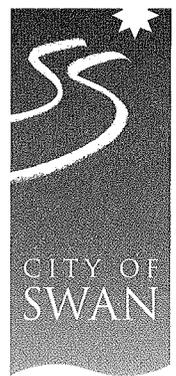
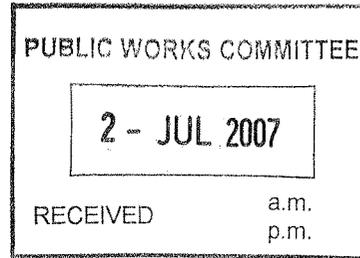


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SUBMISSION 5

Dear John

Response Submission C-17 Heavy Lift Infrastructure Project

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the development of the C17 Heavy Airlift Infrastructure Project. The City of Swan recognises the importance of this proposal to the Australian Defence Force for its national and international operations, major disaster rescue and relief efforts.

The City also recognises the unique characteristics of Bullsbrook and has adopted a "Place Planning" approach to plan for the future of this area. "Place Plans" are strategic plans for the next five to ten years that look to plan for sustainable outcomes to provide social, economic, environmental and developed (built) benefits for this community.

This presents a challenge for the City of Swan, as the City intends to implement a holistic approach to planning and implementation according to a sustainability framework – incorporating environmental, economic and social issues.

It is hoped this place plan becomes the focal point for a range of partnerships and co-operative activities, allowing opportunities to be captured and improving the quality of life for the Bullsbrook community.

The City looks forward to future involvement with Australian Defence Force and would ask to be kept informed regarding the development of this and other future proposals.

Should you have any enquires please contact Nathan Ritchie on 9267 9283 or ritchie@swan.wa.gov.au.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. Kempe".

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