

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

TUESDAY, 7 MAY 2019

The Tennant Creek Local Authority of the Barkly Regional Council was held in Tennant Creek on Tuesday, 7 May 2019 at 4:30PM.

Steven Moore
Chief Executive Officer

Meeting commenced at 4:48pm with Karan Hayward as Chair.

1. OPENING AND ATTENDANCE

1.1 Elected Members Present Mayor Steven Edgington Cr Jeffrey McLaughlin

Cr Ronald Plummer

1.2 Appointed Members Present

Chairperson Karan Hayward

Member Tony Civitarese

Member Linda Renfrey

Member Wayne Green

1.3 Staff And Visitors Present

Steve Moore - Chief Executive Officer

Gary Pemberton - Finance Manager

Elai Semisi - Director of Infrastructure

Andrew Scoffern – Governance and Quality Officer (Minute Taker)

Adam - Barkly Regional Deal Taskforce

Deborah Booker - Alcohol

1.4 Apologies To Be Accepted

Deputy Mayor Kris Civitarese

Cr Sid Vashist

Cr Hal Ruger

Deputy Chairperson Greg Liebelt

Member Josephine Bethel

Member Ray Wallis

1.5 Absent Without Apologies

1.6 Disclosure Of Interest

Mayor Steve Edgington – Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships

Institute of Managers and Leaders - Associate Fellow

Australian Institute of Company Directors - Member

Law Society Northern Territory - Associate Member

Tennant Creek Regional Consumer Advisory Group

AFLNT Barkly Advisory Committee - Member

Tennant Creek Economic Development Committee – Member

Rotary – Member

Bizspeak Pty Ltd- Director

Battery Hill - Member

Alcohol Reference Group - Committee Member

Regional Development Australia - Chair

• 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 – Vice 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

Cr. Siddhant Vashist – Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships

Tennant Creek Cricket Association - Secretary/Public Officer

Barkly Electorate Officer / Member for Barkly

Battery Hill - Member

Barkly Art - 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

Tennant Creek Memorial Club - President

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

First Persons Disability Network

Doctor Flouride - Stage Name

Tennant Creek Primary School - Music Teacher

Tennant Creek High School – Music Teacher

• Cr. Ronald Plummer – Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships

Purrutu Aboriginal Corporation – Board Member

Patta Aboriginal Corporation - Board Member

Papulu Apparr-Kari Aboriginal Corporation – Member

Tennant Creek Mob Aboriginal Corporation – Board Member/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

Tony Civitarese – Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships
 T & J Contractors – Proprietor

• Wayne Green - Affiliations, Clubs, Organisations and Memberships

Tennant Creek Cricket Association

Tennant Creek Athletics Club

AFL Northern Territory

Tennant Creek Primary School Council

Tennant Creek High School Council

Purkiss Reserve Consultative Committee

• 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
- Linda Renfrey

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

2. CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

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MOTION

That the Authority:

a) Confirm the minutes (as adjusted) from meeting held 2 April 2019 as a true and accurate record.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member T Civitarese

Seconded:Local Authority Member Linda Renfrey

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved TCLA 22/19

The Minutes had been changed to reflect the conflict Deputy Mayor Civitarese and Deputy Chairperson Liebelt's association with the Show Society.

Mary Ann Dam progress to go back on the Agenda. CEO discussed logistical issues with costings and sheer size of the project. Front area where the children play from boat ramp until the footbridge can be done with a bobcat, that is the area the LA would like, CEO confirm that we can do this. Member Renfrey discussed issue of water on the footpath to the Dam, CEO said to email Council (Elai) to remedy as it's most likely an issue of a broken pipe.

Cr Jeffrey McLaughlin left the meeting, the time being 04:56 PM

3. LOCAL AUTHORITY REPORTS

Nil

4. **GENERAL BUSINESS**

Nil

5. CORRESPONDENCE

Nil

6. ACTION ITEMS FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

6.1 ACTION ITEMS FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

MOTION

That the Authority:

- a) Receive and note the actions items; and
- b) Resolve that action items completed removed from the action list.

RESOLVED

Moved: Cr. Ronald Plummer

Seconded:LA Member T Civitarese

Resolved TCLA 23/19

10) Chair – Images ready to be printed up, ready to go on as of next week. First four pictures to go on initially. Only 4 could be printed properly, we need more pictures for circulation. Images to be celebrating town, Christmas, events, the Dam. Preferably images not of people where we'd have to obtain their permission

Cr Jeffrey McLaughlin returned to the meeting, the time being 05:02 PM

7. AREA MANAGERS REPORT

Nil

8. LOCAL AUTHORITY PROJECTS BREAKDOWN

Nil

9. CEO REPORT ON CURRENT BRC SERVICES IN LA AREA

9.1 CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER - APRIL UPDATE

MOTION

That the Authority:

a) Receive and note the report.

RESOLVED

Moved: Local Authority Member Linda Renfrey

Seconded: Cr. Jeffrey McLaughlin

CARRIED UNAN.

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Resolved TCLA 24/19

Tender assessment of Purkiss fence to be announced soon

CEO spoke about the status of the Battery Hill site in his capacity as Director of Battery Hill rather than CEO of Council; lease handed back, unanimous decision by the Management Team of the site

Concerns were raised about the continuing delays in projects throughout town. Town expects the Regional Deal to have some impacts on the town. Mayor to share the response from the Chief Minister regarding the Regional Deal to the members of the LA

10. BRC'S RESPONSE TO LA ISSUES RAISED

10.1 UPDATE - COUNCIL MEETING 2 MAY 2019

MOTION

That the Authority:

a) Receive and note the report.

RESOLVED

Moved: LA Member T Civitarese

Resolved TCLA 25/19

11. SERVICE DELIVERY ISSUES REPORTS IN THE LA AREA

11.1 INFRASTRUCTURE AND MUNICIPAL SERVICES REPORT

MOTION

That the Authority:

a) Receive and note the Infrastructure and Municipal Services Report.

RESOLVED

Moved: Cr. Ronald Plummer

Seconded:Local Authority Member Linda Renfrey

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved TCLA 26/19

Members raised their concerns about the quotes for the shading at Mary Ann Dam, Director of Infrastructure shared anticipated pictures and quotes around to the LA

Cr Ronald Plummer left the meeting, the time being 05:43 PM

12. FRIENDS OF THE CEMETERY

Nil

13. LATEST FINANCIAL QUARTERLY REPORT

13.1 LOCAL AUTHORITY FINANCE REPORT: APRIL 2019

MOTION

That the Authority:

a) Receive and note the report.

RESOLVED

Moved: Local Authority Member Linda Renfrey

Seconded: Cr. Ronald Plummer

CARRIED UNAN.

Resolved TCLA 27/19

2016 (spent) from the TC budget can be removed

Discussions were raised about the location of a noticeboard in town. Of particular discussion were somewhere it would not be smashed, electronic noticeboards, Davidson Walk (Mall). Video screens would cost a lot more than the quoted \$6k

Initial idea was to put noticeboard on the clock, LA is keen to see this action proceed.

14. REGIONAL COUNCIL'S ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE PREVIOUS FINANCIAL YEAR

Nil

15. THE REGIONAL COUNCIL'S POLICY ON DELEGATION OF POWERS AND FUNCTIONS

15.1 MEMBERS CODE OF CONDUCT

RECOMMENDATION

That the Authority:

a) Receive and note the attached Code of Conduct.

No motion

Cr Ronald Plummer returned to the meeting, the time being 05:51 PM

16. THE REGIONAL COUNCIL'S PROPOSED REGIONAL PLAN

Nil

17. VISITOR PRESENTATIONS

Nil

18. CLOSE OF MEETING

Questions were raised around Hilda Street and Council's intentions and any plans for swings and playground equipment

Concerns were also raised about the pool and the prickles on the grassy area and extreme heat of the playground in summer, move the playground under cover potentially. Plastic playground for little kids

Light over the skate park is inconsistent in its application, some mornings it is on, some mornings it is off

Cr Jeffrey McLaughlin left the meeting, the time being 06:05 PM

MOTION

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That the Authority:	
a) Close the meeting at 6:14pm.	
RESOLVED Moved: Cr. Ronald Plummer	
Seconded:LA Member T Civitarese	CARRIED UNAN.
Resolved TCLA 28/19	

THIS PAGE AND THE PRECEEDING 6 PAGES ARE THE MINUTES OF THE Tennant Creek Local Authority HELD ON Tuesday, 7 May 2019 AND CONFIRMED .

Karan Hayward	Steve Moore
Chair	Chief Executive Officer