

Mr. Jonathon Throssell
Chief Executive Officer
Shire of Mundaring

14 December 2005

Dear Sir,

Customer Service – Information Relating To Proposed Developments In Parkerville and Stoneville

Recently I attended the Shire Offices and requested copies of any officer or consultant reports relating to the proposed developments in Parkerville and Stoneville.

I was introduced to “Warren” to whom I explained I had a sixteen year career in Local Government including the CEO’s position at Augusta Margaret River and that as such I was interested in obtaining any information I could regarding these developments.

Warren then provided me with two handouts on the matter and said that was it. I asked if there were any consultants reports and was advised I would need to make a Freedom of Information application. When I advised Warren that if any of these reports I am seeking have been presented to Council they are then a public document and as such I would like copies, Warren said the reports *may* have been presented in part, he wasn’t sure.

It was then suggested that I “look on the website as all the minutes were on the Internet”.

In my sixteen years I must say I am amazed at the lack of service provided, and I am still left with no information, which was my original request.

For such a development to be approved by Council, as a minimum a series of impact studies would surely have been undertaken including but not limited to Environmental, Financial, Transport, Health, Recreation, Law and Order along with other infrastructure requirements. I would appreciate copies of any such documents, and updates.

To say that I am astounded that Council does not have these documents along with plans of proposed developments and road upgrades on display so the residents of the council can see and make an adjudged decision on these proposals, would be an understatement.

Should you require any further information regarding my request please contact me on the numbers listed below. Please forward an invoice for any costs incurred in copying the relevant documents to my address.

Yours sincerely

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