

### Introduction

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As part of the annual Budget process, Council makes provision for donations to organisations, state/national sports representatives, charitable and not for profit organisations or schools.

### Purpose

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To provide guidance to Council for future budget deliberations on the disbursement of funds as donations.

### Policy statement

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1. Charitable Organisations
  - a. Charitable organisations, for the purposes of this policy are organisations operating within the Shire of Capel or neighbouring local governments that carry out charitable or community activities that benefit residents of the Shire of Capel.
  - b. Donations to charitable organisations will be reviewed annually.
  - c. Priority will be given to charitable organisations that operate within the Shire of Capel.
  
2. State/National Sports Representatives
  - a. Donations ranging from \$200 to \$400 are provided for the purpose of assisting individual sports persons who reside in the Shire of Capel and require assistance with travel costs to a state, national or international sporting event.

### Application

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This Policy applies to members of the public who claim a reward payment.

### Procedure

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| <b>Department:</b>   | Corporate Services                                                                                                   | <b>Next review:</b> | December 2021                         |
| <b>Reviewer:</b>     | Director Community & Corporate                                                                                       | <b>Legislation:</b> | Local Government Act 1995, s2.7(2)(b) |
| <b>Adopted:</b>      | Minute SC0122, 19.01.99                                                                                              | <b>Delegation:</b>  |                                       |
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