**POLICY OBJECTIVE**

To provide the framework for determining eligibility for the provision of donations from the City of Perth which provide philanthropic support to community groups and not for profit organisations.

**POLICY STATEMENT**

1. **DEFINITION**

   Donations by the City of Perth reflect its commitment to improve the wellbeing of the community within the City of Perth and the residents of Western Australia and Australia as a whole. The provision of a donation by the City of Perth is of a philanthropic nature to an organisation and the City does not seek a direct cost benefit to be returned.

2. **ELIGIBILITY**

   To be eligible to receive a donation, the recipient must be:

   2.1 a Deductible Gift Recipient (DGR) in accordance with Australian Tax Office requirements; and
   2.2 an incorporated non-profit organisation

   In addition, the recipient must not be:

   2.3 the Commonwealth or a State;
   2.4 an Australian Government Agency;
   2.5 a political party;
   2.6 an organisation that supports, promotes or facilitates violence, intolerance or discrimination;
   2.7 Eligible for a grant within the City’s existing Grants Program

3. **FUNDING**

   The following cash funding limit will apply to this policy:

   3.1 Maximum: $100,000
CP 18.14 Donations

4. APPROVAL PROCESS

There is no application process for a donation. A donation will only be considered following a direction to do so by the Chief Executive Officer and then subject to approval by Council.

5. PROMOTION

The City of Perth reserves the right to publicise its donation via way of media release, press conference or other communication channel that arises from time to time. There is no obligation on the behalf of the donation recipient to promote the City of Perth crest or services in exchange for the donation.