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Farewell Mayor Deirdre Flint

The Local Government Association of Tasmania (LGAT) notes with regret the resignation of Mayor Deirdre Flint OAM from Central Highlands Council.

Mayor Flint has been a long serving member of the LGAT General Management Committee and also served as Vice President from 2010-2012.

At the LGAT Annual Conference held in July this year, Mayor Flint was presented an *Outstanding Commitment and Service to Local Government Award* in recognition of her incredible contribution to LGAT, the Central Highlands Council and her community over the last twenty years.

"Mayor Deirdre Flint has been a champion for the Central Highlands community and Local Government in general," says LGAT President, Mayor Doug Chipman.

"Her input to LGAT and her Council will be very much missed, as will her presence at Local Government meetings and events."

"We all hope that her health improves and wish her the very best," Mayor Chipman said.

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