



City of **HOBART**

Memorandum: Lord Mayor
Deputy Lord Mayor
Elected Members

Response to Question Without Notice
EVENT ATTENDANCE BY THE LORD MAYOR AND/OR DELEGATE

Meeting: Finance and Governance Committee Meeting date: 18 February 2020

Raised by: Alderman Behrakis

Question:

Could the General Manger please advise how many events, functions or openings the Lord Mayor has received an invitation to for the period from November 2018 to October 2019?

How many of these events were accepted and attended by the Lord Mayor?

How many of these events were delegated and to whom were they delegated to?

Response:

548 invitations were received via the Office of the Lord Mayor during the period November 2018 to October 2019. This number includes a range of generic flyers, invitations and events held around Tasmania or Australia and events that clash with Council or Committee Meetings or other significant Council events.

The Lord Mayor accepted to represent the Council at 188 events/functions/openings.

113 other opportunities to represent the Council were delegated by the Lord Mayor among the other 11 elected members with the opportunity offered to the Deputy Lord Mayor in the first instance.

As signatory to this report, I certify that, pursuant to Section 55(1) of the Local Government Act 1993, I hold no interest, as referred to in Section 49 of the Local Government Act 1993, in matters contained in this report.

N D Heath
GENERAL MANAGER

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