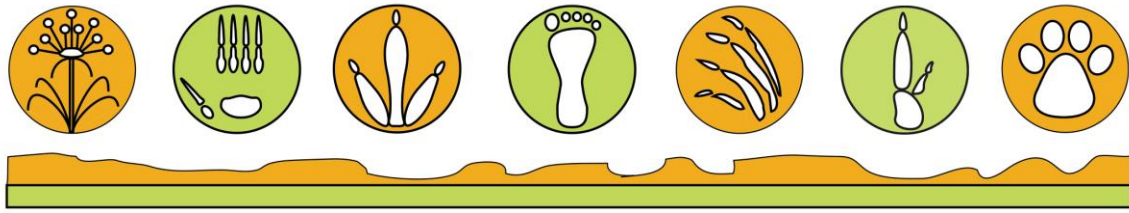


# BARKLY REGIONAL COUNCIL



## 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 Council Chambers on Tuesday, 13 April 2021 at 1630.

**Steven Moore**  
**Chief Executive Officer**

Meeting commenced at 1631 with Linda Renfrey as chair.

## **1. OPENING AND ATTENDANCE**

### **1.1 Elected Members Present**

Mayor Jeff McLaughlin  
Cr. Karan Hayward  
Linda Renfrey  
Kara Blankenspoor  
Ray Wallis  
Michael Burton

### **1.2 Staff And Visitors Present**

Steve Moore  
Damian Carter  
Gary Pemberton  
Millicent Nhepera  
Santosh Niraula

### **1.3 Apologies To Be Accepted**

Lachlan Duneman  
Greg Liebelt  
Kris Civitarese  
Hal Ruger  
Sid Vashist

### **1.4 Absent Without Apologies**

### **1.5 Disclosure Of Interest**

- Mayor Jeffrey McLaughlin – Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
  - Barkly Regional Arts – Member
  - Tennant Creek Cricket Association – Member
  - Nundahraga Entertainment – Sound sub-contractor
  - Christmas Tree Committee – President
  - Tourism Central Australia - Board 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
  - Development Consent Authority – Barkly Region Member/Delegate
  - Chamber of Commerce Northern Territory – Tennant Creek Committee Member
  - Rotary – Paul Harris Fellow Awarded
  - T & J Contractors
  - Barkly Art - Board Member
  - KNC (NT) – Managing Director
- Cr. Siddhant Vashist – Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
  - Barkly Arts – Member
  - Tennant Creek High School - Member
  - Multicultural Association of Central Australia – Member
  - Australia-India Business Council – Member
  - Outback Stores – Employee
- 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
  - Papulu Apparr-Kari Aboriginal Corporation – Chief Executive Officer
  - Mark Gillard Painting – Director
  - Alcohol Reference Group – Chairperson
  - Combined Aboriginal Corporation – Member
- 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

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

## 2. **CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES**

## **2.1 CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES**

### **MOTION**

#### **That the Authority**

- a) Confirm the minutes from the meeting held 10<sup>th</sup> November 2020 as a true and accurate record.
- b) Confirm the minutes from the meeting held 8<sup>th</sup> December 2020 as a true and accurate record.
- c) Confirm the minutes from the meeting held 9<sup>th</sup> March 2021 as a true and accurate record.

### **RESOLVED**

**Moved: LA Member Ray Wallis**

**Seconded: LA Member Kara Blankenspoor**

**CARRIED UNAN.**

*Resolved TCLA 9/21*

Add Kara Blankenspoor as attended for December meeting.  
Item 6.1 (March minutes)- remove the word "PATs".

## **3. ACTIONS FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES**

### **3.1 ACTION ITEMS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS**

#### **MOTION**

##### **That the Authority**

- a) Receive and note the actions items and remove action item 5

### **RESOLVED**

**Moved: LA Member Ray Wallis**

**Seconded: LA Member Kara Blankenspoor**

**CARRIED UNAN.**

*Resolved TCLA 10/21*

## **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: Local Authority Member Michael Burton**

**CARRIED UNAN.**

*Resolved TCLA 11/21*

## **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 Michael Burton

**CARRIED UNAN.**

*Resolved TCLA 12/21*

ACTION ITEM: Bring costings for the pictures for the clock

## 6. GENERAL BUSINESS

### 6.1 5 YEAR STRATEGIC PLAN

#### MOTION

That Council

- a) Receive and note the report.
- b) Provide feedback by the April Council meeting on the revised five year strategic plan.

#### RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Kara Blankenspoor

Seconded: Local Authority Member Karan Hayward

**CARRIED UNAN.**

*Resolved TCLA 13/21*

### 6.2 5 YEAR INFRASTRUCTURE PLAN

#### MOTION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the report;
- b) Give feedback on the Tennant Creek 5 year Infrastructure plan, if any.

#### RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member Ray Wallis

Seconded: Local Authority Member Michael Burton

**CARRIED UNAN.**

*Resolved TCLA 14/21*

Recommend that the reflective chair that NT Police is funded for be put at the dam.

### 6.3 NOTICE BOARDS

#### MOTION

That the Authority

- a) Receive and note the reports

**RESOLVED****Moved: Local Authority Member Karan Hayward****Seconded: LA Member Ray Wallis****CARRIED UNAN.***Resolved TCLA 15/21*

Clarify whether there will be adverts put on the notice board.

ACTION ITEM: Find out where the other two notice boards that were not allocated anywhere are.

**6.4 AUSTRALIA BUREAU OF STATISTICS****MOTION****That the Authority**

- a) Receive and note the report.

**RESOLVED****Moved: Local Authority Member Michael Burton****Seconded: LA Member Ray Wallis****CARRIED UNAN.***Resolved TCLA 16/21***6.5 CORRESPONDANCE****MOTION****That the Authority**

- a) Receive and note the report

**RESOLVED****Moved: LA Member Ray Wallis****Seconded: Local Authority Member Michael Burton****CARRIED UNAN.***Resolved TCLA 17/21***6.6 REPORT FROM DIRECTOR OF INFRASTRUCTURE-BRC****MOTION****That the Authority**

- a) Receive and note the report of infrastructure activities in the Town of Tennant Creek

**RESOLVED****Moved: Local Authority Member Michael Burton****Seconded: LA Member Kara Blankenspoor****CARRIED UNAN.***Resolved TCLA 18/21***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: LA Member Kara Blankenspoor**

**CARRIED UNAN.**

*Resolved TCLA 19/21*

## **10. OTHER BUSINESS**

*Nil*

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

*Nil*

## **12. VISITOR PRESENTATIONS**

### **12.1 RELATIONSHIPS AUSTRALIA**

#### **MOTION**

##### **That the Authority**

- a) Receive and note the report

#### **RESOLVED**

**Moved: LA Member Ray Wallis**

**Seconded: Local Authority Member Michael Burton**

**CARRIED UNAN.**

*Resolved TCLA 20/21*

National Redress Scheme Support service- one of two services in the NT funded to assist people under the scheme.

They offer a free service and there is no maximum number of sessions for clients who work with RA to get their story on paper.

Members urged to let members of the community know that this service exists and that, if eligible, they can benefit from it.

## **13. CLOSE OF MEETING AT 1736.**

THIS PAGE AND THE PRECEEDING 7 PAGES ARE THE MINUTES OF THE Tennant Creek Local Authority HELD ON Tuesday, 13 April 2021 AND CONFIRMED .

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Linda Renfrey

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Steve Moore

Chair

Chief Executive Officer