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Dear Ashley Albury

**EXTENSION REQUEST FOR GATEWAY DETERMINATION TIMEFRAME FOR AMENDMENT 11 TO WENTWORTH LEP 2011 (PP\_2016\_WENTW\_001\_00)**

I refer to the abovementioned Gateway Determination issued by the Department of Planning & Environment, dated 14 March 2016.

Item 4 of the Gateway Determination states that the timeframe for completing the LEP is to be 9 months from the week following the date of the Gateway Determination ie. 21 December 2016.

Council is seeking an extension to this timeframe on the basis that the finalisation and notification of the amendment has been held up due a delay with the preparation of the LEP mapping.

Therefore, it is requested that the timeframe for completing the LEP is extended by 3 months from the original expiry date ie. 21 March 2017.

Should you wish to discuss any matter raised in this letter, please contact Michele Bos of the Health and Planning Division on 03 5027 5027.

Yours sincerely



**KEN ROSS**

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