Councillor Colleen Gates
Deputy Mayor Hobsons Bay

Declares Hobsons Bay City Council a

**Refugee Welcome Zone**

This declaration is a commitment in spirit to
Welcoming refugees into our community,
Upholding the human rights of refugees,
Demonstrating compassion for refugees and
Enhancing cultural and religious diversity in our community.

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Date: 17 June 2014

This declaration is proudly supported and endorsed by the

Refugee Council of Australia

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The Refugee Council of Australia is a peak national organisation representing over 900 organisational and individual members. The aim of the Refugee Council is to promote the adoption of flexible, humane and constructive policies toward refugees, asylum seekers and displaced persons by the Australian and other Governments and their communities.