



Victoria Daly
REGIONAL COUNCIL

MINUTES

**PINE CREEK LOCAL AUTHORITY MEETING
HELD ON TUESDAY 7 MAY 2024
AT 12:00 PM**

**AT THE PINE CREEK MULTI RESOURCE CENTRE
56 Main Tce, Pine Creek, NT 0847**



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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Brian Hylands', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Brian Hylands
Chief Executive Officer



1. Meeting Opening

The meeting opened at 12:15pm.

2. Welcome

Chairperson welcomed members and visitors to the meeting.

3. Attendance and Apologies

3.1. Attendees

1. Present

Appointed Members Present

Councillor - Pine Creek Ward	Yvette Williams
Chairperson	Sam Forwood
Member	Di Benson
Member	Gaye Lawrence
Member	Edward Ah Toy
Member	Juliet Mills
Member	John Roberts
Member	Lance Lawrence
Member	David Paddy

Staff Present

Chief Executive Officer	Brian Hylands
Media and Communications Officer	Kim Maskell
Director of Corporate and Community Services	Trudy Braun

Guests

NT PFES	A/Superintendent Erica Gibson
NT Electoral Commission	Anna Egerton
PCAAA	Mohammed Douglas

3.2. Apologies and Absentees

Apologies: Alan Fountain

PCLA-2024/13 Resolution: Carried (John Roberts/Gaye Lawrence)

Council have received and accept the apology of Alan Fountain.



4. Disclosure of Interest

There were no declarations of interest at this meeting.

5. Resignations, Terminations and Nominations

5.1. Resignations

ITEM NUMBER 5.1.1.

Resignation of Alain Denouel

PCLA-2024/14 Resolution: Carried (John Roberts/Gaye Lawrence)

That the Resignation of Alain Denouel is noted.

5.2. Terminations

ITEM NUMBER 5.2.1.

Termination of John Lee

PCLA-2024/15 Resolution: Carried (Gaye Lawrence/John Roberts)

That the Termination of John Lee is noted.

5.3. Nominations

Nil

6. Guests and Presentations

ITEM NUMBER 6.1.

Local Authority Review

Karen Hocking has postponed this presentation to the next PCLA.

ITEM NUMBER 6.2.

2024 Territory Election

Anna Egerton, from the NT Electoral Commission, presented information about the upcoming 2024 elections in August.



ITEM NUMBER 6.3.

Policing at Pine Creek

A/Superintendent Erica Gibson from NT PFES was invited by Council to speak to the PCLA about policing in the town.

7. Confirmation of Minutes

ITEM NUMBER 7.1.

Pine Creek Local Authority meeting held on 6 February 2024

PCLA-2024/16 Resolution: Carried (Dianne Benson/David Paddy)

That the minutes of the Pine Creek Local Authority meeting held on 6 February 2024 be taken as read and be accepted as a true record of the meeting (with 12.3 amended regarding the water gardens - to look into and proceed with recirculation of the water).

8. Council Response to Previous Minutes

ITEM NUMBER 8.1.

Feedback from Council

PCLA-2024/17 Resolution: Carried (John Roberts/David Paddy)

That the Feedback from Council be received and noted

9. Correspondence

ITEM NUMBER 9.1.

Correspondence

PCLA-2024/18 Resolution: Carried (John Roberts/Sam Forwood)

That the correspondence be received and noted.



10. Reports

10.1. Council Operations Manager Community Report

ITEM NUMBER 10.1.1.

Council Operations Manager Report - Pine Creek

PCLA-2024/19 Resolution: Carried (John Roberts/Sam Forwood)

- A. That the Pine Creek Council Operations Manager Report is received and noted

10.2. Finance Report

ITEM NUMBER 10.2.1.

Finance Report for the period ended 31 March 2024

PCLA-2024/20 Resolution: Carried (David Paddy/Sam Forwood)

- A. That the Finance Report for the period ended 31 March 2024 report is received and noted

ITEM NUMBER 10.2.2.

LA Projects Update as at 31 March 2024

PCLA-2024/21 Resolution: Carried (Gaye Lawrence/Sam Forwood)

- A. That the LA Projects Update as at 31 March 2024 report is received and noted

10.3. Actions Report

ITEM NUMBER 10.3.1.

Action Items

PCLA-2024/22 Resolution: Carried (Dianne Benson/Gaye Lawrence)

- A. That the Action Items report is received and noted



PCLA-2024/23 Resolution: Carried (John Roberts/Dianne Benson)

- A. That the funds allocated for the management of feral cats in Pine Creek be reallocated back into the available funds for LA projects.

10.4. General Reports

10.4.1. Regional Plan Priorities

PCLA-2024/24 Resolution: Carried (John Roberts/Dianne Benson)

- A. That the Regional Plan Priorities report is received and noted; and
- B. That the Pine Creek Local Authority provide feedback on service delivery for the area.

Gaye Lawrence left the meeting at 1:50pm.

11. Questions from the Public

Nil

12. General Business

13.1 Rubbish bins for National Park visitors

Action: Suggest the Dump Point as a location to place bins.

Action: Contact the irrigation contractor to discuss options for irrigation systems

PCLA-2024/25 Resolution: Carried (Gaye Lawrence/Lance Lawrence)

That Council look at the irrigation system and whether a Bluetooth system might be a better option.

Action: Get quotes for resurfacing the tennis court and oval.

PCLA-2024/26 Resolution: Carried (Gaye Lawrence/Lance Lawrence)

That Council spend the \$50,000 grant on resurfacing the tennis court and oval.

Action: Do an internal audit of the roads.

PCLA-2024/27 Resolution: Carried (Edward Ah Toy/Gaye Lawrence)

That Council do an internal audit regarding the resurfacing of the roads.



13. Confidential

Nil

14. Next Meeting

The next Pine Creek Local Authority Meeting will be held 6 August 2024.

The meeting closed at 1:56pm.

This page and the preceding 7 pages are the minutes of the Pine Creek Local Authority meeting held on 7 May 2024.