

# BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL



## 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.**

# MINUTES ALPURRURULAM LOCAL AUTHORITY

The Alpurrrulam Local Authority of the Barkly Regional Council was held in on Tuesday, 20 October 2020 at 1:00pm.

**Steven Moore  
Chief Executive Officer**

Meeting commenced at 1:25pm with David Riley as chair.

**1. OPENING AND ATTENDANCE**

1.1 Elected Members Present

David Riley  
John Mahoney  
Pam Corbett  
Laney Tracker  
Benjamin Olschewsky  
Charlie Larkins  
Cr. Jennifer Mahoney

1.2 Staff And Visitors Present

Troy Koch – BRC Area Manager  
Mark Parsons – BRC Dir of Operations via Teleconference  
Michelle Heinen – BRC Minutes Taker  
Dylan Kerrin – Territory Families  
Margot Eliason – Barkly Regional Deal  
Erin Ekin – Barkly Regional Deal  
Feng Lu - Territory Families  
Ron Axford – Rainbow Gateway  
Thomas Barlow – Dept of LGHCD  
David Lightowler – BRC Regional Community Safety Manager  
Tjiangu Thomas – BRC Community Safety Manager

1.3 Apologies To Be Accepted

1.4 Absent Without Apologies

Clarence Campbell

1.5 Disclosure Of Interest

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

## 2. CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

### 2.1 CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES HELD ON 15TH SEPTEMBER 2020

#### MOTION

##### That the Authority

- a) Confirms the minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> September 2020 as a true & accurate records.

Amendments: Change Council to Authority on Item No. 4.1, add Hand Washing Pods to Item No. 7.4 b)

#### RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Benjamin Olschewsky

Seconded: LA Member John Mahoney

**CARRIED UNAN.**

*Resolved ALLA 38/20*

## 3. ACTIONS FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

### 3.1 ACTIONS ITEMS FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

#### MOTION

##### That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the report
- b) Confirm and remove all completed items from the Action List

Item 1. Ongoing – Street Signs still to be installed with two posts & rocks surrounding them.

Item 2. Change – Updated map to be obtained & for BRC to create a grid on map to make locating graves easier to be done by Area Manager, LA Member Olschewsky & SCSO. LA Members approved crosses to start being installed by Rainbow Gateway

Item 3. Remove from Action List – Item resolved.

Item 4. Change Task to Bore Field from Water Treatment – Ongoing

Item 5. Update – BRC will try to get Manitou out before Christmas depending on mechanical issues with Prime Mover have been resolved.

Item 6. Ongoing – Area Manager to talk to Principal to help push from the Dept of Education prospective in regards to Yellow Coats. LA Member to encourage children to go to school.

Item 7. Remove MVR Issue as this has now been resolved – Update with BRC to write a letter to the Police Commissioner & the Local Member for Barkly in regards to getting police to be based here in the Community. We have a lot of Motor Bike issues with people not wearing Helmets & protective clothing, No road respect to other users on the road, carrying of minors as young as 5 while they zip in and around the community in and out of houses without checking traffic on roads they said it was an accident waiting to happen. BRC to create a card to hand out to

community members to encourage people to report unruly behaviour to police with their contact number on it. This can be distributed by LA Members, Council Staff & Night Patrol. Border Control – Nobody is using it, LA Member to encourage community members to use for contract tracing purposes.

Item 8. Director of Ops to follow up with Finance Department if LA can use their own money for this service, but wasn't confident that it was possible.

**RESOLVED**

**Moved:** LA Member David Riley

**Seconded:** LA Member Charlie Larkins

**CARRIED UNAN.**

*Resolved ALLA 39/20*

Cr Pamela Corbett left the meeting, the time being 01:45 PM

Cr Pamela Corbett returned to the meeting, the time being 01:50 PM

**4. CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS**

**4.1 MONTHLY CEO REPORT**

**MOTION**

**That Council**

- a) Receive and note the report.

**RESOLVED**

**Moved:** LA Member Pamela Corbett

**Seconded:** LA Member Benjamin Olschewsky

**CARRIED UNAN.**

*Resolved ALLA 40/20*

**5. FINANCE**

**5.1 FINANCE REPORT**

**MOTION**

**That the Authority**

- a) Receive and note the report
- b) Discuss idea for funding to be spent

Master Key System – Area Manager to obtain quote for BRC to fund not LA at the request of the Director of Ops.

Basket Ball Court, Shiny Shed & Laundry Mat to be re-fenced. Area Manager to obtain quote to be done by outside contractors. Also to contact Rainbow Gateway to see if this could be a project the community members can do as a training program if BRC/LA provide materials. The Rainbow Gateway delegate said that he would support this happening. Add this as a New Item on Action List.

Shade Areas at Community Cemetery. Obtain Quotes on adding a permanent shelter or portable shelters which can be also used at other events within the community. Also to obtain a quote to install a Rainwater Tank by the shelter. Add

this as a New Item on the Action List.

Obtain a quote for a pump for the Portable Toilets so they can start being used during community events. Add this as a New Item on Action List.

Vet Visits – Donate 20K towards regular vet visits to Alpururulam, Area Manager to obtain quote to refurbish a suitable location for them to work out of which is air-conditioned. Add this as a New Item on Action List.

Director of Ops to provide photos for set up for water supplies pods. Add this as a New Item on Action List.

There was discussion about a Dirt Track for kids & adults (Motor X type), it was advised by Director of Ops that Council would not approve this request.

**RESOLVED**

**Moved: LA Member Charlie Larkins**

**Seconded: LA Member Laney Tracker**

**CARRIED UNAN.**

*Resolved ALLA 41/20*

**6. AREA MANAGERS REPORT**

**6.1 AREA MANAGERS REPORT**

**MOTION**

**That the Authority**

- a) Receive and note the report

**RESOLVED**

**Moved: LA Member Charlie Larkins**

**Seconded: LA Member David Riley**

**CARRIED UNAN.**

*Resolved ALLA 42/20*

**7. GENERAL BUSINESS**

**7.1 BARKLY REGIONAL DEAL REPORT**

**MOTION**

**That the Authority**

- a) Receive and note the report from the BRD team.

Presentation in regards to Visitor Centre Location in Tennant Creek. It was mentioned that there is a BBQ that will be put on for tomorrow to engage the community members. And if the LA Members had any further questions they could be answered at this BBQ. It was also mentioned they wish to have a representative from Alpururulam in regards to the Barkly Regional Deal.

**RESOLVED**

**Moved: LA Member John Mahoney**

**Seconded: LA Member Pamela Corbett**

**CARRIED UNAN.**

*Resolved ALLA 43/20*

## 7.2 GRANT ACQUITTALS: LOCAL AUTHORITY PROJECT FUNDING

### MOTION

#### That Council

- (a) Receive and note the Report detailing:
- Certifications of 2019-2020 Local Authority Project Funding for:
    - Alpururulam Local Authority

### RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member David Riley

Seconded: LA Member Benjamin Olschewsky

CARRIED UNAN.

*Resolved ALLA 44/20*

## 7.3 CONFIRM THE NEXT MEETING DATE

### MOTION

#### That the Authority

- a) That the Local Authority confirm the next meeting date to be 10<sup>th</sup> November 2020

### RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Charlie Larkins

Seconded: LA Member John Mahoney

CARRIED UNAN.

*Resolved ALLA 45/20*

## 8. CORRESPONDENCE

*Nil*

## 9. OTHER MATTERS FOR NOTING

*Nil*

## 10. REPORTS FROM BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL

### 10.1 COUNCIL REPORT- SEPTEMBER 2020

### MOTION

#### That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the report

### RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Pamela Corbett

Seconded: LA Member Benjamin Olschewsky

CARRIED UNAN.

*Resolved ALLA 46/20*

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

*Nil*

## 12. VISITOR PRESENTATIONS

*Nil*

**13. OTHER BUSINESS**

**13.1 CONTINUATION OF DISCUSSION IN REGARDS TO LICENSING NT & HARM MINIMISATION UNIT**

**MOTION**

**That the Authority**

- a) Discuss further in regards to signs being placed at all entrances to the community in regards to alcohol restrictions & signs for community members houses

The Local Authority agreed for signs to be placed at all entrances to the community in regards to alcohol restrictions, there are 4 entrances. They were still unsure about signs on individual houses as the signs on all the entrances to the community should let people know that this place is an alcohol free zone.

**RESOLVED**

**Moved: LA Member David Riley**

**Seconded: LA Member Pamela Corbett**

**CARRIED UNAN.**

*Resolved ALLA 47/20*

**14. CLOSE OF MEETING**

Meeting closed at 3:25pm

THIS PAGE AND THE PRECEEDING PAGES ARE THE MINUTES OF THE Alpururulam Local Authority Meeting HELD ON Tuesday, 20 October 2020 AND CONFIRMED Tuesday, 10 November 2020.

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David Riley  
Chair

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Troy Koch  
Area Manager