

Question on Notice

No. 1531

Asked on Thursday, 30 November 2006

MRS JULIE ATTWOOD MP asked the Minister for Communities, Disability Services, Seniors and Youth (**MR PITT**) -

Will he advise of any organisations in the Mt Ommaney Electorate who have been successful in the recent funding rounds?

ANSWER:

Disability Services Queensland has allocated over \$6 million in 2006-07 for disability service providers to enable them to support families and individuals in the Mt Ommaney electorate. Of this amount, \$3,124,735 has been allocated in the recent funding rounds.

The following four organisations in the Mt Ommaney electorate have been successful in being allocated funding to provide support and services to people with a disability, their families and carers and the community:

- Guyrow Pty Ltd: \$1,102 from the Strengthening Non-Government Organisations Program, for asset acquisition/replacement;
- MontroseAccess: \$1,595,450, from the Strengthening Non-Government Organisations Program, for early intervention services and day activity services and funding for respite services and Disability Sector Quality System implementation;
- Wesley Mission: \$1,298,183 to assist it, in partnership with the Youngcare Foundation, with construction of a 16-bed residential complex at Sinnamon Park for younger people with disabilities; and
- Westside Community Services Limited: \$230,000 from the Strengthening Non-Government Organisations Program, for day activity services, Disability Action Week events and Disability Sector Quality System implementation.

The Department of Communities has allocated \$196,706 in 2006-07 to support families, individuals and seniors in the Mt Ommaney electorate. Of this amount, \$7,824 has been allocated through recent funding initiatives.

The following five organisations in the Mt Ommaney electorate have been successful in being allocated funding for services in the areas of community support, child care and seniors:

- Corinda After School Care Association Inc: \$3,480 for security lighting adjoining the existing building to provide a safe and suitable environment and access to toilets;
- Prescare: \$2,025 to assist the organisation to purchase equipment/conduct an event or activity that benefits the community;
- National Seniors Association - Centenary Branch Inc: \$605 to undertake Seniors Week 2006 Activities;
- Tamil Senior Citizens Association Qld Inc: \$500 to undertake Seniors Week 2006 Activities; and
- The Corporation of the Order of the Canossian Sisters: \$1,214 to undertake Seniors Week 2006 Activities.