



18th November 2016

To Whom It May Concern:

We provide this letter in support of Capital Bluestone in their application for a development of Stage 4 of the Woollooware Shores retail centre, to include apartments, hotel and conference facilities and community spaces.

Capital Bluestone have been a key corporate supporter of Sutherland Shire Family Services since 2015 and over this time we have built a collaborative relationship based on shared values of integrity, transparency and care for the community.

Capital Bluestone have not only generously contributed to funding a domestic violence caseworker in our service to assist families with specialised support services, but have also co-hosted fundraising events on our behalf, assisted with renovations to build capacity to our facilities and have also introduced us to their network of contacts for us to explore further relationships.

We are immensely grateful for the support that Capital Bluestone's CEO Ben Fairfax and his team have given our organisation, and incredibly encouraged by the organisation's sense of corporate responsibility and passion for our cause.

The Community spaces that form part of this development application are vitally needed in our community, and access to such would allow us to grow the reach and capacity of our support programs and services. As a key partner of Sutherland Shire Family Services, Capital Bluestone have committed to partnering with us to offer ongoing community programs and initiatives that would support those members of the community that are the most vulnerable. High quality facilities, that offer privacy and accessibility to public transport are few and far between in the Sutherland Shire, and the addition of such facilities to our community would have far reaching benefits to many community members.

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We fully support Capital Bluestone in their application for this stage of the development, and look forward to continuing to leverage the infrastructure they are building to assist our community.

I would be happy to be contacted by any planning representative to further discuss the relationship that Capital Bluestone has with Sutherland Shire Family Services.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Diane Manns", is written above the printed name.

Diane Manns

CEO – Sutherland Shire Family Services