



**KEMPSEY**  
Shire Council

## **DIRECTOR CORPORATE AND COMMUNITY SERVICES REPORT**

12<sup>th</sup> December 2006

<b>DCCS16</b>	<b>YOUTH SPORTS INSTITUTE</b>
	<b>FILE: 927 GBS</b>

### **SUMMARY:**

Reporting on likely costs associated with an investigation into the establishment of a Youth Sports Institute.



### **DESCRIPTION:**

At Council's 14<sup>th</sup> November 2006 meeting Councillor J Bowell put forward a Notice of Motion relating to the investigation of proposals for the establishment of a Youth Sports Institute within Kempsey Shire.

Council resolved –

*“That this matter be deferred until a report comes back to Council on the associated costs with the investigation of the establishment of a Youth Sports Institute”.*

Subsequent to the Council meeting, Councillor Bowell has indicated that at this stage he proposes that the investigation only be in the form of –

*“a meeting (think tank) with the following people invited –*

Mr Peter Milner (ACC)  
 Mr Bill Calcutt (SRD)  
 Mr Gerald Bradshaw (DS&R)  
 M/s Lisa McPherson (PCYC)  
 Mr Wayne Evans (Court House)  
 Mrs Jan Easson (M V Learning Centre)  
 Mr Lou Kesby  
 Mr Ed Lahey  
 M/s Mary Lou Buck (Aboriginal community)  
 Mr Eddie Vale (Aboriginal community)  
 Mr C Williams (Aboriginal community)  
 Mr T Sines (Aboriginal community)  
 Mr Gary Oliver (NSW Dept Aboriginal Affairs)  
 M/s Kim Buckingham (Manager Open Space & Recreation)  
 Mr Greg Hehir (Youth Officer)  
 M/s Debra Morris (Aboriginal Liaison Officer)  
 Kempsey Rotary Club  
 Kempsey West Rotary Club  
 Kempsey High School  
 St Pauls College

Melville High School"

On this basis the costs involved would be those of issuing invitations to the meeting; collating responses; the provision of a venue; and, the allocation of the required time for 3 staff members.

Should the outcome of the meeting be favourable to the advancement of the proposal, and when some greater clarity as to the scope of the project is available a further report on the cost implications could be provided.

**REPORT IMPLICATIONS:**

- *Environmental*

*Nil*

- *Social*

*Nil*

- *Economic (Financial)*

*The cost of convening a meeting as outlined above is estimated at \$200.*

- *Policy or Statutory*

*Nil*

- *Director's Review*

*As per Report.*

**RECOMMENDATION:**

**That the information be noted.**

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