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Dear Mayor David Downie

Local Government Association of Tasmania – 2017 General Management Committee election

The Tasmanian Electoral Commission has been asked to conduct the 2017 election of President and 4 members of the General Management Committee for a two-year term in accordance with the rules of the Local Government Association of Tasmania (LGAT). The LGAT have advised that elections for Southern Electoral District (population > 20 000) and Southern Electoral District (population < 20 000) will not be required due to these positions being filled at recent by-elections, and the Membership extending the terms of office for a further two years.

Nominations are now invited from LGAT members and must be received at my office by 5:00pm Tuesday 23 May 2017. Candidates will be notified of receipt of their nomination by this office.

Election timetable

- Nominations open..... Thursday 23 March 2017
- Nominations close..... 5:00 pm 23 May 2017
- Ballot material posted (if a ballot is required) Friday 26 May 2017
- Close of postal ballot..... 10:00 am Wednesday 12 July 2017
- Declaration of the result..... Wednesday 12 July 2017

A nomination form and reply paid envelope are enclosed.

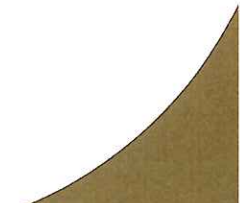
If you would like further information or assistance, please call Kristi Read of this office on 6208 8722.

Yours sincerely



Andrew Hawkey
ELECTORAL COMMISSIONER

21 March 2017





Local Government Association of Tasmania Nomination Form

Nomination of a candidate for election of President or Committee Member of the General Management Committee, Local Government Association of Tasmania.

Nominations are invited and must be lodged, posted, emailed or sent by facsimile to be received by the Returning Officer at the address shown below **before 5 pm Tuesday 23 May 2017**. This nomination must be accompanied by a copy of the Resolution passed by the Council that lawfully nominated the candidate for election. Candidates will be notified of receipt of the nominations by this office.

It is the responsibility of the candidate to ensure that the nomination form is received by the Returning Officer before the close of nominations. Late nominations cannot be accepted.

Each member is entitled to:

- nominate one elected Councillor or Alderman of a Member Council for the position of President of the Local Government Association of Tasmania; and
- nominate one elected Councillor or Alderman of a Member Council for the position of Committee Member of the General Management Committee. Members can only nominate a Councillor or Alderman within their own electoral district and population category.
- General membership elections will not be held for the Southern Electoral District. Please see reverse.

Candidate Please print

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| <i>Family Name:</i> | <i>Given names:</i> | <i>Member Council:</i> |
| <i>Position:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> President <input type="checkbox"/> Committee Member | | |
| <i>Postal address:</i> | <i>Email address:</i> | |
| <i>Given names for ballot paper: (if different from above)</i> | <i>Contact phone numbers:</i> | |
| | <i>Mobile</i> | <i>Other</i> |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I accept the nomination as a candidate for election to the position shown above. | | |
| <i>Signature.....</i> | | <i>Date.....</i> |

Nominator

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| <i>Name of Member Council:</i> | <i>Hereby nominates the above-named candidate for election.</i> |
| <i>Name of person authorised to lodge nomination on behalf of Member Council</i> | <i>Contact phone numbers:</i> |
| | <i>Mobile</i> <i>Other</i> |
| <i>Endorsed at council meeting held on:</i> | <i>This nomination must be accompanied by a copy of the Resolution passed by the Council that lawfully nominated the candidate for election.</i> |
| <i>Date.....</i> | |
| <i>Signature of authorised person.....</i> | <i>Date.....</i> |

The address for lodgement at the Tasmanian Electoral Commission is:

Level 3, TasWater Building, 169 Main Road, MOONAH TAS 7009

Postal Address: PO Box 307, MOONAH TAS 7009

Phone: (03) 6208 8721

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Email: nominations@tec.tas.gov.au

Electoral Districts

(for the purpose of electing members to the General Management Committee)

NORTH WEST AND WEST COAST ELECTORAL DISTRICT

Members within the electoral district having a population less than 20,000 – **one position**

Burnie City Council
 Circular Head Council
 King Island Council
 Waratah-Wynyard Council
 Kentish Council
 Latrobe Council
 West Coast Council

Members within the electoral district having a population of 20,000 or more – **one position**

Devonport City Council
 Central Coast Council

NORTHERN ELECTORAL DISTRICT

Members within the electoral district having a population less than 20,000 – **one position**

Break O'Day Council
 Flinders Council
 Meander Valley Council
 Dorset Council
 George Town Council
 Northern Midlands Council

Members within the electoral district having a population of 20,000 or more – **one position**

Launceston City Council
 West Tamar Council

SOUTHERN ELECTORAL DISTRICT – NO ELECTION FOR EITHER CATEGORY

Members within the electoral district having a population less than 20,000 – **no election**

Brighton Council
 Glamorgan-Spring Bay Council
 Derwent Valley Council
 Southern Midlands Council
 Central Highlands Council
 Huon Valley Council
 Sorell Council
 Tasman Council

Members within the electoral district having a population of 20,000 or more – **no election**

Clarence City Council
 Glenorchy City Council
 Kingborough Council