



SANDY BAY REGATTA ASSOCIATION

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The Director City Amenity
City of Hobart
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Sandy Bay Regatta 2023 – Ceremony and Plaque commemorating 175yrs of the Regatta

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Sandy Bay Regatta Association will be holding its annual Regatta at Sandown Park and Long Beach on Australia Day, 26th January 2023. This Regatta will mark a significant milestone for our Association, being the 175th event.

In recognition of the significance of our 175 years, the Association has proposed a commemorative ceremony be held on the day, in conjunction with CoH. It is proposed that this event comprise;

- Official opening of the Association's marquee of SBRA historical memorabilia by Her Excellency, the Governor of Tasmania
- The planting of a tree and unveiling of a commemorative plaque by the Governor, attended by the Lord Mayor and other invited dignitaries

I understand that it is necessary for the Association to seek Council's approval to the tree and commemorative plaque (through the Parks and Recreation Committee). That is the purpose of this correspondence.

Accordingly, please note the following aspects of our proposal for your approval;

- The Association will meet all costs including supply and installation of the plaque, supply of the tree, tree guard, excavation / backfill, and initial maintenance. The last five items will be provided by CoH and charged back to SBRA
- The tree will be selected by CoH . Its location has been agreed with CoH following an onsite inspection with Ruby Wilson (CoH). The tree will be maintained by Council using standard arboriculture practices.
- The plaque will be maintained by CoH for a minimum of 10 yrs
- Three third parties have endorsed the commemoration and provision of the plaque, viz, Royal Yacht Club Tas, Carlton Beach Surf Life Saving Club, Sandy Bay Sailing Club. Please see their respective letters of support attached.
- The plaque will be bronze and wording on the plaque will be;
Planted by Her Excellency the Hon Barbara Baker AC Governor of Tasmania
commemorating 175 years of the Sandy Bay Regatta 26th January 2023
Dimensions of the wording will be 250 mm x 75 mm (i.e. within the 300x300 limit)

Would you kindly consider this application for approval.

Kind Regards,

Peter Douglas
Chairman SBRA
13 November 2022

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