

Sunshine Coast Heritage Reference Group

Information and Nomination Package



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Information

The Sunshine Coast Cultural Heritage Reference Group will provide strategic advice on preserving and accessing cultural heritage in the Sunshine Coast region and work to:

- Raise the profile of cultural heritage in the region
- Contribute to a shared vision for cultural heritage that is inclusive, relevant, and innovative
- Support the development of a regional network of individuals, organisations and museums in the heritage sector
- Identify partners and opportunities to preserve, access, and enhance cultural heritage across the region
- Assist in forming strategic priorities for expenditure of the Cultural Heritage Levy

Nominations

Nominations are to include a current curriculum vitae and brief (maximum 200 words each) response to the following selection criteria:

- Briefly outline your interest in cultural heritage on the Sunshine Coast.
- Explain how you would contribute to the Reference Group to achieve its aims and objectives.

Nominations to be received by
Friday 13 March 2015, 5pm.

Via Email:
culturalheritage@sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au

OR

Via Post:
Cultural Heritage Services
Sunshine Coast Council
Locked Bag 72
Sunshine Coast Mail Centre QLD 4560

Successful applicants will be notified by 4th May, 2015.

Meetings

SCHRG meets quarterly, with attendance at additional workshops requested on an occasional basis.

Operations

Chairperson of the Community Programs portfolio, Councillor Jenny McKay chairs the Sunshine Coast Cultural Heritage Reference Group.

Membership will consist of ten individuals appointed for two years with an option to stand aside after twelve months.

Select Council staff will also participate in meetings as required.

For further information please contact:

Learning and Heritage Services
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Expression of Interest

The Sunshine Coast Council is seeking expressions of interest from nominees for positions on the Sunshine Coast Cultural Heritage Reference Group.

Background and Overview

Nominations are invited for membership of the Sunshine Coast Cultural Heritage Reference Group.

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The Reference Group will consist of representatives of council, community, traditional cultural groups, heritage associations and historical societies as well as representation from business and tourism groups. Community Programs Portfolio chairperson will chair the Sunshine Coast Cultural Heritage Reference Group.

This important voluntary position is for two years, with an option to stand down after twelve months. Interested individuals should have a demonstrated commitment to cultural heritage and an ability to contribute to the identification of needs and opportunities for the region's cultural heritage. Experience in the heritage sector, business, tourism or marketing would be well regarded.

A nomination package including information regarding the role of the Reference Group and

selection criteria can be obtained by emailing culturalheritage@sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au.

Applications to be received by:
Friday 13 March 2015, 5pm.

Sunshine Coast Council thanks you for your interest and invites your submission for this Expression of Interest.



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