18. PRESENTATIONS BY COUNCILLORS

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- 1. Councillor Brticevic wished Council staff and fellow Councillors a Merry Christmas and a safe and happy New Year. Councillor Brticevic thanked all staff for the work they will be doing in ensuring Council's events run smoothly over the holiday period.
- 2. Councillor Lound wished Council staff and fellow Councillors a Merry Christmas and a safe and happy New Year.
- 3. Councillor Lound referred to Leumeah High School's gifted and talented event he attended, noting the excellent display of local talent. Councillor Lound also congratulated His Worship the Mayor, Councillor Hawker, on the speech he delivered at the event.
- 4. Councillor Lound referred to the Carols event held at the Ron Moore Community Centre, Minto, thanking all Council staff involved in ensuring that the area was mowed and well maintained for the event.
- 5. Councillor Borg wished everyone well for the holiday period and thanked His Worship the Mayor, Councillor Hawker for including Christ in his Christmas message to the community.
- 6. Councillor Lake advised that he had the pleasure of representing His Worship the Mayor, Councillor Hawker, at the recent tree planting at Rizal Park, Rosemeadow, for the Philippine Ambassador.
- 7. Councillor Lake wished Council staff and fellow Councillors a Merry Christmas and a safe and happy New Year.
- 8. Councillor Mead wished Council staff and fellow Councillors a Merry Christmas and a safe and happy New Year. Councillor Mead also thanked the media for attending Council meetings to keep local community informed.
- 9. Councillor Thompson wished Council staff and fellow Councillors a Merry Christmas and a safe and happy New Year. Councillor Thompson also thanked all City Works staff for their ongoing support of our community.
- 10. Councillor Greiss advised that he had the pleasure of representing His Worship the Mayor, Councillor Hawker, at the Masonic Retirement home at Glenfield for the Annual Employee of the Year event.
- 11. Councillor Greiss advised that he had the pleasure of representing His Worship the Mayor, Councillor Hawker, at the recently held 2015 Award Presentation Night City of Campbelltown State Emergency Service (SES). Councillor Greiss advised that the event was impressive and included many recognition awards. Councillor Greiss wished all members of the SES a Merry Christmas and noted that this time of year can often be busy for the SES and expressed his hope that this year would be uneventful.
- 12. Councillor Greiss wished Council staff, fellow Councillors, the media and the people of Campbelltown a Merry Christmas and a safe and happy New Year.

- 13. Councillor Rowell wished Council staff and fellow Councillors a Merry Christmas and a safe and happy New Year. Councillor Rowell also thanked all Council Divisions for their support and assistance throughout the year.
- 14. Councillor Rowell thanked the staff that will be tending to the animals at the Animal Care Facility over the holiday period. Councillor Rowell also thanked Council's Information Management and Technology section for the work that has commenced on upgrading Council's Animal Care Facility webpage.
- 15. Councillor Greiss referred to the recently gazetted Campbelltown Local Environmental Plan 2015 and congratulated all Planning and Environment staff involved in its preparation.
- 16. Councillor Matheson advised that she had the pleasure of representing His Worship the Mayor, Councillor Hawker, at a recent function held at Broughton Anglican College.
- 17. Councillor Matheson wished Council staff and fellow Councillors a Merry Christmas and a safe and happy New Year and thanked all Councillors for their personal and professional support and assistance throughout the year.
- 18. His Worship the Mayor, Councillor Hawker thanked those Councillors that have attended events on his behalf, noting that there have been many events to attend this year, the highlight of which was an event held at Passfield Park Public School. Councillor Hawker advised that this special needs school has many talented students and expressed his admiration for the staff that work at the school.
- 19. His Worship the Mayor, Councillor Hawker referred to the success of Council's recently held community Carols event at the Campbelltown Sports Stadium, noting the popularity of the visit from Katrina Warren and her wonderdogs with local children. Councillor Hawker noted that this year had a record crowd in attendance and included performances from local children and a fireworks display.