

**7.2 MONASH GALLERY OF ART COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT –  
APPOINTMENT OF NEW COMMITTEE MEMBER**  
(SZ: ARTS12)

Responsible Committee: Monash Gallery of Art Committee of Management

***RECOMMENDATION***

*That Council appoint Mr Tony Peake to the Monash Gallery of Art Committee of Management.*

***INTRODUCTION***

This report recommends an appointment to a vacancy on the Monash Gallery of Art Committee of Management.

***BACKGROUND***

The Monash Gallery of Art Committee of Management is responsible for providing expert business development advice to Council regarding the operation of the Gallery, developing a 3-Year Business Plan, which decreased Council subsidy to the Gallery, providing expertise to the Gallery Director regarding Gallery programs in the context of the Business Plan and recommending on future management arrangements for the Gallery, linked to the Business Plan.

Under its Charter, the Committee of Management can have up to a maximum of 12 members, including two Councillors. Currently, the Committee has eight members, including Councillors Ryan Brown and Stephen Dimopoulos.

The Committee has considered suitable candidates to fill one of the vacancies and now recommends the appointment of Mr Tony Peake.

As PricewaterhouseCoopers' (PwC) Melbourne Managing Partner, Mr Peake leads a team of over 1,400 people who share their thinking, experience and solutions to develop fresh perspectives and practical advice.

As National Government Sector, Leader Tony oversees all client service delivery to government departments, business enterprises and statutory authorities. He has strong relationships with people across the political and public service spectrums.

Mr Peake oversaw the provision of all services by PwC to the 2007 World Swimming Championships and the Melbourne 2006 Commonwealth Games Corporation, and is a member of the Advisory Board of the Committee for Melbourne and is a CEDA Trustee.

Outside work, Mr Peake has a number of interests, including: Mentor in the Partners in Learning Program run by the Australian Business and Community Network (2007 – ); Foundation Partner and Member of Steering Committee, Melbourne Earth Hour 2008 (2007 – ); Advisor to the Trustees, Marian and EH Flack Trust (2007 – ); Director, The Australian Embassy for Timor-Leste Fund, a not-for-profit raising funds to build and then gift an embassy in Canberra to the

Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste (2005 – ); Member of the Council, International House, a residential college of the University of Melbourne (2004 – ); Fellow of Leadership Victoria's Williamson Community Leadership Program (1988).

***CONCLUSION***

The appointment of Mr Tony Peake to the Monash Gallery of Art Committee of Management will help to ensure the successful achievement of the objectives set by the Council.