

CITY OF PLAYFORD ACCESS AND SOCIAL INCLUSION ADVISORY GROUP (ASIAG)



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The City of Playford is seeking expressions of interest to become a member of the Access and Social Inclusion Advisory Group (ASIAG).

The ASIAG has representation from local residents with lived experience of disability, service providers and Council personnel committed to the access and inclusion of people with disability in the Playford region.

The role of the ASIAG is to:

“Provide strategic, expert and impartial advice to Council on the development, implementation, monitoring and review of policies, strategies, projects and plans with the aim to advance the inclusion of people with disability.” – *ASIAG Terms of Reference*

Some key points of reference the ASIAG will undertake are:

- Provide a key link between the community and Council across all areas relevant to people with disability
- Advocate for and promote the full inclusion of people with a disability in the Playford community
- Provide advice to Council on how to identify issues and opportunities that are relevant to people with disability
- Provide advice and feedback related to the City of Playford Access and Inclusion Strategic Directions Report

What is the commitment required?

The ASIAG meet at the Playford Civic Centre on the third Tuesday of every second month for a two hour meeting from 12:30-2:30pm. Individuals may be a member for up to two years, but can re-apply for membership after this term should they wish to. The first meeting for 2019 is scheduled for Tuesday 16th April at the Playford Civic Centre.

How will the ASIAG members be selected?

The ASIAG has the following voluntary vacancies, where members will be selected on the basis of their capacity to bring relevant skills and experience mix to the group:

- Seven (7) Community Members (at least four (4) of whom will have direct experience of disability)
- Six (6) Service Providers
- One (1) Elected Member

Reflecting the priorities outlined in the *Disability Inclusion Act 2018*, representation is especially sought from people from, or organisations with a focus on working with:

- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people with disability
- Culturally and linguistically diverse people with disability
- Young people with disability

We will be looking for members who:

- Live, work, study or play in the Playford region
- Have a commitment to and awareness of disability access and inclusion issues in the Playford region
- Have a passion for positive change
- Have an ability to communicate with a diverse range of people
- Have a willingness to contribute in group discussions
- Are able to attend bi-monthly meetings for the two (2) year term

How to apply:

Submit your Expression of Interest Membership Form (found on our [website](#)) **by 5pm, Thursday 28th March 2019**, to Amy Godfrey via the contact details in the footer below.

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