

NOTICE OF MOTION - ENTERTAINMENT AND NIGHT TIME ECONOMY WORKING PARTY**Attachments: Nil****MOTION**

That:

1. Council form an Entertainment and Night Time Economy Working Party.
2. Working Party address the changes with regards to:
 - Liquor Act 2020
 - State Government Special Precinct requirements.
 - Public safety and noise issues
 - Funding for projects
3. Entertainment and Night Time Economy Working Party to include:
 - Councillor (1) (allocate after election)
 - Hume Conservatorium Representative
 - Lieder Theatre Representative
 - NSW Police Representative
 - Community Representatives (4)
4. Council calls for Expressions of Interest for the community representatives to be part of the Entertainment and Night Time Economy Working Party.

RATIONALE

Due to current important changes in this industry and coming out of COVID it would be appropriate to advertise now and have the Entertainment and Night Time Economy Working Party ready to form at the first meeting in February 2022.

Please note Geoff Bell has been appointed to the Create NSW advisory board so Council should involve him in the process.

I see this is a time and opportunity to pull together and have the issues from the relative businesses to contribute to the process discussions to move our industry forward. Tourism, legal needs, economic growth and community involvement will benefit greatly.

The General Manager has advised that he will appoint staff to service this Working Party.

I commend this Notice of Motion to Council.

Deputy Mayor Peter Walker