6.1 COUNCIL'S DISCRETIONARY EXPENDITURE FUND APPLICATIONS (CNCL21)

Submitting Councillor: The Mayor

MOTION

That Council resolves to decline to approve the applications received for funding from the Council's Discretionary Expenditure Fund.

BACKGROUND

Council, in its 2019/2020 budget, provided an amount of \$22,000 for the purposes of supporting instances of community/individual need that were not readily able to be considered under the Community Grants Program or other funding programs.

DISCUSSION

Council has received a request for support from:

APPLICANT	PURPOSE	AMOUNT REQUESTED
Hindi Niketan Inc	Donation towards community event & hall hire	\$1,000
Biomedicine Discovery Institute	Donation towards costs of science exhibition	\$1,000
Victorian Tamil Association	Hall hire charge for school concert	\$685 excl. GST
Family Access Network	Donation for purchase of books	\$1,000
Individual applicant	Donation for materials for textile workshops	\$1,000

It is recommended that the Council declines to approve the applications for funding, received and detailed in the above table.