

7. Request for unprogrammed financial assistance: Wandella Hall

Wandella Hall will celebrate its centenary this year. The Wandella Hall Committee has requested financial support for its planned celebration event

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BACKGROUND

The Wandella Hall will celebrate its centenary in June 2009. Previously Council has supported the Quaama and Tanja Hall Committees with centenary celebrations at a level of \$2000 each funded from surplus in the Building Services area.

10 The Wandella Hall Committee has submitted a request for funding through Council's procedure.

Funding to support activities of the Council is available through the Governance area Section 356 expenses. Funding is available in this budget to cover the request for \$1,500.

ISSUES

Asset

This process offers the local community the opportunity to celebrate the important role volunteers play in managing and maintaining community assets.

Social / Cultural

This is an important community celebration.

20 Financial

Funds are available in the relevant section in the budget.

CONCLUSION

A request for funding for an important community milestone, Wandella Hall centenary, should be supported by Council.

RECOMMENDATION

1. That Council allocate \$1,500 to the Wandella Hall Committee to support their centenary celebrations.
2. That the funding come from Section 356 expenses in the Governance area of the budget.