



# **Agenda**

## **Ramingining**

### **LOCAL AUTHORITY MEETING**

On

**18 April 2023**

**EAST ARNHEM REGIONAL COUNCIL**

Notice is hereby given that an meeting of the Ramingining Local Authority will be held at the Ramingining Council Office on Tuesday, 18 April 2023 at 12:00PM.

Dale Keehne  
**Chief Executive Officer**

Under closing the gap priority reforms, socio economic outcome 16 – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander languages are strong, supported and flourishing and it is standard practice for reports to be considered, discussed and debated in the traditional dialects of the East Arnhem region, Yolngu Matha or Anindilyakwan.

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**APOLOGIES**

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**ITEM NUMBER** 3.1  
**TITLE** Apologies and Absence Without Notice  
**REFERENCE** 1756335  
**AUTHOR** Wendy Brook, Executive Assistant to the CEO

**SUMMARY**

This report is to table, for the Council's record, any absences, apologies and requests for leave of absence received from the Local Authority Members and what absences that the Local Authority gives permission for.

The report author does not have a conflict of interest in this matter (Section 179 of the Act).

**RECOMMENDATION**

**That Council:**

- (a) Notes the absence of <>.**
- (b) Notes the apology received from <>.**
- (c) Notes <> are absent with permission of the Local Authority.**
- (d) Determines <> are absent without permission of the Local Authority.**

**ATTACHMENTS:**

There are no attachments to this report.

**CONFLICT OF INTEREST**

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<b>ITEM NUMBER</b>	4.1
<b>TITLE</b>	Conflict of Interest
<b>REFERENCE</b>	1756336
<b>AUTHOR</b>	Wendy Brook, Executive Assistant to the CEO

**SUMMARY**

This report is tabled for members to declare any conflicts they have within the agenda.

**BACKGROUND**

The Local Government Act (Chapter 7, Part 7.2, Section 114 – Conflict of Interest) details that “A member has a conflict of interest in a question arising for decision by the audit committee, council, council committee or Local Authority if the member or an associate of the member has any of the following interests in how the question is decided:

- (a) A direct interest
- (b) An indirect financial interest
- (c) An indirect interest by close association
- (d) An indirect interest due to conflicting duties”.

**GENERAL**

A conflict of interest is a situation that has the potential to undermine a person’s ability to be impartial because of the possibility of a clash between the person’s self-interest and professional interest or public interest.

When this occurs the Local Authority Member should declare the interest and remove them self from the decision making process.

The report author does not have a conflict of interest in this matter (Section 179 of the Act).

**RECOMMENDATION**

**That the Local Authority notes no conflicts of interest declared at today’s meeting.**

**OR**

**That the Local Authority notes any conflicts of interest declared at today’s meeting.**

**ATTACHMENTS:**

There are no attachments to this report.

## **GENERAL BUSINESS**

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<b>ITEM NUMBER</b>	8.1
<b>TITLE</b>	Community Development Program Reform
<b>REFERENCE</b>	1756337
<b>AUTHOR</b>	Wendy Brook, Executive Assistant to the CEO

### **SUMMARY:**

The NIAA would like to consult with the Ramingining Local Authority Chair and members on Community Development Plan (CDP) Reform.

The report author does not have a conflict of interest in this matter (Section 179 of the Act).

### **RECOMMENDATION**

**That Council notes the report on Community Development Plan reform.**

### **ATTACHMENTS:**

There are no attachments for this report.