

#### **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 TENNANT CREEK LOCAL AUTHORITY

The Tennant Creek Local Authority of the Barkly Regional Council was held in Tennant Creek on Tuesday, 8 December 2020 at 4.30pm.

Steven Moore
Chief Executive Officer

Meeting commenced at 1637 with Jeff Linda Renfrey as chair.

# 1. OPENING AND ATTENDANCE

1.1 Elected Members Present

Mayor Jeff McLaughlin

Cr. Sid Vashist

Cr. Karan Hayward

Linda Renfrey

Josephine Bethel

Kara Blankenspoor

Ray Wallis

1.2 Staff And Visitors Present

Steve Moore

Gary Pemberton

Millicent Nhepera

1.3 Apologies To Be Accepted

Deputy Mayor Ronald Plummer

Cr. Kris Civitarese

Cr. Hal Ruger

- 1.4 Absent Without Apologies
- 1.5 Disclosure Of Interest
- Cr. Jeffrey McLaughlin Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
  - o Barkly Regional Arts Member
  - Tennant Creek Cricket Association Member
  - Nundahraga Entertainment Sound sub-contractor
  - Christmas Tree Committee Member
  - First Persons Disability Network
  - Tennant Creek Primary School Teacher
  - Tennant Creek High School
- Cr. Ronald Plummer Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
  - Purrutu Aboriginal Corporation Board Member
  - Patta Aboriginal Corporation Board Member
  - Papulu Apparr-Kari Aboriginal Corporation Member
  - o Tennant Creek Mob Aboriginal Corporation
- Cr. Kris M. Civitarese Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
  - Tennant Creek and District Show Society Vice President
  - The Returned and Service League of Australia, Tennant Creek Sub-Branch –
     President
  - o Development Consent Authority Barkly Region Member/Delegate
  - Chamber of Commerce Northern Territory Tennant Creek Committee Member
  - o Rotary Paul Harris Fellow Awarded

- o T & J Contractors Senior Manager
- Barkly Art Board Member
- KNC (NT) Managing Director
- Cr. Siddhant Vashist Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
  - o Tennant Creek Cricket Association Member
  - o Barkly Electorate Officer / Member for Barkly
  - o Battery Hill Member
  - o Barkly Arts Member
  - o Tennant Creek High School Member
  - o Tennant Creek Primary School Member
  - o Christmas Tree Committee Member
  - o Multicultural Association of Central Australia Member
  - o Australia-India Business Council Member
- Cr. Hal A. Ruger Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
  - Territory Generation Employee
- Steve Moore Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
   Battery Hill Director
- Karan Hayward Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
  - Chamber of Commerce Barkly Region Chair
  - o Alcohol Reference Group Chair
- Greg Liebelt Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
  - ALSPO Tennant Creek Post Office Manager Director
  - WBC Agri
  - Barkly Freight
  - o Tennant Creek Show Society President
- Ray Wallis Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
  - AFLNT Barkly Advisory Committee
  - Consumer Advisory Group
  - Purkiss Reserve Consultative Committee Member
  - Barkly Regional Accommodation Action Group Member
  - Tennant Creek Transport
- Josephine Bethel Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
  - None Disclosed
- Linda Renfrey Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
  - o Jacal Tint and Automotive Owner and Operator
  - Tennant Creek Aboriginal Mob Director

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

## 2. CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

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#### RECOMMENDATION

### That the Authority

a) Confirm the minutes from the meeting held 10<sup>th</sup> November 2020 as a true and accurate record.

Sid Vashist- apology in the last meeting – to amend

## 3. ACTIONS FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

Nil

# 4. CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS

#### 4.1 CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER UPDATE

#### **MOTION**

#### **That Council**

a) Receive and note the report

#### **RESOLVED**

Moved: Cr. Sid Vashist

**Seconded:LA Member Kara Blankenspoor** 

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved TCLA 80/20

# 5. FINANCE

## 5.1 FINANCE REPORT - NOVEMBER 2020

#### **MOTION**

#### That the Authority

a) Receive and note the report.

#### **RESOLVED**

Moved: LA Member Ray Wallis

**Seconded:Deputy Chairperson Josephine Bethel** 

**CARRIED UNAN.** 

Resolved TCLA 81/20

ACTION ITEM: Suggestion to put a bus shelter Blain Street near the caravan park end- to cater for disabled patients near the Blain Street flats.

#### 6. GENERAL BUSINESS

## 6.1 PRESENTATION FROM TENNANT CREEK MOB

## **MOTION**

# That the Authority

a) Receive and note the report

**RESOLVED** 

**Moved:** Deputy Chairperson Josephine Bethel

Seconded:LA Member Kara Blankenspoor

**CARRIED UNAN.** 

Resolved TCLA 82/20

The Tennant Creek Cemetery Beautification has been going very well. Trees (including Mahoganies), and different types of flowers have been planted at the cemetery.

In November 2020, reticulation was installed at the cemetary.

The beautification project itself is in its final stages, which is a good accomplishment.

#### 6.2 GENERAL BUSINESS

Drainage lid near Eldorado on the side of the NTG government building has come off.

Stanley and Paterson Drainage lid is broken and needs to be attended to.

Water fountains near the change room at Purkiss reserve- check if they can be moved/taken out to a different location.

Member Ray Wallis to get in contact with Gary Pemberton regarding footpaths that need to be fixed.

## 7. CORRESPONDENCE

Nil

# 8. OTHER MATTERS FOR NOTING

Nil

## 9. REPORTS FROM BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL

## 9.1 COUNCIL REPORT- NOVEMBER 2020

## **MOTION**

#### That the Authority

a) Receive and note the report

## **RESOLVED**

Moved: LA Member Kara Blankenspoor

**Seconded:Deputy Chairperson Josephine Bethel** 

**CARRIED UNAN.** 

Resolved TCLA 83/20

Question was asked regarding why the location of the Christmas party was changed from Purkiss reserve to the Civic Hall- Mayor answered that it was due to several reasons including volunteers getting heat stroke.

TCLA to reconvene in February.

## 10. OTHER BUSINESS

Nil

Nil	
13. CLOSE OF MEETING at 17:24	
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Lind Renfrey Chair	Steve Moore Chief Executive Officer

11. THE REGIONAL COUNCIL'S PROPOSED REGIONAL PLAN

Nil

12. <u>VISITOR PRESENTATIONS</u>