## PROBUS CLUB OF HUNTERS HILL AND DISTRICT

## **Life Members**

## **PURPOSE:**

To list those members who have been awarded Life Membership and to provide clarity on the process of awarding life membership.

## **ACTIONS:**

Life membership may be granted to nominated members under the provisions of the Constitution, clause 3cii. Nominations must be in writing, addressed to the Management Committee, for its consideration and recommendation to the full membership at a General Meeting.

The Standing Resolutions of the Club provides, in Clause 5b., for up to 5 (five) Life Members.

The first Life Member appointed was Harry Gerber, in 1986. The membership voted to make that appointment at the General Meeting of 1<sup>st</sup> April in that year. On the last occasion the number of life Members was examined, in 2009, the membership overwhelmingly resolved to retain the limit, as it had evolved to that time, to that of 5, having regard to the "outstanding service" requirement. With an upper limit of 100 on general membership, a ratio of 1 in 20 was seen as being fair and reasonable. (NB: The limit of 5 for Life Members had, as at 2009, been in place for upwards of 30 years).

**Life Members**, since the Club's inception in 1976 –

•	1986	Harry	Germer
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• 1993 Charles Baker

• 1993 Ian Malcolm

• 1994 Henry Handley

2000 Charles Murray

• 2002 Eric Hawcroft

2006 Hugh Millingen

• 2007 Gil Wahlquist

• 2010 Patricia Cox

• 2010 Alan James

• 2012 John Wills

• 2013 Les Osborne

• 2016 Ross McBride

• 2017 Vincie Wahlquist

• 2019 Ian Adair

Date of Management Committee confirmation of policy: Who to action:

1986 and 2009 President