

BALLARAT TRAMWAY PRESERVATION SOCIETY LIMITED

APPEAL SHEET

AN APPEAL TO ALL MEMBERS AND SUPPORTERS

Your Society is sending this sheet out as an Appeal for Funds. Our cash reserve is low, although not dangerous enough that we are going broke, but extra costs have been placed upon us.

By changing contractors to finish the depot we are naturally going to incur extra costs, however, we stress there is no choice - the depot work had stopped through no fault of our own.

We have loans requiring repayment to our members and in line with good business practice we should attempt to repay these on time.

Once the depot extension is finished we will require money to move our offsite trams. Because the depot is still not finished some six months after the agreed date we are incurring rental bills from our offsite storage sites not reasonably anticipated.

We have to pay bills received in connection with the depot works from our own funds until the next year of the Government Grant is paid in July.

Passenger traffic is less than anticipated, so is patronage at other tourist attractions in the area, and thus has caused a shortfall in revenue. Our Treasury Department has cut direct costs of the society as much as possible, such as the new Saturday service, but there is a great need for a cash injection to get us over this immediate period.

If you feel you can assist this appeal, by contributing say \$10 or \$20 - or more or less - we ask you to consider doing so. Any contribution would be gratefully received,

All donations of \$2 or over are tax deductible; on your income tax return please indicate the donation was to the 'Ballarat Tramway Preservation Society Ltd. Museum Fund'. Receipts will be issued on request.

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The Treasurer,  
Ballarat Tramway Preservation Society Ltd.  
30 Barcelona Street,  
BOX HILL. VIC. 3128

Dear Mrs. Dean,

Please find enclosed my donation of \$  
towards the Appeal for Funds. I do/do not require a receipt.

NAME ..... ADDRESS .....