

Expression of Interest: National Trust Advocacy Committee

Due Date: 4pm, Friday 3 November 2017
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NATIONAL TRUST OF AUSTRALIA
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The National Trust of Australia (QLD) is calling for Expressions of Interest for membership to our expert advisory committee, the Advocacy Committee.

Background

- The work of the National Trust of Australia (QLD) is supported by expert advisory committees;
- The Advocacy Committee was formed in November 2016 to guide and support the Trust's advocacy activities and campaigns;
- The committee's role is to assist the National Trust board achieve its objective of being a strong voice for Queensland heritage; and a respected and innovative advocate for Queensland's natural, built and cultural heritage.
- The committee's priorities are to:
 - Advocate for improved legislation, regulation, management, resourcing, protection, celebration and interpretation of Indigenous, natural and cultural heritage by government at all levels, and with due regard to the Australian Council of National Trust's role in national issues.
 - Advocate for the protection and conservation of classified and registered places and places with demonstrable heritage significance under threat or at risk of destruction or major and irretrievable loss of significance.
 - Advocate for the identification, protection, conservation and celebration of under-represented and emerging types and classes of heritage places and objects.

Membership to the Committee

- The Committee is seeking up to 4-6 new members on the Advocacy Committee;
- The CEO, Advocacy Committee Chair and Advocacy Advisor will review EOIs and make new membership recommendations to the board;
- The Board decides appointments, rotations and resignations within the Advocacy Committee and membership to the committee is made in a voluntary capacity;
- The Advocacy Committee will meet as often as it considers necessary, but a minimum of four times per year (currently it is meeting approximately every 6 weeks);
- Advocacy Committee meetings may be held by any technological means allowing its members to participate in discussions even if all of them are not physically present in the same place. A member who is not physically present but participating by technological means is taken to be present.

Expressions of Interest

- EOIs are due by 4pm on the 3rd November 2017;
- EOI must include a resume detailing qualifications and experience, and a one page statement detailing the applicants proven commitment to heritage protection, promotion and/or advocacy;
- Applicants must live, work or study in Queensland;
- We are looking for skills and experience in the following areas:
 - Town Planning;
 - Urban Design;
 - Archaeology;



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- Heritage Consulting;
- Community Liaison;
- Communications/Events/Social Media;
- Heritage/Environmental Law;
- Horticulture;
- Heritage Architecture; or
- History.