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Dear Ms Cook

I refer to your application under the *Freedom of Information Act 1991* (the Act), received by the Department of Human Services (DHS) on 5 February 2019, seeking access to:

Copies of any and all documents (including but not limited to physical and electronic material) regarding DHS, SAHT, SAHA or Ministerial Paper 18MHS/0740.

Two documents were located that fit within the scope of your request and I have determined to release one document in part and document in full.

Please find enclosed a copy of the documents released, and a document schedule containing a brief description of each document and determination in summary form.

Document 1 contains information relating to the personal affairs of a third party. I consider that it would be unreasonable to disclose this information, and determine the information exempt pursuant to clause 6(1) of Schedule 1 of the Act. In accordance with section 20(4) of the Act, I consider that you would wish for access to the rest of the document after exempt information is removed and am therefore releasing this document to you in part.

Ms Stephany Martin has been incorrectly referred to as the Chairperson of the Youth Service Programs, Campbelltown Rotary Club in Document 1. Please note that her correct title is Chairperson of the Youth Leadership Programs.

If you are dissatisfied with my determination, you can seek an internal review by writing to the Chief Executive, DHS, as the Principal Officer of the agency. Your request should be sent within 30 days of your receipt of this letter.

In accordance with the requirements of Premier and Cabinet Circular PC045, details of your FOI application, and the documents to which you are given access, may/will be published on the agency's disclosure log. A copy of PC045 can be found at <http://dpc.sa.gov.au/what-we-do/services-for-government/premier-and-cabinet-circulars>.

If you have any questions in relation to this matter, please contact Fiona Braendler, Senior FOI Officer, on telephone 8413 9094 or by email at DHSFreedomofInformation@sa.gov.au. If you disagree with publication, you will need to advise the Senior FOI Officer within two weeks of the date of this determination.

Yours sincerely



Matthew Schutz
ACCREDITED FOI OFFICER

7 / 03 / 2019

SCHEDULE OF DOCUMENTS – DHS/19/02744

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No	Author	Date	Description of document	Determination	Reason
1.	Chris Karvountzis, Chief Innovation Officer, Community and Support Services	26/09/2018	Briefing – 18MHS/0740 - Invitation to Rotary Youth Leadership Graduation – 27 September	Released in part	Exempt clause 6(1) – personal affairs
2.			Attachment 1 to Document 1 – Draft speaking notes	Released in full	No exempt material

18MHS/0740



Government of South Australia

Department of Human Services


TO MINISTER FOR HUMAN SERVICES

RE: INVITATION TO ROTARY YOUTH LEADERSHIP GRADUATION – 27 SEPTEMBER

Decision/action required by: 27 / 09 / 2018

Reason: event date

Recommendation	Response
1. That you note this briefing and attached draft speaking notes prior to attending the Rotary Youth Leadership Graduation on 27 September 2018.	Approved / Not Approved / <u>Noted</u>

Comments:	 Hon Michelle Lensink MLC 26 / 9 / 2018
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PURPOSE

The purpose of this briefing is to provide you with background information and draft speaking notes for the Rotary Youth Leadership Graduation at the Glenelg Life Saving Club on the 27 September 2018.

KEY POINTS

- Ms Stephany Martin, Chairperson of the Youth Service Programs, Campbelltown Rotary Club, has invited you to speak at the Graduation Dinner for the Rotary Youth Leadership Awards on 27 September 2018.
- The dinner will be held at the Glenelg Life Saving Club, arriving at 6:30 for 7pm.
- Draft speaking notes are attached for your consideration (attachment 1).
- Please contact Ms Martin - [REDACTED] Clause 6(1) - to confirm attendance.

RISKS/SENSITIVITIES - Nil

DISCUSSION

Australian Rotary Clubs are part of an international network of business, professional and community leaders who strive to make the world a better place through practical efforts. Through Rotary International, the reward of "paying it forward" unites men and women from different backgrounds, cultures, religious and political beliefs, to do extraordinary things.

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The Rotary Club of Campbelltown began on 16 February 1966, with sponsorship from the Rotary Club of St Peters. The Club has over 75 members, and meets every Monday for dinner at the Hectorville Sports and Community Club.

Major activities undertaken by the Campbelltown Rotary Club include:

- fundraising for the Rotary Foundation and Australian Rotary Health Research Fund
- Centenary Project: The Rotary Wheel and Band Rotunda in Thorndon Park
- comfort boxes for the local Domestic Violence Centre
- improving facilities at the North Eastern Community Hospital
- Rotary Walk on the Linear Park
- sending volunteer teams to Solomon Islands and Papua New Guinea
- the annual Campbelltown Art Show
- monthly fundraising, including the SHED sale
- annual presence at Carnevale
- Rotary youth sponsorships.

Youth Leadership Awards

The Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) is a program for 18-25 year olds, which began in Australia and is now a worldwide program of Rotary International. RYLA outcomes are to promote and develop:

- the fundamentals and ethics of leadership
- communication skills in effective leadership
- problem-solving and conflict management skills
- self-confidence and self-esteem
- build networks of friends and professionals.

Grants and funding

In 2016-17, the Campbelltown Rotary Club applied for \$3,435 funding through Grants SA Minor Round 1 towards the cost of equipment purchase and upgrade. It was unsuccessful in its application.

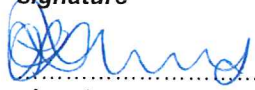
BUDGET

Are there financial implications

No

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Division	Community and Support Services		
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A/Director	Paul Tsoundarou	 signature	12.9.18
A/Deputy Chief Executive	Kim-Sherie Summers	 signature	20.9.18
A/Chief Executive	Lois Boswell	signature	date

ATTACHMENTS

1. Draft speaking notes

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SPEECH NOTES

Hon Michelle Lensink MLC
MINISTER FOR HUMAN SERVICES



Rotary Youth Leadership Graduation Campbelltown Rotary Club

Acknowledgements:

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- *'We acknowledge this land that we meet on today is the traditional lands for the Kurna people and that we respect their spiritual relationship with their country. We also acknowledge the Kurna people as the custodians of the Adelaide region and that their cultural and heritage beliefs are still as important to the living Kurna people today.'*
- Distinguished guests, Rotarians, Graduates and ladies and gentlemen.
- Thank you for inviting me to your graduation, and for the opportunity to talk to you briefly about leadership, and in particular youth leadership.
- More than ever, we need responsible and effective leaders in our communities, in our cities, our country and the world.
- We need decent and inspirational leaders in the workplace, in government, and in charitable organisations.
- Good leadership is central to our ability to thrive in a world of increasing social and economic complexity and accelerating change.

- Every young person has the potential to become a good communicator and leader, but this potential needs to be developed. Youth leadership programs such as the Rotary Youth Leadership Awards can help young people to grow to meet the challenges of adulthood and build self-confidence.
- Through your experience in the Youth Leadership Awards you have had opportunities to develop your communication and problem solving skills, and learn from community leaders and peer mentors.
- You have participated in activities that have shown you the importance of positively and effectively influencing others, listening to people, learning from people and bringing them on the journey together.
- And, of course, leadership is not just about the person who is in charge. It is a strength and a skill that can be applied no matter what role or position you hold.
- At the heart of the Rotary program is the belief that leadership cannot just be taught – it also has to be developed from practice.

- As you have immersed yourselves in the program, I have no doubt that you have been challenged, exhilarated and frustrated – perhaps even all at the same time!
- But throughout the challenges of the program, you have all been empowered by the Rotary Youth Leadership Award team to become the best leader you can be.
- Becoming a ‘leader’ does not happen overnight. It is a journey of self-reflection, evaluation and development that will continue throughout both our lives and our careers.
- Some of you may go on to become leaders in the traditional sense – managing teams or organisations.
- Others may use their leadership skills to influence and shape public opinion and policy.
- In the 21st Century, leadership is constantly being redefined, and the opportunities for our young people are unlike what we have ever seen before.
- The traditional pathway to leadership has been disrupted, with more young people than ever choosing the entrepreneurial pathway to realise their goals.

- The Government of South Australia believes in the entrepreneurial capacity of our young people. To this end, we have committed to give our students the skills they need to start a business, innovate and contribute to our economy by investing in entrepreneurial subjects and schools.
- This will include developing new business-focused SACE subjects, and creating four specialist Entrepreneurial High Schools, with business leaders, entrepreneurs and other relevant community leaders engaged as role models and mentors – a framework for learning that complements the aims of the Youth Leadership Awards.
- Following your graduation from this program, I encourage you to consider other leadership development programs, such as the YMCA's Youth Parliament program, of which the Government of South Australia is a long-term supporter.
- This is your chance to make a difference - in your local community, at work, when volunteering... everywhere really.
- Grab every opportunity that comes your way and give it your best shot – and learn from your mistakes and reflect on how you will do things differently next time.

- Once again, I am so happy to be part of your graduation ceremony tonight.
- Thank you for the invitation and I wish you all the very best in the future.

ENDS.