



Victoria Daly
REGIONAL COUNCIL

MINUTES

**BULLA LOCAL AUTHORITY MEETING
HELD ON TUESDAY 16 AUGUST 2022
AT 10:30 AM
AT THE BULLA COUNCIL OFFICE
VDRC Office**



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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Russell Anderson', written in a cursive style.

Russell Anderson
Chief Executive Officer



1. Meeting Opening

The Bulla Local Authority Meeting 16 August 2022 opened the time being 10:42 am.

1. Present

Appointed Members

Present

Shadrack Retchford Chairperson

Penny Archie

Joseph Archie

Stan Retchford

Staff Present

Jocelyn Moir Regional Council Operations Manager - VDRC

Renee Croton Assistant Council Operations Manager - VDRC

Patricia McGillivray CDP Regional Manager - VDRC

Lisa Robertson CDP Employment Coordinator - VDRC

Guests

Hailey Dack Department of the Chief Minister and Cabinet -
Northern Territory Government

Kallum Peckham-
McKenzie Department of the Chief Minister and Cabinet -
Northern Territory Government

2. Welcome

Chairperson welcomed members and visitors to the meeting.

3. Attendance and Apologies

3.1. Community Attendees

Nil

3.2. Apologies and Absentees

Apologies: Deputy Mayor Shirley Garlett, Duncan Bero, Nicholas Laurie

Leave of Absence: Nil



4. Disclosure of Interest

There were no declarations of interest at this meeting.

5. Resignations, Terminations and Nominations

5.1. Resignations - Nil

5.2. Terminations - Nil

5.3. Nominations - Nil

6. Call for Items of General Business

LAPF Update - Paul Buckley

Mower Status - Jocelyn Moir

Aged Care in Bulla - Shadrack Retchford

7. Invitation for Deputations to Present/Speak

7.1. Frank Gardiner and Birrigan Young on behalf of Chansey Paech MLA - Meet and Listen to LA Members

Frank Gardiner and Birrigan Young did not attend the Bulla Local Authority.

8. Confirmation of Minutes

8.1. Bulla Local Authority Meeting held on 14 June 2022

Motion

That the minutes of the Bulla Local Authority Meeting held on 14 June 2022 be taken as read and be accepted as a true record of the meeting.

Mover: Shadrack Retchford

Seconder: Penny Archie

Resolution:BLA-2022/5: Carried 4 / 0

9. Councillor Update

9.1. Update from Deputy Mayor Shirley Garlett

Deputy Mayor Shirley Garlett tabled apologies due to Special Council Meeting.

10. Business Arising from Previous Minutes

Nil



11. Reports

11.1. BLA Financial Report

Motion

A. That the report BLA Financial Report is received and noted

Mover: Shadrack Retchford

Seconded: Penny Archie

Resolution:BLA-2022/6: Carried 4 / 0

11.2. 2022-23 Regional Plan

Motion

A. That the 2022-23 Regional Plan report is received and noted

Mover:

Seconded:

Resolution:BLA-2022/7: Lost 0 / 0

The Regional Plan Report was not received and noted. This report will be presented again in the November meeting.

11.3. Timber Creek Community Report.

Timber Creek Community Report - tabled.

12. Questions from the Public

Nil

13. General Business

13.1 LAPF Update submitted in writing by Paul Buckley, read by Jocelyn Moir

Bulla LA

I have not been able to source the supplier of the playground equipment (zip line attachment) but I have recently been on site greasing the runners. It is currently working.

The street signs will be \$600 to \$800 each which depends on the amount of letters plus installation, awaiting costs.

A water tap near the basketball court for the children installed through NWAC will be \$1300.00 approximate verbal quote-NWAC.

Action: Paul Buckley to source an itemized quote for street signs.

Action: Paul Buckley to source quotes for playground upgrade.

Action: Jocelyn Moir or Paul Buckley to speak with NWA regarding tap at basketball courts for them to install.

Action: Paul Buckley to source quotes for marquee and chairs to be used for Bulla events.



13.2 Mower Status - Jocelyn Moir

Jocelyn Moir advised the mower is still in transit and has still not arrived.

13.3 Aged Care Services in Bulla - Shadrack Retchford

Shadrack Retchford expressed concerns over the Aged Care service in Bulla.

Action: Jocelyn Moir to pass on Bulla LA concerns and request for a visit from Aged Care to the next Bulla LA meeting regarding the Aged Care service in Bulla to Leanne Buckley - Aged Care Coordinator for VDRC.

13.4 Forty-six Roaming Pigs in Bulla - Shadrack Retchford

Concern over the pigs roaming around Bulla and causing health issues, digging up lawns and tipping over bins.

Action: Paul Buckley to advise NWA of the pig problem in Bulla and the concern of the Bulla LA members.

13.5 No toilets at the Airstrip - Joseph Archie

Joseph Archie expressed concerns over the Airstrip not having toilets.

Action: Paul Buckley to investigate eco-toilets at Airstrip in Bulla.

13.6 Street Lights - Joseph Archie

Joseph Archie advised the street light in front of his property is not working.

Action: Paul Buckley to pass on to NWA to action.

13.7 Airstrip Road Condition during Wet Season - Joseph Archie

Joseph Archie advised the road to the airstrip during the wet season gets very boggy.

Action: Paul Buckley to pass on to NWA to action.

14. Next Meeting

The next Meeting of Bulla Local Authority will be held on Tuesday 15th November 2022.