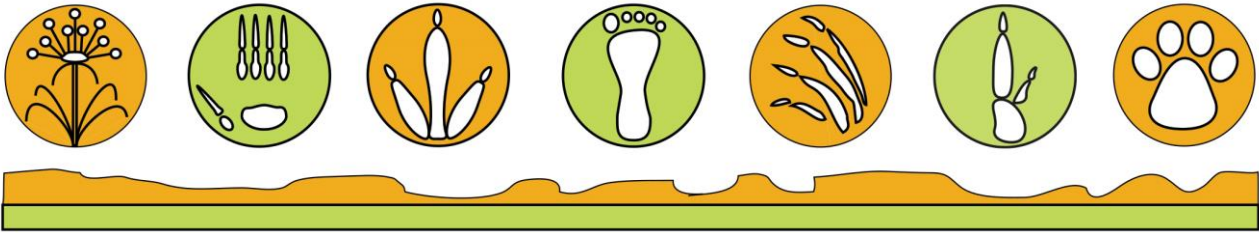


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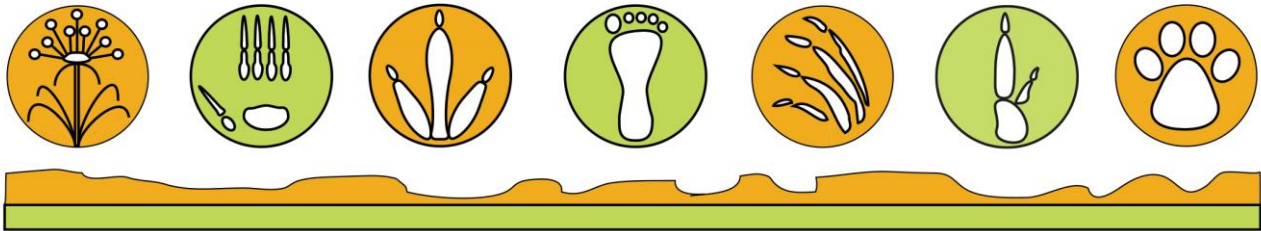
WUTUNUGURRA LOCAL AUTHORITY MEETING

TUESDAY, 9 MARCH 2021

Barkly Regional Council's Wutunugurra Local Authority will be held in on Tuesday, 9 March 2021 at 10:30am.

Steven Moore
Chief Executive Officer

BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL



COUNCIL PRAYER

Our Lord Jesus Christ, we trust you will guide and bless this meeting of the Barkly Regional Council. We pray that you will ensure that all discussions and decisions made today are just and fair as they will affect all people within the Barkly Region. We also pray for your guidance to ensure that all our dealings are appropriate to all those whom we represent and will reflect an equitable and honest approach to the issues to be discussed today.

Amen

WELCOME TO COUNTRY

I respectfully acknowledge the traditional owners past and present of this land on which we are meeting, the Warumungu people.

AGENDA

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CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

ITEM NUMBER 2.1
TITLE Confirmation of Previous Minutes
REFERENCE 312987
AUTHOR Owen Torres, Area Manager - Wutunugurra

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

- a) Confirm the minutes of the Local Authority meeting held on the 10th November as a true and accurate record.

SUMMARY:

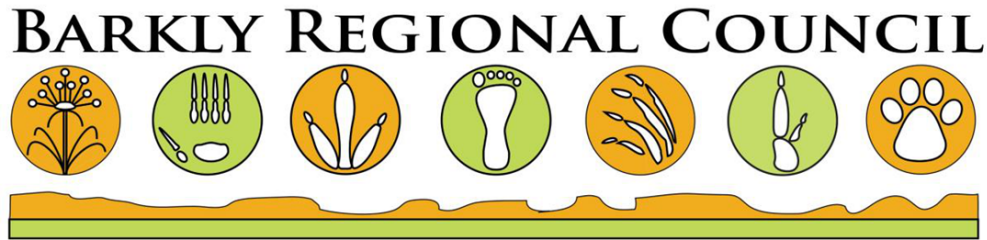
BACKGROUND

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

CONSULTATION & TIMING

ATTACHMENTS:

1 [↓](#) Wutunugurra December Minutes.PDF



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MINUTES WUTUNUGURRA LOCAL AUTHORITY

The Wutunugurra Local Authority of the Barkly Regional Council was held in on Tuesday, 15 December 2020 at 9:30am.

Steven Moore
Chief Executive Officer

Meeting commenced at 9:35am with Rochelle Bonney as chair.

1. **OPENING AND ATTENDANCE**

- 1.1 Elected Members Present
 - Mayor Jeffrey McLaughlin
 - Mark Peterson
 - Julie Peterson
 - Rochelle Bonney
 - Geraldine Beasley
- 1.2 Staff And Visitors Present
 - Mark Parsons
 - Nicole Civitarese
 - Thomas Barlow
 - Sally Barker
- 1.3 Apologies To Be Accepted
 - Cr Lucy Jackson
 - Cr Noel Hayes
 - Cr Ricky Holmes
 - Cr Jack Club
 - Shirley Beasley
 - Kay Beasley
- 1.4 Absent Without Apologies
- 1.5 Disclosure Of Interest

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

2. **CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES**

2.1 CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

MOTION

That the Authority in provisional meeting

- a) Confirm the minutes of the Local Authority meeting held on the 10th November as a true and accurate record.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Geraldine Beasley

Seconded: LA Member Rochelle Bonney

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved WLA 76/20

3. **ACTIONS FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES**

3.1 MONTHLY ACTION LIST

MOTION

That the Authority in provisional meeting

- a) Receive and note the report;
- b) Confirm all completed action items and remove them from the action list.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Mark Peterson

Seconded: LA Member Julie Peterson

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved WLA 77/20

MOTION

That the Authority in provisional meeting

- A) Obtain quotes for the construction of a new playground and building of a stage under the covered area.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Rochelle Bonney

Seconded: LA Member Geraldine Beasley

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved WLA 78/20

4. CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS

4.1 MONTHLY CEO REPORT

MOTION

That the Authority in provisional meeting

- A) Receive and Note the Operations Directors Report

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Rochelle Bonney

Seconded: LA Member Mark Peterson

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved WLA 79/20

5. FINANCE

5.1 MONTHLY FINANCE REPORT

MOTION

That the Authority in provisional meeting

- a) Receive and note the finance report.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Mark Peterson

Seconded: LA Member Geraldine Beasley

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved WLA 80/20

6. AREA MANAGERS REPORT

6.1 MONTHLY AREA MANAGERS REPORT	
MOTION	
That the Authority in provisional meeting	
a) Receive and note the report.	
RESOLVED	
Moved:	LA Member Julie Peterson
Seconded:	LA Member Rochelle Bonney
	CARRIED UNAN.
<i>Resolved WLA 81/20</i>	

7. **GENERAL BUSINESS**

7.1 BARKLY REGIONAL DEAL UPDATE	
MOTION	
That the Authority in provisional meeting	
a) Receive and note the report	
RESOLVED	
Moved:	LA Member Geraldine Beasley
Seconded:	LA Member Mark Peterson
	CARRIED UNAN.
<i>Resolved WLA 82/20</i>	

8. **CORRESPONDENCE**

Nil

9. **OTHER MATTERS FOR NOTING**

Nil

10. **REPORTS FROM BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL**

10.1 COUNCIL REPORT- NOVEMBER 2020	
MOTION	
That the Authority in provisional meeting	
a) Receive and note the report	
RESOLVED	
Moved:	LA Member Rochelle Bonney
Seconded:	LA Member Julie Peterson
	CARRIED UNAN.
<i>Resolved WLA 83/20</i>	

11. **THE REGIONAL COUNCIL'S PROPOSED REGIONAL PLAN**

Nil

12. **VISITOR PRESENTATIONS**

12.1 DEPARTMENT OF CHIEF MINISTER & CABINET	
MOTION	
That the Authority in provisional meeting	
a) Receive and note the presentation.	
RESOLVED	
Moved:	LA Member Julie Peterson
Seconded:	LA Member Mark Peterson
	CARRIED UNAN.
<i>Resolved WLA 84/20</i>	

13. OTHER BUSINESS

13.1 CONFIRMATION OF NEXT MEETING DATE.	
MOTION	
That the Authority in provisional meeting	
(a) Confirm the next meeting date's to be	
Tuesday 09 ^h February 2021	
Tuesday 09 ^h March 2021	
Tuesday 13 th April 2021	
Tuesday 11 th May 2021	
Tuesday 15 th June 2021	
Tuesday 13 th July 2021	
Tuesday 10 th August 2021	
Tuesday 14 th September 2021	
Tuesday 12 th October 2021	
Tuesday 09 th November 2021	
Tuesday 14 ^h December 2021	
RESOLVED	
Moved:	LA Member Mark Peterson
Seconded:	LA Member Julie Peterson
	CARRIED UNAN.
<i>Resolved WLA 85/20</i>	

14. CLOSE OF MEETING 10:21am

THIS PAGE AND THE PRECEEDING 5 PAGES ARE THE MINUTES OF THE Wutunugurra Local Authority Meeting HELD ON Tuesday, 15 December 2020 AND CONFIRMED Tuesday, 12 January 2021.

Chair

Owen Torres
Area Manager

Provisional

ACTIONS FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

ITEM NUMBER 3.1
TITLE Monthly Action List
REFERENCE 312988
AUTHOR Owen Torres, Area Manager - Wutunugurra

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the report;
- b) Confirm all completed action items and remove them from the action list.

SUMMARY:

BACKGROUND

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

CONSULTATION & TIMING

ATTACHMENTS:

1 [↓](#) Wutunugurra Action List.pdf

 <p>BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL</p>	<p>WUTUNUGURRA LOCAL AUTHORITY ACTION LIST</p>	<p><i>As of 10th February 2021</i></p>
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Item number	Meeting date	Task / project	Actions to be taken	Budget source	Action leader	Completed/status
1	03/09/2019	MOU for women's centre	CEO will talk to CEO of Barkly arts to discuss possible MOU for use of the Wutunugurra women's centre.	LA		Ongoing
2	03/09/2019	Men's shed upgrade	Funding to be sourced via community project funding	LA		Ongoing
3	03/09/2019	BMX track and the trail bike track		LA		Ongoing
4	15/12/2020	Shade over playground	Quotes to be sourced for quotes over the playground	LA		Ongoing

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS

ITEM NUMBER	4.1
TITLE	Monthly CEO Report
REFERENCE	312500
AUTHOR	Mark Parsons, Operations Director

RECOMMENDATION**That Council**

- A) Receive and note the Operations Directors Report

SUMMARY:

All Communities have had substantial rainfall during February resulting in the grass getting out of control. Therefore, the story from all Area Managers is the same when I ask what your Current priority is **Cutting Grass is the answer.**

Out of the six Local Authorities, only two met this month. This was due to a lot of Ceremony and Sorry Business in the Region.

The Community breakdowns are as follows.

Ali Curung

Ceremony started in Ali Curung early in February this is the first time in several years that this is happening out there. The airstrip has been closed a few times this month due to the bad weather our staff continue to monitor this on a daily basis.. Murray Downs road closure due to flooding.

The Community is very excited that the tender for the new sport and Rec centre has been awarded and they are keen to see this work commence.

Our staff continue to do the day to day works of Rubbish, Slashing , Whipper Snipper , , landfill tidy-up

The LA met on the 8th Feb and Quorum was reached.

As per our capital budget, we have purchased a new ATV and it should arrive before the end of the month.

Grey Water for Football Oval

I have had discussions with Power and Water representatives this month about using grey water to irrigate the football oval. I was told due to the NT water standards for Grey Water usage it would not be cost effective for Council to set up a treatment plant to render the water safe enough to use. The estimated price for treatment is \$7.50 a kiloliter.

They have suggested that Council utilize a disused bore next to the oval which would not have to be metered as it produces less than ten liters per second, I will get some estimated costs for this project.



Elliott

Contractors have arrived to commence metal removal from the tip, as well as Harvey Constructions who will commence work on the football oval ablution block and the ANZAC memorial shade structure.

Power and Water have replaced 88/100 streetlights with LED lighting, making the streets much brighter, with the remaining 12 to be done at a later date.

Since the water park has been up and running the kids and even the adults have been using it every day.

The weather has meant that the grass mowing has been a full time battle.

We have completed a number of the outstanding work projects this month; the entry ramp now is looking great.

We will be putting in a reticulation system in the next few weeks and planting trees at the football oval.



Alpurrurulam

There was a Funeral on the 7th of February which was well attended despite the rains in the region.

Rainfall this month so far Alpurrurulam 44.6mm Mt Isa 124.8mm and Camooweal 80.6mm. They have had considerable rain around them which has kept the roads closed in the region (Sandover Highway and Austral Downs Road). The river continues to rise and is impassable at present.

They had a police visit with the Police being flown in on Wednesday 10 February and departed Friday the 12th.

Despite road closures, Alpurrurulam is still having ongoing issues with alcohol coming in. I hope that with the river on the rise this will slow down over the next month.

Alpurrurulam had an LA meeting this month with quorum being met.



Ampilatawatja

Ampilatawatja had a severe storm hit the Community early in February causing a lot of damage to buildings and power lines with a number of trees falling down. Two of our Council facilities were effected by this and another 12 Community houses were without power for a day until the Electricians could get onsite to do the repairs. Ceremony has just completed in this Area but following this has unfortunately been Sorry Business which affected the LA meeting not meeting quorum this month. Our staff have been busy cutting grass and cleaning up the landfill.



Wuttunugurra

Due to Ceremony and Sorry Business, we did not get to have an LA meeting in Wuttunugurra this month. The staff out there have still been working hard to keep up with the grass growing and have done a clean-up on the landfill. As a part of our transition into the new depot shed, we have had a number of shipping containers moved into the new depot yard. These containers have plumbing supplies and leftover sport and rec equipment in them and the staff will be sorting this gear out to make sure they are well utilised.

Arlparra

There is ongoing Ceremony at Arlparra this month. As per most of the other Communities, this has prevented the Local Authority from meeting but with any luck we will get quorum in March.

Tennant Creek

It has been another big month for the Municipal team in Tennant Creek. They have cleaned up the grass and weeds that were becoming overgrown at the cemetery, they did this with some assistance from CDP. They have also done a great job of keeping on top of the grass growing down Peko road and on Purkiss reserve.

The Landfill crew have opened up the bottom block and we now have bays being utilised back in that area.

On the 15th Feb we had a small number of fish die at Lake Maryanne and the municipal team were quick at getting out there and cleaning up the fish before they got to smelly.

We also had a new water truck delivered this month that the staff were very pleased to see as it has been a long process to get it here.



BACKGROUND

ORGANISATIONAL RISK ASSESSMENT

BUDGET IMPLICATION

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

CONSULTATION & TIMING

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ATTACHMENTS:

FINANCE

ITEM NUMBER 5.1
TITLE Monthly Finance Report
REFERENCE 312989
AUTHOR Makhaim Brandon, Administration Officer

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the finance report.

SUMMARY:

BACKGROUND

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

CONSULTATION & TIMING

ATTACHMENTS:

1 [↓](#) Monthly Finance Report.pdf

Barkly Regional Council
 Local Authority Allocation
 Project: 405 Wutunungurra

	Income and Expenditures							Total
	Budget	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	
INCOME								
LA Grants Received	161,075.86	19,601.86	31,077.00	31,077.00	26,440.00	26,440.00	26,440.00	161,075.86
Funding Received								
INCOME TOTAL	161,075.86	19,601.86	31,077.00	31,077.00	26,440.00	26,440.00	26,440.00	161,075.86
Approved Minutes								
Expenditure Date								
EXPENDITURE								
LA Funding Expended								
Jun-14	16,265.32	16,265.32						16,265.32
Nov-15	1,840.06	1,840.06						1,840.06
Jun-17	24,184.00		24,184.00					24,184.00
Jun-17	33,100.00	1,496.48	6,893.00					33,100.00
Fencing	3,195.00			24,710.52				3,195.00
Cemetery Tank	5,948.00			3,171.48				5,948.00
Portable Toilets	22,090.00				2,776.52			22,090.00
LA Funding Committed								
EXPENDITURE TOTAL	106,622.38	19,601.86	31,077.00	31,077.00	24,866.52	0.00	0.00	106,622.38
Balance of funds to be committed	54,453.48	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,573.48	26,440.00	26,440.00	\$54,453.48

AREA MANAGERS REPORT

ITEM NUMBER 6.1
TITLE Monthly Area Managers Report
REFERENCE 312990
AUTHOR Owen Torres, Area Manager - Wutunugurra

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the report.

SUMMARY:

BACKGROUND

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CONSULTATION & TIMING

ATTACHMENTS:

- 1 [↓](#) Wutunugurra Monthly AM Report.docx

AREA MANAGER REPORT – Wutunugurra

Month – February 2021

VISITORS TO Wutunugurra:

1. Telstra
2. Sharon Lake – Director Community Services
3. Harvey Development
4. CDP Rise Ngurratjuta - Tim Herman

GENERAL:

Been a quite month with activities, all the ceremonies have finished, and getting back to normal. We had a visit from Sharon Lake who came out for our Suicide Prevention talks with the community and stake holders, very well received. Good to see that we have CDP participants working again, getting the grass cut inside community yards.

HIGHLIGHTS:

Accommodation water tank had a leak and we had the tank replaced. Hoping soon we will know who gets the tender to build our BMX track. Had a number of our “C” containers relocated around the community, one will be used for the Sport & Rec team to store some of their equipment. Damian Carter came out to survey the community for our Telstra tower, and we could have fibre optic cables put in here, at the office

ISSUES:

Donna has informed me that she will not be back this week, and is hoping to get back in the next 2 weeks. Night Patrol was stopped by community members from doing their job. Again the fence around office has been cut open, and have reported this to Police.

LOCAL AUTHORITY FUNDING

LA Funding total	\$ 54,453.48		
Acquittal date funding	Project	Resolution No in LA Minutes/Date	Endorsed by Council Resolution No/Date
Committed not expended (list projects and amounts) Must be minuted	\$		
Completed Projects (list projects and amounts)	\$		

Total Funding unexpended	\$ 54,453.48
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ADMINISTRATION	Ada Beasley has started in the Administration position until Donna comes back, which will be another possibly 2 weeks.
DEPOT	Vehicle 1 and 32 taken into Tennant for repairs
ESSENTIAL SERVICES	Grass cutting around community ongoing. Setting up new workshop ongoing. Eldon Ross has started as our new Supervisor
SPORT & REC.	
AGED CARE	NA
NIGHT PATROL	Stopped from doing their work. The repairs to the Night Patrol building has been done and they will be back to normal.
AREA MANAGERS TRAVEL	Last 3 Fridays had to go into Tennant for tyres and repairs on our vehicles
HOMELANDS	N/A
SAFE HOUSE	N/A
WATERPARK	N/A
LIBRARY	N/A
PLAY GROUP	N/A

OTHER. Looking for another Part Time worker to join our Municipal Team, preferred with a Driver's License.

GENERAL BUSINESS

ITEM NUMBER 7.1
TITLE Environmental and Sustainability Committee
REFERENCE 312968
AUTHOR Makhaim Brandon, Administration Officer

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the report.

SUMMARY:

As of the council meeting held on the 25th of February 2021 it was decided to shift the responsibilities Environmental and Sustainability sub-committee to the community local authorities and have each LA take on the roles and responsibilities and decision making in regards to projects such as tree planting, litter prevention on communities and landfills. Each month an agenda item will be included to promote discussion about environmental issues on our communities.

BACKGROUND

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

CONSULTATION & TIMING

ATTACHMENTS:

GENERAL BUSINESS

ITEM NUMBER 7.2
TITLE RISE - Ngurratjuta CDP Report
REFERENCE 312992
AUTHOR Makhaim Brandon, Administration Officer

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the report from RISE-Ngurratjuta CDP

SUMMARY:

BACKGROUND

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

CONSULTATION & TIMING

ATTACHMENTS:

1 [↓](#) 2021_February_Rise_Ngurratjuta_Newsletter.pdf



Activity Update

Activities are running across all our regions. There are a lot of new activities and training planned in the coming weeks and months to support our clients with upskilling and support of their communities.

Reminder

Under Centrelink requirements, Job Seekers have a mutual obligation which for most clients is compulsory; to complete activities listed in Job Plans, attend appointments with CDP providers, completed job search, and accept any suitable paid employment. If Job Seekers do not meet their mutual obligation requirements, they could face suspensions or financial penalties that may be applied by Centrelink.

To avoid any impact on payments Job Seekers, need to attend activities or be in contact with their nearest CDP office as to why they cannot attend.

Mutitjulu Pizza Fridays

Participants are taking part in Pizza Fridays at Mutitjulu, everyone is involved from the planning of the toppings which is done early in the week, how many pizzas made are based on who is attending the activity.

This pizza oven was assembled and then decorated with hand-painted tiles by the Mutitjulu activity.



Elliott – Recycling Project

Elliott participants are in the process of building furniture out of recycled materials as well as restoring furniture.

As part of making their activity space practical and looking special, they have begun painting the shipping containers and looking forward to training starting in February to build a Dome for an outside undercover work-space.



Tennant Creek – New break out space

Learning new skills, creating new shade space as part of their activity, the men have been cutting pavers, laying pavers, and building planter boxes all part of their space at the "Hub." The next stage is planting vegetables in the planter boxes and building an outside oven.



Building A Strong Partnership Voyages at Yulara

The Rise-Ngurratjuta team at Mutitjulu is working with the Employment and Education Pathways team at Voyages at Yulara. Voyages have put together a variety of taster activities for job seekers to do short work experience in different employment areas to get an idea of what is involved in the job.

The different experiences will range from House-keeping, Security, Landscaping/Gardening, Hotel Front of House, Food & Beverage, Kitchen Steward, and Retail with more planned. Voyages develop new ways to allow job seekers to experience and build skills to join the workforce.



Voyages Information session with Participants

Employee of Month

Meet Christopher Dixon, he is a local man from Mutitjulu who started employment at the Mutitjulu Pool in January 2021.

Christopher will start training to become a lifeguard. With the support of his manager and his Consultant at Rise-Ngurratjuta, Christopher will be undertaking several certified training activities to become fully qualified. We wish Christopher all the best in his new career.



New Staff Members

The Tennant Creek Team is excited to welcome two new members, Melissa Carse & Fiona McCabe-Keys. Melissa has a wealth of knowledge in planning, delivering training, plus has worked in the delivery of the Community Development Program.

Fiona is new to the industry, but her strong banking and administration skills are a bonus to support our clients. Both ladies are fitting into the team and already providing great customer services to our clients.



Melissa Carse



Fiona McCabe-Keys



Bri & Zac

The NEW Docker River Team started in January 2021, we welcomed Bri Williams & Zac Smith. They have several years of experience working in remote communities. Bri and Zac are keen to work with the community and have lots of great ideas to support our clients.

12 Months of Service: Rise-Ngurratjuta



Rise-Ngurratjuta would like to thank Manny Fry-Croydon, Kenny Hewson, Louise Hewson, and Craig Shaw for their 12 months of service with the team. Without your dedication, time, and skills, the team members across the regions could not provide the services for our clients.

Thank you



Manny Fry-Croydon



Craig Shaw



Louise & Kenny Hewson

Wet Season - Time to Slow Down on the Roads

Just a reminder to everyone to be safe while driving in the NT. This time of year, the rains can change road conditions in minutes, especially if on dirt roads.

- ▲ Check the weather if it is safe to travel.
- ▲ Have a full tank of fuel for long drives.
- ▲ Check you car if it has a spare tire.
(Make sure you have the tools for changing a tyre in boot of your car)
- ▲ Slow down driving when raining.
- ▲ If on a dirt road slowdown - beware of puddles
- ▲ If you break down - DO NOT PANIC - Breaking down is common.
- ▲ Stay with the car.
- ▲ Wave down passing cars to ask for help or ask them to get help for you.
- ▲ Keep in mind that everyone helps everyone in the bush.



Keep Safe on our Roads

Training Update

Training is coming to our activities, in partnership with the Bachelor Institute. We are in the process of mapping out a 12-month training plan. Training for the first part of the year will commence in Elliott, Tara, Mutitjulu, and Tennant Creek. There is more training planned for Mungkarta, Ali Curung, Epenarra later in the year.

If you would like to know more about training, please talk to your consultant or contact our nearest Rise-Ngurratjuta office.



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RISE-NGURRATJUTA
A JOINT VENTURE PARTNERSHIP



Jobs of the Month

Do you want to join a great team? Be part of something different? Come join a great team of people, who are here to help others.

We are looking for 3x Supervisor roles in our communities of Imanpa, Murray Downs & Mungkarta

- Can you lead, coach, and supervise job seekers?
- Plan Tasks?
- Complete documentation for reporting
- Maintain Equipment
- Pass Ochre Card & Police Check
- A driver's license is preferred

If you would like to know more, please contact the nearest Rise-Ngurratjuta office near you. Come be part of something special. If you want to know more or support in your community contact Rise-Ngurratjuta

We welcome your feedback and are always looking for partners to support our communities. www.rise-ngurratjuta.com.au

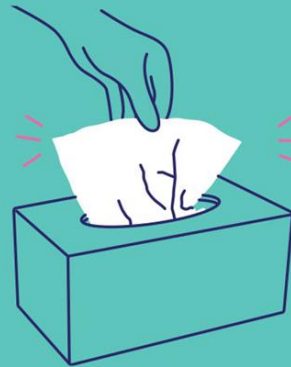
Coronavirus
(COVID-19)

SIMPLE STEPS TO HELP STOP THE SPREAD.

Cough or sneeze into your arm



Use a tissue



Bin the tissue



Wash your hands



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GENERAL BUSINESS

ITEM NUMBER 7.3
TITLE Barkly Regional Deal Update
REFERENCE 313009
AUTHOR Makhaim Brandon, Administration Officer

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the report

SUMMARY:

<This should set out what the report is about, why it was written and why it is relevant.>

BACKGROUND

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ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

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CONSULTATION & TIMING

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ATTACHMENTS:

REPORTS FROM BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL

ITEM NUMBER	10.1
TITLE	Council Report- February 2021
REFERENCE	312866
AUTHOR	Makhaim Brandon, Administration Officer

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the report

SUMMARY:

This Report is a summary of Council meeting for February 2021.

BACKGROUND

The February Council meeting went well, with some councillors travelling to Tennant Creek and other phoning in.

Council approved the motion from the Alpururulam Local authority to go to a bi-monthly basis for meetings starting in March. The work of the purkiss reserve fencing was awarded to Harvey Development. Council also approved the variation to the capital budget to include the resurfacing of the TC basketball courts.

4 new community projects funded by council were approved by the governance table of commerce these include the upgrade to the sport and rec building at Ampilatwatja, Alpururulams basketball court upgrade, upgrade and refurbishment of the Art Centre building at Wutunugurra and the Elliott football change rooms.

The Tennant Creek local authority has 2 new members appointed, the Ampilatwatja and Elliott local authorities both have vacancies.

Council also endorsed the allocation of funds for the following projects:

Ali Curung has allocated \$9455.88 to the purchase and installation of a new shade sail over the water park area as well as another \$6765.00 to the purchasing and installation of meter boxes around the community.

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

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CONSULTATION & TIMING

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ATTACHMENTS:

VISITOR PRESENTATIONS

ITEM NUMBER 12.1
TITLE Community Consultation - Treaty Commissioner
REFERENCE 312614
AUTHOR Makhaim Brandon, Administration Officer

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the presentation

SUMMARY:

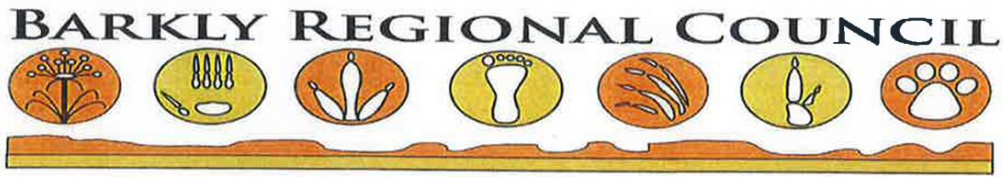
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ATTACHMENTS:

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Request to make a Presentation to a Local Authority

(Request must be made in writing one week before a Local Authority meeting).

Dear Chair of the Wutunugurra Local Authority,

I am requesting your permission to make a presentation to the Wutunugurra Local Authority on 9 March 2021

Give the Local Authority Information about

Community consultations with the Treaty Commissioner

Speaking points that BRC will insert into the Local Authority minutes as a record of your presentation/report

The Treaty Commissioner, is Professor Mick Dodson AM. His job is to write a Final Report to the Chief Minister **by March 2022** on how treaties between Aboriginal Territorians and the NT Government could be made.

Professor Dodson is coming to Wutunugurra on Friday 16 April 2021 to listen to and talk with Aboriginal people about Treaty and a framework that could lead to Treaties between the NT Government (NTG) and individual First Nation Governments.

*Local Authority members welcome contributions from outside agencies. We ask visitors to keep presentations to no longer than 10 minutes including questions. * Presentations are not minuted by BRC staff.*

Name: Wayne Buckley

Organisation: Northern Territory Government – Department of the Chief Minister and Cabinet

Contact details: 0447903527, or wayne.buckley@nt.gov.au

Signed: 

Date: 22 February 2021

Local Authority Chair to complete:

I approve/do not approve the request to make a presentation (cross out what doesn't apply)

Signed: Geralaine Beasley

Date: 24/02/2021

LA OTHER BUSINESS

ITEM NUMBER 13.1
TITLE Confirmation of Next Meeting Date.
REFERENCE 312991
AUTHOR Owen Torres, Area Manager - Wutunugurra

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

(a) Confirm the next meeting date to be Tuesday 13th April 2021

SUMMARY:

BACKGROUND

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

CONSULTATION & TIMING

ATTACHMENTS: