



Speech By Hon. Stirling Hinchliffe

MEMBER FOR SANDGATE

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ADJOURNMENT

Sandgate Electorate, Gambling Community Benefit Fund

Hon. SJ HINCHLIFFE (Sandgate—ALP) (Minister for Local Government, Minister for Racing and Minister for Multicultural Affairs) (6.19 pm): Five years ago last week, the residents of Sandgate did me the great honour of electing me as their representative in this House. In that time, I have been pleased to support dozens and dozens of our schools, organisations and community groups to apply for grants from the Gambling Community Benefit Fund. Over the last five years, our community has received \$2 million worth of successful funding applications for a range of purposes, including sheds and shade shelters, playgrounds and pitch rollers, ovens and outboard motors, marquees and mini trains, kitchens and kilns, and furniture and fences.

My team has set me the Jacinda Ardern challenge to see if I can list all the organisations in the Sandgate electorate that have benefited from the Gambling Community Benefit Fund in under two minutes. Here goes: All About Living, Artrageous Sandgate, Autism Queensland, Bayside Divas, Bracken Ridge Little Athletics, Bracken Ridge Cricket Club, Bracken Ridge Kindergarten, Bracken Ridge Sports Association, Bracken Ridge State High School P&C, Bracken Ridge State School P&C, Bracken Ridge Swimming Club, Bramble Bay Pony Club, Brighton Bowls Club, Brighton Bulldogs Soccer Club, Brighton Roosters Rugby League Club, Brighton State School P&C, Brownsea Scouts, Eventide Social Lawn Bowls, Guides Queensland Sandgate, Jabiru Community Youth & Children's Service, Koobara Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Family Kindy, Lions Club of Bracken Ridge Central, Masonic Aged Care Sandgate, Norris Road State School P&C, Polynesian Va'a-alo Outrigger Canoe Club, Queensland Cruising Yacht Club, Queensland Omnibus & Coach Society, Ridgettes Netball Club, RSL Sandgate sub-branch, Sacred Heart Primary School, Sailability Sandgate, SANDBAG, Sandgate & District Aquatics, Sandgate & District Historical Society, Sandgate & District Youth Tennis, Sandgate Bowls Club, Sandgate Chamber of Commerce, Sandgate District Men's Shed, Sandgate Golf Club, Sandgate Hawks AFL Club, Sandgate Kids Early Education, Sandgate Meals on Wheels, Sandgate Paddling Club, Sandgate PCYC, Sandgate-Redcliffe District Cricket Club, Sandgate Squash Social Club, Sandgate State School P&C, Sandgate Theatre, Sandgate Yacht Club, Sandgate Youth Orchestra, SEQ Wind Ensemble, Share the Dignity, Shelterbox Australia, Singh Sabha Brisbane, St John Fisher College P&F, St John's Community Care, St Kieran's Primary School P&F, St Paraskevi Childcare Centre Taigum, St Paraskevi Orthodox Church, TS Paluma Naval Cadets, Taigum State School P&C, Volunteer Marine Rescue Brisbane, YMCA Norris Road State School OSHC and YMCA Sandgate State School OSHC. As I said, that is \$2 million for communities in our local area.

Mr DEPUTY SPEAKER (Mr Kelly): Well done, and next we will hear your rendition of *I've been everywhere, man.*