

**ITEM 8. REPORT OF THE CULTURAL AND COMMUNITY COMMITTEE - 19  
OCTOBER 2015**

**ITEM 8.1**

**DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST**

No Councillors disclosed any pecuniary or non-pecuniary interests in any matter on the agenda for this meeting of the Cultural and Community Committee.

The Committee recommends the following:-

**ITEM 8.2**

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY ON PARK SIGNAGE (S049708)**

It is resolved that:

- (A) wording acknowledging Gadigal country be used on park signage, as indicated in Attachment A to the subject report, and rolled out in the current park signage program; and
- (B) Council note that signage at Redfern Park, Hyde Park, Alexandria Park, Victoria Park and Yellowmunde Park will be retrospectively updated to contain the new Acknowledgement of Country wording.

**Speakers**

Professor Jakelin Troy and Mr Tim Gray addressed the meeting of the Cultural and Community Committee on Item 8.2.

(Note - At the meeting of the Cultural and Community Committee, this recommendation was moved by Councillor Green, seconded by Councillor Kemmis and carried unanimously.)

The Committee recommends the following:-

**ITEM 8.3**

**ACCOMMODATION GRANT PROGRAM – ALLOCATION OF PROPERTIES 2015/16  
(S117676)**

It is resolved that:

- (A) Council approve the Accommodation Grant Program recommendations listed as follows:

<b>Organisation</b>	<b>Property</b>	<b>Market Rental Value (per annum)</b>	<b>Recommended Grant Amount and Subsidy</b>
Sydney School of Arts & Humanities Pty Ltd	Abraham Mott Activity Centre – Space 1 and 2, 15a Argyle Street, Millers Point	\$6,975	\$1,744 on a 25 per cent subsidy for 1 year.
Kil.n.it Experimental Ceramics Studio Inc	Glebe Town Hall Workshop Space, 160 St Johns Road, Glebe	\$9,824	\$9,824 on a 100 per cent subsidy in the first year. \$9,107 on a 90 per cent subsidy in the second year. \$8,338 on an 80 per cent subsidy in the third year.
Youth Food Movement Ltd	Walter Burley Griffin Incinerator, 53 Forsyth Street, Glebe	\$17,700	\$14,160 on an 80 per cent subsidy in the first year. \$12,762 on a 70 per cent subsidy in the second year. \$11,267 on a 60 per cent subsidy in the third year.
Weave Youth Community Services Inc	Waterloo Town Hall Space 1 and 2, 770 Elizabeth Street, Waterloo	\$19,025	\$19,025 on a 100 per cent subsidy in the first year. \$17,636 on a 90 per cent subsidy in the second year. \$16,147 on an 80 per cent subsidy in the third year.

- (B) Council note that the market rental value is calculated with an annual increase of 3 per cent per annum and excludes GST; and

- (C) authority be delegated to the Chief Executive Officer to negotiate, execute and administer agreements with any organisation approved for an Accommodation Grant on terms consistent with this resolution and in accordance with the Grants and Sponsorship Policy.

(Note - At the meeting of the Cultural and Community Committee, this recommendation was moved by Councillor Green, seconded by the Chair (the Lord Mayor) and carried unanimously.)

The Committee recommends the following:-

**ITEM 8.4**

**KNOWLEDGE EXCHANGE SPONSORSHIP – ACCESSIBLE ARTS – ACCESS AND INCLUSION PRINT DIGITAL CAMPAIGN (X001684)**

It is resolved that:

- (A) Council approve cash sponsorship of \$30,000 (excluding GST) under the Knowledge Exchange Sponsorship Program to Accessible Arts for their Access and Inclusion Print Digital Campaign 2015/16; and
- (B) authority be delegated to the Chief Executive Officer to negotiate, execute and administer a sponsorship agreement with Accessible Arts.

**Speakers**

Ms Tammy Brennan addressed the meeting of the Cultural and Community Committee on Item 8.4.

(Note - At the meeting of the Cultural and Community Committee, this recommendation was moved by Councillor Kemmis, seconded by Councillor Green and carried unanimously.)

The Committee recommends the following:-

**ITEM 8.5**

**AFFORDABLE HOUSING GRANT – SALVATION ARMY (S124769)**

It is resolved that Council approve:

- (A) financial assistance of \$250,000 to the Salvation Army to assist in the development of affordable housing at 5-19 Mary Street, Surry Hills, subject to the following conditions:
- (i) the funds are to be paid when the development application for 5-19 Mary Street, Surry Hills has been approved;
  - (ii) the funds will be used to pay costs of design and planning of the development;
  - (iii) if the Salvation Army does not complete the development of 5-19 Mary Street, Surry Hills, as approved by the City by 31 December 2020, the grant is to be repaid to the City; and
  - (iv) the completed affordable housing units are to be managed in accordance with the NSW Affordable Housing Guidelines; and
- (B) grant funding from Council's General Contingency budget from monies that will be set aside in the City's Affordable Housing Reserve, established as per the resolution for the sale of the Harold Park affordable housing site.

(Note - At the meeting of the Cultural and Community Committee, this recommendation was moved by Councillor Kemmis, seconded by the Chair (the Lord Mayor) and carried unanimously.)