

MINUTES OF THE NUMBULWAR LOCAL AUTHORITY MEETING # 2 OF THE ROPER GULF REGIONAL COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT THE CONFERENCE ROOM COUNCIL SERVICE DELIVERY CENTRE, NUMBULWAR ON WEDNESDAY, 10 APRIL 2019 AT 10.30 AM

PRESENT/STAFF/GUESTS

1.1 Elected Members

• Councillor Edwin NUNGGUMAJBARR

1.2 Appointed Members

- Felicity RAMI
- Douglas WUNUNGMURRA Chairperson
- Ronald NUNDHIRRIBALA
- Virginia NUNDHIRRIBALA

1.3 Staff

- Virginya BOON Acting Director of Council and Community Services
- Ashleigh ANDERSON Local Authority Coordinator
- Janelle MURRUNGUN Senior Administrative Support Officer
- John TREPO Community Service Coordinator
- Amanda NGALMI Youth Coordinator
- Phillip GEUER Projects Administration Coordinator

1.4 Guests

• Kathy-Anne NUMAMURIDIDI - Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet

MEETING OPENED

The Chairperson declared the meeting opened at 1115 as a provisional meeting and the Roper Gulf Regional Council pledge was read.

WELCOME TO COUNTRY

APOLOGIES AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE

4.1 APOLOGIES AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE

151/2019 RESOLVED (Roland NUNDHIRRIBALA/Virginia NUNDHIRRIBALA) CARRIED

- (a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority accepts the apologies of Mayor Judy MacFARLANE and Councillor David MURRUNGUN.
- (b) That the Numbulwar Local Authority did not receive apologies from Kahleb NGALMI and TANYA WILFRED.

CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

5.1 CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS NUMBULWAR LOCAL AUTHORITY MEETING

MINUTES

152/2019 RESOLVED (Felicity Kym RAMI/Edwin NUNGGUMAJBARR)

CARRIED

(a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority receives and notes Confirmation of previous Meeting Minutes held on 20 February 2019.

DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest at this Numbulwar Local Authority.

BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

8.1 ACTION LIST

153/2019 RESOLVED (Virginia NUNDHIRRIBALA/Roland NUNDHIRRIBALA) CARRIED

(a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority receives and notes the Action List.

INCOMING CORRESPONDENCE

Nil

OUTGOING CORRESPONDENCE

Ni

BUSINESS ARISING

GENERAL BUSINESS

11.1 ELECTED MEMBERS REPORT

154/2019 RESOLVED (Roland NUNDHIRRIBALA/Felicity Kym RAMI)

CARRIED

(a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority receives and notes the Elected Members Report.

11.2 ENROL TO VOTE - YOUR VOICE, YOUR COMMUNITY

155/2019 RESOLVED (Virginia NUNDHIRRIBALA/Roland NUNDHIRRIBALA) CARRIED

(a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority receives and notes Enrol to vote – Your Voice, Your Community Report.

11.3 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

156/2019 RESOLVED (Felicity Kym RAMI/Douglas WUNUNGMURRA)

CARRIED

(a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority receives and notes the CDP Report.

11.4 COUNCIL SERVICES REPORT

157/2019 RESOLVED (Roland NUNDHIRRIBALA/Douglas WUNUNGMURRA)CARRIED

(a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority receives and notes Council Services

Report.

11.5 COMMUNITY SAFETY REPORT

158/2019 RESOLVED (Felicity Kym RAMI/Douglas WUNUNGMURRA) CARRIED

(a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority receives and notes Community Safety Report.

11.6 GOVERNANCE REPORT - LOCAL AUTHORITY PROJECT REGISTER UPDATE 159/2019 RESOLVED (Douglas WUNUNGMURRA/Roland NUNDHIRRIBALA)CARRIED

(a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority receives and notes the updated report on Local Authority Project Funding as at 31 March 2019.

11.7 COUNCIL FINANCIAL REPORT - SECOND QUARTER EXPENDITURE REPORT 160/2019 RESOLVED (Felicity Kym RAMI/Virginia NUNDHIRRIBALA) CARRIED

(a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority receives and notes the Financial (Expenditure) Report for the second Quarter of 2018-19 financial year.

11.8 TOWN PRIORITIES 2019-20

161/2019 RESOLVED (Felicity Kym RAMI/Roland NUNDHIRRIBALA)

CARRIED

(a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority reviews its Town Priorities for 2019-20.

Meeting adjourned for lunch 1233 - 1300hrs

11.9 EMERGENCY PLANNING - Councillor Edwin NUNGGUMAJBARR

162/2019 RESOLVED (Felicity Kym RAMI/Virginia NUNDHIRRIBALA) CARRIED

- (a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority receives and notes the verbal report on Emergency Planning post Tropical Cyclone Trevor and raised the following issues:
 - Stores closed early, and were only providing cash out transactions, not the purchase of food or supplies;
 - People were not supplied food in transit to Katherine and were only given one (1) sausage in bread upon arrival to the emergency evacuation centre;
 - Insufficient amount of tents provided;
 - Not enough fuel in town to drive to safety;
 - Nothing organised adequately upon arrival in Katherine;
 - Arrival in Katherine at 0030 with no rest stops on bus journey;
 - No clear process or structure to evacuation, which caused panic among the community;
 - Elderly and disabled people in tents placed far away from toilets and showers;
 - Medications not provided to those who needed it.

11.10DOG REGISTER - Councillor Virginia Nundhirribala

163/2019 RESOLVED (Douglas WUNUNGMURRA/Roland NUNDHIRRIBALA) CARRIED

- (a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority raises concerns regarding dogs in the community including:
 - Uncertain of how many dogs are in community;
 - No register to keep track of dogs and which house they belong to;
 - Issues relating to visitors/contractors feeding community dogs;
 - No policy on how many dogs per house.

11.11BURIAL SERVICES - John TREPO

164/2019 RESOLVED (Douglas WUNUNGMURRA/Felicity Kym RAMI)

CARRIED

(a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority receives and notes the verbal report on Burial Services in Numbulwar.

11.12FUEL - Councillor Douglas Wunungmurra

165/2019 RESOLVED (Douglas WUNUNGMURRA/Felicity Kym RAMI)

CARRIED

(a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority receives and notes the verbal report regarding the fuel bowser.

11.13HOUSING REFERENCE GROUP - Virginya BOON

166/2019 RESOLVED (Douglas WUNUNGMURRA/Roland NUNDHIRRIBALA) CARRIED

(a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority receives and notes the information pertaining to the Housing Reference Group.

11.13COMMUNITY SAFETY - Councillor Edwin NUNGGUMAJBARR

167/2019 RESOLVED (Virginia NUNDHIRRIBALA/Felicity Kym RAMI)

CARRIED

- (a) That the Numbulwar Local Authority note the following concerns:
 - Flights with weapons in community;
 - Concerns over workers safety;

Action: Roper Gulf Regional Council staff to investigate speaking to various organisations within the community including the school and clinic, about holding a presentation regarding weapons.

Action: Prime Minister and Cabinet to hold a community meeting to talk about community safety issues.

OTHER BUSINESS

Nil

CLOSE OF MEETING

13.1 CLOSE OF MEETING

168/2019 RESOLVED (Douglas WUNUNGMURRA/Felicity Kym RAMI)

CARRIED

The meeting terminated at 1416hrs

Chairperson

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Local Authority Meeting HELD ON Wednesday, 10 April 2019 AND CONFIRMED Wednesday, 05 June 2019.