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Ms Anne Baster
Secretary
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Dear Ms Baster

Council is inviting residents to have their say on the introduction of an additional native floral emblem for Brisbane. The new floral emblem will join the poinsettia *Euphorbia pulcherrima* as one of the official symbols to represent our city.

I am aware that you are involved in promoting and caring for Brisbane's natural environment and I'm sure this announcement will be of interest to you with your experience and expertise in native plants.

I invite you to participate by providing your suggestion through the community consultation survey to help inform a shortlist of potential native species that represent Brisbane's local environment. This survey is open from 7 March to 18 April and can be accessed via Council's website at www.brisbane.qld.gov.au by searching on 'floral emblem'. You will also have the opportunity to submit a vote of support for your favourite native floral emblem from the shortlist later in the year.

For more information, please phone our 24-hour Contact Centre on 3403 8888.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your contribution and look forward to selecting an additional native floral emblem for Brisbane.

Yours sincerely

Adrian Schrunner
LORD MAYOR

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