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Via email: rob.lutter@svdpnt.org.au

Dear Mr Lutter

Re: Identification of a suitable site for permanent relocation of the St Vincent De Paul (SVdP) Ozanam House day services currently located within Coconut Grove

I understand that SVdP is preparing to lodge an application to extend its planning approval for operation of the Ozanam House facilities at its current location in Coconut Grove for a further three years.

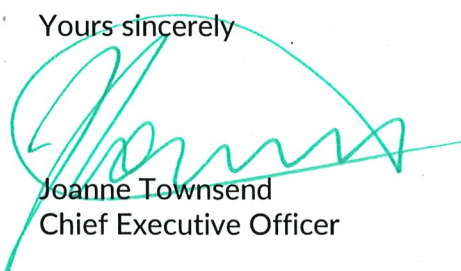
I am pleased to confirm that the Northern Territory Government has been working with SVdP, together with its partner Larrakia Nation Aboriginal Corporation Ltd Pty (LNAC), to locate Crown land available for Direct Application under the Release of Crown Land Policy (Policy) through an intra-agency Project Control Group. SVdP and LNAC are eligible entities under the Policy.

Once an application is accepted by the department over Crown land, assessment of the application includes a stakeholder/ authority and public consultation process, prior to consideration of whether to grant a Crown lease by the Minister for Lands, Planning and Environment.

Thank you for continuing to engage positively with Government with the view to relocating the Ozanam House day facility in Coconut Grove to a suitable permanent location. I understand that the additional time requested for approval at the temporary facility is to allow a final permanent site to be confirmed and considered by the Minister, prior to any development and relocation.

Should you have any queries in relation to the Direct Application process, please contact Kerri O'Brien, Executive Director, Crown Land Estate on 08 8999 7019 or via email to Kerri.O'Brien@nt.gov.au.

Yours sincerely



Joanne Townsend
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