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Dear Ken

CHANGE OF QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY HOLIDAY 2016

The Shire of Shark Bay has commenced planning for the 400th anniversary of Dirk Hartog's landing at Cape Inscription which will occur on Tuesday 25 October 2016.

To encourage people from the Gascoyne and adjoining regions to participate in the 2016 celebrations, The Shire of Shark Bay would like to propose that surrounding Shires change the Queen's Birthday public holiday from Monday 26 September 2016 to Monday 24 October 2016.

As you are aware the Public and Bank Holidays Act 1972 WA outlines the process whereby the date of a public holiday can be changed. To facilitate this, could you please advise whether your Shire Council would be willing to change the public holiday date.

If you require any further information relative to the above please contact Sharyn Burvill, Executive Manager, Tourism, Community and Economic Development, on 08 9948 1218 or email emc@sharkbay.wa.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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