



MINUTES OF THE LAJAMANU LOCAL AUTHORITY MEETING HELD
IN THE CENTRAL DESERT SERVICE DELIVERY OFFICE ON
WEDNESDAY, 5 JULY 2017 AT 10:26AM

1 OPEN

2 PRESENT

Local Authority Members

Robert George (Chairperson), Joe Marshall (Deputy Chairperson),
Tracie Patrick, Andrew Johnson, Elizabeth Ross, Sheree Anderson, and
Mike Doolan, Jenny Johnson.

Ex Officio's

Tim Parslow (Council Services Manager), Amy Simson (Governance
Officer), Maria Viegas (NTG Representative).

3 APOLOGIES/ABSENCES

3.1 APOLOGIES AND ABSENCES

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

Laj012/2017 **RESOLVED(Mike Doolan/Joe Marshall)**

That the Local Authority:

- 1. Accept the apology of Norbert Patrick.**
- 2. Note the absences of Dorris Lewis and Cr William Johnson.**

4 CONFLICT OF INTEREST

NIL

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.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Local Authority accept the agenda for the meeting.

6 CODE OF CONDUCT

7 QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

8 PETITIONS AND DEPUTATIONS

8.1 ALCOHOL MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

SUMMARY: The Department of Health would like to update the Local Authority about the status of the Alcohol Management Plan and current Alcohol Action Initiatives (projects) and discuss ideas for next years Alcohol Action Initiatives.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Local Authority note the information provided regarding the Alcohol Management Plan.

8.2 FEESABILITY STUDY FOR A WATERPARK AT LAJAMANU

SUMMARY: GMAAC contracted Central Desert Regional Council to provide Lajamanu Local Authority with a feasibility study for a waterpark. Phillip Gray will be presenting the draft plan to the local Authority.

Laj013/2017 **RESOLVED(Sheree Anderson/Andrew Johnson)**

That the Local Authority note the draft feasibility study provided by Philip Gray regarding Lajamanu waterpark with the understanding this is the last face to face consultation session in Lajamanu for this project.

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.

Laj014/2017 **RESOLVED(Joe Marshall/Tracie Patrick)**

That Local Authority note and confirm minutes from the previous meeting.

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.

Laj015/2017 **RESOLVED(Jenny Johnson/Elizabeth Ross)**

That the Local Authority note there are currently no outstanding actions from the minutes of previous meetings.

10.2REPORT FROM REGIONAL COUNCIL

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

Laj016/2017 **RESOLVED(Joe Marshall/Sheree Anderson)**

That the Local Authority accept the report from Council on decisions made in the last Regional 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.

Laj017/2017 **RESOLVED(Joe Marshall/Elizabeth Ross)**

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.

Laj018/2017 **RESOLVED(Mike Doolan/Tracie Patrick)**

That the Local Authority note the attached Finance Report.

12.3 COMMUNITY SAFETY PATROL REFERENCE GROUP

SUMMARY: The Council Services Manager provides an update and profile on the operations of Community Safety Patrol to the Local Authority for their input and feedback.

Laj019/2017 **RESOLVED(Elizabeth Ross/Andrew Johnson)**

That the Local Authority request for the Community Safety Patrol Manager to extend the Lajamanu CSP operating hours to run from 8am-2am, to assist with preventing alcohol related issues and noise complaints during the night.

13 QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS

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.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Local Authority:

- 1. Note the update regarding the new Cemetery Legislation.**
- 2. Advise the NTG representative there is currently no housing reference group meetings being facilitated in Lajamanu.**
- 3. Request the NTG representative to invite a Senior Housing officer to attend the next meeting to discuss all housing related issues and future housing plans in Lajamanu.**

15 CLOSE OF MEETING

The meeting terminated at 12:45pm.

THIS PAGE AND THE PRECEEDING 3 PAGES ARE THE MINUTES OF THE Lajamanu Local Authority HELD ON Wednesday, 12 July 2017 AND CONFIRMED Wednesday, 27 September 2017.

Chairperson