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CITY COUNCIL

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<b>Item 10.1</b>		<b>For (F) Against (A)</b>
<b>Urban Forest Precinct Plans</b>		
<b>Requests to Speak</b>		
1.	Mr Andrew Hockley (obo Highett Progress Association Inc.)	(F)
2.	Mr Geoff Leigh	(F)
3.	Mr Derek Screen (obo Pennydale Residents Action Group)	(F)

<b>Item 10.2</b>		<b>For (F) Against (A)</b>
<b>Hampton Hub - Concept Design and Feasibility Analysis</b>		
<b>Written Statements</b>		
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1.	Mrs Marie-Louise Czech (obo Hampton Community Centre)	(F)
<b>Requests to Speak</b>		
1.	Mrs Sarah Haines (obo Hampton Street Traders Association)	(A)
2.	Mr Simon Gipson OAM (obo Hampton Neighbourhood Association)	(A)
3.	Mr Evan Packer	(A)

<b>Item 10.6</b>		<b>For (F) Against (A)</b>
<b>Proposed Leases Brighton Golf Course</b>		
<b>Requests to Speak</b>		
1.	Mr Dean Hurlston (obo Council Watch Inc.)	(A)
2.	Ms Una Steele	(A)

# **WRITTEN STATEMENTS**

<b>Item 10.2</b> <b>Hampton Hub - Concept Design and Feasibility Analysis</b>	<b>For (F)</b> <b>Against (A)</b>
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<b>1.</b>	<b>Mrs Marie-Louise Czech (obo Hampton Community Centre)</b>	<b>(F)</b>
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Dear Mayor and Councillors

I am writing on behalf of the Hampton Community Centre to acknowledge the recent proposal by Bayside Council to defer further progress on the Hampton Hub project until funding in the Council's Long Term Financial Plan has been determined. We understand the importance of securing sustainable funding for such a significant community endeavour and appreciate the Council's diligence in ensuring the viability of the project.

However, as an integral part of the Bayside community, we are keen to gain clarity on the 'alternate works or arrangements' proposed by the Council to support the delivery of community services and open space in Hampton. The Hampton Community Centre recognises the significance of providing accessible and inclusive spaces for social engagement, education, and recreation to our community members. We believe that any alternative arrangements should uphold the principles of social inclusion, accessibility, and community connection that the Hampton Hub aims to achieve.

We would greatly appreciate the opportunity to engage in further discussion or consultation regarding the proposed alternate works or arrangements. Understanding the Council's vision and plans for supporting community services in Hampton will allow us to explore potential synergies and collaborations that align with our shared goals of enhancing community well-being and cohesion.

Please do not hesitate to contact the Manager of the Hampton Community Centre or myself, via email [manager@highett.org.au](mailto:manager@highett.org.au), to arrange a meeting or discuss this matter further.

Thank you for your attention to this important issue, and we look forward to continuing our collaboration with Bayside Council for the betterment of our community.

Warm Regards

Marie-Louise Czech

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M.L. Czech".

President

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