From: Gabby Arthur [gabbya@tweed.nsw.gov.au] Sent: Monday, 10 December 2007 1:35:33 PM

To: Cathey Philip

Subject: FW: Community Hall Hire Kingscliff

From: Gary Corbett

Sent: Sunday, 9 December 2007 9:47 AM

To: Gabby Arthur

Subject: RE: Community Hall Hire Kingscliff

Please put this into dataworks and include in the next waiver of fees report Please issue a letter re the receipt of the email Waive first hour charge Charge \$21 per hour Gary

From: Gabby Arthur

Sent: Friday, 7 December 2007 4:36 PM

To: Gary Corbett

Subject: FW: Community Hall Hire Kingscliff

From: Vic Basten [mailto:vgbasten@bigpond.com] Sent: Saturday, 8 December 2007 10:34 PM

To: Gabby Arthur

Subject: Community Hall Hire Kingscliff

Dear Mr Corbett.

I am writing to ask if Council could reduce the cost of the Community Hall hire at Kingscliff. I am a Tai Chi instructor, with the "Australian Academy of Tai Chi". I have recently moved from Newcastle, NSW. to Pottsville, where I have been running a class at the "Pottsville Community Hall" (hall hire \$10.00 per hour) In Newcastle, the hall hire at the "Belmont Neighbourhood Centre" was \$13.00 per hour.

Tai Chi is a wonderful exercise, especially for seniors, It helps in the treatment of Diabetes, Arthritis and also in preventing falls in the elderly. I would very much like to bring Tai Chi to Kingscliff, but I'm afraid that \$25.00 per hour for the hall hire will prohibit me from doing so. Our fees to the student are only \$80.00 for a ten week term, that's \$8.00 per hour. so at \$25.00 per hour, it would take the first three students to pay for the hall hire and the next two students to pay for the insurance, sometimes we start with a class of 12 and it dwindles down to 6. I would require the hall for ten weeks four time a year, the first term for one hour, the second term for two hours when we start a new beginners class. If the interest continues to grow, more hours may be required in the future.

I can offer up to \$15.00 per hour, which at forty weeks, (with two hours a week from the second term) would return \$1050.00.

I understand from the manager at the Caravan Park that the hall is hardly used. Would you kindly put my proposal to council at the meeting next week. I would really appreciate your prompt reply as I need to print posters and flyers to let the people of Kingscliff know if Tai Chi is going to be available to them.

Yours Sincerely

Vic Basten