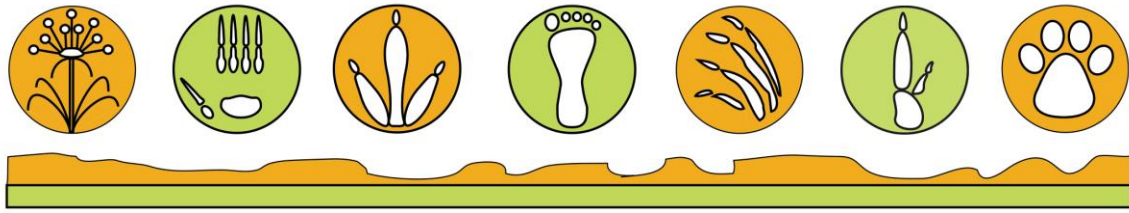


BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL



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 TENNANT CREEK LOCAL AUTHORITY

The Tennant Creek Local Authority of the Barkly Regional Council was held in Tennant Creek on Tuesday, 9 March 2021 at 1630.

Steven Moore
Chief Executive Officer

Meeting commenced at 1643 with Linda Renfrey as chair.

1. OPENING AND ATTENDANCE

1.1 Members Present

Mayor Jeff McLaughlin
Cr. Karan Hayward
Cr. Hal Ruger
Linda Renfrey
Ray Wallis
Lachlan Dunemann

1.2 Staff And Visitors Present

Steve Moore
Damian Carter
Gary Pemberton
Millicent Nhepera
Steve Edgington

1.3 Apologies To Be Accepted

Kara Blankenspoor
Michael Burton

1.4 Absent Without Apologies

Cr. Sid Vashist
Cr Kris Civitarese

1.5 Disclosure Of Interest

- Cr. Jeffrey McLaughlin – Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
 - Barkly Regional Arts - Member
 - Tennant Creek Cricket Association – Member
 - Nundahraga Entertainment – Sound sub-contractor
 - Christmas Tree Committee – Member
- Cr. Ronald Plummer – Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
 - Pururutu Aboriginal Corporation – Board Member
 - Patta Aboriginal Corporation – Board Member
 - Papulu Apparr-Kari Aboriginal Corporation – Member
 - 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
 - Development Consent Authority – Barkly Region Member/Delegate

- Chamber of Commerce Northern Territory – Tennant Creek Committee Member
 - Rotary – Paul Harris Fellow Awarded
 - T & J Contractors – Senior Manager
 - Barkly Art - Board Member
 - KNC (NT) – Managing Director
- Cr. Siddhant Vashist – Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
 - Tennant Creek Cricket Association - Member
 - Barkly Electorate Officer /Member for Barkly
 - Battery Hill – Member
 - Barkly Arts – Member
 - Tennant Creek High School - Member
 - Tennant Creek Primary School – Member
 - Christmas Tree Committee - Member
 - Multicultural Association of Central Australia – Member
 - 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
 - Alcohol Reference Group – Chair
- Greg Liebelt – Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
 - ALSPO Tennant Creek Post Office - Manager Director
 - WBC Agri
 - Barkly Freight
 - 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
- Linda Renfrey – Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
 - Jacal Tint and Automotive – Owner and Operator
 - Tennant Creek Aboriginal Mob – Director
- Kara Blankenspoor
- Lachlan Duneman
- Michael Burton

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

2. CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

2.1 CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

- a) Confirm the minutes from the meeting held 10th November 2020 as a true and accurate record.
- b) Confirm the minutes from the meeting held 8th December 2020 as a true and accurate record.

Deferred- provisional meeting.

3. ACTIONS FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

3.1 ACTION ITEMS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS

MOTION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the actions items.
- b) Authorise the chair to write a letter on behalf of the Authority to the Minister regarding loss of jobs in PATS, and other services in the region.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Ray Wallis

Seconded: Cr Karan Hayward

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved TCLA 1/21

Kathleen street Park costings to be added to the action list.

Member for Barkly, Steve Edington was invited to the table to answer some questions from the authority:

- Cr Ruger brought up the possibility of starting to market the Barkly for mining.
- The MLA that he would be happy with this and his position would be that the mining should create jobs for the people of the Barkly.
- MLA is happy to see what he can do as mining is his shadow ministry.
- The committee brought up the issues with the MVR not being open, and with inconsistent.
- The MLA stated that he raised that in parliament. He received a response from the Minister, which will be tabled at the next meeting.
- The Authority members also raised issue regarding the unavailability of specialised medical services, and PATS.
- The MLA noted these issues and stated that he has raised these issues with the minister. He received a response which will be tabled at the next meeting.

ACTION ITEM: Recommend council to write a letter on behalf of the local authority regarding the loss of PATS jobs.

4. CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS

4.1 CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER UPDATE

MOTION

That Council

- a) Receive and note the report

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Ray Wallis

Seconded: Cr. Ronald Plummer

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved TCLA 2/21

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: Local Authority Member Lachlan Dunemann

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved TCLA 3/21

6. GENERAL BUSINESS

6.1 INFRASTRUCTURE REPORT

MOTION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the report

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Ray Wallis

Seconded: Cr. Karan Hayward

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved TCLA 4/21

LA members requested the infrastructure report to be in writing.
Santosh provided PATS an update on the Lake Mary-Anne playground which is due to be completed this month (March).
Hilda Street park is still waiting for a good price for an additional shed structure.
The Tennant Creek Chapel is now in the design phase.
The youth centre is now in the permit phase.

6.2 PRESENTATION FROM DAVID HALL

MOTION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the report.

RESOLVED

Moved: Cr. Karan Hayward

Seconded: LA Member Ray Wallis

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved TCLA 5/21

Barkly Vet – David Hall presented to the LA.

Tabled request of a list of 8 things that would bring the clinic up to scratch, and requested the LA to consider funding these.

The LA requested the vet to get quoted for the electrical equipment (ultrasound machine and laptop) that were listed.

ACTION ITEM: Santosh to do pricing on:

- 1- covers for fluorescent lights
- 2- wash up sink
- 3- painting
- 4- Colorband wall
- 6- drainage
- 7- awning of clinic window
- 8- renovation of cage area

6.3 RESIGNATION

MOTION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the resignation of Josephine Bethel.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Ray Wallis

Seconded: Local Authority Member Lachlan Duneman

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved TCLA 6/21

6.4 ENVIRONMENTAL AND SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE

MOTION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the report.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Ray Wallis

Seconded: Cr. Karan Hayward

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved TCLA 7/21

6.5 BARKLY REGIONAL DEAL UPDATE

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the report

Deferred.

7. CORRESPONDENCE

Nil

8. OTHER MATTERS FOR NOTING

Nil

9. REPORTS FROM BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL

9.1 COUNCIL REPORT- FEBRUARY 2021

MOTION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the report

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Ray Wallis

Seconded: Cr. Karan Hayward

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved TCLA 8/21

10. OTHER BUSINESS

Nil

11. THE REGIONAL COUNCIL'S PROPOSED REGIONAL PLAN

Nil

12. VISITOR PRESENTATIONS

Nil

13. CLOSE OF MEETING at 6.24pm

THIS PAGE AND THE PRECEEDING 6 PAGES ARE THE MINUTES OF THE Tennant Creek Local Authority HELD ON Tuesday, 9 March 2021 AND CONFIRMED .

Lind Renfrey
Chair

Steve Moore
Chief Executive Officer