

## Open Meeting

<b>To</b>	Policy & Regulatory Committee
<b>From</b>	Tony Whittaker General Manager Strategy & Support
<b>Date</b>	17 September 2017
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<b>General Manager Approval</b>	Y
<b>Reference #</b>	I805786 / GOV 0304
<b>Report Title</b>	Submission on the Remuneration Authority's Long Term Proposals for Local Government

## I. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

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The Remuneration Authority (“the Authority”) issued a new determination, taking effect on 1st July 2017, covering local government elected members.

Council’s now have the opportunity to inform some longer term changes which is proposed to be implemented in 2019. These changes will affect elected mayors, chairs and councillors, as well as community board members.

The Authority is seeking the views of councils (not of individual elected members or staff) on the long term proposals.

At a workshop held on 11 September 2017 councillors considered the questions posed by the Authority regarding its longer term proposals.

The proposed submission is attached to this report. The submission includes tracked changes based on additional comments provided by councillors following the workshop on 11 September.

This report seeks for the Policy & Regulatory Committee to recommend to Council that the proposed submission be approved.

## 2. RECOMMENDATION

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**THAT** the report from the **General Manager Strategy & Support** be received;

**AND THAT** the **Policy & Regulatory Committee** recommends to Council that the submission to the **Remuneration Authority** on its **Long Term Proposals for Local Government** be approved.

### **3. ATTACHMENTS**

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Proposed Council submission on the Remuneration Authority's Long Term Proposals for Local Government.