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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- The Remuneration Tribunal sets the fees for Councillors annually.
- The fees for the 2018/19 financial year are set from the minimum of \$8,970 up to the maximum of \$19,790 per Councillor and the Mayoral fee in addition to the Councillors fee is set from the minimum of \$19,100 up to the maximum of \$43,170.
- The Remuneration Tribunal figures will be reported to Council annually.
- It is recommended that Council set the 2018/19 fees within the parameters established by the Remuneration Tribunal effective 1 July 2018.

REPORT

The Local Government Remuneration Tribunal has published the latest figures for the payment of expenses and the provision of facilities for Mayors and Councillors for Councils in NSW.

The fees for the 2017/18 financial year were set at \$19,310 per Councillor and the Mayoral fee set at \$42,120.

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CONSULTATION

Consultation was held with the Manager – Governance and Assistant Director People, Legal and Governance.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

Allocation of funding is available under the Local Democracy Budget.

ATTACHMENTS

There are no attachments to this report.

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Report to the Ordinary Meeting of Council held on Monday 18 June 2018

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RECOMMENDATION

That Council set the 2018/19 fees within the parameters established by the Remuneration Tribunal effective 1 July 2018.