



## Premier of Western Australia

Our Reference: 59-211067

Mr Shahajahan Miyan  
President  
Masjid Al Falah  
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Dear Mr Miyan

It's been a difficult few months for Western Australians who have been faced with serious and extraordinary health and economic challenges.

Together, Western Australia has led the way in the fight against COVID-19 and it's because of the hard work of individuals and organisations across our community, that we're now able to re-open local businesses, cafes, pubs, and sporting venues.

During these difficult times, community leaders such as yourselves at the Masjid Al Falah have provided an important function. You have delivered messages of hope, faith and trust, and encouraged people to be patient, respectful and kind throughout this difficult time.

We understand that restrictions on gatherings seriously impacted the ability of faith leaders to carry out a range of services for their constituencies, and we sincerely thank you for adhering to restrictions and ensuring compliance with Government directives.

I am grateful to you and the volunteers within your organisation who have taken the time to look out for others, despite facing some very limiting restrictions.

While there may still some be tough times ahead, the Western Australian Government has a clear roadmap to begin the process of restarting our economy while continuing to protect the health of our community.

I look forward to working with you into the future to continue supporting the Western Australian community through these unprecedented times. We're all in this together.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Mark McGowan". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Mark McGowan MLA  
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