

Notice of Motion, Cr Leppert: Queen Victoria Market trader licence fee relief

30 August 2016

Motion

That Council:

1. Notes the amendments made by management to the Queen Victoria Market Precinct Renewal Implementation Framework (attachment 1) as directed by Council at its previous meeting, and endorses the final Implementation Framework as amended;
2. Recognises that the successful implementation of the master plan will require frequent, detailed and genuine discussions between Queen Victoria Market management and traders, and requests a full briefing to Cr Forum setting out the proposed handling of such discussions as well as the status of the Queen Victoria Market Retail Strategy;
3. Endorses in principle the establishment of a compensation fund for the purposes of providing licence fee relief for traders whose income is demonstrably affected by the Queen Victoria Market renewal, and indicates a willingness to forego the annual return to Council from Queen Victoria Market (approx. \$4 million per year) during the renewal in order to create such a fund; and
4. Requests management to work with the management of Queen Victoria Market to propose a suitable framework and mechanisms for a compensation fund for market traders.

Moved: Cr Leppert