



KEMPSEY
Shire Council

NOTICE OF MOTION

14th August 2007

NOM7	'RIVERSIDE TASTE AND SOUNDS OF THE MACLEAY'
FILE: * CLR DFS	{ Folio No. * }

I hereby give notice that I intend to move the following motion at the Ordinary meeting of Kempsey Shire Council to be held on Tuesday 14th August 2007.

"That Council facilitate a workshop of interested stakeholders in order to establish a committee to coordinate 'Riverside, the taste and sounds of the Macleay for 2008'."

NOTES

Council has successfully conducted 'Riverside' on previous occasions, under the co-ordination of the Macleay Development and Promotion office.

Positives gained by the wider community from this Festival include:

- Indigenous Artists gaining recognition,
- Showcasing Cross - Cultural diversity by cuisine, music and cultural performances including indigenous performers from the Macleay Valley.
- Increased Tourism by visitors from outside the Valley
- Family friendly activities and events designed to encourage social interaction.
- Community entertainment and promotion.

MOTION IMPLICATIONS:

- ***Environmental***

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- ***Social***

Riverside tastes and sounds of the Macleay encourage festival activity that celebrates our community spirit and engages our community as active participants and appreciative audiences.

Riverside aims to

- ***Reflect the wide range of our community interests and activities;***
- ***Enrich our community's experience of living in the Macleay Valley;***
- ***Actively engage our community as participants and audiences;***
- ***Be innovative and of high quality; and***
- ***Has on previous occasions been well planned, well managed***

and viable.

- *Economic (Financial)*

Council may be eligible for Grant Funding to assist 'Riverside' through the NSW Ministry of the Arts, Cultural Grants Program

- *Policy or Statutory*

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