

Leichhardt Municipal Council



AGENDA

ORDINARY MEETING

19 OCTOBER 2010

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT
TO ITEM 7

LEICHHARDT MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

ORDINARY MEETING OF COUNCIL

ATTACHED IS A SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT TO ITEM 7 (WHICH INCLUDES ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND A NEW RECOMMENDATION TO THAT WHICH WAS PROVIDED IN THE MAIN BUSINESS PAPER) TO BE CONSIDERED AT THE **ORDINARY MEETING** OF THE LEICHHARDT MUNICIPAL COUNCIL TO BE HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, LEICHHARDT TOWN HALL, 107 NORTON STREET, LEICHHARDT, ON **TUESDAY 19 OCTOBER 2010**.

Peter Head
GENERAL MANAGER

18 OCTOBER 2010

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LEICHHARDT MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

REPORT

DIVISION: GENERAL MANAGER

SUBJECT: FRIENDS OF MALIANA – REPORT ON RECENT VISIT

AUTHOR & TITLE: ANGELA LEMME – MEDIA & COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER

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DIRECTOR'S SUMMARY - ORGANISATIONAL IMPLICATIONS

Financial Implications: \$15,500 allocated in East Timor contributions budget for 2009-10 financial year. Also, a previous commitment to underwrite refurbishment of Ginasio in Maliana up to \$50,000, now to be diverted to other community projects as outlined in the report.

Policy Implications: Nil

Strategic Plan Objective: Community Well being

Staffing Implications: Ongoing support from Media & Communications Coordinator

Notifications: Nil

Other Implications: Nil

1. Purpose of Report

To report on the August 2010 mission to Timor Leste by Maire Sheehan on behalf of the Friends of Maliana.

2. Recommendations

1. Council reimburse Maire Sheehan for travel related costs in Timor Leste up to \$US 1,450 at the exchange rate at the time of incurring costs.
2. Council employ Jose da Araujo as an East Timor based Liaison Officer for approximately 2 days per month at a salary of \$40 US/day including expenses to monitor and report on the progress of FOM funded activities and assist with resolving any technical or other issues that may arise in these projects.
3. Council notes the principles and membership of the community Advisory committee to the community learning centre.
4. Council receives and notes the letter form the Mayor to the Prime Minister of Timor Leste.
5. Council receives and notes the Memorandum of Understanding for the works to be undertaken by Emergency Architects Australia at the Malibaca Yamato School.
6. Council receives and notes that our project partner Blackwattle Campus of Sydney Secondary College will be bringing a group of students to Maliana in March/April 2011 in conjunction with a visit by FOM.
7. Council allocates up to US\$3,000 to repairing 4 toilets at the Biblioteca, bringing them up to functional standards, repairing a box gutter/ roof and providing water.
8. Council allocate up to US\$16,000 for toilets at the Malibaca Yamoto School, requiring a 300 metre water culvert, septic tank and water storage tank and enter into discussion with the Friendship Committee Maliana on providing a salary for a cleaner for the toilets at the school.
9. Council receive and note the work in progress on the strategic plan.

3. Background

In August 2010, Maire Sheehan visited East Timor with the following objectives:

- Ensure smooth placement for the Australian Volunteer International volunteer Gail Clifford, setting out achievable project objectives for her stay.
- Clarify the situation regarding the rehabilitation of the Ginasio in Maliana.
- Clarify proposals for water and sanitation in the senior high school Malibaca Yamato as well as sanitation and building repairs at the Biblioteca.
- Clarify interest in a master plan for the senior high school Malibaca Yamator.
- Clarify priorities for repairs to the CVTL (Red Cross) building in Maliana on behalf of the Friends of Maliana consortium member Emergency Architects Australia (EAA).
- Visit the Ministry of State Administration to brief the Ministry on the Friend's visit and project - specifically the rehabilitation of the Ginasio in Maliana.
- Research and discuss future proposals and emerging issues.

4. Report

Maire Sheehan has prepared a report attached outlining the objectives and outcomes of the recent mission.