



**Yawuru Park Council  
Meeting Minutes**

**Meeting no: 40**  
**Meeting location: Shire of Broome**  
**Meeting date: 7 November 2018**  
**Meeting start: 09:15am**  
**Meeting end: 10:45am**

**Attendees:**

**Yawuru:** Deb Pigram (DP), Dean Mathews (DM), Ben Dolby (BD), Julie Melbourne (JM), Sam Legge (SL)  
**Shire of Broome:** Aletta Nugent (AN), Jacqui Jankowski (JJ) (Sam Mastrolembo proxy), Bruce Rudeforth (BR) (Harold Tracy proxy)  
**Parks & Wildlife Service:** Daniel Balint (DB), Craig Olejnik (CO), Sarah Mullineux (SM), Katie McMahon-Stevens (KMS) (minutes)

**Apologies:** Harold Tracy, Sam Mastrolembo, Luke Puertollano, Maryann Walley

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**1. Welcome and apologies**

**1.1. Opening and welcome**

Meeting opened by Chairperson Deb Pigram

**1.2. Apologies**

**1.3. Role of persons present (YPC representative/ alternative/ proxy, associate member, observer etc)**

**Nyamba Buru Yawuru:**

Deb Pigram (chair-representative), Dean Mathews (representative), Ben Dolby (proxy), Julie Melbourne (observer), Sam Legge (observer)

**Shire of Broome:**

Bruce Rudeforth (proxy for Harold Tracy), Aletta Nugent (representative), Jacqui Jankowski (proxy for Sam Mastrolembo)

**Parks and Wildlife Service:**

Daniel Balint (representative), Craig Olejnik (representative), Sarah Mullineux (proxy for Luke Puertollano), Katie McMahon-Stevens (minutes)



## 2. Minutes of previous meeting

### 2.1. Review and adoption of previous minutes

Moved - AN  
Seconded - DB

### 2.2. Actions arising

See action table below

## 3. Matters across all tenure (Yawuru, Parks & Wildlife, Shire)

### 3.1 Yawuru Interpretative Masterplan for the Yawuru Conservation Estate

*Matter across all tenure*

#### REPORT RECOMMENDATION:

*That Yawuru Park Council:*

- 1. Supports the development of the Yawuru Interpretative Masterplan for the Yawuru Conservation Estate; and*
- 2. Approves the allocation of up to \$15,000 reimbursement towards the costs of the Yawuru Interpretative Masterplan process from the Yawuru Park Council budget.*

**Moved: AN**

**Seconded: CO**

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### 3.2 Encroachments Update

*Matters across all tenure*

#### REPORT RECOMMENDATION:

*That Yawuru Park Council:*



1. Endorses the actions and agreed outcomes to address the encroachments within the Yawuru Conservation Estate.
2. Requests the Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions, finalise the Minyirr Buru Fire Management Plan, taking into consideration the agreed outcomes of the encroachment strategy, as per the table included in this report.

**Moved: DP**

**Seconded: BD**

### 3.3 Fulcrum Funding

*Matters across all tenure*

**REPORT RECOMMENDATION:**

*That the Yawuru Park Council:*

1. Approves the allocation of up to \$10,000 towards the costs of the Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions data collection software tool implementation review from the Yawuru Park Council budget. (Trust Account)

**Moved: AN**

**Seconded: DM**

**Action:** DB to provide copy of quote

## 4. Minyirr Buru (Yawuru, Shire)

### 4.1 Gantheaume Point Feasibility Study

*Minyirr Buru (In-Town Conservation Estate)*

FOR NOTING ONLY



**5. Guniyan Binba (Yawuru, DBCA, Shire)**

**6. Birragun (Yawuru, DBCA)**

**7. Reports**

**7.1 Budget Update**

DB discussed and explained current budget reports. RfR budget tracking well with \$231K spent YTD of the \$381K projected expenditure. Wages still to be taken from expenditure figures due to being taken from incorrect budget.

JJ – Approves of new format of report as easier to understand

CO – Reiterated importance of accurate reflection of percentages of expenditure

DB – Need to spend the allocated 1.1M budget or it gets handed back, but cant be spent on capital works

DB – 6K has been spent from Trust Account so far this FY. Repairs made to Minyirr Park after big rains in Jan/Feb 18 came out of this years Trust Account as the invoice was received too late for 17/18 FY cut-off. Other expenditure from account was for Minyirr Park works, emu bobs etc.

**8. Other matters and correspondence**

**8.1 Drainage in Conservation Tenure**

General discussion regarding drainage issues in conservation estate.

DP – enquired if there was a drainage plan for DEMCO

AN – No drainage plan but have increased drainage monitoring for the area

DP – Why isn't Shire dealing with areas with drainage issues such outside McDonalds, Matsos etc

AN – New roundabout outside McDonalds should deal with some drainage issues, while engineers are assessing Short Street. Cable Beach drainage plan will be part of Foreshore Master Plan.

DP – NBY need to work in conjunction with Shire on overall town plan for future drainage.

CO – Riffles important in DEMCO area to stop/reduce drainage into Roebuck Bay

**8.2 On-Country Trips**

Discussion regarding benefits of on-country trips with elders and country managers to share stories, modern and dreamtime. Photo collage of trips to be collated to reiterate importance of relationship to country. Positive experience for rangers.



**9 Next Meeting**

19 February 2019

**10. Close of Meeting**

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