

# MINUTES Ali Curung LA Meeting

Barkly Regional Council's Ali Curung LA Meeting was held in the Conference Room on Monday 24 July 2023 at 1:30 pm.

## **Russell Anderson**

**Acting Chief Executive Officer** 

#### **OUR VISION**

We strive to be responsive, progressive, sustainable council which respects, listens and empowers the people to be strong.

## The Way We Will Work

We will make it happen!

We will be engaged and have regular opportunities to listen.

We will have strong policy and budgets to ensure our programs and services are progressive and sustainable.

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.



# 1 OPENING AND ATTENDANCE

# 1.1 Authority Members Present

Meeting commenced at 13:30 with Noel Hayes as Chair.

- Noel Hayes
- Peter Corbett
- Andrew Tsavaris
- Ned Kelly
- Cr Luck Jackson

## 1.2 Staff and Visitors Present

## **Visitors Present**

- DJ Lovett (BRC)
- Michael Stanley Hunt (BRC)
- Kyle Godwin (NT-Pol)
- Mitchell Gemmola (NT-Pol)
- Benjamin Charteris (NT-Pol)

# 1.3 Apologies To Be Accepted

# **Apologies**

• Mayor Jeffery McLaughlan

# 1.4 Absent Without Apologies

Absent without apologies.

- Jerry Rice
- DesMarie Dobbs
- Cr Jack Clubb
- Cr Anita Bailey
- Cr Peter Jackson

# 1.7 Review of Disclosure of Interest

Nil



## 2 ACTIONS FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

# **Actions from previous Minutes**

# 2.1 Action items and resolution tracker JUL23

#### RECOMMENDATION

That the Local Authority receive and note the updates to the action items and resolution tracker JUL23

#### **MOTION**

That the Local Authority receive and note the updates to the action items and resolution tracker JUL23

#### **RESOLVED**

Moved: Ned Kelly

Seconded: Cr Lucy Jackson

Resolved ACLA 38/23

## 3 CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICERS REPORTS

Nil

## 4 AREA MANAGERS REPORTS

# **Area Managers Reports**

# 4.1 BRC Area Managers report - JUL23

## **RECOMMENDATION**

That Local Authority receive and note the BRC Ali Curung Area Managers report for JUL23 MOTION

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## **RESOLVED**

**Moved:** Andrew Tsavaris **Seconded:** Peter Corbett

Resolved ACLA 39/23

## 5 CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES



# **Confirmation of previous Minutes**

# 5.1 Minutes of the previous meeting 05JUN23

## **RECOMMENDATION**

That Local Authority receive and note the minutes of the previous meeting hled on 05JUN23 in Ali Curung.

#### **MOTION**

That the Local Authority receive and confirm the minutes of the previous meeting held in Ali Curung on 05JUN23.

#### **RESOLVED**

**Moved:** Andrew Tsavaris **Seconded:** Peter Corbett

Resolved ACLA 40/23

## 6 CORRESPONDENCE

Nil

## 7 FINANCE REPORTS

# **Finance Reports**

# 7.1 Ali Curung Local Authority Finance Report JUL23

#### RECOMMENDATION

That Local Authority receive and note the updated Ali Curung Finance report for JUL23.

#### MOTION

That Local Authority receive and note the updated Ali Curung Finance report for JUL23.

#### **RESOLVED**

**Moved:** Andrew Tsavaris **Seconded:** Peter Corbett

Resolved ACLA 41/23

# **8 GENERAL BUSINESS**

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# 8.1 Ali Curung Cemetery

## **RECOMMENDATION**



That the Local Authority discuss the Ali Curung Cemetrery **MOTION** 

That the Local Authority discuss the Ali Curung Cemetery.

The LA members will request community members of Ali Curung clean up their respective plots located within the cemetery as part of a wider community cleanup program.

#### **RESOLVED**

Moved: Andrew Tsavaris Seconded: Cr Lucy Jackson

Resolved ACLA 42/23

# **General Business**

# 8.2 Ali Curung Animal Management/Vet program

#### RECOMMENDATION

That Ali Curung Local Authority discuss the Animal Management Program and vetinery services **MOTION** 

That Ali Curung Local Authority discuss the Animal Management Program and veterinary services and request an update from the Community Development team on thew program for the year.

The ACLA has also requested an extended visit by the Vet.

#### **RESOLVED**

**Moved:** Andrew Tsavaris **Seconded:** Peter Corbett

Resolved ACLA 43/23

# **General Business**

# 8.3 Ali Curung community Tree planting initiative

## **RECOMMENDATION**

That the Local Authority receive and note the quotes for additional trees to be planted in the community

#### **MOTION**

That the Local Authority receive and note the quotes for additional trees to be planted in the community.



The ACLA has accepted the quote presented but have requested a detailed program to include the below before the tree planting commences.

- Community feedback on the exact location of the trees to be planted in the community.
- A timeline for pickup, delivery to community, and tree planting activity that involves community members.
- A watering program.

## **RESOLVED**

**Moved:** Andrew Tsavaris **Seconded:** Peter Corbett

Resolved ACLA 44/23

# **General Business**

# 8.4 LA member resignation

#### RECOMMENDATION

That Local Authority receive and note the resignation of long term community member Andrew Tsavaris.

#### **MOTION**

That Local Authority receive and note this resignation of long-term community member Andrew Tsavaris has been withdrawn.

#### **RESOLVED**

Moved: Peter Corbett Seconded: Cr Lucy Jackson

Resolved 45/23

## 9 OTHER MATTERS FOR NOTING

## **MOTION**

That the ACLA receive an update on the timeline for the commencement of construction on the Ali Curung Youth Centre

- The appointed construction company has commenced delivering resources to Ali Curung.
- The ACLA should inform the community that construction commences in the first week of August.
- The ACLA should inform community members to remain clear of the workers camp and construction site for safety reasons.

### **RESOLVED**



**Moved:** Cr Lucy Jackson **Seconded:** Peter Corbett

Resolved 46/23

## 11 OTHER BUSINESS

# 12 REPORTS FROM BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL

Nil

#### 13 VISITOR PRESENTATIONS

# **Visitor Presentations**

# 13.1 Request to Present - Menzies School of Health

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

That Local Authority receive a presentation by the Menzies School of Health representative.

#### MOTION

That Local Authority receive and note that the presentation by the Menzies School of Health representative was not completed, the organisation did not attend.

#### **RESOLVED**

Moved: Cr Jackson Seconded: Noel Hayes

## **Visitor Presentations**

# 13.2 Purple House presentation

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

That Local Authority receive a presentation from the Purple House representative

#### **MOTION**

That Local Authority receive a presentation from the Purple House & DIPL representatives.

DIPL - proposed a visit to the Ali Curung community of 02AUG23. The reason for the visit was to consult with the community and find an appropriate site to construct a new Health clinic.

Purple House - proposed a visit at the same time regarding including a Renal clinic at the same location. Purple House also briefed the ACLA that no funding has been secured for the renal facility yet.



## **RESOLVED**

**Moved:** Andrew Tsavaris **Seconded:** Cr Lucy Jackson

Resolved 47/23

# 14 CLOSE OF MEETING

The next ACLA Meeting will be held 25SEP23.

The meeting closed at 15:00

This page and the preceding pages are the minutes of the meeting of the Ali Curung Local Authority held on 24JUL23 and are unconfirmed.