

Council Reference: Gallery DownTown



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Mr Warren Polglase
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Dear Warren

Gallery DownTown Annex

Council resolved to delegate for me as General Manager to enter into negotiations for a potential 12 month lease to establish the "Gallery DownTown" at the Murwillumbah Arts Precinct Regional Gallery CBD as a further action following the study jointly funded by Tweed Shire Council and the Foundation on the value of the Tweed Regional Gallery to the broader economy.

A report is being prepared for the March Council meeting seeking to formalise support of the Gallery DownTown for a trial period of 12 months. Costings prepared by Susi Muddiman, Art Gallery Director as to the project is estimated at \$84 719 for the 12 month period. Council is able to fund \$70 000 of this figure from the Economic Development budget.

I am writing to seek Foundation support to meet the shortfall of \$15 000 and possibly up to \$30 000 should the estimated income targets not be met.

I consider the support of the Foundation to be critical as to the success of the trial and hope you see fit to offer the support I have requested.

Yours faithfully

Troy Green
GENERAL MANAGER



Tweed Regional Gallery
Foundation Ltd

17 March 2018

Mr Troy Green
General Manager
PO Box 816
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Dear Troy
Gallery Down Town

The Tweed Regional Galley Foundation Ltd Board acknowledges the Tweed Shire Council vision for the Arts to further expand Arts through the project Gallery Down Town. This is a great imitative and demonstrates to our community Council commitment to create opportunities to up and coming artists

The Foundation is totally supportive of this concept and will offer whatever support we can to further enhance this vision as our Board is totally committed to growing an art precinct within the Tweed Shire.

As per your request for financial support I advise that the Foundation is unable to provide any funds as requested. Our commitment is to acquire pieces of art to enhance the Tweed Regional Gallery & Margaret Olley Art Centre collection which we have done on many occasions and will continue to support in this manner.

The Foundation goal is to one day have one of the best Regional Galleries in Australia. Please feel free to contact us for any support that you may consider we can contribute to.

Kind Regards

Warren Polglase
President

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From: Troy Green

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To: 'Warren Polglase'

Cc: Neil Baldwin; Kym Kranen; Richard Adams; Susi Muddiman

Subject: RE: Reply to Eletter to Tweed Regional Gallery re Gallery DownTown trial.pdf

Thanks Warren - I will table with Councillors tomorrow night.

NOTE

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Subject: Action taken

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Letter tabled at Council meeting of 22 March 2018.