

# 10 PLACES OF SIGNIFICANCE IN THE CITY OF RYDE WITH CONNECTION TO DHARUG PEOPLE AND COUNTRY - Councillor Peter Kim

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# MOTION:

(a) That Council establish a Working Group to develop a Project Brief for an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Project. The aim of the project is to share the City of Ryde's rich Aboriginal history and the heritage of Darug Country, their ancestors and people.

Specific elements of the project to be considered should include:

- The development of a detailed inventory of Aboriginal heritage items in the City of Ryde including a review of associated protection measures required.
- Cultural sensitivities and opportunities to raise awareness of Darug culture in relation to Darug people, country and their ancestors.
- Photographic recording of those sites appropriate for sharing to the wider community.
- Development of associated materials including background information and associated storytelling. This would highlight appropriate Aboriginal heritage sites in Ryde as well as the broader Darug history of the area (both digital and/or other materials).
- (b) That Council invite the Darug Tribal Aboriginal Corporation Board of Directors to lead a working group which will report back to DTAC and will assist in the development and delivery of the project.
- (c) That the working group be Chaired by Councillor Kim and consist of nominated representatives of the Darug Tribal Aboriginal Corporation, interested Councillors, interested members of Council's Heritage Advisory Committee.
- (d) That the recommendations of the working group, detailing the proposed scope and cost of an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Project, be reported to the Heritage Advisory Committee before formal report is provided to Council.

# **ATTACHMENTS**

1 Letter to Dr Peter Kim from the Darug Tribal Aboriginal Corporation dated 24 February 2018



# **NOTICE OF MOTION 10 (continued)**

# **ATTACHMENT 1**

To Protect and Preserve Darug Places and Sites | To Promote and Educate the wider community about Darug Heritage and Culture

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24 February 2018

### Support Letter

Dear Dr. Peter Kim,

The Board of DTAC would like to thank you for your attendance at our Board meeting on Saturday 24 February 2018, to discuss a potential partnership with DTAC, to preserve and promote the traditional DARUG sites in your council area.

The Board is pleased to offer, in principal, commitment to pursuing this partnership, with the following cavoites:

- The Intellectual Property of the Darug people's is protected through written agreement with DTAC prior to commencement of any activity
- 2. Access of all potential Sites to be reviewed and approved by DTAC prior to any public notification
- The partnership to ensure final approvals for any/all actions in relation to IP of site and/or any public disclosure or publications will be cleared by DTAC.

We understand that you will take this proposal to council for approval, and will provide to us the names of the members of the Heritage Committee as soon as you are able.

We thank you for your interest and commitment to the preservation of our culture and look forward to a long and beneficial relationship.

Kind Regards

Board of Directors,

Julie Jones Corina Mar

Co-Chair Secretary/ORIC Contact Person

For and on Behalf of the Board of Darug Tribal Aboriginal Corporation

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