

Minutes of ASC / NAK Liaison meeting held on Tuesday 29 October 2013, commencing at 9.00am, in Council Chamber, Aurukun

Present

ASC - Mayor D. Walpo, Deputy Mayor A. Kerindun, B. McCarthy, R. Fenner, R. Love

NAK - Director J. Korkatain, Director S. Ahlers, K. Hogan

Business was as follows:

Camping, Fishing and Hunting permits

NAK advised that they are prepared to issue these permits. ASC agreed to hand over this function and advised that they would publicise this matter on its website, by ASC email network and in employment applications kits. It was agreed that Aurukun non-Indigenous residents would be required to apply for permits in the required areas.

Use of Old TAFE training centre by NAK and Lease Agreement

NAK advised that a draft lease agreement would be provided by HWL Ebsworth in the near future.

Roads

The following road responsibilities were explained:

- Aurukun Access Road (ASC, TMR, QRA)
- Amban Road (Rio Tinto)
- Possum Gully Road (TMR)
- Other Roads (Private responsibility)

ASC advised that approximately 15 kms of Access Road was scheduled to be sealed.

Aurukun Planning Scheme

ASC advised that the draft planning scheme was on public consultation and should be finally approved and adopted in early 2014.

Visit by Darren Lockyer

NAK advised that Darren Lockyer would be visiting Aurukun on 4th November. ASC/NAK agreed to hold a joint meeting with Darren at 9.00am, followed by a certificate presentation at the ASC Works Depot, infrastructure tour and school visit.

Pormpuraaw Visit

NAK reported on their recent visit to Pormpuraaw to advise affected persons of the recent land handover.

Insurance

NAK inquired if ASC had Blue Lagoon and Wathanin infrastructure included in its insurance cover. ASC advised that they had been insured and agreed to provide the figures covered.

BPO Property, Aurukun Township

NAK advised that an options business plan was being prepared by IBA and Kleinhardt consultants to determine if NAK should pursue an offer to purchase BPO from Chalco.

ASC again advised that it has no intention of being involved in a joint BPO venture with NAK and it would be pursuing the submission of a purchase offer to Chalco in the near future.

Regularity of Liaison meetings

Both parties agreed that the next meeting should be held every 2 months.

Next meeting was fixed for 10.30am, Tuesday, 29 January 2014.

The meeting closed at 10.30am.