

18 July 2017

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Dear Mary

### Community Consultation Funding

Council has allowed a sum of money in its 2017/2018 operating budget for the purposes of providing funding assistance to ratepayer and community associations within our district.

Council's Community Grants Subcommittee will be considering applications for funding at its scheduled meeting on 31 August 2017.

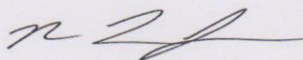
Should your organisation wish to avail itself of funding from this source for the 2017/2018 year, please do so by 7 August. Please provide detailed information as to the level of funding you seek and the purposes for which it is intended to be used. The criteria against which applications will be considered are:

- organisations must be formally constituted as an incorporated society;
- organisations must operate in wards where there is no community board;
- the office bearers of organisations must be publicly elected through a process approved by Council and they must hold regular (at least quarterly) publicly advertised meetings in the ward;
- they must have Council related matters as their primary function;
- they must carry out liaison and advocacy with Council.

In considering any application from your organisation for funding for the 2017/2018 year, the Community Grants Subcommittee would also like to receive details on how money previously granted by Council has been utilised, the current financial state of your organisation, details of membership, details of major community projects and any significant changes to your organisation that may have occurred within the past 12 months. If you have not already done so please ensure your 2016 accountability form is returned prior to or with this application.

Should you have any queries on any community consultation related issues, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely



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