

# MINUTES ALPURRURULAM LOCAL AUTHORITY

The Alpurrurulam Local Authority of the Barkly Regional Council was held in Alpurrurulam Council Office - Conference Room on Tuesday, 25 July 2023 at 1.30pm.

Meeting commenced at 1.30pm with Laney Tracker as Chair.

# 1. OPENING AND ATTENDANCE

- 1.1 Elected Members Present
  - David Riley
  - Laney Tracker
  - · Benjamin Olschewsky Joined meeting at 3.00pm
  - Jennifer Mahoney
  - Charlie Larkins
  - Cr Pam Corbett by phone
- 1.2 Staff And Visitors Present
  - Heather Smith, Area Manager
  - Robbie Larkins, TL Comm Care
  - · Kenneth Philomac, TL Comm Safety
- 1.3 Apologies To Be Accepted
  - Maria Turner
  - John Mahoney
  - Ben Olschewsky Joined meeting at 3.00pm
- 1.4 Absent Without Apologies
  - Nil
- 1.5 Disclosure Of Interest

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

# 2. CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

#### 2.1 PREVIOUS LA MEETING MINUTES

#### RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority receive and confirm the minutes of the previous LA meeting Tuesday, 13 June 2023

**RESOLVED** 

Moved: LA Member Charlie Larkins
Seconded: LA Member David Riley

CARRIED UNAN.

# 3. ACTIONS FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

#### 3.1 LA ACTION RESOLUTION TRACKER

#### RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority;

- a) receive and note the Action items and Resolution tracker
- b) confirm and remove all completed items from the Action List

**RESOLVED** 

Moved: LA Member Charlie Larkins Seconded: LA Member Laney Tracker

**CARRIED UNAN.** 

# 4. CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS

Nil

# 5. FINANCE

#### 5.1 ALPURRURULAM FINANCE REPORT

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

That the Authority:

a) receive and note the Finance report as at 30th June 2023

**RESOLVED** 

Moved: LA Member Jennifer Mahoney Seconded: Councillor Pam Corbett

CARRIED UNAN.

# 6. AREA MANAGERS REPORT

## 6.1 AREA MANAGERS REPORT

# **RECOMMENDATION**

That the Authority receive and note the Alpurrurulam Area Managers' Report

**RESOLVED** 

Moved: LA Member Charlie Larkins Seconded: LA Member David Riley

**CARRIED UNAN** 

# 7. **GENERAL BUSINESS**

#### 7.1 DEVELOPMENT OF ASSETS WITHIN ALPURRURULAM COMMUNITY

#### RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority:

discuss the development of all assets within the community to ensure a coordinated and informed approach with all stakeholders

**RESOLVED** 

Moved: LA Member Charlie Larkins Seconded: Councillor Pam Corbett

**CARRIED UNAN** 

# 7.2 CLC COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TEAM – INVITATION TO ADDRESS FUTURE LA MEETINGS

#### RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority:

Invites representative/s from CLC to future LA meetings to keep LA informed of community development issues

**RESOLVED** 

Moved: LA Member Laney Tracker Seconded: LA Member Jenny Mahoney

**CARRIED UNAN** 

#### 7.3 OLD BASKETBALL COURT – FURTHER DEVELOPMENT REQUIREMENTS

## **RECOMMENDATION**

That the Authority consider potential further development of the old basketball court to make it a more usable community space.

**RESOLVED** 

Moved: LA Member Ben Olschewsky Seconded: LA Member David Riley

**CARRIED UNAN** 

# 7.4 POLICE STATION – NEW STATION WITH PERMANENT POLICE PRESENCE IN ALPURRURULAM

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

That the Authority:

Approach politicians and other relevant government departments and stakeholders to assist in pushing for government to fund and build a permanently staffed police station, including cross border police presence, along with relevant staff accommodation in community.

**RESOLVED** 

Moved: LA Member Charlie Larkins Seconded: LA Member Ben Olschewsky

**CARRIED UNAN** 

# 8. CORRESPONDENCE

# 8.1 REQUEST TO PRESENT TO THE LA – INDIGENOUS ELECTORAL PARTICIPATION PROGRAM AND REMOTE ENGAGEMENT WORK. MARYANNE WALLEY

# **RECOMMENDATION**

That the Authority:

Receive a presentation from the Indigenous Electoral Participation program representative Maryanne Wally at a future LA meeting

**RESOLVED** 

Moved: LA Member Charlie Larkins Seconded: LA Member Jenny Mahoney

**CARRIED UNAN** 

# 9. OTHER MATTERS FOR NOTING

Nil

### 10. REPORTS FROM BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL

Nil

# 11. THE REGIONAL COUNCIL'S PROPOSED REGIONAL PLAN

Nil

# 12. OTHER BUSINESS

#### 12.1 SERVICE DELIVERY CENTRE - PROPOSED CHANGE OF OFFICE HOURS

# **RECOMMENDATION**

# That the Authority:

Agree to the council office closing at 12 noon on Fridays in line with municipal services, as long as the required number of Centrelink hours are still provided as per council contract of 30 hours, and further that permanent full time customer service staff start and finish times are changed to still cover a full 38 hours per week.

#### **RESOLVED**

Moved: LA Member Charlie Larkins

Seconded: Councillor Pam Corbett CARRIED UNAN

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# 13. CLOSE OF MEETING

Meeting Closed at 3.30PM pm