

## LATE ADDENDUM REPORT

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### MAYORAL MINUTE

a1 [MM-CM] Mayoral Minute - Floodplain Management Australia National Conference 16-19 May 2017

SUBMITTED BY: Cr K Milne, Mayor

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### Civic Leadership

#### LINKAGE TO INTEGRATED PLANNING AND REPORTING FRAMEWORK:

- 1 Civic Leadership
  - 1.2 Improve decision making by engaging stakeholders and taking into account community input
  - 1.2.2 Decisions made relating to the allocation of priorities will be in the long-term interests of the community
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### Councillors

This report is provided for the information of Councillors following late advice of the Floodplain Management Conference and with the expiration of early bird registration prior to the next available Council meeting.

It is also noted that there is a Council meeting scheduled for Thursday 18 May 2017.

#### **Information on Conferences to be held**

- 16-19 May Floodplain Management Australia National Conference - Newcastle

The theme for this year's conference is "Preparing for the Next Great Flood", which looks at applying lessons from past floods and overcoming the challenges to helping our communities avoid future disasters.

Early bird registration \$925, two flights, four nights accommodation.

<http://floodplainconference.com/>

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### COUNCIL IMPLICATIONS:

**a. Policy:**

Code of Meeting Practice Version 2.5.

**b. Budget/Long Term Financial Plan:**

Appropriate expenditure is allowed for attendance by Councillors at nominated conferences, training sessions and workshops.

**c. Legal:**

Not applicable.

**d. Communication/Engagement:**

**Inform** - We will keep you informed.

### RECOMMENDATION:

**That the attendance of Councillors be authorised at the Floodplain Management Australia National Conference to be held in Newcastle on 16-19 May 2017.**

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### UNDER SEPARATE COVER/FURTHER INFORMATION:

Nil.

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