

Item 12.10**Notices of Motion****Local Government Award**

By Councillor Chung

It is resolved that Council, following consideration of the financial impacts of the Covid-19 pandemic, and to ensure the long-term financial sustainability of the local government sector:

- (A) call upon the Local Government Remuneration Tribunal to determine that the annual increase payable to Mayors and Councillors in 2020 should be 0 per cent;
- (B) call upon the Statutory and Other Offices Remuneration Tribunal to determine that the annual increase payable to Local Government Chief and Senior Executives in 2020 should be 0 per cent;
- (C) call upon all local government sector unions and Local Government NSW to determine that the annual wage increase payable to local government employees in 2020 pursuant to the Local Government (State) Award should be 0 per cent and subsequent years should not exceed CPI; and
- (D) the Chief Executive Officer be requested to:
 - (i) write to each tribunal, LGNSW and relevant unions expressing this view;
 - (ii) not award any discretionary performance increases for City of Sydney staff for the coming 12 months and that there be no “catch up” performance increases in subsequent years; and
 - (iii) review the Councillors Expenses and Facility policy and report back to Council savings initiatives such as reduced travel, conference, education and training to support the financial sustainability of Council.

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