

ADMINISTRATOR'S MINUTE

1 May 2017

Minute Number: 25

Donations

Council, on a regular basis receives requests from charities, and not for profit and other organisations for financial support. Many of these requests are for relatively small amounts, i.e. under \$1000.

Many of these requests were supported by the former Hurstville and Kogarah City Councils and can include the purchase of tickets to fundraising events. Rather than report to Council on each request which should be supported, it is proposed to provide a delegation to the Administrator and General Manager together to determine whether to support a request.

Council can financially assist organisations under section 356 of the Local Government Act. and public notice is not required if the financial assistance is part of a specific program, included in the Council's draft operational plan and the budget does not exceed 5 percent of the Council's rate levy.

A balance of \$59,000 sits in the Donations account 40.4600.100.64610

MOTION:

1. That the Administrator and General Manager together, be delegated authority to approve under sec 356 of the Local Government Act donations up to the total amount of \$30,000 to 25th September 2017.

John Rayner PSM
Administrator