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September 2017
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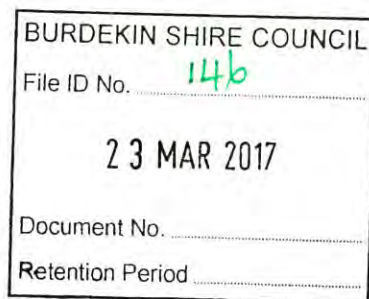


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14 March 2017



Councillor Lyn McLaughlin  
Mayor  
Burdekin Shire Council  
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My dear Mayor

I am writing to formally invite you or your nominated representative to join me at the 2017 Asia Pacific Cities Summit (APCS) & Mayors' Forum in Daejeon, South Korea, from 10-13 September.

The 2017APCS will transform Daejeon into a global meeting place for the Asia Pacific region. Key decision makers, government and business leaders, and industry experts will converge in one place over four days to share their knowledge and experience, build new connections and strengthen existing ties under the theme of 'Shaping the Future of the Asia Pacific'.

Prominent speakers who have been announced include:

- Ms Cherie Blair, Founder of the Cherie Blair Foundation for Women
- Mr Jared Cohen, President of Jigsaw
- Mr Thomas Frey, Senior Futurist at the DaVinci Institute.

The 2017APCS will feature the esteemed Mayors' Forum which will enable you to meet Mayors from around the world and together, share insights and drive the Asia Pacific regional dialogue. Key components of the 2017APCS also include the Meet@APCS Business Program and APCS Market Square - an exhibition and networking hub, further enhancing the platform for you to enhance connections and economic outcomes for your city.

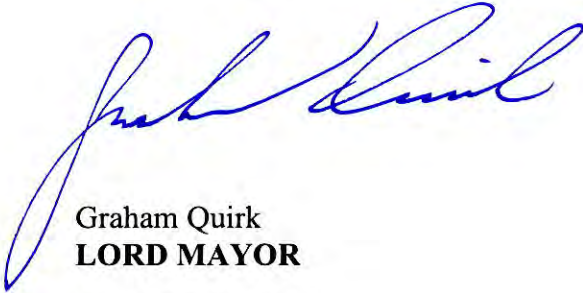
I would encourage you to maximise this unique opportunity and to also consider leading a business and young professionals' delegation from your city focused on furthering their connections and trade and investment links with the Asia Pacific region and beyond.

My International Relations team will contact your office shortly with further information about the 2017APCS including registration details, and I have enclosed a 2017APCS brochure for your information. You may also contact our dedicated APCS Project Manager, Ms Sara Smart, by email at [sara.smart@brisbane.qld.gov.au](mailto:sara.smart@brisbane.qld.gov.au) or phone (07) 3178 9626.

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I sincerely hope that you and your colleagues can join me and be part of a strong Australian delegation at the 2017APCS in Daejeon and together we can help drive the Asia Pacific regional dialogue.

Yours sincerely



Graham Quirk  
**LORD MAYOR**

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# 2017 ASIA PACIFIC CITIES SUMMIT & MAYORS' FORUM

Daejeon, Korea  
10-13 September



[www.apcsummit2017.org](http://www.apcsummit2017.org)

## REGISTRATION FEES

	Early-Registration (31 May, 2017)	Standard Registration (1 June-26 August, 2017)	Onsite Registration (27 August, 2017)
Full-time Delegate	USD 635	USD 775	USD 910
Full-time Mayor/Deputy Mayor/Governor	USD 455	USD 590	USD 730
Young Professional *Available for ages between 18 to 30		USD 230	
Full-time Group Registration *30% discount for 5 delegates from a single organization.	USD 2,230	USD 2,705	USD 3,185
Day-only Delegate *Available on 11 to 12 September 2017	USD 275	USD 365	USD 455
Additional Fee	Welcome Reception(10 September)	USD 55	
	Gala Dinner(12 September)	USD 75	
APCS MARKET SQUARE(Exhibition)		Shell Scheme Booth : USD 3,000 / Space only Booth : USD 2,000	

\* Welcome Reception & Gala Dinner Tickets are included in Full-time and YP registration.



## OVERVIEW

<b>TITLE</b>	2017 Asia Pacific Cities Summit & Mayors' Forum
<b>DATE</b>	10 - 13 September, 2017
<b>VENUE</b>	Daejeon, Republic of Korea
<b>NO. OF DELEGATES</b>	1,500 delegates from over 100 cities
<b>HOSTED BY</b>	  
<b>THEME</b>	Shaping the Future of the Asia Pacific
<b>SUB THEME</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Innovating Cities through Science and Technology</li> <li>Revitalizing Cities through Vibrant Business Activities</li> <li>Achieving Sustainable City Solutions</li> <li>Recreating Cities through Art and Culture</li> </ul>

## PROGRAM

Keynote Presentations, Plenary Sessions, Concurrent Sessions



Mayors' Forum  
Young Professionals' Forum



APCS Market Square  
Business Meetings



Welcome Reception  
Gala Dinner, Social Events



## KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



**Cherie Blair, CBE, QC**  
Founder of the Cherie Blair Foundation for Women  
Monday 11 September



**Jared Cohen**  
President of Jigsaw  
Tuesday 12 September



**Thomas Frey**  
Senior Futurist at the DaVinci Institute  
Wednesday 13 September

## APCS HISTORY

**No. of Cities**



**No. of Delegates**



**No. of Mayors**





# Andrew Powell MP

## MEMBER FOR GLASS HOUSE



Cr Lyn McLaughlin  
Mayor  
Burdekin Shire Council  
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Dear Cr McLaughlin

*Lyn*

Queenslanders are resilient people and we are used to experiencing more than our fair share of natural disasters each and every year.

While my heart goes out to those who have lost so much, I want to applaud the Burdekin Shire Council on your recovery efforts in the wake of Tropical Cyclone Debbie and the associated flooding this storm has caused.

Restoring essential services, clearing debris and reopening roads are critical to communities getting back on their feet and council officers should be proud of their swift response.

I acknowledge the Australian Government has activated the Natural Disaster Relief and Recovery Arrangements (NDRRA). This assistance should help individuals with emergency needs as well as assisting local and state government in restoring damaged public infrastructure.

The Liberal National Opposition has been in contact with Federal Justice Minister Keenan's office to ensure the Federal Government is aware how critical NDRRA funding is to local councils across the state and the magnitude of the construction task ahead.

In a spirit of bipartisanship, the Premier and Opposition Leader Tim Nicholls have recently travelled to disaster ravaged areas of the state and our Shadow Ministry Team have been lending their assistance where requested.

If the Liberal National Opposition team can be of any assistance to you, your council or your constituents, please do not hesitate to ask.

Kind regards,

*Andrew Powell*

**Andrew Powell MP**  
Member for Glass House  
Shadow Minister for Local Government  
Shadow Minister for Transport and Main Roads

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# Circular

## Expressions of Interest: Join the Queensland Settlement Planning and Outcomes Committee

### For Information

**Circular:** 2017-07  
**Release Date:** Friday, 7 April 2017  
**Authorised by:** Greg Hallam PSM Chief Executive Officer

The Honourable, the Minister for Employment and Industrial Relations, Minister for Racing and Minister for Multicultural Affairs, Grace Grace MP, has written to the LGAQ seeking a local government representative to join the Queensland Settlement Planning and Outcomes Committee (QSPOC).

The QSPOC was established to provide a formal mechanism for the three tiers of government to plan and coordinate the best possible settlement outcomes for migrants and refugees in Queensland.

With high-level representation from both the Queensland Government and Australian Government, the LGAQ is seeking expressions of interest from councils to represent Queensland local government.

It is suggested the QSPOC will meet twice a year. Please see the attached [draft Terms of Reference](#). To nominate for this position, or for further information please contact Mr Joshua O'Keefe, Team Leader – Intergovernmental Relations on 1300 542 700 or [Joshua\\_OKeefe@lgaq.asn.au](mailto:Joshua_OKeefe@lgaq.asn.au).

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From: haftgroup12@gmail.com [<mailto:haftgroup12@gmail.com>]  
Sent: Wednesday, 12 April 2017 2:04 PM  
To: Email Registration  
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Good Day

I am the founder of a new group called Helping Australian Farmers and Travellers Ltd. ACN:615009946.

For more information about us please visit our website.

[www.helpingaft.org](http://www.helpingaft.org)

We have started a GoFundMe campaign to raise funds to start our first project as below.

Our Objectives

Counsellors Project:

We will put a team of 7 trained counsellors in Drought affected areas. We will be looking for farmers that are at breaking point due to the stress of drought on their farm. We could also save the life of a farmer that is under so much stress that the farmer could take their own life as so many have done all over Australia in the past few years. If we only save one farmer the whole project has worked.

We understand that farmers will resist talking to a counsellor that just turns up at their farm. But we are being proactive with doing this instead of being just another group sitting in an office waiting for a phone call that a farmer is unlikely to ever make. With the counsellor being right there in front of them we hope this will trigger their willingness to start the conversation then we are able to take it from there. We believe we will have a much better chance of getting the farmer to talk to us this way.

When a farmer has been identified as being in need of stress counselling phone appointments will be set up so counsellors from our office can keep in touch with them and give them the help they require on an ongoing basis until we are satisfied that the farmer is able to handle the stress they are under. Then we will keep in contact on a less regular basis just to make sure the farmer is doing OK.

But the counsellor that visits the farmer will also identify those farmers that are in need of our other projects and get all the farmers registered on our property database.

Would you be able to ask the Councillors to support this fundraising campaign.  
Also add the information to your website for the information of all your residents in your council area.

This is the link to the campaign below.

<https://www.gofundme.com/save-the-life-of-a-farmer>

Thank you for your help.



Regards  
Wayne McFarlane  
Company Secretary

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The Burdekin Shire Council

To whom it may concern

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Dear Sir / Madam

Some time ago I was having trouble with the water in the gutter not running off + then causing putrid smells + slippery conditions. Your office staff then took particulars + had your staff look at the problem + I'm glad to say the problem is no more. - Thanks

Yours faithfully



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# Giru Bowls and Recreation Club Inc.

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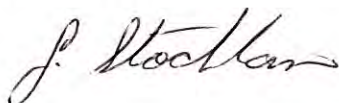
Dear Lyn

The Giru Bowls Club is celebrating its 50<sup>th</sup> Birthday on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2017 and our club is extending a special invitation to you.

The day will consist of mixed fours bowls starting at 9.30am and we invite you to come along and celebrate this milestone at our Anniversary Lunch, commencing at midday.

We hope that you will be able to attend our special day and catch up with both past and present members. Could you please RSVP to Giru Bowls Club on 4782 9175 or Betty Corradi on 4782 9173 for catering purposes by 13<sup>th</sup> May.

Yours faithfully,



Gary Stockham  
President

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