Park in Japan. The sculpture will send a message of peace from participating Australian communities, to commemorate the 70-year anniversary of the atomic bombings of Japan, and the end of World War II.

The historic gifting will be the first Australian contribution in the internationally renowned sculpture park, frequented by thousands of visitor annually. It is a timely, locally driven initiative involving many Australian partners, including remote Maralinga Aboriginal communities affected by Australia's atomic test history.

City of Fremantle is calling on local Councils to become involved in this exciting peace-building and cultural exchange initiative.

Contributions will enable the fabrication and installation of the Australian sculpture. Partnering Councils will be listed on the plaque accompanying the Nagasaki Peace Park sculpture and are eligible for a number of locally relevant partnership, and promotion benefits.

A site at the Nagasaki Peace Park has been allocated, in a fabulous and prominent location, and work on the design is underway. The planned sculpture will feature an indigenous inspired design, facilitated by professional sculptor John Turpie via the international arts and cultural program, Nuclear Futures. Seed funding has been provided by the Australian Council for the Arts.

Contributions of \$500-\$2000 or in kind accepted.  
Expressions of Interest close 16<sup>th</sup> October, 2015.

Registration and information packs available. Contact:

**Ellise Barkley**

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More info: [www.nuclearfutures.org](http://www.nuclearfutures.org)



# Fremantle Declaration

## For a Ban On Nuclear Weapons

22 September 2014 (The "Fremantle Declaration")



### **We, the undersigned Mayors and Shire Presidents,**

*Acknowledge* the catastrophic humanitarian impacts caused by the use of nuclear weapons, as experienced by the cities of Hiroshima and Nagasaki in 1945;

*Acknowledge* the devastating impacts of nuclear testing in Australia in the 1950s and '60s on Aboriginal people, servicemen and servicewomen, and on the environment;<sup>(1)</sup>

*Recognise* the impossibility of emergency services, relief, public health, humanitarian and infrastructure agencies to respond adequately in the aftermath of a nuclear weapon detonation;<sup>(2)</sup>

*Note with concern* scientific research) about a limited nuclear exchange leading to profound global environmental, food security and other humanitarian consequences;<sup>(3)</sup>

*Recognise* that the 16,000 nuclear weapons still in existence daily threaten humanity with the risk of their use either by accident, design or miscalculation;<sup>(4)</sup>

*Affirm* our commitment to supporting and developing dynamic cultures of peace within our cities, towns and regions;

*Affirm* our commitment to ensuring that the cities, towns and regions we represent never become nuclear targets;

*Recognise* that an international treaty banning nuclear weapons is an urgent and necessary step towards the total elimination of nuclear weapons;

*Call on* the Australian Government to actively support international negotiations for a treaty banning nuclear weapons once and for all.

**Name** **Position**

**Address** **Date**

**Signature**

*Please send a signed copy of this Declaration to the City of Fremantle at Town Hall Centre, 8 William Street, Fremantle WA 6160, or by email to [mayorsforpeace@fremantle.wa.gov.au](mailto:mayorsforpeace@fremantle.wa.gov.au)*

(1) P.N Grabosky (1989), "Chapter 16: A Toxic Legacy: British Nuclear Weapons Testing in Australia", Wayward Governance: Illegality and its control in the public sector, pp. 235-253, <http://aic.gov.au/publications/previous%20series/lcj/1-20/wayward/ch16.html>

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## Mayors for Peace

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### Secretariat

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July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2015

## Request for the payment of the 2015 Mayors for Peace Membership Fee

The officer in charge  
Mayors for Peace Member City

Dear Sir/Madam,

I trust this letter finds you well.

Thank you for your ongoing support for the activities of Mayors for Peace.

As we informed Mayors for Peace members in April, in order to facilitate future activities and strengthen the sense of solidarity amongst member cities, this year we have introduced an annual Membership Fee.

This letter serves as the invoice for the 2015 Membership Fee. Details are specified below.

### **Amount: 2000 Japanese Yen per city, per year**

\* 2000 Japanese Yen is equivalent to approximately 16 U.S. dollars or 15 Euro. Each currency's exact payment amount depends on the currency exchange rate at the point of payment.

### **Due date: December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2015**

### **[Payment Methods]**

Online payment by credit card is available through the Mayors for Peace Information System.

URL: <https://www.mfpinfosys.org/>

Please login to the system with your city's Login ID and password and select the "Membership Fee" tab from the menu. Payments made through this system will not incur any bank transfer fees.

If your city would prefer not to pay the membership fee using the Mayors for Peace Information System, payment via bank transfer is also possible. When paying via bank transfer, we ask that your city bear any transfer fees that may be incurred.

We would appreciate it if you could contact the Secretariat before bank transfer.

Mayors for Peace bank account details for payment through bank transfer are as follows:

- Bank Name: The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd.
- Branch Name: Hiroshima Office (001)
- Bank Address: 1-3-8 Kamiya-cho, Naka-ku, Hiroshima 730-0031 JAPAN
- Swift Code: HIROJPTT
- Account Number: 2757427
- Account Holder's Name: Kazumi Matsui, President, Hiroshima Peace Culture Foundation
- Account Holder's Address: 1-2 Nakajima-cho, Naka-ku, Hiroshima 730-0811 JAPAN

Notes:

- 1) In cases that meet provisions 3 and 4 of Article 2 of the Guidelines for the Handling of Mayors for Peace Membership Fees, member cities can be exempt from annual fee payments. (Example: Cities that have been regularly contributing to the 2020 Vision Campaign or to other local government organizations promoting action toward total elimination of nuclear weapons.)
- 2) Please contact the Mayors for Peace Secretariat if your city would like to be exempt from Fee payment. Please also contact the Secretariat if your city has problems regarding payment of the annual membership fee.
- 3) It was determined at the 8<sup>th</sup> General Conference in August 2013 that member cities “will not lose their membership automatically if they do not pay the [membership] fee”. We hope that even if some cities are unable to pay membership fees, they continue to work together with the Mayors for Peace network toward the realization of lasting world peace and the elimination of nuclear weapons, and ensure the peaceful lives of their citizens.

Mayors for Peace is dedicated to supporting and creating initiatives to realize lasting world peace and nuclear weapons abolition. We deeply appreciate your city's continued understanding and support for our activities.

Sincerely yours,



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## **Measures for strengthening Mayors for Peace's management system**

### 1. Purport

Since its foundation in 1982, Mayors for Peace has grown to an organization of 5,712 member cities from 157 countries and regions. The membership has almost doubled from 2,963 as of the time of the 7<sup>th</sup> General Conference, four years ago. However, there are growing gaps in activities between active members and others, and we face the challenge of how to involve many more cities in our activities. We would like to make our worldwide network stronger and more practical, enabling us to pursue continuous and effective initiatives into the future. For this purpose, it is essential to raise a sense of participation among all member cities to facilitate dynamic activities around the globe, as well as to secure a stable financial base.

In this context, at the executive conference held in Granollers, Spain in November 2011, it was agreed upon that there exists a necessity to commence discussions on how to strengthen Mayors for Peace's management system in order to put some proposals on the agenda for the 8<sup>th</sup> General Conference. Discussion meetings were held to this end by executive and other cities in Hanover, Germany in January 2012, in Vienna, Austria in May 2012, in Frogne, Norway in July 2012, and in Geneva, Switzerland in April 2013. As a result, the following two measures have been designed.

### 2. Promoting regionalization and galvanizing regional activities

#### 1) Selection of lead cities and their roles

In order to encourage proactive and independent activities appropriate to each region, we will promote the creation of regional groups. For this end, we will select a number of lead cities, which serve as chapters for the Hiroshima Secretariat and take the lead in their regional activities. The lead cities are also expected to establish an appropriate system as chapters. Following discussions with candidate cities, the President will select lead cities, which will then identify countries and areas that will join their regional group. Also, when non-executive cities have been selected as lead cities, the cities will be appointed to become executive cities.

#### 2) Implementation timing

Fiscal year 2015

### 3. Introducing membership fees

#### 1) Basic scheme for membership fees

In order to build a system through which all member cities cooperate to support the organization while maintaining membership, each city will bear an annual membership fee of 2,000 yen. Furthermore, we will welcome any voluntary payment of more than 2,000 yen. Cities will not lose their membership automatically if they do not pay the fee.

Each city will send the fee through a lead city or directly to the Hiroshima Secretariat. However, if the Hiroshima Secretariat has agreed that there are circumstances to be considered, such as the necessity of using the funds for the chapter's activities or excessive remittance charges to the Hiroshima Secretariat, cities can be exempt from sending the fee to Hiroshima. Also, when deemed appropriate by the Hiroshima Secretariat after consultation with a lead city, cities paying their share to another local governmental organization promoting initiatives for nuclear weapons abolition in the same region can be exempt from sending the fee to the Hiroshima Secretariat.

The fee sent to the Hiroshima Secretariat will be primarily allocated for the implementation of new projects and the further development of existing projects as listed in the Action Plan. When surplus is expected, it may be appropriated to the usual running expenses of Mayors for Peace. The cities of Hiroshima and Nagasaki will continue to bear a certain amount of running expenses. Moreover, when deemed necessary, each region will carry out a fundraising campaign in order to expand Mayors for Peace initiatives and secure a stable financial base.

#### 2) Implementation timing

Fiscal year 2015

## **Guidelines for the Handling of Mayors for Peace Membership Fees**

### (Purpose)

#### Article 1

These Guidelines shall prescribe requirements for handling the Mayors for Peace membership fees ("Fee").

### (Fee Payment)

#### Article 2

1. Mayors for Peace Member Cities ("Member Cities") shall each pay a Fee of 2,000 yen every year (or, in the case of payment in any other currency, an amount converted at the exchange rate between that currency and yen as of the date of payment).
2. The Member City shall pay the Fee by the designated date. In this case, the Member City may pay the Fee through a Mayors for Peace Lead City ("Lead City") or the association which operates the member city's regional chapter.
3. Notwithstanding the preceding two paragraphs, the President may exempt the Member City from Fee payment if the President finds any of the following:
  - (1) It is necessary to allocate funds to activities of Mayors for Peace regional groups;
  - (2) The charge for remittance to the Mayors for Peace Secretariat is excessively higher than the Fee and the electronic settlement system for Fee payment is out of service.
  - (3) There are any other circumstances deemed by the President to be particularly considerable.
4. Notwithstanding paragraphs 1 and 2, the President may, through consultation with Lead City or the association exempt from Fee payment Member Cities that make monetary contribution or equivalent to other local government organizations promoting action toward total elimination of nuclear weapons.
5. Notwithstanding paragraph 1, Member Cities may, at their independent discretion, pay a Fee of more than 2,000 yen.
6. The President shall have no power to expel from Mayors for Peace any Member City that fails to pay the Fee.
7. The President shall not refund any Fee once paid.

### (Appropriation of Fees)

#### Article 3

Fees paid shall be appropriated on a priority basis as funds for expansion of new and existing projects advocated in the Mayors for Peace Action Plan (2013–2017). If a surplus is expected to occur, Fees shall also be appropriated for conventional Mayors for Peace operating costs.

### (Authorization Provision)

#### Article 4

The President shall be authorized to establish requirements for handling Fees other than as provided for in these Guidelines.

### Supplementary Provision

These Guidelines shall take effect on April 1, 2015.



# Nagasaki City Peace Monument

Proposal for a gift of sculpture from Australia

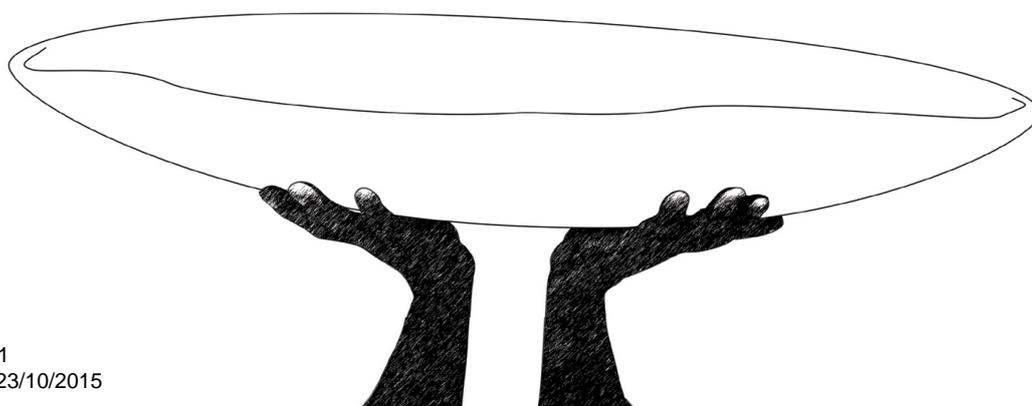
City of Fremantle, Mayors for Peace Australia

# Nagasaki City Peace Monument

Proposal for a gift of sculpture from Australia

City of Fremantle

on behalf of Mayors for Peace Australia, and partners





# Contribution Request

## 1. Reason for the contribution

- This sculpture contribution is a collaborative venture between the Australian Mayors for Peace network, Yalata Community and the Nuclear Futures creative arts program.
- The gift to Nagasaki of an artwork of excellence originating in an Aboriginal atomic survivor community would send a universal message of peace at the time of the 70-year commemoration of the atomic bombing of Japanese cities.
- The City of Fremantle joined Mayors for Peace a decade ago as part of a push from cities around the world to make sure nuclear disarmament is front and centre of the global agenda. Fremantle recently became the lead city in the Australian Mayors for Peace Network.
- Yalata is an Aboriginal community on the far west coast of South Australia, 1000 kilometres from Adelaide by road. It is an atomic survivor community. Its families were resettled from the Maralinga Tjarutja lands prior to the British atomic bomb tests in the 1950s.
- The people of Yalata are primarily Pitjantjatjara Anangu who descended from the desert people in the north and north-west of South Australia. Pitjantjatjara is the first language of the Anangu and English is a second language.
- Yalata Community has a history of creative arts, including paintings, sculpture, music, dance and multi media arts. Yalata is a key partner in the 'Nuclear Futures' creative arts program, funded by the Australia Council for the Arts as a Creative Communities Partnership Initiative. This program is unfolding across 2014-16, hosted by Alphaville, a Sydney based community arts company.

- The Nuclear Futures program is linked internationally with Mayors for Peace. The program uses creative arts with community development processes, to link atomic survivor communities who have embarked upon development programs to the benefit of their people's future and for global peace.
- The gift of a peace sculpture would provide an Indigenous Australian presence in Japan, and it would provide recognition of Australian atomic survivor communities while expressing the forward-looking initiatives they have pursued.
- By making a gift of sculpture to the Nagasaki Peace Park, the project will issue a call for hope and peace across generations and across borders. It will look to a peaceful future, while paying respect to Japanese atomic survivor communities and supporting international advocacy for peace.

## 2. Production gist

- For this project, Australian sculptor John Turpie has helped to establish the Yalata Sculpture Group. This supports Yalata artists and uses community participation in arts activities, to include families of Yalata, as well as the related Oak Valley community. The project is supported by Yalata Community Council, and by the Maralinga Tjarutja Council.
- The Yalata Sculpture Group aims to depict the history of family migration, family life, and the search for peace and harmony, and to use sculptures to send 'messages' to other atomic survivor communities in Australia and overseas.
- John Turpie has worked on numerous public art commissions with non-Indigenous and Indigenous communities in South Australia and the Northern Territory. His sculptural practice bears the stamp of later 20th century conceptual art, and includes large scale installations on the cliff top at Elliston on the Eyre Peninsular, and many other acclaimed works.
- For the gift of sculpture to Nagasaki Peace Park, the preliminary stages are already funded via the Australia Council for the Arts, with in-kind support from Yalata Community, and support for men's work in design and construction via the Australian Remote Jobs Creation Program.
- The storytelling and design stages of the project have been progressing since September 2014. If approved by Nagasaki City, construction could commence from September 2015, with transportation and installation possible in November – December 2015 (to suit Nagasaki City schedule options).
- The sculpture will be specifically designed to stand alone in the Nagasaki Peace Park, while having relationship to the 'family' of sculptures to be sited in Maralinga communities. It has been designed to fit the layout and atmosphere of the Nagasaki Peace Park.

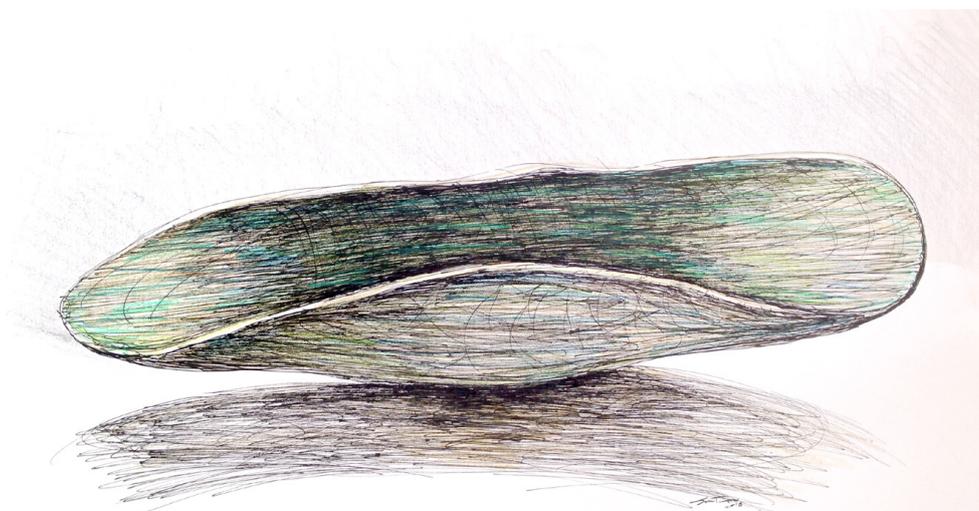


### 3. Shape, material and standard

At Yalata there has been community consultation on the design of the Peace sculpture for Nagasaki City. The proposal is to construct a symbolic meeting space around a tree from which a peace offering has been carved – the 'Piti'. The tree stands on a plinth, around which there are plaques and two friezes.

#### The Piti – the peace offering

Carved wooden dishes, elongate in shape, are common utensils in Aboriginal society. In the Pitjantjatjara language the larger dishes are called 'Piti'. In other parts of Australia, the name 'Coolamon dish' is often used.



Artist's sketch of the 'Piti' a wooden dish used to carry water and food.

To make the dish, the starting point is the curved trunk of a mulga tree already partially hollowed out by ants. The dishes are used to carry food, water and other materials, and also serve as cradles for young children. The dishes are a symbol of sharing and gift giving.

- In the Nagasaki Peace sculpture, a Piti cast in bronze from original carved wood, will be placed as if cradled by the branches of a tree. It represents the peace offering and sharing of resources between families and between communities.

## The Tree

The tree, which is called a 'Western Mulga' represents the survival of the natural environment after the atomic tests at Maralinga. This species, which is local to Yalata, is the tree that provides for the community. It supplies wood for fire and therefore warmth, and when it burns the aroma flavours the food. The bark is thick, in three or four layers, with a variety of colours – blends of yellow, red and dark brown. The mulga supplies wood for tools – a hard wood, whose roots can be used for boomerangs. Its hollowed-out trunk is used to make the 'Piti'.



- In the Nagasaki sculpture, the shape of the tree represents two arms holding the Piti.
- The dish, and therefore the peace offering, has evolved out of the tree.
- The tree is also cast in bronze and will have a textured finish (detailing the contours of the bark). Using patina effects, the contrasting colours of the original bark will be represented.

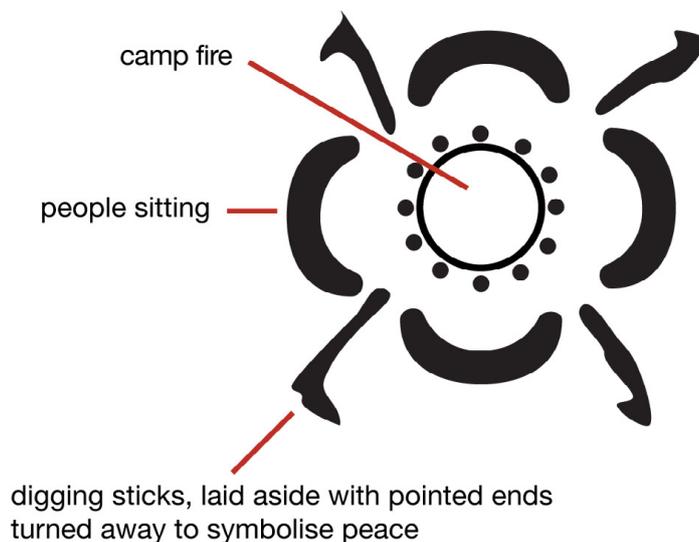


## The Friezes (adapted from Paintings)

On either side of the plinth will be a frieze. Each is adapted from an Aboriginal art work that will be painted by Yalata artists. The artists will then produce three dimensional versions (in clay or plasticine) that will be rendered in bronze, using patina techniques and polishing to provide colour variation.

- The first painting will depict the process of producing the Piti – the tree gives up its wood to make the gift of peace that will pass from one group to another.
- The second painting will depict families attending a negotiation. In Australian Aboriginal art, a kidney shaped symbol is widely used to represent individuals or groups of people seated in conversation. For the Nagasaki sculpture, the piti is placed between kidney shaped symbols, and the painting includes images of fruits and water, to symbolize how the piti is used for the exchange of gifts.
- Symbols representing weapons that have been laid on the ground as an act of peace could be included within the paintings.

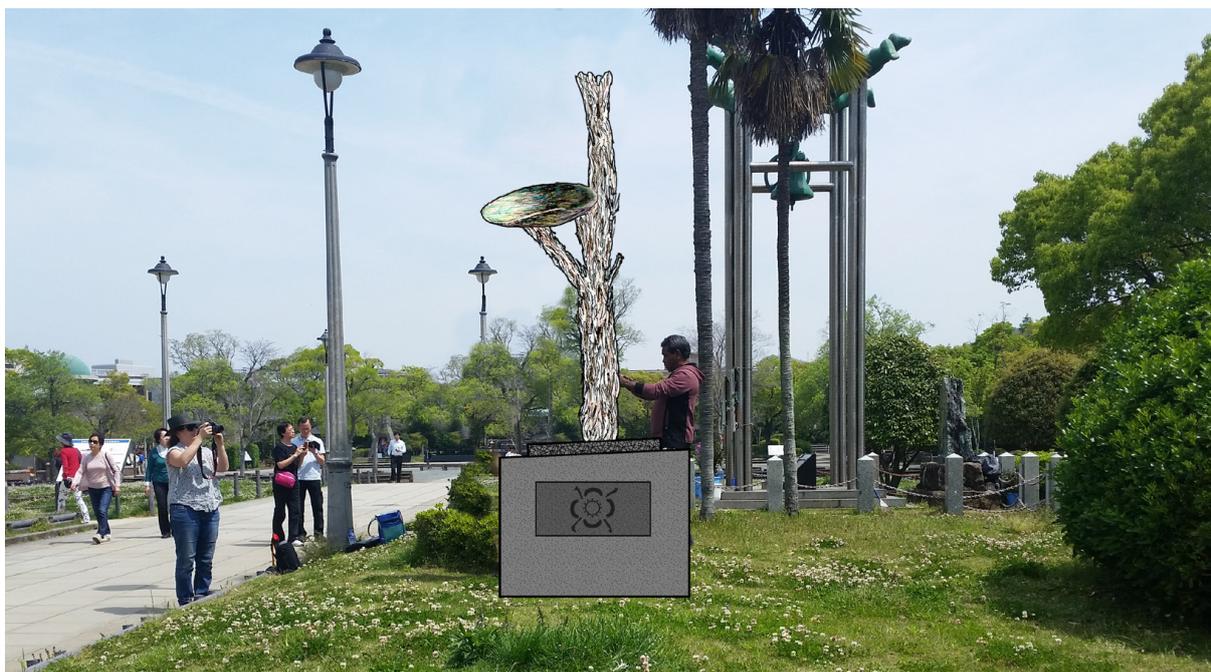
Symbols from the heritage of dot painting



## Experiencing the sculpture: the Plinth and the Tree as a meeting space

The sculpture will evoke a space in which peace is negotiated. The story of a peace negotiation is contained in the friezes, with the tree representing the link between families exchanging gifts and the natural landscape. The piti, as the central motif, represents the gift of peace, with the tree its ultimate donor.

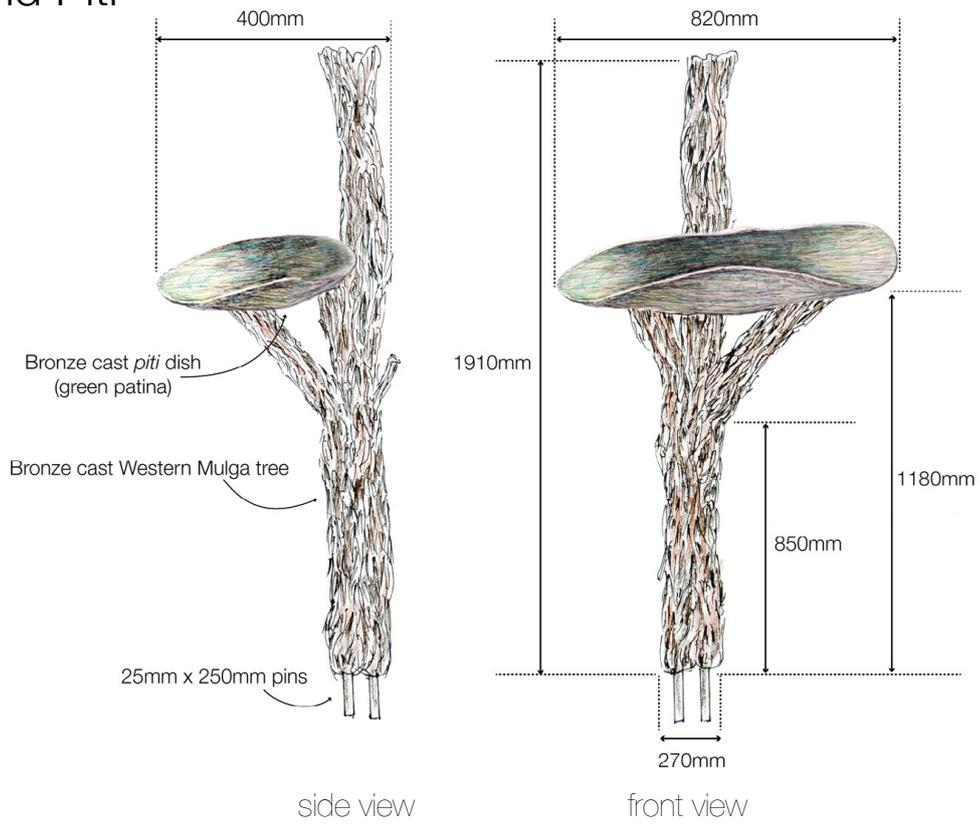
- The plinth will be produced in grey granite, with a top surface that slopes forward, and a capping of dark basalt.
- The front face of the plinth will contain inscriptions. The wording could include “My gift of food and water is my gift of peace.”
- Inscriptions will also include the names of local families who are the descendants of the desert people from the north and north-west of South Australia, who experienced the impacts of atomic tests, and who are the designers and builders of the sculpture.
- The inscriptions will name the gifting city, and contributing partners, and be in three languages: Japanese, English and Pitjantjatjara.



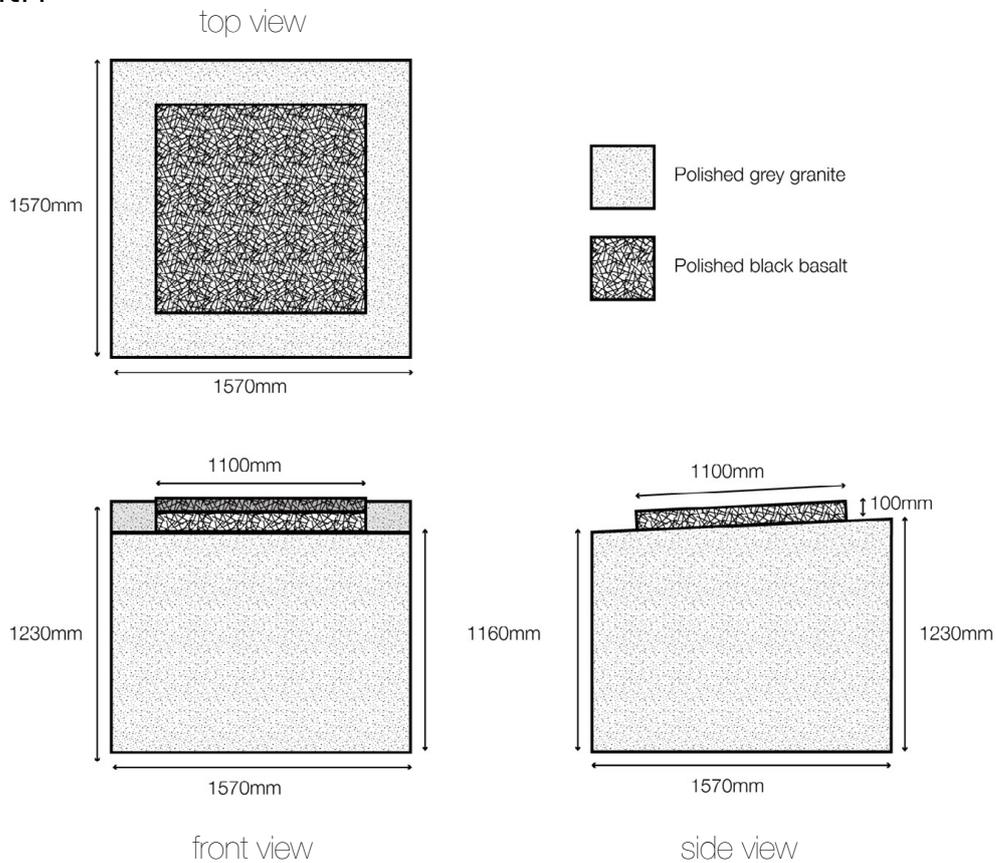
## General Dimensions (see diagrams and sketches for details)

- The bronze dish (the Piti) will be approximately 80 cm in length.
- The tree will stand approximately 1.9 metres above the plinth.
- The plinth will be approximately 1.6 metres squared and 1.2 metres high.

# Tree and Piti



# Plinth





## Production

- The dish, the tree and the friezes will be cast in bronze produced in a South Australian foundry, and transported to Nagasaki.
- The plinth and its surrounding ground work will be constructed on site at Nagasaki.
- The upright bronzed elements of the sculpture (tree and dish) will weigh between 100-150kg. They will be cast in two or three sections and joined; and they will be secured on the plinth using four rods embedded in the sculpture.
- Each of the two friezes (paintings) will be cast in two sections.

## 4. Other information

### Acceptance Standards

- The Yalata sculpture will have local meaning for its own community, and will also be a universal symbol of world peace and love of humanity. The sculpture features symbols and text that convey a message of peace based on the exchange of gifts. The indigenous Australian concept of offering food and water as an expression of peace can be recognized as a universal approach to peace.
- Australia is a United Nations member country with diplomatic relations with Japan.
- The proposed sculpture will be suitable for the Peace Park: consistent with other abstract sculptures.

## "No hindrance" requirements

- For the Nagasaki community, the sculpture's relevance will be in its universal theme and its origin in an Australian indigenous community that is also an atomic survivor community.
- The sculpture will be made with robust materials that have archival properties (bronze and stone) to ensure longevity. The overall structure will be made to engineering specifications and all surfaces will be smoothed to comply with public safety.
- The proposal to donate the sculpture from Yalata community to Nagasaki community is sponsored by Australian Mayors for Peace. The work is gifted from the City of Fremantle, which is the lead city for the Mayors for Peace network in Australia.

## Burden of expense

- Sufficient funds are already confirmed to allow the project to proceed.
- Production costs, and costs of transport to Nagasaki will be paid by the Australian contributors.
- These costs would include: the initial scoping trip to Nagasaki by members of the Yalata sculpture team (already complete); costs of design and construction in Australia and Japan; freight; travel by a delegation of artists and Aboriginal elders; and documentation (film, photography) and promotion of the project.
- The Australia Council for the Arts has already provided partial funding via the Nuclear Futures Partnership Initiative.
- The Yalata Community has already received additional funding from the Australia Council for the Arts.
- The Australian Cultural Fund has endorsed the project, which enables the collection of philanthropic donations.
- The Australian Embassy in Tokyo has agreed to contribute towards the costs of an unveiling ceremony.

Contribution request submitted by:

Brad Pettitt (Mayor, City of Fremantle)

Lead City Mayors for Peace, Australia

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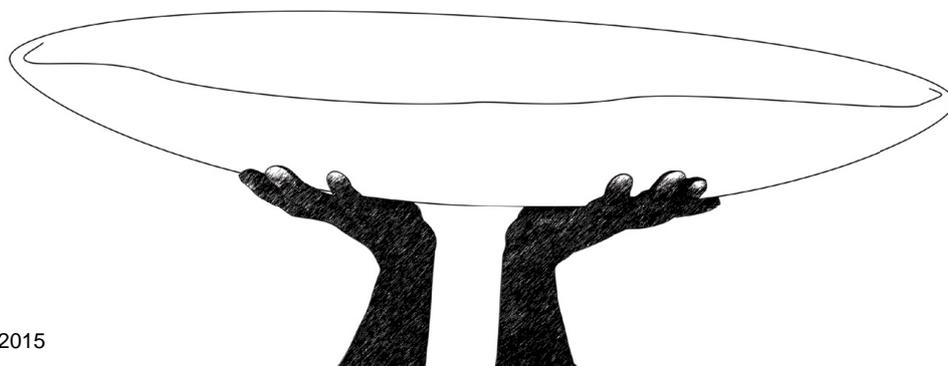
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## GRANTS, DONATIONS &amp; SPONSORSHIP RECOMMENDED ALLOCATIONS BUDGET 2015/2016

| Activity<br>OP 315<br>Natural<br>Acc 6810 | Description   | Allocated<br>2015/2016 | Actual as at<br>September 2015 | Proposed<br>Adjustments<br>2015/2016 | Comments  |
|---|---|------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|
| <b>Donations</b>                          |   |                        |                                |                                      |   |
| <b>Committed/Contractual</b>              |   |                        |                                |                                      |   |
| 9109                                      | Indian Ocean Fireworks Australia Day                | 25,000                 | 0                              | 25,000                               | Annual donation towards the Indian Ocean Fireworks on Australia Day (Co-ownership with City of Fremantle for 3 years as to proposed Sponsorship Agreement)                            |
| 9239                                      | Native ARC  | 87,922                 | 43,961                         | 87,922                               | Donation to Support the annual administration cost of Native ARC (plus CPI 1.4%) as to Council Decision 14 August 2014  |
| 9310                                      | Cockburn Wetlands Education Centre                  | 87,922                 | 43,961                         | 87,922                               | Donation to Support the annual administration cost of the Cockburn Wetlands Education Centre (plus CPI 1.4%) as to Council Decision 14 August 2014                                    |
| 9242                                      | Burdiya Aboriginal Corporation - Rental Costs       | 3,000                  | 0                              | 3,000                                | Donation to cover rental costs at 8 Caffrey Place (internal transfer) two year agreement \$3,000 pa in 2014-15 and 2015-16 as to Council Decision on 14 August 2014                   |
| 9245                                      | Old Jandakot School Management Committee            | 3,000                  | 0                              | 3,000                                | Annual contribution to water and electricity charges (including Portuguese Cultural & Welfare Centre) included in the lease agreement as to Council Decision 8 October 2009           |
| 9317                                      | Pineview Preschool Maintenance Contribution         | 7,618                  | 0                              | 7,618                                | Annual contribution for maintenance of grounds and building (plus CPI 1.4%)   |
| 9322                                      | South Lake Leisure Fee Subsidy                      | 110,000                | 47,101                         | 110,000                              | Subsidised fees for swimming club   |
| 9398                                      | Cockburn Senior Citizens Building Donation          | 9,342                  | 0                              | 9,342                                | Assists with maintenance costs as per agreement (plus CPI 1.4%)   |
| 9559                                      | Cockburn Cricket Club Insurance                     | 1,500                  | 0                              | 1,500                                | Commitment included in the lease agreement (flat fee)   |
| 9574                                      | Spearwood Dalmatinac Club - Rates Reimbursement     | 11,500                 | 11,308                         | 11,308                               | Reimbursement of 50% of the annual rates payable by Spearwood Dalmatinac Club for 41 Azelia Road, Spearwood as to Council Decision on 14 May 2009                                     |
| 8243                                      | Little Green Steps WA Partnership Agreement         | 25,000                 | 0                              | 25,000                               | Two-year partnership agreement with LGS WA, to promote Education for Sustainability in the Early Years, \$25,000+GST pa for 2014-15 and 2015-16 as to Council Decision 14 May 2015    |
| 8805                                      | Spearwood Bowling Club                              | 57,300                 | 0                              | 57,300                               | Request for \$57,300 plus GST (one-third of cost of \$171,900) to resurface bowling green; with donation contingent on \$57,300 Club contribution and \$57,300 successful CSRFF grant |
| 8804                                      | Hamilton Hill Community Group                       | 3,100                  | 3,100                          | 3,100                                | One-off donation of \$3,100 to the HHCG to assist in the production of a film opposing the Roe Highway extensions, as to Council Decision 13 August 2015                              |
| New                                       | Australian Sculpture Gifting to Nagasaki Peace Park | 0                      | 0                              | 2,025                                | Australian Sculpture Gifting to Nagasaki Peace Park and Annual Membership Fee for Mayors for Peace  |
|   | Future Allocations                                  | 63,796                 | 0                              | 61,963                               | (To be allocated throughout the year)   |
|   | <b>Committed/Contractual Sub Total</b>              | <b>496,000</b>         | <b>149,431</b>                 | <b>496,000</b>                       |   |
| <b>Donations to Organisations</b>         |   |                        |                                |                                      |   |
| 9196                                      | Donations to Organisations                          | 210,000                | 0                              | 102,000                              | Remainder of Donations funding allocated for March 2016 funding round   |
| 9196                                      | Cockburn Toy Library                                |                        |                                | 4,000                                | Request for \$4,000 Donation towards their rental expenses, purchasing and maintaining toys   |
| 9196                                      | St Vincent de Paul Society Yangebup Conference      |                        |                                | 5,000                                | Request for \$5,000 Donation towards their ongoing costs  |
| 9196                                      | Cockburn Community and Cultural Council             |                        |                                | 9,000                                | Request for \$9,000 Donation towards their general operating costs  |
| 9196                                      | Meerilinga Young Children's Services                |                        |                                | 10,000                               | Request for \$10,000 Donation towards operations to assist accessibility, support and engagement of community in programs and services  |
| 9196                                      | Returned and Services League - City of Cockburn     |                        |                                | 10,000                               | Request for \$10,000 Donation towards their activities, operating costs and commemorative services  |
| 9196                                      | Yangebup Family Centre                              |                        |                                | 12,000                               | Request for \$12,000 Donation towards operating three creche sessions a week to support crafternoons, PlayClub and community parenting workshops                                      |
| 9196                                      | Cockburn Central YouthCARE Council                  |                        |                                | 13,000                               | Request for \$13,000 Donation towards chaplaincy service at Lakeland SHS  |
| 9196                                      | Coastal Motorcycle Club WA                          |                        |                                | 20,000                               | Request for \$20,000 Donation towards a front loader for the club to grade and maintain the track for training and competitions   |
|   | <b>Donations to Organisations Sub Total</b>         | <b>210,000</b>         | <b>0</b>                       | <b>185,000</b>                       |   |
| <b>Sponsorships</b>                       |   |                        |                                |                                      |   |
| 9197                                      | Sponsorships  | 50,000                 | 0                              | 26,500                               | Remainder of Sponsorship funding allocated for March 2016 funding round   |
| 9197                                      | Individual Sponsorships                             | 5,000                  | 0                              | 5,000                                | Formal Sponsorship program for individuals as per DA ACS2   |
| 9197                                      | Cockburn Masters Swimming Club                      |                        |                                | 10,000                               | Request for \$15,000 Sponsorship for 20th Anniversary Jetty to Jetty Swim at Coogee Beach on 13 March 2016  |
| 9197                                      | Swimming WA   |                        |                                | 0                                    | Request for \$6,000 Sponsorship of Open Water Series 2015-16 Round 5 at Coogee Beach on 5 December 2015   |
| 9197                                      | Jervoise Bay Sailing Club                           |                        |                                | 5,000                                | Request for \$7,000 Sponsorship to purchase new Junior Training Catamaran   |
| 9197                                      | Southern Lions Rugby Union Club                     |                        |                                | 12,500                               | Request for \$20,000 Sponsorship for the 2016 City of Cockburn 7's Rugby Invitation Tournament at Success Regional Sporting Facility on 13 February 2016                              |
| 9197                                      | Cockburn Town Centre Association                    |                        |                                | 10,000                               | Request for \$20,000 Sponsorship for the Central Cockburn Billy Cart Festival 2016 on 20 March 2016   |
| 9197                                      | Mediterranean Cricket League (MCL)                  |                        |                                | 0                                    | Request for \$5,850 Sponsorship of Split Cricket Team in Mediterranean Cricket League Tournament in Split on 2-5 June 2016  |
| 9197                                      | Leukaemia Foundation of Australia                   |                        |                                | 1,000                                | Request for \$3,500 Sponsorship of "Get Your Blood Pumping" Outdoor Fitness Fundraising Event at Bibra Lake on 29 November 2015   |
|   | <b>Sponsorships Sub Total</b>                       | <b>55,000</b>          | <b>0</b>                       | <b>70,000</b>                        |   |
| <b>Grants</b>                             |   |                        |                                |                                      |   |
| 8040                                      | Landowner Biodiversity Conservation Program         | 35,000                 | 0                              | 35,000                               | Financial and natural resource management training support program for Cockburn landowners to conserve the natural bushland and wetland areas on their property                       |
| 9004                                      | Emergency Severe Personal Hardship Fund             | 15,000                 | 672                            | 15,000                               | For one off emergency and disaster situations (revised as per Council Decision 10 February 2011)  |
| 9015                                      | Youth Academic Grants                               | 500                    | 0                              | 500                                  | Assists young people to attend academic programs as per DA ACS11  |
| 9031                                      | Junior Travel Assistance - Sports                   | 45,000                 | 18,000                         | 45,000                               | Assists young people in Cockburn representing WA or Australia in interstate or international team or individual sports by providing assistance for travel to competitions             |
| 9240                                      | Sustainability Grants Program                       | 40,000                 | 2,012                          | 40,000                               | Grants program established in accordance with Council Decision on 13 May 2010   |
| 9241                                      | Len Packham Hall Subsidy (Burdiya)                  | 1,000                  | 0                              | 1,000                                | Subsidy program that will allow indigenous and multicultural Cockburn families to access funds to assist with hall hire costs for hosting funerals, memorials and cultural events     |
| 9312                                      | Community Grants Program                            | 100,000                | 0                              | 100,000                              | Formal grant process for local organisations as per DA ACS2   |
| 9314                                      | Provide Bins Sporting Events                        | 1,000                  | 0                              | 1,000                                | Provide bins to schools for sports carnivals  |
| 9327                                      | Community Associations Hall Hire Subsidy            | 1,500                  | 61                             | 1,500                                | Assists community groups to conduct monthly meetings and events   |
| 9329                                      | Cultural Grants Program                             | 12,500                 | 8,945                          | 20,000                               | Provide small grants to cultural and artistic groups  |
| 9331                                      | Bus Hire Subsidy                                    | 1,000                  | 0                              | 1,000                                | Provides a small allocation towards the bus hire for community organisations  |
| 9335                                      | Grants General Welfare                              | 6,000                  | 1,074                          | 6,000                                | Miscellaneous requests for small donations  |
| 9341                                      | Community Group Newsletter Subsidy                  | 8,000                  | 83                             | 8,000                                | Assists community groups to disseminate information   |
| 9373                                      | Sustainable Events Grants Program                   | 4,000                  | 0                              | 4,000                                | Grants for community organisations to have events that will become financially self sustainable over four years   |
| 9396                                      | U Fund  | 1,000                  | 0                              | 1,000                                | Small grants up to \$600 to youth for cultural/arts initiatives and events  |
| 9399                                      | Youth Arts Scholarships                             | 4,000                  | 0                              | 5,000                                | Assist young people to travel in order to participate in performing/arts events and also for further study  |
| 9475                                      | Alcoa Cockburn Community Projects Fund              | 10,000                 | 3,680                          | 10,000                               | A partnership fund with Alcoa delivering community-driven projects (allocation doesn't include Alcoa funds carried forward, only CoC funds)   |
| 9490                                      | Environmental Education Initiatives Program         | 15,000                 | 12,000                         | 15,000                               | Support for Environmental Services to assist schools to facilitate environmental education  |
| 9517                                      | Cockburn Community Group Volunteer Insurance        | 8,000                  | 0                              | 8,500                                | Cockburn Community Group Insurance Program  |
| 9535                                      | Council Match Staff Donation                        | 4,000                  | 1,120                          | 4,000                                | Council to match staff fund raising effort  |
| 9596                                      | SLLC Subsidy for Emergency Services Volunteers      | 500                    | 0                              | 500                                  | South Lake Leisure Centre gym subsidy for Jandakot BFB, South Coogee BFB and SES volunteers   |
| 9649                                      | Safety House/Walk to School Program                 | 500                    | 0                              | 500                                  | Support to schools for safety programs for children getting to school and to attend Safety House shows in Safety House month  |
| 9673                                      | Sport and Recreation Club Grant                     | 45,000                 | 0                              | 45,000                               | Grants matched by local sporting clubs for minor capital works on Council owned facilities and sporting equipment   |
| 9674                                      | Grants to Schools                                   | 6,000                  | 2,690                          | 6,000                                | For small donations to schools for minor items as per DA ACS7   |
| 9688                                      | Security Subsidy for Seniors                        | 30,000                 | 4,291                          | 30,000                               | Subsidy for security devices for seniors  |
| 9495                                      | Donation and Grants General Account                 | 44,500                 | 0                              | 45,500                               | (Remainder of grant allocations, to be allocated based on expenditure throughout the year)  |
|   | <b>Grants Programs Sub Total</b>                    | <b>439,000</b>         | <b>54,628</b>                  | <b>449,000</b>                       |   |
|   | <b>Totals</b>                                       | <b>1,200,000</b>       | <b>204,059</b>                 | <b>1,200,000</b>                     |   |
|   | <b>Budget</b>                                       | <b>1,200,000</b>       |                                | <b>1,200,000</b>                     |   |
|   | <b>Balance</b>                                      | <b>0</b>               |                                | <b>0</b>                             |   |