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To whom it may concern

It is with great sadness that we inform of the passing of our Deputy Chairman (and former Chairman), Mr Colin Nelson on the 13th January 2012 after a long battle with cancer. Colin was a founding director of the company, and held the position of Chair from April 2004 to December 2011.

Colin was a great friend and inspiration to all of us and will be sadly missed. His leadership and passion for the Bendigo Bank community bank model is unsurpassed as was his drive and commitment to the successful establishment and operation of Logan Community Financial Services Limited.

Colin truly believed in our community and did so much to support literally hundreds of community organisations, initiatives and community investments. He had a great respect for the shareholders of our company who are the group of people who hold the same vision of a locally owned company based in Logan that has: and will continue to do great things for the Logan community.

One of Colin's key legacies is the healthy state of Logan Community Financial Services Limited. He ensured that he left behind a company governed by a dedicated and collegiate board of directors, a capable, effective and passionate area manager, highly performing branch managers and committed branch and administration staff.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John McLaughlin'.

John McLaughlin
Chairman
Logan Community Financial Services Ltd