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**From:** Kirby Leeke [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, 21 January 2016 1:44 PM  
**To:** 'Dowling, Bernie'  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Moreton Futures Trust

Bernie,

I think the big point you and Loch seem to keep missing (whether deliberately or accidentally) was that this trust was basically formed to support Bryan Galvin as a Mayoral candidate for the 2012 elections, and that the early fund raising was done to support Bryan. Bryan then made a decision not to contest the 2012 election, and it was after Bryan's decision not to contest the election that we (John and I) decided to support Allan Sutherland. (Bryan did suggest that as he was not running, he would be happy if we supported Allan).

I had worked on Bryan's campaign in 2008, (and even on his campaign when he was first elected a councillor in the Pine Rivers Shire Council, and most of his campaigns thereafter) and was seriously hoping he would run as a candidate again. I do not know why he chose not to run, but having raised the money, we chose to use some of the funds to support Allan. We did not give all the funds raised to Allan's campaign.

The reason we have not chosen to support Allan for the 2016 election (yet) is that we are aware of possible alternate candidates who may choose to run for the mayoral position and who we may prefer to support instead of Allan. Until nominations close, we will not make any decision.

In terms of the state of the books, they were a 'bit of a mess', but all the paperwork was there. Being an 'anal' accountant, I chose to put all the records into a MYOB file which I considered a better method to record transactions, but the state of the records before I processed them through MYOB was no worse than what I receive from a lot of other businesses. Having keyed it into MYOB, it was far easier to produce Profit & Loss Accounts and Balance Sheets, and lodge our quarterly BAS's, tax returns etc.

Regards,

*Kirby Leeke*

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**From:** Dowling, Bernie [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 18 January 2016 2:16 PM  
**To:** Kirby Leeke [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fwd: Moreton Futures Trust

Hi Mr Leeke,

I trust you enjoyed your cruise.

I wonder if you could address the above questions.

Most are straightforward though no 9 might need a bit more explanation.

The anomaly I am talking about was that a decision had been made before November 2011 to support Allan Sutherland at the 2012 elections months before Allan Sutherland declared himself a candidate in March 2012.

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More than \$100,000 was collected for a campaign which no one knew would eventuate. Presumably you now also a war chest for next year's election and you do not know where the money will be going. Could you please comment on this along with the other eight questions. I would appreciate a response by noon Thursday January 21.

Cheers

Bernie.

### BERNIE DOWLING

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From: **Dowling, Bernie** [REDACTED]

Date: 23 December 2015 at 11:59

Subject: Moreton Futures Trust

To: [REDACTED]

Hi Mr Leeke,

Thank you for your assistance in providing information about Moreton Futures Trust. My colleague and I are having some difficulty in contacting Dr John Ryan and Bryan Galvin to discuss issues of public disclosure.

I would like for you to confirm some dates and other information with me so that my notes accurately reflect what you told me.

1. I have April 7 2010 as the date of formation of Moreton Futures Trust.
2. I have the Moreton Futures Trust's status as an unincorporated association.
3. I have Dr John Ryan transferring two amounts from Friends of Pine Rivers to Moreton Futures Trust. I have \$14, 209.52 transferred on January 17 and \$7724.58 transferred on January 18.
4. I do not have a status or what type of organisation Friends of Pine Rivers was? Do you know?
5. You took over as trustee of Moreton Futures Trust replacing Bryan Galvin on November 15 2011.
6. You told me Bryan Galvin asked you to take over as the records were a bit of a mess.
7. You said the decision for Moreton Futures Trust to support Allan Sutherland at the 2012 council election had already been made when you took over from Mr Galvin.
8. You have known Mr Galvin for some time. Could the Moreton Futures Trust decision to support Allan Sutherland at the 2012 elections been an additional reason Mr Galvin relinquished trusteeship of Moreton Futures Trust (As you know Mr Galvin and Mr Sutherland were mayoral opponents in 2008.)
9. Further to the question of raising funds in 2011 to support Cr Sutherland in 2012, you told me you did not know who Moreton Futures Trust would support in 2016 as no-one has declared themselves a candidate. Yet Allan Sutherland only declared himself to be running for the April 28, 2012, election at the **March 6, 2012** council meeting. Could you explain this apparent anomaly?

Thanks for your assistance.

Cheers

Bernie

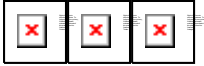
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