



MINUTES OF THE BARUNGA LOCAL AUTHORITY OF THE ROPER GULF REGIONAL COUNCIL, HELD AT THE CONFERENCE ROOM, COUNCIL SERVICE DELIVERY CENTRE, BARUNGA LOT ON WEDNESDAY, 02 APRIL 2025 AT 10:00 AM

1 PRESENT MEMBERS/STAFF/GUESTS

1.1 Members

- Deputy Mayor Helen LEE;
- Anne-Marie LEE (Chairperson);
- Danielle BUSH (via audio/video conference);
- Charlane BULUMBARA; and
- Damien BULUMBARA.

1.2 Staff

- David HURST, Chief Executive Officer;
- Cindy HADDOW, General Manager Corporate Services and Sustainability;
- Luke HADDOW, General Manager Infrastructure Services and Planning;
- Tony HOPP, Acting General Manager Corporate and Community Engagement;
- Cameron INGHAM, Council Services Manager; and
- Daniele PIGA, Governance Officer (minute secretary).

1.3 Guests

- Mayor Tony JACK; and
- William BRIDGEMAN, Department of Housing, Local Government and Community Development (via audio/video conference).

2 MEETING OPENED

The Barunga Local Authority opened at 10:10 am with **QUORUM**. The Chairperson welcomed members, staff and guests to the meeting and the Roper Gulf Regional Council pledge was read.

3 WELCOME TO COUNTRY

The Chairperson welcomed all persons to Country.

4 APOLOGIES AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE

4.1 Apologies and Leave of Absence

BAR Q/2025-13 RESOLVED (LA Member Anne-Marie Lee/LA Member Charlane Bulumbara) CARRIED

That the Barunga Local Authority accepts the tendered apologies from Neil BROWN and Ambrose BULUMBARA

5 QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

Nil.

6 DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST

Nil.

7 CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

7.1 Barunga Local Authority Meeting Previous Minutes

BAR Q/2025-14 RESOLVED (LA Member Charlane Bulumbara/Deputy Mayor Helen Lee) CARRIED

That the Barunga Local Authority confirms the minutes from the meeting held on Tuesday, 07 January 2025 and affirms them to be a true and accurate record of that Meeting's decisions and proceedings.

8 BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

8.1 Action List

BAR Q/2025-15 RESOLVED (LA Member Damien Bulumbara/LA Member Anne- Marie Lee) CARRIED

That the Barunga Local Authority:

- (a) receives and notes the Action Lists Report; and
- (b) approves the removal of completed items.

9 CALL FOR ITEMS OF OTHER GENERAL BUSINESS

Nil.

10 INCOMING CORRESPONDENCE

Nil.

11 OUTGOING CORRESPONDENCE

Nil.

12 OPERATIONAL REPORTS

12.1 Local Authority Member's Attendance Report

BAR Q/2025-16 RESOLVED (LA Member Charlane Bulumbara/LA Member Anne- Marie Lee) CARRIED

That the Barunga Local Authority receives and notes the Local Authority Member's Attendance Report.

12.2 Elected Member Report

BAR Q/2025-17 RESOLVED (LA Member Charlane Bulumbara/LA Member Anne- Marie Lee) CARRIED

That the Barunga Local Authority receives and notes the Elected Member Report.

Danielle BUSH joined the Meeting at 10:25 am.

12.3 Barunga Local Authority Projects Update

BAR Q/2025-18 RESOLVED (LA Member Charlane Bulumbara/LA Member Danielle Bush) CARRIED

That the Barunga Local Authority:

- (a) receives and notes the Local Authority Projects Update Report;
- (b) receives and notes the Certification of 2023-24 Local Authority Project Funding;
- (c) allocates \$8,000 towards shading shed and seats installation outside the store (across the road);
- (d) requests fast growing shade trees to be planted at the Football Oval; and
- (e) requests to scope installation of water taps at Heritage Park and Norforce Park.

12.4 Community Safety Update

BAR Q/2025-19 RESOLVED (Deputy Mayor Helen Lee/LA Member Charlane Bulumbara) CARRIED

That the Barunga Local Authority Local Authority receives and notes the Community Safety Update Report.

Meeting adjourned at 11:22 am and reconvened at 11:37 am.

12.5 Barunga LA February 2025 YTD Finance Report

BAR Q/2025-20 RESOLVED (LA Member Charlane Bulumbara/LA Member Anne-Marie Lee) **CARRIED**

That the Barunga Local Authority receives and notes the Council Financial Report for the period 01 July 2024 to 28 February 2025.

OPERATIONAL REPORTS

12.6 Council Services Manager Report

BAR Q/2025-21 RESOLVED (LA Member Anne-Marie Lee/LA Member Damien Bulumbara) **CARRIED**

That the Barunga Local Authority Local Authority:

- (a) receives and notes the Council Services Manager Report;
- (b) requests CEO to liaise with Nyirunggulung-RISE in relation to the tidging up of Shorty Creek area; and
- (c) requests Vet Program to recommence in the Community.

13 GENERAL BUSINESS

Nil.

14 OTHER BUSINESS

Nil.

15 CLOSE OF MEETING

The Meeting closed at 12:16 pm.

This page and the proceeding pages are the Minutes of the Barunga Local Authority Meeting held on Wednesday, 02 April 2025 and confirmed.

Chairperson
Confirmed on 02 July 2025