

Greater Southern Gold Coast Chamber of Commerce AGM 9th August 2018

Treasurers report

Good Morning all,

I would firstly like to thank our Gold member, Crowley Calvert and associates who have prepared our accounts and completed an audit of the chambers financials on a contra basis for a number of years now,

With our AGM being held a little earlier than usually this year we have probably extended our friendship a little more with having the audit completed in time for this AGM, and I would like to thank Ross and Claire at Crowley Calvert for their assistance.

Can I first ask for a member to propose and a seconder that we maintain this arrangement for the 2018-2019 financial year?

Proposed; Mike Remmer

Seconded; Terry Hobson

We have provided a copy of the chambers financial report for the last financial year on your tables for perusal, and from the profit and loss and balance sheets statements on screen you can see that the chamber is in a relatively sound position.

The merger and integration of the Creek to Creek and Southern Gold Coast chambers has been fully completed this financial year with all funds now transferred into the new Greater Southern Gold Coast Chamber accounts.

As you would note the chambers balance sheet asset position has increased from \$ 29718 to \$34231- over the course of the year and whilst the chamber's focus is built around supporting business and not generating profits it is essential that we are financially viable and have a capacity to provide support to our local business community.

I think it is also important to note from the chambers financials., the increased membership and function attendance as shown in our presidents presentation that the chamber is continuing to grow and provides a much needed voice for local business.

I would like to thank the committee for their assistance and support during my term as Treasurer for the chamber

I am happy to take any questions in regards to the chambers financials provided.

Can I ask for a member from the floor to propose for the accounts to be accepted and a seconder?

Proposed; Paul Guerin

Seconded: Peter Doggett

Thank you,

John Forrester Treasurer