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AGENDA
ATITJERE LOCAL AUTHORITY
TUESDAY, 20 FEBRUARY 2018

The Atitjere Local Authority Meeting of the Central Desert Regional Council will be held in the Central Desert Service Delivery Office on Tuesday, 20 February 2018 at 2pm.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. ADMINISTRATION

1.1 ATTENDANCE AND APOLOGIES

1.2 CONFLICT OF INTEREST AND CODE OF CONDUCT

Local Authorities reviewed the Code of Conduct and committed to following the Code. The following members declared a conflict of interest in relation to the listed items:

1.3 ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA

The following changes were agreed to the agenda:

1.4 PREVIOUS MINUTES

RECOMMENDATION

That the Local Authority confirms the minutes from the meeting on 18 October 2017.

MINUTES OF THE
AUTHORITY
CENTRAL DESERT
OFFICE ON
OCTOBER 2017 AT



ATITJERE LOCAL
MEETING HELD IN THE
SERVICE DELIVERY
WEDNESDAY, 18
10:57AM

1 OPEN

2 PRESENT

Present:

Local Authority Members

Anthony Petrick, Edward Duffill, Sally Perkins

Councillors

Cr Adrian Dixon, Cr Renita Webb

3 APOLOGIES/ABSENCES

Cr William Liddle, Kevin Bloomfield, Robin Bloomfield

4 ELECTION OF CHAIR AND DEPUTY CHAIR

4.1 ELECTION OF CHAIR AND DEPUTY CHAIR

SUMMARY: As per Council policy, the Local Authority has elected a chairperson and deputy chair.

RESOLVED:

1. Elect Anthony Patrick as the Local Authority Chairperson
2. Elect Sally Perkins as the Deputy Chairperson

5 ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA

5.1 ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA

SUMMARY: The agenda of this Local Authority meeting is being tabled with two additional deputations.

RESOLVED:

The Local Authority accept the agenda for the meeting with the addition of deputations from Ninti One and Power and Water (Solar) Corporation.

Meeting was suspended due to Edward Duffill leaving the room at 11:12 AM

Meeting recommenced at 11:15 AM

6 CODE OF CONDUCT MATTERS**6.1 CONSIDERATION OF CODE OF CONDUCT**

SUMMARY: The Local Authority review and re-confirms its commitment to the Code of Conduct.

RESOLVED:

The Local Authority re-confirm their commitment to the Code of Conduct.

7 QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

Nil

8 PETITIONS AND DEPUTATIONS**8.1 NINTI ONE**

SUMMARY: Ninti One requested time in the agenda to address the LA in relation to their Strengthening Remote Community Engagement in Southern Northern Territory program.

Atit036/2017 **RESOLVED(Edward Duffill/Sally Perkins)**

That the Ninti One project go ahead in community and Council write a letter to the Minister for Housing and Local Government to ensure there is follow up and follow through on the output of the project.

8.2 POWER AND WATER AUTHORITY

SUMMARY: Power and Water Corporation requested time in the agenda to address the LA in relation to their Solar Setup program in community.

Atit037/2017 **RESOLVED(Edward Duffill/Renita Webb)**

That the Local Authority note the information put forward by Power and

Water Corporation in relation to the proposed move to solar power for the community.

9 CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

9.1 CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

SUMMARY: The Local Authority is to consider the unconfirmed minutes of the previous Local Authority meeting.

Atit038/2017 **RESOLVED (Edward Duffill/Anthony Petrick)**
That the Local Authority note and confirm minutes from the previous meeting.

Adrian Dixon left the meeting at 12:10PM and did not return

Meeting suspended 12:10 PM

Meeting recommenced 12:54 PM

10 ACTIONS FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

10.1 LOCAL AUTHORITY ACTION ITEMS

SUMMARY: The Local Authority note the current action items as reported in the meetings.

RESOLVED:

Local Authority note the progress reports on actions from the minutes of previous meetings.

10.2 REPORT FROM REGIONAL COUNCIL

SUMMARY: Council decisions made in the last Regional Council meetings are available in the tabled Summary of Major Items.

Atit039/2017 **RESOLVED (Renita Webb/Sally Perkins)**
The Local Authority accept the report from Council on decisions made in the last Regional Council meeting in September 2017.

11 GENERAL BUSINESS

11.1 RESURFACING THE ATITJERE BASKETBALL COURT

SUMMARY: The Local Authority was presented an opportunity for the Atitjere basketball court to be resurfaced at an extremely reduced price, less than half of the projected cost. The August Local Authority meeting was unsuccessful so a circular resolution was presented to the Local Authority in which they approved the resurfacing project.

Council discussed this issue at a recent meeting and supported the approval of this project; additional funding was provided by Council from reserves to assist the Local Authority with the project.

RESOLVED:

The Local Authority note the resurfacing of the basketball court is underway.

11.2 LOCAL AUTHORITY PROJECT FUNDING 2017/18

SUMMARY: The Local Authority is to discuss and identify ideas to utilise their Local Authority Project Funds for the community. Funding for Local Authority projects is part of a grant received from Department of Local Government and Community Services.

RESOLVED:

The Local Authority:

- 1. Discussed and identified potential projects for the 2017/18 Local Authority project funding expenditure.**
- 2. Requested the Council Services Manager provide quotes on the identified projects.**

12 COMMUNITY REPORTS

12.1 FINANCE REPORT

SUMMARY: The Finance Report outlines the budget for the community

and details works expenditure as required in the community.

RESOLVED:

The Local Authority note the attached Finance Report.

12.2 COMMUNITY SAFETY PATROL REFERENCE GROUP

SUMMARY: The Local Authority advises Council on how Community Safety Patrol is working in community for the purpose of reducing issues community.

RESOLVED:

The Local Authority discuss the current status of community safety and provided feedback. The LA discussed CSP officers having cameras in their vehicles to improve security. It is recommended that Council investigate the possibilities and issues.

12.3 COUNCIL SERVICES REPORT

SUMMARY: The Council Services Report is provided by the Council Services Manager at every Local Authority meeting to provide information to members.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Local Authority noted the Council Services Report.

13 QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS

14 NORTHERN TERRITORY GOVERNMENT

14.1 NTG STANDING AGENDA ITEM

SUMMARY: A NTG representative from the Department of Housing and Community Development will attend each Local Authority meeting to provide information and take questions on NTG services such as health, education, police, housing etc.

RESOLVED:

The Local Authority:

- 1. Note the update regarding the new Cemeteries legislation.**
- 2. Note the update from the NTG representative on issues raised at the last meeting.**
- 3. Request action on any new NTG related issues.**

15 CLOSE OF MEETING

The meeting terminated at 14:57pm.

THIS PAGE AND THE PRECEEDING 6 PAGES ARE THE MINUTES OF THE Atitjere Local Authority HELD ON Wednesday, 18 October 2017 AND CONFIRMED at the first (as yet unscheduled) LA meeting for 2018.

Chairperson

2. COMMUNITY BUSINESS

2.1 ATITJERE COMMUNITY PLAN

Review and monitor progress against the community plan.

2.2 ATITJERE LOCAL AUTHORITY PROJECTS

The Local Authority debates and proposed to Council projects for the local area. Once Council has endorsed the projects, the LA monitors and reviews progress.

Atitjere Funding 2015/16 - 16/17 (Total Funding Available \$56,897)

Projects	Est. Cost	Project Status	Comments	Total Funding Allocated
Resurfacing Atitjere Basketball Court	\$56,987	Resolved, agreed by Council. Need confirmation work is completed and monies spent.	Council also contributed money to this project. This money must be spent by 30 June 2018	

Atitjere 2017/18 Funding (Total Funding Available \$35,580)

Projects being considered	Est. Cost	Project Status	Comments	Total Funding Allocated
Softball diamond set up	\$47,272.69		Do not have available funding	
Seating	\$1,685			

Fencing of Football Oval	\$33,422.01			
Fencing of Softball Oval	\$47,272.69		Do not have available funding	
Shade Structure			Not yet defined	
Toilets for Basketball Court	To be scoped			
Concrete in front of Basketball shed	To be scoped			
BMX Track/Skatepark	To be scoped			
Central Park upgrade playground, shade, lighting	\$75,000 estimated		Do not have available funding	
Park next to rec-hall + Garnet St. Park upgrade	To be scoped			
Roofing of Basketball court	To be scoped			
Map and information of activities at Atitjere & Harts Range	To be scoped			

Projects need to be discussed and agreed for a resolution to Council with recommended project.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Local Authority recommends to Council the agreed local authority projects for Council's authorisation.

2.3 COMMUNITY SAFETY PATROL REFERENCE GROUP

The Local Authority is the Reference Group for Community Safety Patrol and provides feedback to the Regional Council. Any comments or issues raised will be minuted.

2.4 ATITJERE LOCAL AUTHORITY ACTION REGISTER

The Local Authority notes the responses from Council / the CEO on recommendations; and notes progress against any agreed recommendations.

The Local Authority may also have its own action items which are noted here, and progress reviewed.

OUTSTANDING ACTION ITEMS

Outstanding Actions

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Committee: Atitjere Local Authority
Officer:

Date From:
Date To:

Action Sheets Report

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Reallocating Council Funds for Projects			
22 February 2016	18/04/2016	Atit009/2016 RESOLVED (Edward Duffill/Cr L Bird) The Local Authority request Council reallocate unspent funds in the sport and recreation budget to the basketball court upgrade project at Atitjere.	STATUS: In Progress No new grant source has been identified to date. Manager of Y&C will investigate possibility of securing funds through the NTG Community Benefit Fund.
Sports Committee for Atitjere			
20 June 2016	4/07/2016	Atit026/2016 RESOLVED (Barbara Petrick/Raymond Webb) The Atitjere Local Authority requested that Council investigate: 1. Providing an increased focus on sports training and coaching. 2. Establishing a sports committee in the community.	STATUS: In Progress The Sports Committee has not gained traction in the community. CDRC Y&C Coordinator will attempt to gain support from the community through LA in early 2018. Subject to the community engaging in the Sports Committee process, a reconsideration of their sports priorities will be requested.

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			If no progress made with Community LA on Committee, Action Item will be finalised.
Outstation Services			
22 February 2017	8/03/2017	Atit013/2017 RESOLVED (Peppi Drover/Raymond Webb) The Local Authority: 1. Request Council provide a report on the Atitjere outstation homelands regarding the expenditure during the past five financial years; particularly Spotted Tiger as the Local Authority believe no services have been provided there for the previous five years. 2. Invite the Director of Works and Infrastructure, Glenn Marshall, to the next Local Authority meeting to discuss issues and provide updates regarding Atitjere's outstations.	STATUS: In Progress Homelands Manager is compiling the requested information. This was escalated to the CEO who reviewed work by manager. New Manager in place and work will now be managed by CSM for MES and infrastructure team for HEA. Detailed report for next meeting.

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Additional Re-occurring Agenda Item			
22 February 2017	8/03/2017	Atit019/2017 RESOLVED (Peppi Drover/Sandra Peckham) The Local Authority request an additional re-current agenda item to be presented at each Local Authority meeting to provide updates of how the outstation services are operating and any related issues.	STATUS: In Progress Will be managed with item above.
Managing Stronger Children Services in Atitjere			
11 May 2017	25/05/2017	Atit033/2017 RESOLVED (Edward Duffill/Peppi Drover) The Local Authority request CDRC to invite the Manager of the Jesuit Social Services to attend the next Local Authority meeting to discuss managing stronger children services in Atitjere.	STATUS: Closed Jesuit SS have a new Program Coordinator who has been invited to attend Atitjere on 20 February 2018.

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Power Water Corporation			
11 May 2017	1/11/2017	<p>Atit036/2017 RESOLVED (Edward Duffill/Sally Perkins) That the Ninti One project go ahead in community and Council write a letter to the Minister for Housing and Local Government to ensure there is follow up and follow through on the output of the project.</p>	<p>STATUS: In Progress</p> <p>Discussed with government, will be followed up with NTG and NintiOne before next meeting.</p>
Local Authority Project Funding 2017/18			
18 October 2017	19/12/2017	<p>RESOLVED: The Local Authority: Requested the Council Services Manager provide quotes on the identified projects.</p>	<p>STATUS: In Progress</p> <p>CSM to provide quotes for next meeting.</p>

3. COUNCIL BUSINESS

3.1 ATTACHED REPORTS

3.1.1 Previous Council Decisions

Event: Ordinary Council Meeting
Date: Wednesday 31 January 2018
Location: Council Chambers, Alice Springs

Item
AGENDA ITEM 8.1 CHANGES TO ATITJERE AND LAJAMANU LOCAL AUTHORITY
Council Decision
<p><i>OC006/2018</i> RESOLVED (Cr Liddle/Cr McCormack) The Council accepts the resignation and appointment of the following Local Authority members: Atitjere Resignation: Sally Perkins and Edward Duffill Appointment: Kylie Edwards and Bradley Bretherton Lajamanu Appointment: Titus White</p>
Item
AGENDA ITEM 8.2 SIMPLIFYING LOCAL AUTHORITY AGENDAS
Council Decision
<p><i>OC007/2018</i> RESOLVED (Cr McCormack/Cr George) Council approves the revised Local Authority Agenda and notes the intention to trial for a period of six months, refining and updating based on input from the Local Authorities.</p> <p>The revised Local Authority Agenda has been accepted. The new format will commence with Anmatjere and Willowra Local Authority's meeting on 13th Feb and 14th Feb respectively.</p>
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AGENDA ITEM 10.4 INPUT TO FEDERAL GOVERNMENT RE CLOSING THE GAP INITIATIVE**Council Decision***OC012/2018* **RESOLVED****(Cr Spencer/Cr McCormack)****Council asks the CEO to provide a submission to the Closing the Gap discussion paper based on the input from the brainstorming session held on 30 January.**

The CEO will submit the Closing the Gap discussion paper to the Commonwealth Government as brainstormed on 30 January.

Points recommended include :

1. Working effectively.
2. Targets
3. Indicators
4. How can culture be included

Item**AGENDA ITEM 10.5 REQUEST FROM BYRON SHIRE COUNCIL RE ADANI AND CARMICHAEL MINE****Council Decision***OC014/2018* **RESOLVED**(Cr Martin/Cr McCormack)**Council****Responds to the Byron Bay Council sharing its concerns in relation to the issues raised by the Carmichael Mine, particularly in relation to water.****Item****AGENDA ITEM 10.6 CALL FOR NOMINATIONS TO EASA BOARD****Council Decision***OC015/2018* **RESOLVED**(Cr Dixon/Cr George)**Council endorses the nomination of the CEO as the LGANT representative on the EASA Board.****Item****10.7 RECOMMENDATION TO RESCIND P11 DISPUTE AND GRIEVANCE RESOLUTION POLICY****Council Decision***OC016/2018* **RESOLVED****(Cr Spencer/Cr Liddle)****Council rescinds P11 Dispute and Grievance Resolution Policy.****Item****10.9 STRATEGIC PLANNING PROCESS AND TIMELINE****Council Decision***OC018/2018* **RESOLVED**(Cr McCormack/Cr George)**Council approves the process and timeline for the strategic planning process to result in a new four year strategic plan; and new Regional Plan for 2018/2019.**

Community planning is commencing on 13th Feb and runs throughout to 21st March.

Item

AGENDA ITEM 10.10 POLICY - INTENTIONAL DAMAGE TO COUNCIL ASSETS

Council Decision

OC019/2018 **RESOLVED**

(Cr Patrick/Cr Martin)

Council endorses the draft policy for repairing intentional damage to Council property with the removal of the phrase ‘traditional owner’ to be replaced with the phrase ‘elder’.

Council requests the CEO advise the NT Government of this policy and recommend for their consideration, especially in relation to their housing assets.

The intent of this policy is to set the direction for Council to deal with people who intentionally damage community facilities

Item

AGENDA ITEM 13.2 REDESIGN OF THE CDP SYSTEM

Council Decision

OC024/2018 **RESOLVED**

(Cr McCormack/Cr Martin)

Council:

Approves the drafting and submission of a response to the Discussion Paper to Councillor comments on the ‘best fit’ design.

Item

AGENDA ITEM 18.1 NT COUNCILS FUTURE INSURANCE MODEL

Council Decision

OC026/2018 **RESOLVED**

(Cr Martin/Cr Dixon)

Council resolves to:

- 1. Become a member of the discretionary trust to be established by Jardine Lloyd Thompson for the purpose of providing insurance services to Trust members; and**
- 2. Contribute to the Discretionary Trust the sum of Central Desert’s contribution as advised by JLT for use by the Trust during the 2018/19 and subsequent financial years.**

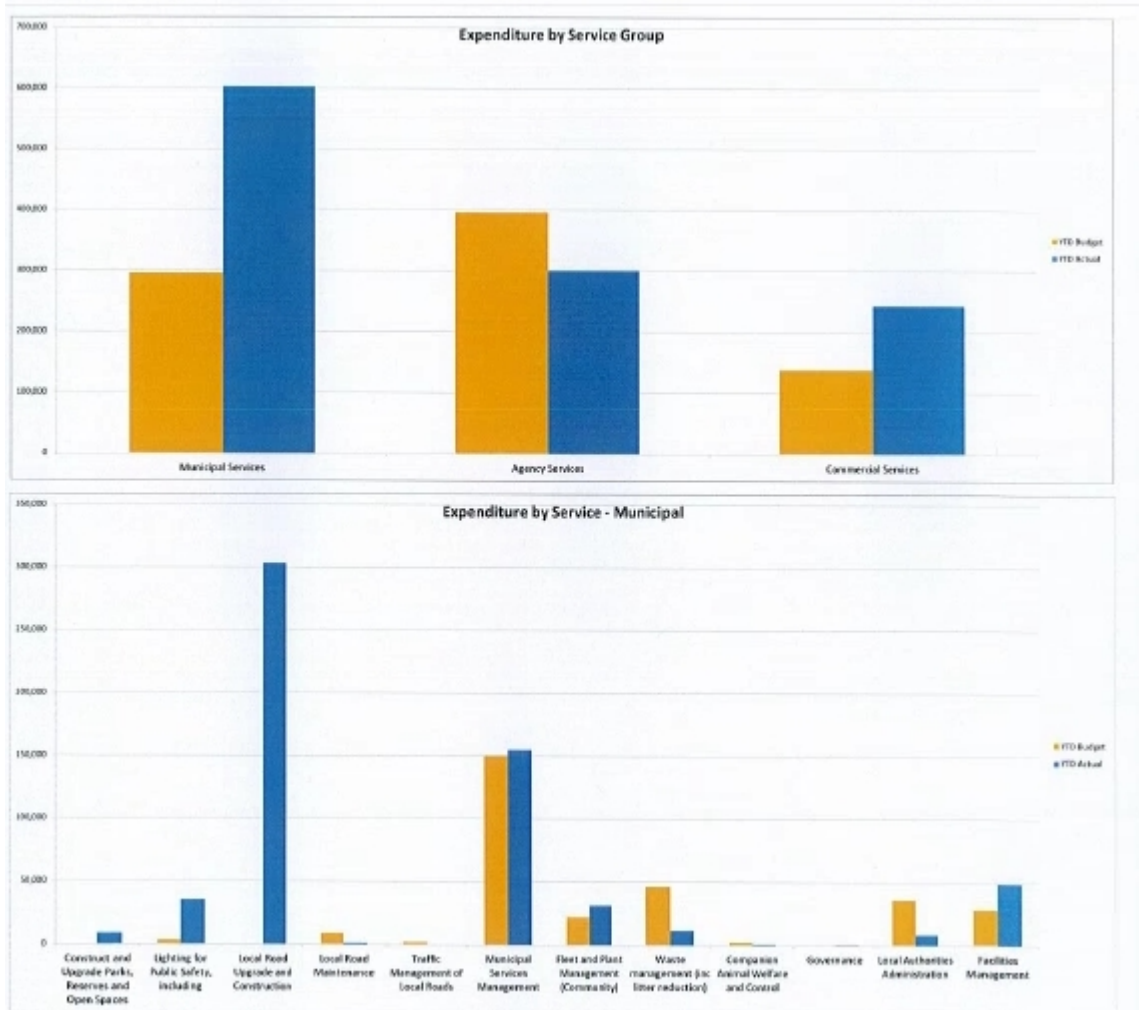
3.1.2 Finance Report

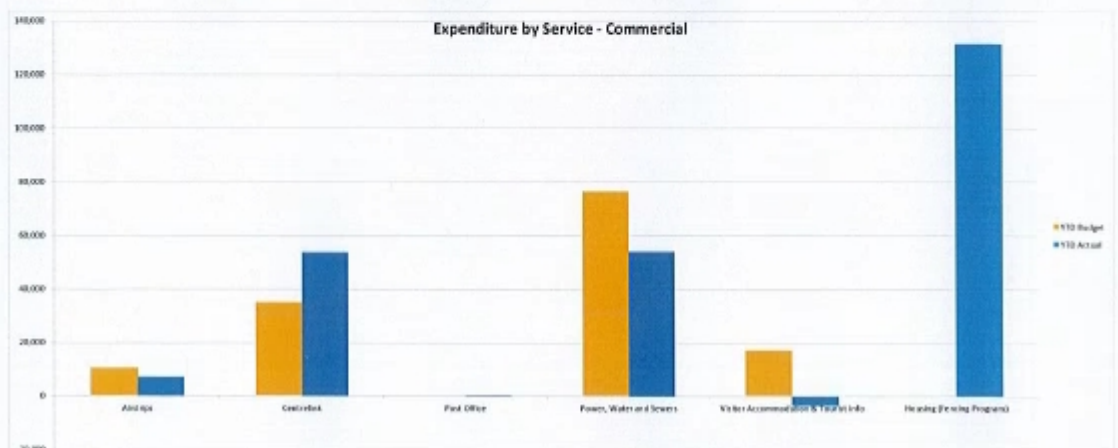
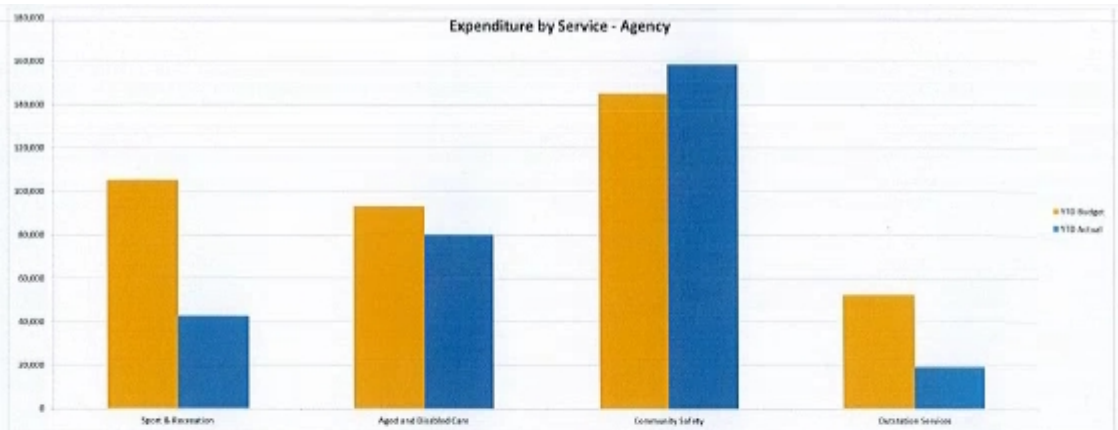
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 Local Authority Report - Atitjere
 Current YTD As At Period: 7



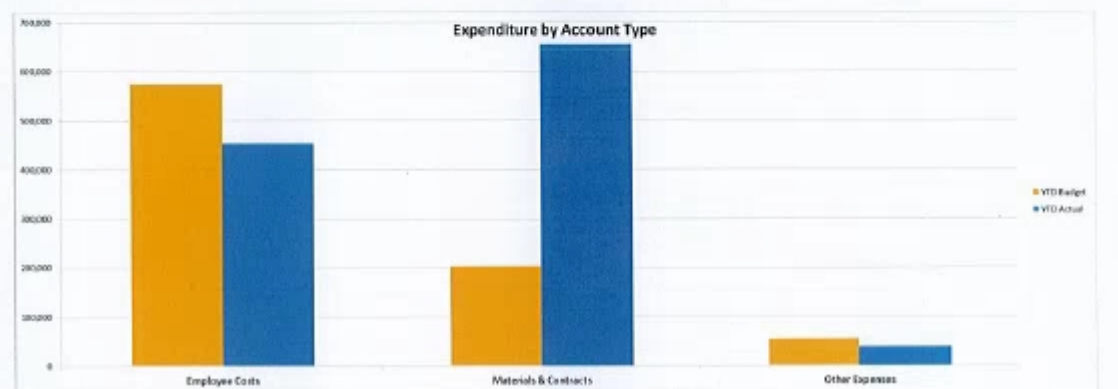
	Current Annual Budget	Current YTD Budget	Current YTD Actual	\$ Variance	Green (between 10% & -10%) Orange (less than -10%) Red (More than 10%)	Comments
REVENUE						
Untied Revenue	561,539	327,564	327,564	0		This is Atitjere share of untied revenue
Municipal Services						
Cemetery Management	620	362	310	-52		
Lighting for Public Safety, including	0	0	36,000	36,000		
Municipal Services Management	6,000	3,500	13,725	10,225		
Fleet and Plant Management (Community)	0	0	364	364		
Waste management (inc litter reduction)	2,000	1,167	5,535	4,368		
Local Authorities Administration	56,897	33,190	92,477	59,287		Full amount received
Facilities Management	14,000	8,167	11,109	2,942		
	79,517	46,385	159,519	113,134		
Agency Services						
Sport & Recreation	85,000	49,583	4,607	-44,977		65% of this income received in advanced in 2016/17 FY recognised as unexpended grant - reserve
Aged and Disabled Care	55,328	32,275	15,729	-18,546		
	140,328	81,858	20,336	-81,522		
Commercial Services						
Airstrips	13,829	8,067	9,725	1,658		
Post Office	4,500	2,625	2,346	-279		
Power, Water and Sewers	152,719	89,086	71,517	-17,569		
Visitor Accommodation & Tourist Info	30,000	17,500	11,565	-5,945		
Housing (Fencing Program)	0	0	187,579	187,579		Fencing around Atitjere community funded by Old HMP funding.
	201,048	117,278	282,722	165,444		
TOTAL INCOME	982,432	573,085	790,142	217,056	40%	
EXPENDITURE						
Municipal Services						
Construct and Upgrade Parks, Reserves and	0	0	8,520	-8,520		
Lighting for Public Safety, including	4,860	2,835	35,050	-32,215		
Local Road Upgrade and Construction	0	0	302,737	-302,737		Atitjere road resal work funded by R2R not budgeted for.
Local Road Maintenance	15,000	8,750	629	8,121		
Traffic Management of Local Roads	3,000	1,750	0	1,750		
Municipal Services Management	256,181	149,971	154,570	-4,599		
Fleet and Plant Management (Community)	37,439	21,840	31,039	-9,199		
Waste management (inc litter reduction)	78,857	46,152	11,413	34,739		
Companion Animal Welfare and Control	3,000	1,750	1,000	750		
Governance	0	0	200	-200		
Local Authorities Administration	60,062	35,036	8,151	26,885		
Facilities Management	47,711	27,832	48,610	-20,778		
	506,110	295,915	601,918	-306,003		
Agency Services						
Sport & Recreation	179,839	105,195	42,517	62,678		
Aged and Disabled Care	159,182	93,170	80,011	13,159		
Community Safety	248,371	145,465	158,742	-13,278		
Outstation Services	89,750	52,603	18,968	33,636		
	677,141	396,433	300,238	96,195		
Commercial Services						
Airstrips	17,820	10,395	7,260	3,135		
Centrelink	59,535	34,729	53,621	-18,892		
Post Office	0	0	18	-18		
Power, Water and Sewers	130,654	76,363	53,931	22,432		
Visitor Accommodation & Tourist Info	20,040	16,060	3,416	20,114		
Housing (Fencing Program)	0	0	131,454	-131,454		
	237,058	138,456	242,839	-104,383		
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	1,420,309	830,803	1,144,995	-314,191	-40%	
Surplus(Deficit) before Capital	-437,878	-257,718	-354,853	-97,135		
CAPITAL						
WIP	167,500	97,708	5,098	92,610		*
	174,246	101,643	93,057	92,610	90%	
Surplus(Deficit) after Capital	-612,124	-359,362	-447,910	-4,525		





Expenditure by Account Category

	Current Annual Budget	Current YTD Budget	Current YTD Actual	\$ Variance	Green (Between 10% & -10%) Orange (Less than -10%) Red (More than 10%)	Comments
EXPENDITURE						
Employee Costs	983,411	573,656	452,538	121,119		
Materials & Contracts	347,997	202,998	854,938	-451,940		
Other Expenses	88,901	54,148	37,519	16,630		
	1,420,309	830,803	1,144,995	-314,191		-40%
OTHER ITEMS						
Unexpended Grants Brought Forward	-28,911	-28,911	-28,911	0		
Capital works and asset purchases	167,500	97,708	5,098	92,610		
Total Program Requirement	1,558,898	899,601	1,121,182	-221,681		-20%



3.1.3 Council Services Report

The Local Authority reviews the reports, discusses impacts to the community and makes any recommendations it wishes to the Council (strategy, policy) or to the CEO (operational).

	Anmatjere	Atitjere	Engawala	Lajamannu	Laramba	Nyirripi	Willowra	Yuelamu	Yuendumu	Utopia
Municipal Services	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Airstrip Maintenance	Y	Y	Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	
Animal control	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Libraries	Y			Y						
Family Mediation							Y		Y	
Outstations	Y	Y	Y	Y				Y		
Community Safety	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Aged and Disability	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		
Children's Services	Y		Y		Y				Y	
School Nutrition	Y		Y		Y	Y	Y	Y		
Youths, Sport & Recreation	Y	Y	Y		Y			Y		
Essential Services		Y	Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	
Centrelink	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		
CDP	Y				Y		Y	Y	Y	
Post Office Agencies	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		

Achievements

- Planning for community consultation and processes for arriving at Council's new strategic plan and Regional Plan completed.
- Reporting Forms on Mobile Devices - Telstra in collaboration with Thirty4 an App. developing company is working on creating digitised mobile device based reporting forms and timesheets for CDRC. Our aim is to use mobile devices – tablet, iPads and smart phones for submitting reports instead of using paper forms. Test phase of backend reporting is in progress. Council's policies and procedures will also be available within the app.
- Between 13 November 2017 and 12 January 2018 there were no new workers compensation claims and four open claims from the last reporting period.
- 90 / 100 rating for school nutritional value.
- Successfully implemented Christmas service provision and ensured vulnerable clients catered for.
- Atitjere Wireless Connectivity Project - the Distant Curve Wireless network will soon be brought under Citrix and CouncilBiz environment which will give CDRC Business Services Team and CouncilBiz helpdesk more visibility and control over the network. The team will be able to provide better support.
- Atitjere CBD reseal and Curbing - Boral Pty Ltd has completed the reseal works of the internal roads at Atitjere's CBD. Works included the installation of curbs and

delineated set backs to intersections. Defect period has commenced. Defected curbs x 4 to be replaced Feb 18

- Secured agreement for issue of S19 lease in Atitjere for Aged Care services.
- Atitjere Night Patrol Office - Construction scheduled to commence mid April 18, and completed by end May18. Being constructed on Lot 109
- NTG Room to Breathe - CDRC was awarded two contracts under the Room to Breathe program, being Atitjere x 2 house extensions and refurbishments, and Lajamanu x 6 house extensions and refurbishments. The Atitjere works where completed in late July 17, and Lajamanu was completed end August 17. The NTG have accepted handover, and advised they where satisfied with the outcome. Final payment pending.
- Rubbish collection on track
- Our working relationship with My Pathways has improved and working well.
- Landfill management making headway – ongoing.

Emerging Risks

- Continued focus on reducing accidents and incidents - between 13 November 2017 and 12 January2018 there were 12 incidents, with some increase in criminal and related activity on communities including houses broken into, misuse of fire hoses and vandalising of our accommodation rooms.
- CDRC external road network is deteriorating primarily as a result of the Dec16/Jan17 storm events. Unless external funding is sourced, CDRC does not have the internal funds to rectify the roads in the short term.
- Staff absenteeism due to cultural obligations.

3.2 QUESTIONS WITH NOTICE

Any questions asked by Local Authority members are noted here, responses will be included at next meeting.

This section does not include service requests, members and the community are encouraged to log service requests with the local office.

4. OTHER BUSINESS

4.1 PETITIONS AND DEPUTATIONS

The agencies presenting to the Local Authority today are:

- 1) Jesuit Social Services
- 2) Department of Health
- 3) Central Desert Regional Council – Community Services regarding Tourism Master Plan for the Plenty Highway

The Local Authority reviews the presentation, discusses impacts to the community and discusses with the presenter.

If the presenter is asking the Local Authority for approval – they should provide a written recommendation and the LA resolution will be minuted.

A recommendation for an action may also be made to the NT Government to be included in 4.2 Northern Territory Government Report.

4.2 NORTHERN TERRITORY GOVERNMENT REPORT

A NTG representative from the Department of Housing and Community Development attends each Local Authority meeting to provide information and take questions on NTG services including, health, education, police, housing, etc.

The Local Authority can make resolutions (motions) to request actions from the NT Government.

Date Raised	Issue	NTG Status