

SUBJECT: MAYORAL MINUTE - VALE RENE REM

FROM: The Mayor

EDMS #: 25/401197

I'd like to take a moment to acknowledge Camden great, Mr Rene Rem, who sadly passed away last week.

Mr Rem was Camden's 2025 Australia Day Arts and Culture Award recipient, the current Secretary of the Camden Historical Society and was an active volunteer at the Camden Museum.

Mr Rem was a popular and hardworking member of the Historical Society. He joined the Management Committee in 2010 and spent the following 15 years volunteering; managing the roster; running coach tours; conducting school visits; looking after social media; liaising with us here at Council; and so much more.

Anyone who knew him would tell you he was warm, friendly and so passionate about history and the Camden area. We are eternally grateful for the time and effort he put into his work here in Camden and for inspiring us. He will be greatly missed.

Our condolences and thoughts are with Mr Rem's family and friends during this difficult time.

RECOMMENDED

That Council note that the flags in Argyle Street, out the front of the Oran Park Administration Building and outside the Camden Visitor Information Centre will be lowered to half-mast on the day of Rene Rem's funeral as a mark of respect, with flowers to also be sent to the funeral on behalf of the Mayor, Councillors and staff.