



Media Release

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LGAT President to step down until the Pembroke by-election is decided

Mayor Doug Chipman, Local Government Association of Tasmania President, has announced he will step down from his LGAT duties until after the Pembroke by-election is determined. Mayor Chipman is standing as a candidate for Pembroke.

In the interim LGAT's Vice President, Mayor Darryl Quilliam, will be Acting President.

Mayor Quilliam said that "given the current political environment, Doug felt his candidature was incompatible with his role as spokesperson for LGAT and therefore he decided to step aside as LGAT President for the remainder of the campaign."

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