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Deputy Mayor

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To whom it may concern

**TRYACT**  
**Two Rocks Yanchep Assisted Cancer Travels Inc.**

It is my pleasure to support TRYACT in their endeavors to provide a much needed and valued service in the Two Rocks and Yanchep area.

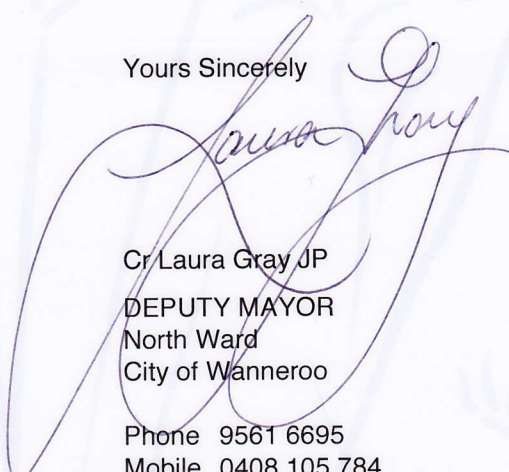
**TRYACT** continue a very proud tradition in the Two Rocks and Yanchep areas, having been established as a satellite city in the 1970s. That isolation called for innovative community empowerment and self-help. To that end, a community bus and Home support volunteer organisations were formed and continue to operate.

However, the need has been demonstrated in our community where other transport options are extremely limited and challenging. For instance a trip to Joondalup Hospital involves a bus to Clarkson railway station (no other destination is available); train to Joondalup, and then another bus to the hospital. A physical and time challenge for anyone let alone a cancer patient before and after treatment.

Having had personal experience of caring for a very ill husband with cancer and many other issues for many years, including three times weekly days at Charlie Gairdner Hospital for several of those years, I can only imagine how difficult, if not impossible, for people without a carer.

I applaud the initiative of TRYACT and wish them every success, and urge your support for this worthwhile voluntary service in our community.

Yours Sincerely



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