

JACK EVANS BOATHARBOUR RESERVE TRUST AGENDA



Tweed Shire Council

24 November 2006

Dear

NOTICE IS GIVEN that a Meeting of the Jack Evans Boatharbour Reserve Trust will be held at the Council Chamber, Murwillumbah Civic and Cultural Centre on Tuesday 28 November 2006, commencing at **4.15PM**.

Submitted,



Mr Mike Rayner
General Manager/Executive Manager

AGENDA

1. Confirmation of Minutes
2. Apologies
3. Disclosure of Interest
4. Items to be Moved from Ordinary to Confidential - Confidential to Ordinary
5. Administrators' Minute
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7. Reports through the Executive Manager of the Trust/General Manager
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REPORTS THROUGH THE GENERAL MANAGER

1 [JEBH] Australian Tourism Export Council Symposium – Use of Chris Cunningham Park

ORIGIN:

Business and Economic Development

SUMMARY OF REPORT:

The 2007 Australian Tourism Export Council's (ATEC) Symposium is proposed to be held from 16 – 22 April at Tweed Heads and will attract approximately 650 delegates. This event is sponsored by Tourism NSW and will draw Australia's tourism leaders.

Tweed and Coolangatta Tourism Inc. has requested the Trust provide *Owners Consent* to a Development Application for the temporary erection of a marquee as a venue for the Symposium.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Trust authorises *Owners Consent* for a Development Application by Tweed and Coolangatta Tourism Inc for the use of Chris Cunningham Park for the erection of a marquee as a venue for the duration of the Australian Tourism Export Council Symposium 2007.

REPORT:

The Tweed has been successful in winning the right to host the 2007 Australian Tourism Export Council's (ATEC) Symposium which is to be held from 16 – 22 April. It is anticipated to attract approximately 650 delegates and generate considerable economic activity for the Tweed and Tweed Heads in particular. This event is sponsored by Tourism NSW and will attract Australia's tourism leaders.

It is the first time that an emerging tourist destination has been chosen to host an event and represents a unique opportunity to showcase the Tweed and its surrounding region. There is no question of the importance of this event in helping the tourism industry in the Tweed to grow and mature.

Tweed and Coolangatta Tourism Inc (TACTIC) has played a critical role in securing this event for the Tweed and are currently assisting the Symposium organisers in arranging event and venue details.

The Symposium organisers wish to conduct some of the events, such as workshops, lunches and dinners, in a large marquee (approximately 20m x 45m) located in Chris Cunningham Park. Due to the size and potential impact on a public space it is necessary for a Development Application (DA) to be lodged for the erection of the marquee.

Tweed Shire Council as Trustee for Chris Cunningham Park is required to provide *Owners Consent* before a DA can be lodged.

In accordance with the Crown Lands Act any DA lodged for Crown Lands must be submitted to the Department of Lands for consideration and comment. If a response is not received from the Department within 10 working days their endorsement of the proposed development is assumed.

This report recommends that the Trust provide *Owners Consent* to DA prepared by TACTIC for the erection of a marquee within Chris Cunningham Park for the duration of the Symposium.

LEGAL/RESOURCE/FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:

Nil.

POLICY IMPLICATIONS:

Nil.

UNDER SEPARATE COVER:

Nil.
