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We need to be realistic, transparent and accountable.

AGENDA ARLPARRA LOCAL AUTHORITY MEETING WEDNESDAY, 20 JUNE 2018

The Arlparra Local Authority will be held in Arlparra on Wednesday, 20 June 2018 at 1.30pm.

Steven Moore Chief Executive Officer

AGENDA

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	Nil	
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	Nil	
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	Nil	
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	Nil	
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	Nil	
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	Nil	
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	Nil	
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	Nil	
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	Nil	
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	Nil	
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	Nil	
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CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

ITEM NUMBER

TITLE

Confirmation of Previous Minutes

REFERENCE

246102

AUTHOR

Michael Gravener, Area Manager - Arlparra

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

a) Receive and note the report

b) Confirm the minutes of the Arlparra Local Authority Meeting held 10 May 2018 as a true and accurate record.

20 June 2018 BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL

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SUMMARY:

BACKGROUND

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

CONSULTATION & TIMING

ATTACHMENTS:

1 Arlparra LA meeting - Unconfirmed Minutes 09.05.2018.pdf





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MINUTES ARLPARRA LOCAL AUTHORITY MEETING WEDNESDAY, 9 MAY 2018

The Arlparra Local Authority was held in Arlparra on Wednesday, 9 May 2018 at 1.30pm.

Steven Moore Chief Executive Officer Meeting commenced at 1:47pm am with Joycie Jones as chair.

1. OPENING AND ATTENDANCE

1.1 Elected Members Present

Cr. Jack Clubb

Joycie Jones

Dennis Kunoth

Mark Sheals

Susan Chalmers

Ruby Morton

1.2 Staff Members Present

Michael Gravener

1.3 Apologies

Esau Nelson

Susalina Nelson

Mark Parsons

- 1.4 Absent Without Apologies
- 1.5 Disclosure Of Interest Councillors And Staff

There were no declarations of interest at this Arlparra Local Authority meeting.

2. CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

2.1 CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

MOTION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the report
- b) Confirm the minutes of the Arlparra Local Authority Meeting held 11 April 2018 as a true and accurate record.

RESOLVED

Moved:

LA Member M Sheals

Seconded:LA Member D Kunoth

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved 18/18

3. ACTION ITEMS FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

3.1 ACTION ITEMS FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

MOTION

That the Authority

a) Receive and note the report

b) Confirm that all completed items are removed from the action item list

RESOLVED

Moved: Cr. Jack Clubb

Seconded:LA Member S Chalmers

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved 19/18

4. AREA MANAGERS REPORT

4.1 AREA MANAGER REPORT ARLPARRA APRIL 2018

MOTION

That the Authority accept this report

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member M Sheals

Seconded: Chairperson Joycie Jones

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved 20/18

4.2 DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS REPORT

MOTION

That Council

a) Receive and note the report

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member D Kunoth

Seconded:LA Member M Sheals

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved 21/18

5. LOCAL AUTHORITY PROJECTS BREAKDOWN

Nil

6. CEO REPORT ON CURRENT BRC SERVICES IN LA AREA

Nil

7. BRC'S RESPONSE TO LA ISSUES RAISED

Nil

8. SERVICE DELIVERY ISSUES REPORTS IN THE LA AREA

Nil

9. LATEST FINANCIAL QUARTERLY REPORT

Nil

10. REGIONAL COUNCIL'S ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE PREVIOUS FINANCIAL YEAR

Nil

11. THE REGIONAL COUNCIL'S POLICY ON DELEGATION OF POWERS AND FUNCTIONS

Nil

12. THE REGIONAL COUNCIL'S PROPOSED REGIONAL PLAN

Nil

13. THE REGIONAL COUNCIL'S PROPOSED BUDGET PRIORITIES FOR THE LOCAL AUTHORITY AREA FOR THE NEXT FINANCIAL YEAR

Nil

14. BRC'S RESPONSE TO SERVICE DELIVERY COMPLAINTS IN THE LA AREA

Nil

15. OTHER BUSINESS

15.1 NEXT METTING DATE

MOTION

That the Authority

 a) Confirm that the next Arlparra Local Authority meeting will be held on the 13th of June 2018.

RESOLVED

Moved:

LA Member D Kunoth

Seconded: Cr. Jack Clubb

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved 22/18

16. <u>VISITOR PRESENTATIONS</u>

16.1 ARLPARRA VISITOR PRESENTATION

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

a) Receive and note the report

17. CLOSE OF MEETING

The meeting terminated at pm.

THIS PAGE AND THE PRECEEDING PAGES ARE THE MINUTES OF THE Arlparra Local Authority Meeting HELD ON Wednesday, 9 May 2018 AND CONFIRMED Wednesday, 13 June 2018.

Joycie Jones

Michael Gravener

Chair Person

Area Manager

ACTION ITEMS FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

ITEM NUMBER 3.1

TITLE

Action Items from meeting

REFERENCE 246140

AUTHOR Mark Parsons, Operations Director

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the report
- b) Confirm and remove all action items complete since previous meeting

SUMMARY:

BACKGROUND

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

CONSULTATION & TIMING

ATTACHMENTS:

1 Action List as of 09.05.2018.pdf



BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL

ARLPARRA LOCAL AUTHORITY ACTION LIST

Updated as of 9 May 2018 meeting

MEETING DATE	TASK / PROJECT	ACTIONS TO BE TAKEN	BUDGET SOURCE	ACTION LEADER	COMPLETED/STATUS
16/6/2015 Item 1	Research costs for installing Lighting at the oval	Get quotes	≤	BRC infrastructure	Project will cost more than the LA budget and is not sustainable as no
		Comments were made at the 8/11/17 meeting that portable lights were used			funds to pay for electricity costs.
		dufing the recent tootball carnival.			criter minister crites has undertaken to provide Lights
		It was suggested that the cost were			COMPLETED BY ANOTHER GOVERNMENT DEPT.
		20			Area Manager to liaise with CEO about possible options.
					COMPLETED
18/11/14 Item 2	Night Patrol office	Request support from LA members for BRC to write to CLC and ask permission to put a Night Patrol office on land next to Basketball court. (Lot 18)		Mr Graham Gust, Dol	Dept of Infrastructure will investigate land clearance on Lot 18 an report back to the Local Authority.
		funding.			Night patrol office to remain where it currently is.
April 2016 Item 3	Fencing of occupied housing at the Homelands	Investigate feasibility and scope of fencing of occupied housing at the Homelands. BRC will liaise with Dept Local Govt and	Unknown	Dir. Infrastructure	Feasibility assessment will be added to scope of investigations being undertaken in Arlparra by BRC staff.
		Communities regarding work on Homelands.			Ongoing, Area manager to liaise with Director of infrastructure in
		It is the intention that all new building will be fenced. BRC/CDP/UAC to attempt to source			regards to fencing homelands.
		material and resources to achieve an outcome for all house dwellings.			

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ARLPARRA LOCAL AUTHORITY ACTION LIST

Updated as of 9 May 2018 meeting

Car shade in front of USC office. Purchase of excavator especially for grave sites. Development of air compressor shed for public access. Greater access to wifi services.			Item 8
Short and Long term projects to consider	Quotes for carport outside UAC offices and other projects	Local Authority Funding Allocation	November 2017
Awaiting EMP meeting in June. Emphasis on fire training to be considered			Item 7
Ongoing	Emergency Management Plan for Utopian Homelands	Emergency Services	November 2017
this activity. Monies to Sport and Rec. Not approved			
Municipal team to be used to clean up space during sports events. Overtime needs to be considered for		events - \$1,000.00	iciii c
Ongoing	Awaiting Council approval	Sport & Rec for use of facility during wet and cultural	April 2017
Quotes for equipment obtained Infrastructure, design, location, wh&s and training needs to be followed up by AM			eii
Ongoing	Awaiting Council approval To be set up at shop	Tyre changing shed and	April 2017
toilets on trailers, Area manager to present quotes for toilets and more information at next LA meeting	that toilets were a big issue during the recent football carnival.	\$82,490.00	
Ongoing LA to consider purchase of portable	Awaiting Council approval. Comments were made at the 8/11/17 meeting	Male/female toilets at oval for sports weekends and community events -	April 2017 Items 4

180501 Action list - Arlparra updated as of 8.11.2017 meeting180501 Action list - Arlparra updated as of 09.05.2018 meeting

Attachment 1



ARLPARRA LOCAL AUTHORITY ACTION LIST

Updated as of 9 May 2018 meeting

180501 Action list - Arlparra updated as of 8.11.2017 meeting180501 Action list - Arlparra updated as of 09.05.2018 meeting

Attachment 1

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AREA MANAGERS REPORT

ITEM NUMBER

4.1

TITLE

Operations Director Report

REFERENCE

246439

AUTHOR

Mark Parsons, Operations Director

RECOMMENDATION

That Council.

a) Receive and note the report

SUMMARY:

- Another month down and the Communities continue to improve. All the Area Managers are working to improve service delivery in Communities.
- We have held an Area Managers recall Meeting this month which has been well received by all. We are continuing the education around the Local Authority Meetings, and the AM,s will soon be doing all the preparation and reporting relating to the LA meetings. They have also had sessions with all Council departments to make sure that the lines of communication stay open.
- Works are well underway on the Shiny Shed at Alpurrurulam, with the painting being finished. The ablution block has been built in Darwin and we are just awaiting it to be transported to Alpurrurulam and installed.
- Rainbow Gateway through our host agreement at Alpurrurulam started providing us with CDP Participants to work in the following areas; Municipal works 3-4 participants attend for 5 hours a day commencing the week of the 16/5/18, Aged/Community Care 1-2 participants and the Office 1 participant will commence the week starting 23/5/18.
- Our Community Coordinator at Wutunugurra has resigned and we have recruited a
 new staff member to fill this position on a short term 3 month contract whilst we go
 through the recruitment process. This person has already spent time out at the
 community and is well liked, and very proactive so we have high hopes for him.
- Ampilatwatja Local Authority has moved their next meeting from the 13th of June to the 20th of June. This was done to accommodate two of the LA Members being away on the 13th. It is good to see LA members being engaged in these meetings and having the foresight to move their meetings to facilitate quorum.
- We made quorum for Local Authority Meetings on 4 out of our 6 Communities this Month. Alpurrurulam and Wutunugurra both missed out due to lack of LA members on Community.
- I have been limited to the amount of communities that I have visited this month as I
 have had other commitments both work related and personal. I had the opportunity
 to undertake the role of acting CEO for a week and quite enjoyed the extra
 challenges this brought to my role. I still managed to visit both Wutunugurra and Ali
 Curung to catch up with our newest Area managers.
- The Communities continue to improve and I'm continuing to give the Area Managers as much help and guidance as possible, this includes encouraging them to further themselves through training, both internal and external.

 My position continues to throw up new challenges most weeks, but I believe these are part and parcel of living in the beautiful Barkly Region.

BACKGROUND

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ORGANISATIONAL RISK ASSESSMENT

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BUDGET IMPLICATION

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ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

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CONSULTATION & TIMING

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ATTACHMENTS:

AREA MANAGERS REPORT

ITEM NUMBER

4.2

TITLE

Arlparra Area Managers Report April 2018

REFERENCE

247255

AUTHOR

Michael Gravener, Area Manager - Arlparra

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority receives and notes this report dated the 7th of June 2018

SUMMARY:

This report is a summary of BRC business, programs, services and activities within the Homeland of Arlparra and its surrounding Homelands of Utopia.

BACKGROUND Administration

Staff meetings on each Monday will continue weekly when possible. This month this has been restricted by Area Manager Appointments. The intention is to continue a joint staff meetings with BRC and Urapuntja Aboriginal Corporation (UAC) staff. Weekly movements, activities and issues are discussed including training in WH&S principles to ensure a safe and healthy work and operating environment.

Staff has been advised to prepare for a change in the delivery of payrolls from a weekly to a fortnightly basis as determined

Recruitment for new municipal team is not yet complete. Advertising for positions has been completed and a pre interview process has been held with applicants to discuss team work and work commitments. It is hoped that we will have a new team working with BRC by the beginning of the new financial year. 4 potential workers have consistently expressed a willingness to be employed in the Municipal roles.

Aged Care

Coordinator is very reliable in ensuring that the Aged Care community throughout the Homelands is ensured a good hearty meal and that their blankets and bedding is cleaned.

- Food and personal cleaning services are delivered throughout the Homelands for National Disability Insurance Services (NDIS) residents.
- Services are anticipating new Aged Care vehicle to ensure travel reliability throughout the region. Reliable vehicles are essential to the delivery of this service.
- Staff attendance has been better more consistent this month.
- Recruitment for another Aged Care Worker is yet to be completed.
- Hampers are provided for weekend purposes.
- Participants in the service have been asked to give feedback on a regular basis to the quality of the food and are given an opportunity to participate in suggesting favorite meals.
- Complaints are acted upon immediately in the endeavor to keep the participants well
 cared for in their environments.

Essential Services

- Power Station continues to be upgraded. A more powerful generator is being installed at this time to cater for suspected increase in power demands with the development of a further 10 housed in Arlparra.
- Power source has been consistent throughout the region all the way to Ampilatwaltja
- The Area Manager has acted as temporary Essential Services Officer in order to give the ESO some relief time.
- Area Manager to enroll in ESO course as a back up to current ESO.
- Airstrip consistently maintained and in good order. The fences will be further cleared in the near future with 2 meter clearance both sides of the fence.
- Service equipment in good order.

Municipal Services

- Recruitment for new BRC Municipal workers is still in progress.
- Essential Services Officer is assisting in ensuring a rubbish run in Arlparra is completed once a week at a minimum.
- Thanks to Central Desert Regional Council (CDRC) Homelands crew who have assisted in this task from time to time while the BRC crew is recreated.
- Cleaning up around the sport and rec Centre, depot and office block has been more than welcome.
- The oval was recently graded to prepare for Arlparra Schools event.
- Both the Backhoe and Grader are back on line which has been more than welcome.
- Community arterial roads will therefore be graded in the near future through a contract arrangement with local Aboriginal business.

Night Patrol

- Interviews for three more night patrol workers have taken place. Four people have expressed interest in three night patrol positions. It is hoped that recruitment for positions will take place in the near future.
- The service has not been operating for several months due to lack of staff.
- The Night Patrol Vehicle has been on loan for some time in other communities.
- Night Patrol officers are currently undergoing training in Alice Springs.

Sport and Recreation

- This service is well accessed with a variety of programs and activities to keep the young people busy.
- Activities occur throughout the week and on weekends when staffing is available and approved by the Community Services Director.
- The program shut down for several days while Sorry Business was held.
- The Sport and Rec coordinator assisted in the running of the recent Arlparra School carnival
- Two Sport and Rec. officers assist the Coordinator. There attendance in the workplace can be sporadic at times.
- The Sports and Rec. Officer also assist with school attendance during the school weeks.

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

1. Clarity as to who is responsible for the Arlparra and Homelands water supply, servicing and quality control, is uncertain.

- Central Desert Regional Council (CDRC) will cease to operate the municipal services and repair and maintenance of houses in the Utopia Homelands as of the 1st July 2018. The outcome of
- 3. Lease meeting acquisition for the depot has still not occurred.

ATTACHMENTS:

LA OTHER BUSINESS

ITEM NUMBER

15.1

TITLE

May Local Authority Finance Report

REFERENCE

246559

AUTHOR

Gary Pemberton, Finance Manager

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

a) Receive and note the report.

SUMMARY:

BACKGROUND

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

CONSULTATION & TIMING

ATTACHMENTS:

1 May Finance.pdf



Local Authority Allocation								
Project: 405	Arlparra		Budget		Іпсош	Income and Expenditures	res	
				2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	Total
INCOME								
Operating	Grants Received		297,461.00	77,827.00	77,827.00	77,827.00	63,980.00	297,461.00
	INCOME TOTAL		297,461.00	77,827.00	77,827.00	77,827.00	63,980.00	297,461.00
Approved Minutes		Expenditure Date						
EXPENDITURE	70							
Aug-15	Toilet Rental	Sep-15	14,420.00	14,420.00				14,420.00
LA Funding Committed	Committed)				
Apr-17	Animal Management Activities	ties	15,000.00	15,000.00				15,000.00
Apr-17	Multi-Purpose Shelter		00.666,66	27,622.55	72,376.45			00.888,88
	EXPENDITURE TOTAL		150,203.45	77,827.00	72,376.45	•	•	150,203.45
Balance of funds to be committed	committed		147,257.55	•	5,450.55	77,827.00	63,980.00	147,257.55

LA OTHER BUSINESS

ITEM NUMBER 15.2

TITLE Draft Barkly Regional Council Regional Plan & Budget 2018-2019

20 June 2018
BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL

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REFERENCE 246575

AUTHOR Steve Moore, Chief Executive Officer

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority:

a) Receives and notes the report

b) Provides feedback to Council on the draft 2018-19 Regional Council Plan during the consultation period.

SUMMARY:

A copy of the draft regional plan will be sent to member following the Council meeting on Thursday the 31st of May 2018.

The Draft 2018/19 Regional Council Plan is required to be advertised for public inspection with comments invited for at least a period of 21 days. Council is then required to consider the submissions and make any revision to the Regional Council Plan as appropriate before finalising the plan.

BACKGROUND

At the Ordinary Council meeting held on 23 February 2018 the Council endorsed the Budget Policy CP000002, which established the operational framework and process for preparation of the 2018/19 Regional Council Plan.

On 22 February a planning meeting was held where the Councillors were invited to contribute issues and priority projects for inclusion into the 2018/19 Regional Council Plan. These items have been compiled and, in consultation with the relevant staff within the Council, a draft Regional Council Plan has been developed by council officers that aims to incorporate the priorities of the Councillors and communities.

The key components of the Regional Council Plan are as follows:

- The Service Delivery Plan which outlines each service delivered by the Council as well as the current and future service delivery activities.
- The Annual Corporate Plan which addresses the projects and activities to be undertaken in 2018/19.
- The Annual Budget for 2018/19.
- Rating Policy for 2018/19
- Schedule of Fees and Charges for 2018/19.
- Maximum Allowances for Elected and Appointed Members.
- Community Plans

ORGANISATIONAL RISK ASSESSMENT

BUDGET IMPLICATION

Refer to Budget Analysis 2018-2019 paper.

Refer to Declaration of Rates and Charges 2018-2019 paper.

Refer to Schedule of Fees and Charges 2018-2019 paper.

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

Options

The Council may direct the staff to make changes to the Regional Council Plan as required. The Council must adopt the Regional Council Plan and budget on or before 31 July 2017 in accordance with the *Local Government Act*. If the Council is not satisfied with the contents of the Regional Council Plan and budget, it can seek an extension to this time with the Minister for Local Government.

Relevant Legislation

Section 24 of the *Local Government Act* deals with the annual review of the Regional Council Plan. Revisions must be adopted between 1 April and 31 July each year and a copy forwarded to the Department of Local Government and Community Services.

Section 128 of the *Local Government Act* states that the Council must adopt a budget on or before 31 July of each financial year.

CONSULTATION & TIMING

The Draft 2018/19 Regional Council Plan is required to be advertised for public inspection with comments invited for at least a period of 21 days.

The Draft Barkly Regional Council Regional Plan & Budget 2018-19 will be made accessible on the Council's website and available at Council's offices on Friday, 1 June 2018 and will be open for public consultation for a period of 21 days. The availability of the document for public consultation will be advertised in the Tennant Creek Times Friday 1 June 2018.

ATTACHMENTS:

OTHER BUSINESS

ITEM NUMBER

15.3

TITLE

Confirmation of next meeting date

REFERENCE

247950

AUTHOR

Mark Parsons, Operations Director

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

a) Confirm the date of the next Arlparra Local Authority meeting as 18 July 2018

20 June 2018 BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL

SUMMARY:

BACKGROUND

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

CONSULTATION & TIMING

ATTACHMENTS:

There are no attachments for this report.

