



MINUTES OF THE YUELAMU LOCAL AUTHORITY MEETING HELD IN  
THE CENTRAL DESERT SERVICE DELIVERY OFFICE ON  
WEDNESDAY, 28 JUNE 2017 AT 11:00AM

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**1 OPEN**

Due to insufficient numbers the following meeting was provisional.

**2 PRESENT**

*Local Authority Members*

Cliffy Tommy (Acting Chairperson), David Stafford (Deputy Chairperson), Mack Murphy, Billy Stafford, Norman Hagan.

*Council Officers*

Annie Peters (Acting Council Services Manager), Amy Simson (Governance officer), David Do (YSR & CSP Coordinator).

**3 APOLOGIES/ABSENCES**

**3.1 APOLOGIES AND ABSENCES**

**SUMMARY:** That the Local Authority accept apologies and note absences.

*Yue028/2017* **RESOLVED (Mack Murphy/Cliffy Tommy)**

**The Local Authority:**

- 1. Accept the apologies of Cr Adrian Dixon, Cr James Glenn and David McCormack.**
- 2. Note the absence of Noel Kunoth, Cr Marlene Tilmouth and Cr Benedy Bird.**

**4 CONFLICT OF INTEREST**

**5 ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA**

**5.1 ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA**

**SUMMARY:** The agenda of this Local Authority meeting is being tabled. Local Authority members decide whether they wish to accept the agenda as it stands or whether they wish to make changes.

*Yue029/2017* **RESOLVED (Mack Murphy/David Stafford)**

**That the Local Authority accept the agenda for the meeting with the removal of item 8.1 Trachoma Treatment Plan.**

## **6 CODE OF CONDUCT**

### **6.1 CONSIDERATION OF CODE OF CONDUCT**

**SUMMARY:** The Local Authority endorsed a revised Code of Conduct. To ensure that the Local Authority is familiar with the code of conduct it is presented at every meeting. The Local Authority can use this item as an opportunity to discuss any concerns.

*Yue030/2017* **RESOLVED (Norman Hagan/David Stafford)**

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

## **7 QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC**

## **8 PETITIONS AND DEPUTATIONS**

### **8.1 TRACHOMA TREATMENT PLAN**

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Health would like to provide information to the Yuelamu Local Authority members regarding a Trachoma treatment plan and seek the approval for an upcoming service provision.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

**This report was removed from the agenda due to Trachoma staff not being present at the meeting.**

## **9 CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES**

### **9.1 CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES**

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

*Yue031/2017* **RESOLVED (Mack Murphy/Billy Stafford)**

**That Local Authority note and confirm minutes of the previous meeting held in April 2017.**

## **10 ACTIONS REGISTER**

### **10.1 LOCAL AUTHORITY ACTION ITEMS**

**SUMMARY:** Attached is the running list of Local Authority action items as reported in previous meetings.

*Yue032/2017* **RESOLVED (David Stafford/Billy Stafford)**  
**That the Local Authority note the progress reports on actions from the minutes of previous meetings as received.**

## **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.

*Yue033/2017* **RESOLVED (Mack Murphy/Billy Stafford)**  
**That the Local Authority accept the report from Council on decisions made in the last Ordinary Council meetings in May 2017.**

## **11 GENERAL BUSINESS**

### **12 COMMUNITY REPORTS**

#### **12.1 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.

*Yue034/2017* **RESOLVED (David Stafford/Norman Hagan)**  
**That the Local Authority note the Council Services Report.**

#### **12.2 FINANCE REPORT**

**SUMMARY:** The Finance Report outlines the budget for the community and details works expenditure as required in the community.

*Yue035/2017* **RESOLVED (David Stafford/Norman Hagan)**  
**That Local Authority note the Finance Report.**

#### **12.3 COMMUNITY SAFETY PATROL REFERENCE GROUP**

**SUMMARY:** The Community Safety Patrol provides an update and profile on the operations of Community Safety Patrol to the Local Authority for their input and feedback, if any.

*Yue036/2017* **RESOLVED (David Stafford/Billy Stafford)**  
**That Local Authority note the current status of the Community Safety Patrol.**

## **13 QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS**

### **13.1 CHILDCARE GRANT**

**SUMMARY:** The Local Authority discussed the serious need for a childcare on community and the possibility of needing alternative funding options if NTG does not approve the funding required for the Childcare.

**Yue037/2017 RESOLVED (Billy Stafford/Norman Hagan)**  
**The Local Authority request for the Director of Community Services:**

- 1. To provide a report on the funding required to safely operate the childcare in Yuelamu to the appropriate standards, at the next meeting.**
- 2. Attend the next meeting to answer any questions and participate in possible discussions for alternative grant options.**

## **14 NORTHERN TERRITORY GOVERNMENT**

### **14.1 NORTHERN TERRITORY GOVERNMENT REPORT**

**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 including, health, education, police, housing, etc.

**Yue038/2017 RESOLVED (Mack Murphy/David Stafford)**  
**That the Local Authority note the update from the NTG Representative on issues raised at the last meeting.**

## **15 CLOSE OF MEETING**

The meeting terminated at 12:38pm.

THIS PAGE AND THE PRECEEDING 3 PAGES ARE THE MINUTES OF THE Yuelamu Local Authority HELD ON Wednesday, 28 June 2017 AND CONFIRMED Wednesday, 30 August 2017.

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Chairperson