

BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL



AGENDA

Tennant Creek LA Meeting

Tuesday 14 November 2023

Barkly Regional Council's Tennant Creek LA Meeting will be held in Council Chambers on Tuesday 14 November 2023 at 4:30 pm.

Ian Bodill

Chief Executive Officer

OUR VISION

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We will make it happen!

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Respect is shown in everything we do and we have acceptance of all cultures in the Barkly Region and their practices through a culturally competent Council.

We are a responsible Council. We will be a responsive Council.

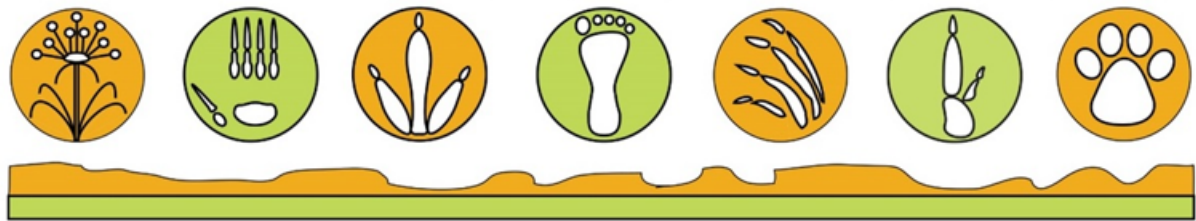
We want to empower local decision making.

We want to ensure that our services are sustainable and that our region has a standard consistent level of services.

We want to be able to sustain our environment – our communities, our physical places, our people and our organisational culture.

We will aggressively pursue additional funding from both levels of government to improve the standard of living of people across the region. We need to be realistic, transparent and accountable.

BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL



ACKNOWLEDGEMENT TO COUNTRY

We acknowledge the Traditional Owners of Warumungu, Mudberra, Jingili, Wakaya, Wambaya, Waanyi, Walpiri, Warlmanpa, Alyawarr, Anmatyerre and Kaytetye Country on which Barkly Regional Council live and work, and recognise their continuing connection to land, waters and culture. We pay our respects to the ancestors and elders of these lands, past, present and emerging.

May we continue to work together to
Deliver sustainable outcomes through a process
Based on mutual respect and understanding.

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. 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



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1 OPENING AND ATTENDANCE

1.1 Authority Members Present

- Darrin Whatley, Chairperson.
- Nathan Mills, Deputy Chairperson.
- Anthony Pickel, Appointed Member.
- Heather Burton, Appointed Member.
- Penelope Cowin, Appointed Member.
- Len Holbrok, Appointed Member.
- Rosemary Plummer, Appointed Member.

1.2 Staff and Visitors Present

- Ian Bodill, Chief Executive Officer.
- Troy Koch, Director of Tennant Creek.
- Faye Jennings, Executive Manager.

1.3 Apologies To Be Accepted

- Lauren McDonnell, Senior Administration Officer.

1.4 Absent Without Apologies

1.5 Resignations

Nil.

1.6 Disclosure of Interests

Nil.

1.7 Review of Disclosure of Interest

Nil.

2 CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

Confirmation of previous Minutes

2.1 Confirmation of Previous Minutes

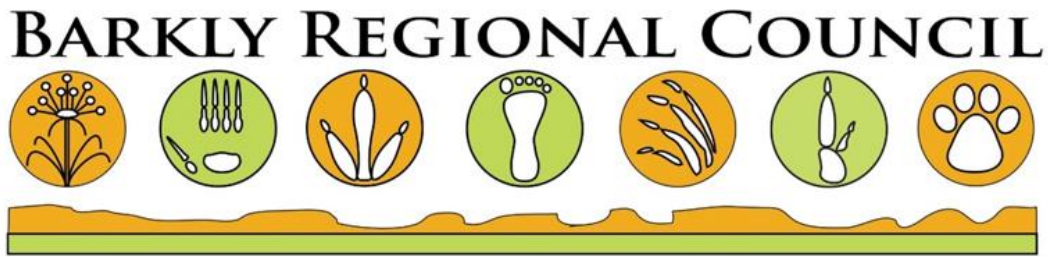
Author Lauren McDonnell, Senior Administration Officer

RECOMMENDATION

That the Local Authority receives and notes the minutes of the previous meeting on 12 September 2023.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. TCL A-19092023- Minutes [2.1.1 - 14 pages]



MINUTES

Tennant Creek LA Meeting

Barkly Regional Council's Tennant Creek LA Meeting was held in the Council Chambers on Tuesday 19 September 2023 at 4:09 pm.

Russell Anderson

Acting Chief Executive Officer

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1 OPENING AND ATTENDANCE

1.1 Authority Members Present

Meeting commenced at 4:09pm with Darrin Whatley as Chair.

- Darrin Whatley
- Anthony Picket
- Pennie Chester
- Heather Burton
- Deputy Mayor Russell O'Donnell
- Cr Greg Marlow

1.2 Staff and Visitors Present

- Romeo Mutsago, Deputy CEO and Chief Financial Officer.
- Tash Adams, Executive Manager.
- Lauren McDonnell, Senior Administration Officer.

1.3 Apologies To Be Accepted

- Troy Koch, Director of Tennant Creek.
- Len Holbrok - LA Member
- Nathan Mills - LA Member
- Rosemary Plummer - LA Member
- Troy Koch - Director of Tennant Creek

1.4 Absent Without Apologies

Nil.

1.5 Resignations

Nil.

1.6 Disclosure of Interests

Nil.

1.7 Review of Disclosure of Interest

Nil.



2 CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

Confirmation of previous Minutes

2.1 Confirmation of 08 August 2023 Minutes

MOTION

That the Local Authority receives and confirms the minutes of the previous meeting held on 8 August 2023.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Penelope Cowin

Seconded: LA Member Darrin Whatley

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolved TCLA-23/19

3 ACTIONS FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

Actions from previous Minutes

3.1 Actions from 08 August 2023 Meeting

MOTION

That the Tennant Creek Local Authority receives and notes the actions of the previous meeting 08 August 2023.

RESOLVED

Moved: Deputy Mayor Russell O'Donnell

Seconded: LA Member Anthony Picket

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolved TCLA-23/20

Chair Darrin Whatley commended Barkly Regional Council staff on the agenda and action register. He noted the TCLA would like to relay to BRC that it is arenow moving forward in a positive way.

Deputy Mayor O'Donnell said it's all about recruitment and staff retention.

Close: Item 3.1 - Actions Arising - report received in this agenda.

Close: Item 6.3 - Fitness and Wellness Centre on the Action Register - report received in this agenda.

Close: Item 9.1 - Disability Pool Hoist.





In Progress: Item 9 - TCLA can supply a contact to BRC for PAWA - remains in progress.

Ongoing: 4.1 - CEO Report - Request for more information about street lighting on Karguru Road.

Ongoing: 10.2 - Footpath project. TCLA requests inclusion in any stakeholder engagement to inform priority footpath locations in Stage 1 of Footpath Strategy. TCLA requests Council to provide a timetable for stakeholder engagement and ask to be included in the consultation.

Ongoing: 10.3 - Footpath project (existing paths). TCLA to send a request to CEO to consider issues such as footpath connection, overhanging trees, path width and other features to ensure safe access for both wheeled and pedestrian use.

Ongoing: 10.5 - Water Bubblers. Report in this agenda.

Ongoing: 10.7 - Disability Pool Hoist. TCLA to request BRC to provide a report on compliance and capability of existing devices that have been removed.

Ongoing 7.4 - 1 Tank Hill Walkway Project. Report in this agenda.

4 CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICERS REPORT

Chief Executive Officers Report

4.1 Finance & Budget Support for Tennant Creek Division

MOTION

That the Local Authority receives a verbal presentation about finances and budget support to the Tennant Creek Division from Chief Finance Officer.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Anthony Picket

Seconded: LA Member Penelope Cowin

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolved TCLA-23/21

Chief Financial Officer Romeo Mustago reported the TCLA have \$214,000 available to spend. The key highlight is that amount is made of accumulative amounts. Unless commitments are made there is a risk of losing that money.

Chair Darrin Whatley said further to note that the TCLA has committed around \$120k so far of that monies and is about to sign off on the Pool Hoist and that's another \$34,000 plus freight. He said that totalled around \$160k committed by the TCLA so far. The TCLA is also currently looking at another two projects .



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The Chair said there was a proposal from Barkly Vets as well, which they want us to table as well for ongoing things that have happened in the past and future.

Mr Mustago noted 23-24 TCLA funding has not yet been released.

5 FINANCE REPORT

Finance Report

5.1 Finance Report 01/07/23-30/08/23

The Tennant Creek Local Authority received and noted the Tennant Creek Local Authority Finance Report for July and September 2023 as per recommendation.

6 AREA REPORT

Area Report

6.1 Director of Tennant Creek Report

MOTION

That the Tennant Creek Local Authority receives and notes the September update from the Director of Tennant Creek.

RESOLVED

Moved: Cr Greg Marlow

Seconded: LA Member Penelope Cowin

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolved TCLA-23/22



7 GENERAL BUSINESS

General Business

7.1 Tennant Creek Swimming Pool Hoist

MOTION

That the Tennant Creek Local Authority:

- a) Receives and notes the report from Barkly Regional Council about the installation of the pool hoist.**
- b) Accepts the current quote.**
- c) Notify the Director of Tennant Creek to proceed with the purchase of the pool hoist.**

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Anthony Picket

Seconded: Cr Greg Marlow

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolved TCLA-23/23

Chair Darrin Whatley said the update was the TCLA has finally gained a purchase order for this pool hoist. The hoist will be on its way directly once the order has been placed now the information on installation requirements has been received. The next step is to obtain installation quotes from businesses.

The Chair said the Director of Tennant Creek was trying to recover the original plans, and asked the Deputy Mayor if BRC have anything relating to the plans. The Deputy Mayor said the problem goes back to the former Management of this Council and suggested the TCLA instruct Council to organise the installation.

The Chair said the CEO told him at the start of the year the TCLA was to do all the groundwork.

Deputy Mayor O'Donnell said the LA has completed the groundworks and quotes, and now it was up to the community to decide where they'd like it located. He said BRC can decide on fittings and logistics regarding installation.

LA Member Heather Burton joined the meeting at 4.29pm.

Heather Burton questioned previous minutes that the Chair moved the last Pool Hoist item when he previously declared a conflict of interest. Note the conflict of interest was not financial, rather the Chair's daughter would benefit from the pool hoist.

LA Member Heather Heather said if there is a perceived or declared conflict of interest, it is customary to remove yourself from voting.





The TCLA agreed there was no conflict at this stage.

Cr Marlow in a procurement point of view, if the quote process was carried out properly?
The Chair said it was the only quote available nationally.

MOTION

That the Tennant Creek Local Authority select French Blue as the colour of the pool hoist.

RESOLVED

Moved: Deputy Mayor Russell O'Donnell

Seconded: LA Member Heather Burton

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolved TCLA-23/24

Cr Marlow reminded members that the TCLA is required to choose a colour of the hoist before ordering it.

General Business

7.2 Public Water Bubblers

MOTION

That the Tennant Creek Local Authority receives and notes the correspondence from Urban about the CF200 Chilled Outdoor Drinking Fountain.

RESOLVED

Moved: Cr Greg Marlow

Seconded: LA Member Penelope Cowin

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolved TCLA-23/25

LA Member Anthony Picket said the dog water feature was an important inclusion for the many dogs around the town. The refrigeration may present an extra maintenance issue BRC will need to address and could be excessive.

Chair Darrin Whatley said everybody has drunk out of taps in our heat. "We all know what it's like when we work out bush and drink out of hot tap and have to run water for a while to keep cool. How much water is wasted to get to a temperature of drinkable water?"

LA Member Heather Burton asked if it was about insulation rather than refrigeration. Chair said the Acting CEO had previously installed these bubblers in Vic Daly Regional Council and said they had the same problem with hot water and the units were insulated.





There was no way the Vic Daly Council could sustain anybody safely drinking out of them due to the hot water.

Deputy Mayor said the allocated budget to the project is \$120,000 so the TCLA need to decide on what accessories to include.

Deputy Mayor said no quotes have been made available yet and suggested the TCLA decide what accessories are needed and ask BRC to obtain quotes for installation. He noted the water bubblers need to be installed on Council land.

LA Member Pennie Cowin said sites for installation also need to be decided.

LA Member Heather Burton said in addition to the very good suggestions of the Pool and the Cemetery locations, TLCA members should be reminded when the item was first brought up it was to benefit the more populated Community Living Areas (CLAs) and suggested locations en route to important destinations such as the doctors or shops.

Chair Darrin Whatley noted he was concerned about how many Dog Tap and Bowls were going to get broken or snapped off.

BRC Senior Administration Officer Lauren McDonnell added the company said the devices are fully customisable, so if the TCLA has a vision, they can work with the TCLA with ideas such as a guard around the tap.

MOTION

That the Tennant Creek Local Authority:

- a) Requests Council to conduct a Public Consultation in regard to the water bubbler locations in Tennant Creek.**
- b) Include local Aboriginal organisations in the consultation process.**

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Heather Burton

Seconded: LA Member Anthony Picket

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolved TCLA-23/26

The TCLA will hold a workshop to decide which add-on features and colours after the two-week public consultation process.





General Business

7.3 Tennant Creek Park Report

MOTION

That the Tennant Creek Local Authority requests Council to provide a more detailed parks report to include:

- a) Conditions of equipment
- b) Upgrades required on existing equipment to ensure they are compliant with current standards.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Penelope Cowin

Seconded: LA Member Heather Burton

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolved TCLA-23/27

Chair Darren Whatley said the TCLA should look at not segregating Tarca Park because it's considered a bad area.

He said the report needed to contain more detail to the standard the TCLA was seeking.

Cr Marlow asked did the TCLA wanted out of that report.

Chair thanked BRC for providing the report but it was different from what was wanted originally. It was noted when the item was first raised, that many of Council employees are no longer employed at BRC.



General Business

7.4 Fitness and Wellbeing Centre

MOTION

That the Tennant Creek Local Authority receives and notes the update about the Fitness and Wellbeing Centre.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Anthony Picket

Seconded: LA Member Penelope Cowin

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolved TCLA-23/28

LA Member Anthony Picket said there was a lot of information and suggestions for improvement but the Director of Tennant Creek cannot make decisions on behalf of Council. Mr Picket and BRC conducted a survey and the majority of feedback was the Centre needs more equipment. However, Council was not sure if they want a gym in its repertoire and were not looking at spending money on it.

Deputy Mayor said there was appetite in Council discussion they would entertain the idea if someone wanted to lease or take it on as a private enterprise, however Council recognises it needs to provide the service to the community while deciding how to do it where money will come from. It would be a discussion Council would have at its Ordinary Meeting on 27 September.

LA Member Heather Burton noted in the report that if the TCLA contributed equipment, it was suggested Council could double the fees, and she would be opposed to a rise in prices which may discourage membership.

Mr Picket said the Centre's fees are really low, one of the lowest in Australia, and the idea was to increase it by a few dollars a week, and with new equipment, it would be reasonable to apply a small hike in membership price.

Chair thanked Mr Picket and the staff at the Centre for the feedback.

The TCLA will await the Ordinary Council Meeting resolution to see what the Council has come to terms with, and then the TCLA will work with BRC as a stakeholder in the Fitness and Wellness Centre.





General Business

7.5 Action Tracker for other Local Authorities

The Tennant Creek Local Authority received and noted the Action tracker for other Local Authorities

MOTION

That the Tennant Creek Local Authority requests BRC to report back at the next TCLA meeting on the condition of the TC Swimming Pool and its facilities.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Darrin Whatley

Seconded: LA Member Heather Burton

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolved TCLA-23/29

Deputy Mayor said there only one BBQ facility at the Town Pool and asked if the TCLA would fund another BBQ.

Chair Darrin Whatley asked if there was enough room for it at the Pool. Deputy Mayor said that would be a proposal BRC could supply to the TCLA.

Deputy Mayor suggested leaving with TCLA to table for discussion.

LA Member Heather Burton suggested waiting to see what comes back with the report on the Town Pool. She suggested evidence was required to support the need for a second BBQ.

LA Member Anthony Picket suggested to request the Director of Tennant Creek to provide an estimate from the recent BBQ installation at Hilda Park.

LA Member Heather Burton brought up a security issue at the Pool with the front gate and side gate for early morning swimmers, where items have been stolen because the main gate has been used but the side gate has been used also, and suggested pool security be included in the report.

Deputy Mayor said he could bring it up in the Council Meeting.

MOTION

That the Tennant Creek Local Authority request BRC to provide an estimate to TCLA on the installation of a new BBQ and shelter at the TC Swimming Pool.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Darrin Whatley

Seconded: LA Member Heather Burton

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolved TCLA-23/29





Deputy Mayor said leave on TCLA plate to have a discussion.

LA Member Heather Burton suggested to wait to see what comes back with the report on the Town Pool. She suggested evidence to support the need for a second one would be needed.

LA Member Andrew Pickel suggested to ask Director of Tennant Creek to provide estimate from recent BBQ installation at Hilda Park.

LA Member Heather Burton brought up front gate and other gate for early morning swimmers, when things have been stolen because the main gate has been used but the side gate has been used.

8 CORRESPONDENCE

Correspondence

8.1 Letter from NT Remuneration Tribunal

The Tennant Creek Local Authority received and noted the correspondence from the NT Remuneration Tribunal.

Correspondence

8.2 Email Summary of Trial Partnership BRC RN AMRRIC

The Local Authority received and noted the update from Elliott McAdam about the trial partnership between Barkly Regional Council, RN Employment, and AMRRIC.

9 OTHER MATTERS FOR NOTING

Other Matters For Noting

9.1 1 Tank Hill Walkway Project

MOTION

That the Tennant Creek Local Authority follows up on the proposed idea of a walkway near Tank Hill and continues discussion at the next LA Meeting.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Heather Burton

Seconded: Deputy Mayor Russell O'Donnell

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolved TCLA-23/30





LA Member Anthony Picket asked LA Member Pennie Cowin about the progress with an update from Tourism Central Australia (TCA). Ms Cowin said Tourism Central Australia have been working on it for a while anyway. TCA is liaising with Legacy Mines, who were happy to come on board and put fences along cyanide pits at the top. It is a work in progress for them. The TCA's next meeting is not until the beginning of October but has been pushed back due to recent fires. Nothing has been returned to TCLA yet.

TCLA would like to remain in the consultation and be advised of the progress of that walkway and be involved in that as a community project.

LA Member Heather Burton highlighted the Bill Allen Lookout is a 10km/h zone but hardly anybody goes that slow, and recently was a nightmare when everyone was driving to the lookout to see the recent bushfires.

Chair Darrin Whatley suggested it be brought up as part of the consultation with Tourism Central Australia.

Other Matters For Noting

9.2 Tennant Creek Dog Park

MOTION

That the Tennant Creek Local Authority

- a) Request BRC go out to public consultation on the best use of Karguru Park.**
- b) Considers a location within the town boundary for a dog-walking park.**

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Penelope Cowin

Seconded: Deputy Mayor Russell O'Donnell

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolved TCLA-23/31

Chair Darrin Whatley asked if the TCLA could do anything with Karguru Oval.

LA Member Pennie Cowin came up with idea of a dog park, in conjunction with what is happening around Tennant Creek and all the playground areas. The Chair and Ms Cowin discussed it could benefit Karguru Oval being a dog-walking park.

Ms Cowin suggest it could be like an off-lead dog park. "It is hard to take a dog for a walk around town at the moment. Mount Isa has two, one for large dogs and one for small dogs. We don't have anywhere and can't have them off the lead at the Lake. We have nowhere to walk our dogs safely."

Chair Darrin Whatley said it could also help tourism where visitors can take their dogs safely for a walk.

Deputy Mayor Russell O'Donnell suggested putting the Dog Park idea out as a public consultation.





10 REPORTS FROM BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL

Nil

11 VISITOR PRESENTATIONS

Nil

12 OTHER BUSINESS

MOTION

That the Local Authority receive and note Cr McAdams email to Chair Darrin Whatley and:

a) The Chair write to Cr McAdam asking for clarification around the Councillor's accusations regarding Local Authorities.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Anthony Picket

Seconded: LA Member Penelope Cowin

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolved TCLA-23/32

Cr Elliot McAdam forwarded an email on Tuesday 19 September at 12.50pm to Chair Darrin Whatley of correspondence to the Acting CEO.

The email was forwarded to around 80 other recipients.

The correspondence related to Local Authorities and animal management in the town: "*As a Council we must address in a coordinated way we cannot sit back and place the responsibilities on Local Authorities... We cannot hide behind Local Authorities as a means of doing nothing which is precisely what we are doing .. there must be a Barkly response .. not an ad hoc disjointed response based on personalities which has been occurring for the last 20 months .. more pronounced over the past 9 months .. and it's not getting better.*"

Chair Darrin Whatley said he would like to point out his displeasure with Cr McAdam's words.

13 CLOSE OF MEETING

The TCLA next meeting date is 4.30pm on Tuesday 14 November 2023.

MOTION

That the TCLA close the meeting at 7.00pm.

RESOLVED

Moved: Deputy Mayor Russell O'Donnell

Seconded: LA Member Penelope Cowin

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolved TCLA-23/33

This page and the preceding pages are the minutes of the Tennant Creek Local Authority meeting held on 19 September, 2023, and are unconfirmed.



3 ACTIONS FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

Actions from previous Minutes

3.1 Actions from Previous Minutes

Author Lauren McDonnell, Senior Administration Officer.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Local Authority receives and notes the Actions of the previous meeting on 12 September 2023.

Summary:

The Excel spreadsheet of the Tennant Creek Local Authority Action Tracker is available upon request. The following is a summary report of the ongoing actions by the Tennant Creek Local Authority.

The following items have detailed reports in the agenda:

- 7.1 Water Bubblers.
- 7.2 Pool Hoist.
- 7.3 Tennant Creek Swimming Pool.
- 7.4 Dog Park.

Background:

- Installation of Murals:
 - Original date: 17/05/2022.
 - Resolution Numbers: TCLA 21/22 and TCLA-23/20.
 - Motion: That the Authority: wish to request BRC to enquire about the installation of Murals on Territory Generation assets located at One Tank Hill and Two Tank Hill, respectively.
 - Actioning Body: TCLA.
 - Status: ongoing.
 - Comments from 19/09/23 meeting: TCLA can supply a contact to BRC for PAWA.
- CEO Report:
 - Original date: 23/08/2022.
 - Resolution Number: TCLA 29/22.
 - Motion: Request more information and a progress report in relation to street lighting in Karguru Road, TC.
 - Actioning Body: Council.
 - Status: ongoing.
 - Comments from 19/09/23 meeting: waiting for more information about street lighting on Karguru Road.
- Footpath Project:
 - Original date: 23/08/2022.

- Resolution Number: TCLA 35/22.
- Motion: TCLA requests inclusion in any stakeholder engagement to inform priority footpath locations in Stage 1 of Footpath Strategy.
- Actioning Body: TCLA/Council.
- Status: ongoing.
- Comments from 19/09/23 meeting: TCLA requests Council to provide a timetable for stakeholder engagement and ask to be included in the consultation.
- Footpath Project (existing paths):
 - Original date: 23/08/2022.
 - Action item, no resolution number.
 - Request: Council consider issues such as footpath connection, overhanging trees, path width and other features to ensure safe access for both wheeled and pedestrian use.
 - Actioning Body: Council/TCLA.
 - Status: ongoing.
 - Comments from 19/09/23 meeting: waiting for update from Council.
- Water Bubblers:
 - Original date: 23/08/2022.
 - Resolution Numbers: TCLA 37/22, TCLA 7/23, TCLA-23/7, TCLA-23/25, and TCLA-23/26.
 - Motion: That the Authority consider viability and options for water bubblers (or similar) when developing its Local Area Plan. Report presented to TCLA about options for the Water Bubblers.
 - Funding: \$120,000.00.
 - Actioning Body: TCLA/BRC.
 - Status: ongoing.
 - Comments from 19/09/23 meeting: TCLA requests that a public consultation period be undertaken to ask about locations for the water bubblers. The TCLA will hold a workshop to decide which add-on features and colours after the two-week public consultation process.
- Disability Hoist:
 - Original date: 09/05/2023.
 - Resolution Numbers: TCLA 1/23, TCLA 2/23, TCLA 6/23, TCLA-23/5, TCLA-23/23, and TCLA-23/24.
 - Motion: TCLA to receive a report from Council on compliance and capability of existing devices.
 - Actioning Body: TCLA/BRC.
 - Status: ongoing.
 - Comments from 19/09/23 meeting: Director of Tennant Creek to get engineers report for viability/stability of installation.
- 1 Tank Hill Walkway Project:
 - Original date: 21/06/2023.

- Resolution Number: TCLA 9/23.
- Motion: That the TCLA follows up on the proposed idea of a walkway near Tank Hill and continues discussion at the next LA Meeting. Tourism Central Australia is also looking into this project.
- Actioning Body: TCLA.
- Status: ongoing.
- Comments from 19/09/23 meeting: The TCA's next meeting is not until the beginning of October but has been pushed back due to recent fires. Nothing has been returned to TCLA yet.

- Tennant Creek Swimming Pool:
 - Original date: 19/09/2023.
 - Resolution Number TCLA-23/29.
 - Motion: That the Tennant Creek Local Authority requests BRC to report back at the next TCLA meeting on the condition of the TC Swimming Pool and its facilities. That the Tennant Creek Local Authority request BRC to provide an estimate to TCLA on the installation of a new BBQ and shelter at the TC Swimming Pool.
 - Actioning Body: BRC.
 - Status: ongoing.
 - Comment from 19/09/23 meeting: new item added.

- Tennant Creek Dog Park:
 - Original date: 19/09/2023.
 - Resolution Number TCLA-23/31.
 - Motion: That the Tennant Creek Local Authority a) Request BRC go out to public consultation on the best use of Karguru Park. b) Considers a location within the town boundary for a dog-walking park.
 - Actioning Body: BRC.
 - Status: ongoing
 - Comment from 19/09/23 meeting: new item added.

ATTACHMENTS:

Nil

4 CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICERS REPORTS

Chief Executive Officers Reports

4.1 Chief Executive Officer Report

Author Ian Bodill, Chief Executive Officer.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Local Authority receive and note a verbal update from the new CEO.

SUMMARY

Ian Bodill, the Chief Executive Officer, will provide a verbal update for the Local Authority. Ian started on 6th November and is looking forward to working within the Barkly Region.

ATTACHMENTS:

Nil

5 FINANCE REPORTS

Finance Reports

5.1 Finance Report

Author Sunil Neupane, Accountant.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Local Authority receive and note the Finance report for 01/07/23-31/10/23.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. TCLA Finance Report [5.1.1 - 1 page]

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Income & Expenditure Report		Year to Date
Barkly Regional Council		
From 01/07/2023 to 31/10/2023		
Program Description		YTD Actual
200 - Tennant Creek		
Program: LA - Local Authority		
Income		
60000	Opening Unexpended Grants Balance (2023/2024)	\$ 314,926.00
64220	NT Operational Grants	\$ -
64999	Council's Contribution	\$ 4,750.00
Total Income		\$ 319,676.00
Expenditure		
72110	Councillors Extra Meeting Allowances	\$ 4,750.00
72243	Councillors - Catering	\$ -
73757	Materials Expenses - Minor Equipment	\$ -
73800	Postage,Freight, Courier	\$ -
Total Expenditure		\$ 4,750.00
Total Available Funding		\$ 314,926.00

Comments: (Amount exc. GST)

* \$17,600 has been paid to Barkly Veterinary Practice from comitted funds.

6 TENNANT CREEK DIRECTORATE REPORT

Tennant Creek Directorate Report

6.1 Director of Tennant Creek Report

Author Troy Koch, Director of Tennant Creek.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Local Authority receive and note the update from the Director of Tennant Creek.

SUMMARY

Troy Koch, the Director of Tennant Creek, will provide a verbal update on the work being done by the Tennant Creek Directorate.

ATTACHMENTS:

Nil

7 GENERAL BUSINESS

General Business

7.1 Water Bubblers

Author Lauren McDonnell, Senior Administration Officer.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Tennant Creek Local Authority receive and note the update about the public water bubblers.

SUMMARY

A quote has been received from Urban regarding the CF200 Chilled Outdoor Drinking Fountain. The Tennant Creek Local Authority have asked the Director of Tennant Creek to put the question of locations out for public consultation.

BACKGROUND

The Tennant Creek Local Authority have discussed the option of having just a drinking fountain, but the issues of health and safety have been raised regarding the temperature of the water in Tennant Creek. This is the reason that the chilled fountain is being discussed and the question is being put to the public about the locations. Once locations have been determined then the Tennant Creek Local Authority will hold a workshop to discuss the options for each water bubbler, as they are fully customisable and do not have to be the same at each location.

BUDGET IMPLICATION

At the previous meeting it was mentioned by the Deputy Mayor Russell O'Donnell that \$120,000 from the Tennant Creek Local Authority budget has been allocated for this project.

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

The water bubblers must be connected to the main water and power supply, so this will limit the locations available. Another limitation is that the bubblers must be placed on council land rather than private property.

Another consideration will have to be the ongoing maintenance costs for the bubblers, as the normal maintenance packages that Urban provide are not available in Tennant Creek at this time. The filters will need to be replaced every 56,000 litres or 12 months (whichever is sooner). Urban have guidelines on other maintenance schedules.

CONSULTATION & TIMING

Flyers will be put up to ask the public for their suggestions on locations for the bubblers.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Water Bubblers [7.1.1 - 1 page]

Where would you like to see drinking
fountains in Tennant Creek?

Please share your ideas with Barkly
Regional Council by email or coming into
the office at 41 Peko Rd.
Send your emails to reception@barkly.nt.gov.au

Closing date [TBA] at 4.00pm.



General Business

7.2 Pool Hoist

Author Lauren McDonnell, Senior Administration Officer.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Local Authority receive and note the update from Barkly Regional Council about the pool hoist.

SUMMARY

The Local Authority requested that the Director of Tennant Creek order the pool hoist as per the quote provided by Para Mobility.

BACKGROUND

The Tennant Creek Local Authority have been discussing the purchasing of a pool hoist for the Tennant Creek Pool, to update the current disability hoist options. Chairperson Darrin Whatley has done the research and found the only supplier in Australia for this type of pool hoist and arranged for a quote. At the last Local Authority meeting it was moved that the Director of Tennant Creek go ahead and place the order for this hoist, the order has been placed. At the request of the Tennant Creek Local Authority the hoist was ordered in French Blue.

ORGANISATIONAL RISK ASSESSMENT

The Barkly Regional Council will now source quotes on installation, including the best location at the pool for the hoist. A time will need to be arranged with Darrin Whatley, and any other LA members that wish to attend, to join BRC at the pool to decide the location and to complete the measuring guide for Para Mobility. Once that has been completed and sent to them, the estimated time of arrival is four weeks.

BUDGET IMPLICATION

The cost of the hoist is \$34,115.00, including freight. The cost of installation is to be determined. Ongoing maintenance costs will also have to be considered; a yearly inspection should be considered at this time to make sure that any problems are identified in a timely manner.

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

A barrier around the hoist should be considered for safety, as per the pictures that have previously been provided of the hoist, if it is going to be left in place permanently rather than removed to storage when not in use.

CONSULTATION & TIMING

Once installation quotes have been obtained then the question can be put to the public about which location is preferred. If only one location is available due to safety, then the public will be informed of this. A flyer can be put up at the pool with forms for people to write their suggestions on.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Invoice IN V-14436 - BRC P O-1400 [7.2.1 - 2 pages]
2. 2023 Pelican- Measuring- Guide- Colour Chart-23 [7.2.2 - 2 pages]





Para Mobility Pty Ltd
Unit 31, 276-278 New Line Road
DURAL NSW 2158
AUSTRALIA

ABN: 29 081 258 291

p: 1300 444 600
e: sales@paramobility.com.au
w: www.paramobility.com.au

TAX INVOICE

Bill To:

Barkly Regional Council
41 Peko Rd
TENNANT CREEK NT 0860
AUSTRALIA

Delivery Address:

41 Peko Rd
TENNANT CREEK NT 0860
AUSTRALIA

Invoice Date: 01 Nov 2023

Invoice No: INV-14436

Reference: PO - 1400

Due Date: 01 Nov 2023

Item	Description	Qty	Discount	Unit Price	GST	Amount AUD
Pel info	To safely install the hoist you will need a solid concrete pad to anchor it to. For further information refer to the installation guide.	1.00		0.00		0.00
PEL TA 200	PELICAN POOL/SPA HOIST, TWIN ARM, 200KG SWL - includes: 360 degree manual rotation, 24v rechargeable battery/charger, stainless steel, all weather cover, & transport wheels.	1.00		12,500.00	GST Free	12,500.00
PEL PR	PELICAN POWER ROTATION ENABLED (4 button hand control)	1.00		4,750.00	GST Free	4,750.00
PEL PLAT	PELICAN Platform (twin arm only / requires power rotation)	1.00		6,500.00	GST Free	6,500.00
PAC 200SF	PLATYPUS AQUATIC CHAIR 200KG WITH STRENGTHENING FRAME. FOR USE WITH PELICAN POOL HOIST.	1.00		4,250.00	GST Free	4,250.00
PEL ADAPT	PELICAN RELEASE ADAPTOR WITH LIFT HANGER (TWIN ARM ONLY). ALLOWS EASY EXCHANGE BETWEEN LIFTING ACCESSORIES.	1.00	100.00%	790.00	GST Free	0.00
FLOATING SLING STD	PELICAN FLOATING SLING STANDARD SWL 200KG	1.00		780.00	GST Free	780.00
FREIGHT ESTIMATE	The logistics industry is facing significant challenges due to fuel price increases and regulatory changes with freight costs fluctuating on a weekly basis. Freight cost provided is based on today's prices and may need to be adjusted at time of delivery.					
PACKAGING AND FREIGHT	PACKAGING AND FREIGHT	1.00		4,850.00	10%	4,850.00
SHIP TO	SHIP TO: Lauren McDonnell 08 8962 0022 Barkly Regional Council 41 Peko Rd, Tennant Creek NT 0860 Please call before shipping, to confirm cost and ETA.					
Subtotal						33,630.00

ABN: 29 081 258 291. Registered Office: Unit 31, 276-278 New Line Road, Dural, NSW, 2158, Australia

Total GST 10%	485.00
Total GST Free	0.00
Invoice Total AUD	34,115.00
Total Net Payments AUD	0.00
Amount Due AUD	34,115.00

PAYMENT TERMS

* A 50% DEPOSIT IS REQUIRED AS ACCEPTANCE OF THE QUOTE ** THE BALANCE OF 50% IS DUE PRIOR TO THE ORDER BEING DESPATCHED *

BANK DETAILS

Account: Para Mobility Pty Ltd
BSB No: 012-321 Account No: 490688767
Ref No: Invoice Number

PELICAN POOL HOIST MEASUREMENT GUIDE

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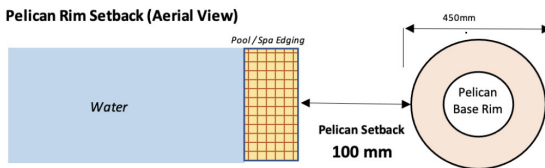
POOL HOIST COLOUR _____ POOL NAME _____

NOTES _____ POOL DEPTH AT THE POINT OF ENTRY _____

CHOOSE THE POOL/DECK DETAIL THAT IS SIMILAR TO YOUR POOL AND MEASURE WHERE APPLICABLE.

DO YOU HAVE THE MINIMUM CONCRETE WIDTH AND THICKNESS TO MOUNT THE HOIST ON POOL DECK? ☐ Y ☐ N

Pelican Rim Setback (Aerial View)



Pelican setback is the standard setback distance (100mm).

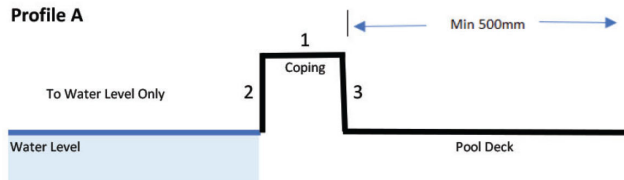
WATER DEPTH - IMPORTANT NOTICE

In accordance with the Disabilities Standards Code, the Pelican base rim must be positioned on the pool or spa surrounds where the water depth is not less than 500mm and not more than 1300mm.

Pool Depth at Location (Example 1.2m deep should be expressed as 1200)

Round measurements to the nearest 10mm

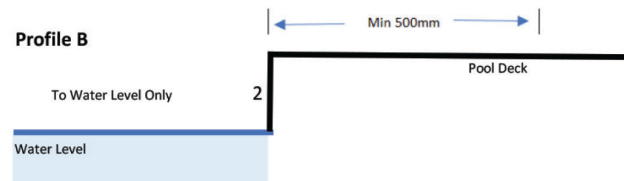
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A3	EXTERNAL RISER	<input type="text"/>

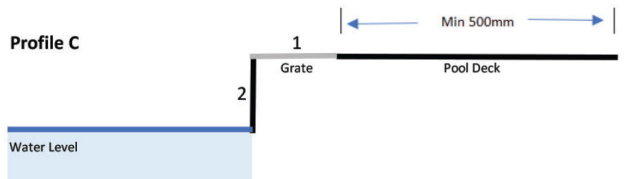
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Profile B



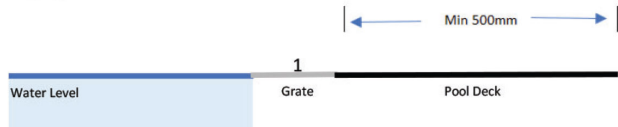
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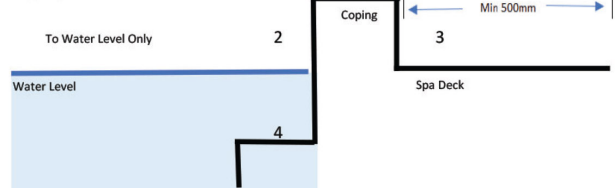
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Profile D



D1 GRATE WIDTH

Profile E



E1 COPING WIDTH

E2 INTERNAL RISER

E3 EXTERNAL RISER

E4 WIDTH OF SPA SEAT

NOTE: Measurement 2 may be different to measurement 3.

PELICAN POOL HOIST COLOUR SELECTION GUIDE

PLEASE SELECT THE COLOUR YOU WOULD LIKE YOUR PELICAN POOL HOIST TO BE.



Pearl White
272-1114G

Gloss



Charcoal Met Pearl
971-18796

Gloss



Silver Kinetic® Pearl
971-7043K

Satin



Safety Yellow
984-2015G

Gloss



French Blue
984-32725

Gloss



Primrose
27284365

Gloss



General Business

7.3 Tennant Creek Swimming Pool

Author Troy Koch, Director of Tennant Creek.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Local Authority receive and note the report on the conditions of the Tennant Creek Swimming Pool.

SUMMARY

The Tennant Creek Local Authority requested a full report on the swimming pool, including a report on the condition of the equipment. They have also requested that the Director of Tennant Creek investigate adding a second BBQ and shelter at the pool.

BACKGROUND

Troy Koch, the Director of Tennant Creek, will provide a verbal update on the work that has been done at the pool recently.

The question raised by LA Member Heather Burton about security is also being investigated and will be included in the next meeting. The question about a second BBQ and shelter was put to the Council, and they requested that the Director of Tennant Creek source quotes for this and provide details to the Council for consideration. The Acting Mayor noted that several people request to hold parties at the pool and a second BBQ would benefit the area.

ORGANISATIONAL RISK ASSESSMENT

Before quotes can be obtained the area needs to be assessed, to see if a second BBQ can be installed safely. We can get at least one quote based on the one that is there currently but until it can be assessed as a safe addition then gathering quotes could be counterproductive.

BUDGET IMPLICATION

Any budget implications will have to consider the ongoing maintenance costs along with the installation by a qualified technician. Until we are sure that it would be safe to add another BBQ then we cannot comment on the costs.

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

Consideration should be made regarding the area and if it would impact other activities at the pool. The location will need to be one that does not negatively impact the public use of the area while a party is being held. The pool is open to all and should have all areas available for their use.

CONSULTATION & TIMING

The report about the pool's facilities must be considered before an assessment of locations can be done. If there is other work that needs to be done at the pool, then they would take precedent over installing new facilities.

ATTACHMENTS:

Nil



General Business

7.4 Dog Park

Author Lauren McDonnell, Senior Administration Officer.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Local Authority receive and note the update about the Dog Park.

SUMMARY

The Tennant Creek Local Authority and the Council have requested that the question be put to the public about a possible location for a fenced dog park within the Tennant Creek town boundary. Flyers will be put up asking the public to reach out to Barkly Regional Council with their suggestions. The Council also requested that the question be put out for public comment about the best use of Karguru Park as a separate question.

BACKGROUND

The idea of the dog park was suggested as a place for residents and tourists to allow their dogs to run off-leash in a safe environment. Locations are being assessed, with Karguru Park being one suggestion. Karguru Park was mentioned as a possible site for this project and the question was put to the Council. The Acting CEO mentioned that he has noticed the park is used regularly by youth in community to practice football, also that he himself and other members of the community use the area for fitness purposes. It was suggested that the question be put out for public consideration and to receive feedback from Tennant Creek locals about what they would like to see done at the park. The question about the dog park is to be done separately. It is the intention of the Director of Tennant Creek and his staff to put up two flyers in the community, to invite people to send their opinion to council. The flyers are waiting for approval before they are put up.

ORGANISATIONAL RISK ASSESSMENT

The new Local Laws Manager is being consulted about the idea so that he can provide some insight on what exactly a dog park would need. He has had previous experience setting up dog parks in towns and will have an understanding of how well they work.

The reasoning behind putting flyers up rather than something on our Facebook page is to allow residents of Tennant Creek to have their say. To avoid having comments made by people outside of Tennant Creek who may not be familiar with the town and the community. The questions can still be put up if the Council wish that to be the platform for comment.

BUDGET IMPLICATION

Until we have some suggestions and an idea of what the community want, there are no budget details to be shared. Once possible locations have been decided on then quotes will have to be obtained in order to assess the budget implications, including on-going maintenance.

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

A discussion about the social implications will need to be arranged with representatives from other community groups. Consideration of Cultural issues will have to taken into account as well. The question about the best use of the park will need to take several factors into consideration, some of which are:



- Environmental – if we make changes to the park area, how will that affect the environment around it?
- Economic – will this be a one-off upgrade, or will there be long term maintenance issues that need to be considered?
- Cultural – what is the cultural significance of the area and how would these changes affect that?

CONSULTATION & TIMING

The question will be put to the residents of Tennant Creek and will be open until just before the next Local Authority meeting. Once that consultation has closed then the Tennant Creek Local Authority can discuss the results, either in a workshop or at the next meeting.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Dog Park [7.4.1 - 1 page]
2. Karguru [7.4.2 - 1 page]

Would you like a dog park in Tennant Creek?

Where should the dog park be put?

Barkly Regional Council

**are asking residents to share their
opinion about the possible location of
a dedicated dog park in Tennant Creek.**

**Please email your ideas to
reception@barkly.nt.gov.au or come
into the office at 41 Peko Rd and speak
to one of the staff at reception.**

Closing Date [TBA] at 4.00pm



**What would you like to see
done at Karguru Oval?
All ideas are welcome for
consideration.**

**Barkly Regional Council are asking
residents of Tennant Creek to share some
ideas about Karguru Oval.**

**Send an email to
reception@barkly.nt.gov.au or come into
the office at 41 Peko Rd and speak to the
reception staff.**

Closing Date [TBA] at 4.00pm



8 CORRESPONDENCE

Nil

9 OTHER MATTERS FOR NOTING

Other Matters For Noting

9.1 Local Authority Meetings for 2024

Author Lauren McDonnell, Senior Administration Officer.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Local Authority discuss and plan the schedule for meetings in 2024.

SUMMARY

The Local Authority meetings for 2024 need to be discussed and submitted to the Council for their agreement.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Australia Calendar 2024 [9.1.1 - 2 pages]

Calendar for year 2024 (Australia)



January

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- 1 Jan • New Year's Day
- 6 Jan • Epiphany
- 7 Jan • Orthodox Christmas Day
- 14 Jan • Orthodox New Year
- 25 Jan • Tu B'Shevat (Arbor Day)
- 26 Jan • Australia Day
- 7 Feb • Isra and Mi'raj
- 10 Feb • Lunar New Year
- 10 Feb • Lunar New Year (Christmas Island)
- 11 Feb • Lunar New Year Holiday (Day 2) (Christmas Island)
- 12 Feb • 'Lunar New Year' day off (Christmas Island)
- 12 Feb • Royal Hobart Regatta (Tasmania)
- 13 Feb • Carnival / Shrove Tuesday / Pancake Day
- 14 Feb • Ash Wednesday
- 14 Feb • Valentine's Day
- 4 Mar • Labour Day (Western Australia)
- 11 Mar • Adelaide Cup (South Australia)
- 11 Mar • Canberra Day (Australian Capital Territory)
- 11 Mar • Eight Hours Day (Tasmania)
- 11 Mar • Labour Day (Victoria)

- 11 Mar • Ramadan Start
- 16 Mar • Labour Day (Christmas Island)
- 17 Mar • St Patrick's Day
- 21 Mar • Harmony Day
- 21 Mar • National Close the Gap Day
- 24 Mar • Palm Sunday
- 24 Mar • Purim
- 28 Mar • Maundy Thursday
- 29 Mar • Good Friday
- 29 Mar • Good Friday (Victoria)
- 30 Mar • Holy Saturday (ACT, Heard and McDonald Islands, NSW, NT, Qld, SA, Vic)
- 31 Mar • Easter Sunday (ACT, NSW, NT, Qld, Vic, WA)
- 31 Mar • Easter Sunday
- 1 Apr • Easter Monday
- 2 Apr • Easter Tuesday (Tasmania)
- 5 Apr • Laylatul Qadr (Night of Power)
- 6 Apr • Self Determination Day (Cocos and Keeling Islands)
- 7 Apr • Daylight Saving Time ends
- 8 Apr • 'Self Determination Day' day off (Cocos and Keeling Islands)

- 10 Apr • Hari Raya Puasa (Christmas Island, Cocos and Keeling Islands)
- 10 Apr • Eid ul Fitr
- 23 Apr • First day of Passover
- 25 Apr • ANZAC Day
- 25 Apr • ANZAC Day Observed (Victoria)
- 30 Apr • Last day of Passover
- 3 May • Orthodox Good Friday
- 4 May • Orthodox Holy Saturday
- 5 May • Orthodox Easter
- 6 May • Labour Day (Queensland)
- 6 May • May Day (Northern Territory)
- 6 May • Orthodox Easter Monday
- 6 May • Yom HaShoah
- 9 May • Ascension Day
- 12 May • Mother's Day
- 14 May • Yom HaAtzmaut
- 19 May • Pentecost
- 20 May • Whit Monday
- 26 May • Lag B'Omer
- 26 May • National Sorry Day
- 26 May • Trinity Sunday
- 27 May • Reconciliation Day (Australian Capital Territory)

Calendar for year 2024 (Australia)



30 May • Corpus Christi 3 Jun • Western Australia Day (Western Australia) 6 Jun • King's Birthday (Cocos and Keeling Islands) 6 Jun • Queensland Day 10 Jun • King's Birthday (ACT, Heard and McDonald Islands, NSW, NT, SA, Tas, Vic) 12 Jun • Shavuot 17 Jun • Hari Raya Haji (Christmas Island, Cocos and Keeling Islands) 17 Jun • Eid al-Adha 7 Jul • First Day of NAIDOC Week 8 Jul • Muharram/Islamic New Year 17 Jul • Ashura 5 Aug • New South Wales Bank Holiday (New South Wales) 5 Aug • Northern Territory Picnic Day (Northern Territory) 13 Aug • Tisha B'Av 14 Aug • Royal National Agricultural Show Day Queensland (Queensland)	15 Aug • Assumption of Mary 1 Sep • Fathers' Day 16 Sep • Hari Maulad Nabi (Cocos and Keeling Islands) 16 Sep • Milad un Nabi (Mawlid) 23 Sep • King's Birthday (Western Australia) 27 Sep • Friday before the AFL Grand Final (Victoria) 3 Oct • Rosh Hashana 4 Oct • Feast of St Francis of Assisi 6 Oct • Daylight Saving Time starts 7 Oct • King's Birthday (Queensland) 7 Oct • Labour Day (Australian Capital Territory, New South Wales) 7 Oct • Labour Day (South Australia) 7 Oct • Territory Day (Christmas Island) 12 Oct • Yom Kippur 15 Oct • International Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day 17 Oct • First day of Sukkot 23 Oct • Hoshana Rabbah 24 Oct • Royal Hobart Show (Tasmania) 24 Oct • Shemini Atzeret	25 Oct • Simchat Torah 31 Oct • Halloween 1 Nov • All Saints' Day 1 Nov • Diwali/Deepavali 2 Nov • All Souls' Day 4 Nov • Recreation Day (Tasmania) 5 Nov • Melbourne Cup Day (Victoria) 11 Nov • Remembrance Day 1 Dec • First Sunday of Advent 8 Dec • Feast of the Immaculate Conception 24 Dec • Christmas Eve (NT, Qld, SA) 24 Dec • Christmas Eve 25 Dec • Christmas Day 25 Dec • Christmas Day (Victoria) 26 Dec • Boxing Day 26 Dec • Proclamation Day (South Australia) 26 Dec • First Day of Hanukkah 31 Dec • New Year's Eve (Northern Territory, South Australia) 31 Dec • New Year's Eve
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10 REPORTS FROM BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL

Nil

11 VISITOR PRESENTATIONS

Nil

12 OTHER BUSINESS

Other Business

12.1 Tennant Creek Park Report

Author Lauren McDonnell, Senior Administration Officer.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Local Authority receive and note the update about council parks within Tennant Creek.

SUMMARY

The previous report on the parks noted how many there were and what equipment they had at each location. A motion was made at the last meeting for a more detailed report.

BACKGROUND

Several parks or open areas in Tennant Creek could be improved upon. They are either outdated or have nothing for the community to be able to enjoy the space. The report will also be helpful when considering locations for the water bubblers.

A detailed audit and report will be provided to the Tennant Creek Local Authority at their next meeting. The Director of Tennant Creek will arrange for this audit over the next few months and provide the details that the Local Authority have requested.

ORGANISATIONAL RISK ASSESSMENT

The functions of the parks and open spaces will need to be considered and options presented to the Tennant Creek Local Authority for review. A report would also have to be provided to Council for their consideration as well.

BUDGET IMPLICATION

Until we have some suggestions and an idea of what the community want, there are no budget details to be shared.

ISSUE/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

The question about the best use of the parks will need to take several factors into consideration, some of which are:

- Environmental - if we make changes to the park area, how will that affect the environment around it?
- Economic - will this be a one-off upgrade, or will there be long term maintenance issues that need to be considered?
- Cultural - what is the cultural significance of the area and how would these changes affect that?

ATTACHMENTS:

Nil

13 CLOSE OF MEETING