



Office of the Mayor,
Councillor Jami Klisaris

20 February 2017

Dear Ms Barwick,

I am writing in response to the questions that you submitted in writing for the Council meeting held on 6 February 2017. The responses have been prepared by Council Officers.

Question 1

Council has been previously asked about its Older Persons strategy (2008-2012) and responded that it is no longer current. Could you please refer me to the current Older Persons strategy?

Response

Whilst the Older Person's Strategy was written for the period from 2008 to 2012 it remains a relevant document to guide Council's work with older people.

Question 2

The City of Stonnington has an ageing population – higher than the state average – so why are Council Officers recommending demolishing Chadstone Bowls Club, one of the few sports our ageing population participates in?

Response

At this stage the only decision Council has made is to complete a feasibility study into the proposed development of an indoor stadium at Percy Treyvaud Memorial Park and to include future provision of active recreation programs and services for older adults as part of that study.

Question 3

Does Council think it is fair and reasonable to accommodate the demands of Prahran Netball Club by forcing Chadstone Bowls Club to cease to exist?

Response

Prahran Netball Association conducts competitions for clubs and teams from across the municipality.

At this stage the only decision that has been made is to conduct a study into the feasibility of the proposed development of an indoor stadium at Percy Treuvaud Memorial Park.

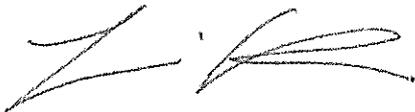
Question 4

Does Council consider the needs of young citizens to be more important than the needs of older citizens?

Response

The decision that will be made by Council will take into account many considerations from all areas within the community, including the members of Chadstone Bowls Club.

Yours sincerely



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Mayor of the City of Stonnington
Councillor for East Ward