

Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Snape - MoN- Australia China International Film Festival

Tuesday, 13 August 2024
Council

Council Member
Councillor Keiran Snape

Public

Contact Officer:
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Operating Officer

MOTION ON NOTICE

Councillor Keiran Snape will move a motion and seek a seconder for the matter shown below to facilitate consideration by the Council:

‘THAT COUNCIL:

1. Acknowledges that 2024 marks the 10th anniversary of the staging of the Australia China International Film Festival.
2. Welcomes the news that for the first time, and not the last, the Festival this year will be held in Adelaide.
3. Congratulates this year’s organisers and extends our best wishes for the success of opening ceremony at the National Wine Centre, and the closing ceremony at the Adelaide Convention Centre.
4. Requests the Lord Mayor to provide a letter of welcome to event organisers.’

ADMINISTRATION COMMENT

1. The first iteration of the Australia China International Film Festival took place in Brisbane in 2014, in Sydney in 2015 and 2016, and again in Brisbane in 2017. The 2024 Festival in Adelaide will be the first held since then.
2. The 2024 event is proposed to run for four days from 14 November to 17 November in Adelaide, at predominantly CBD locations and consists of an opening ceremony, VIP and investor event, a creative investment forum, film training workshop, film screenings, an environmental conservation event and a closing ceremony and awards presentation.
3. Event organisers have not formally applied for or received funding through the City of Adelaide or its subsidiaries.
4. Should Council resolve to support the proposed Motion, a letter of welcome and extending best wishes for a successful event will be prepared for the Lord Mayor to send to the event organisers.

Should the motion be carried, the following implications of this motion should be considered. Note any costs provided are estimates only – no quotes or prices have been obtained:

Public consultation	Not applicable
External consultant advice	Not applicable
Legal advice / litigation (eg contract breach)	Not applicable

Impacts on existing projects	Not applicable
Budget reallocation	Not applicable
Capital investment	Not applicable
Staff time in preparing the workshop / report requested in the motion	Not applicable
Other	Not applicable
Staff time in receiving and preparing this administration comment	To prepare this administration comment in response to the motion on notice took approximately 4 hours.

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