

25<sup>th</sup> September 2014

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Dear Brian

**RE: 2014 Christmas Trading Hours**

Thank you for your correspondence of the 11<sup>th</sup> September 2014 seeking the views of the Mid West Chamber of Commerce & Industry on the requested extended trading hours for the 2014 Christmas period.

We have surveyed our members seeking their views on the proposed times in your correspondence and there has been support for Sunday the 14<sup>th</sup>, Friday the 19<sup>th</sup>, Sunday the 21<sup>st</sup>, Monday the 22<sup>nd</sup> and Tuesday the 23<sup>rd</sup> of December.

There has not been sufficient support for the Chamber to endorse the trading hours proposed for Sunday the 7<sup>th</sup> December, Wednesday the 17<sup>th</sup> or Friday the 26<sup>th</sup> of December (Boxing Day Public Holiday).

**Results Tabled:**

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|--------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| • Sunday, 7 December 2014                  | 10:00AM – 4:00PM Do Not Support  |
| • Sunday, 14 December 2014                 | 10:00AM – 4:00PM– Support        |
| • Wednesday, 17 December 2014              | 8:00AM – 9:00PM – Do Not Support |
| • Friday, 19 December 2014                 | 8:00AM – 9:00PM– Support         |
| • Sunday, 21 December 2014                 | 10:00AM – 4:00PM– Support        |
| • Monday, 22 December 2014                 | 8:00AM – 9:00PM– Support         |
| • Tuesday, 23 December 2014                | 8:00AM – 9:00PM– Support         |
| • Friday, 26 December 2014 (Boxing Day PH) | 10:00AM – 4:00PM Do Not Support  |

Should you have any further questions before preparing your submission to Council, please feel free to contact me.

Yours sincerely



Shannon Giltrow  
Office Manager