



# **MEETING OF WADEYE LOCAL AUTHORITY**

**WEDNESDAY, 10 MARCH 2021**

The Wadeye Local Authority

will be held on

Wednesday, 10 March 2021 at 10:00am.

## **WEST DALY REGIONAL COUNCIL DISCLAIMER**

No responsibility is implied or accepted by the West Daly Regional Council for any act, omission or statement or intimation occurring during Council or committee meetings.

The West Daly Regional Council disclaims any liability for any loss whatsoever and howsoever caused arising out of reliance by any person or legal entity on any such act, omission or statement or intimation occurring during Council or committee meetings.

Any person or legal entity who acts or fails to act in reliance upon any statement, act or omission made in a Council or committee meeting does so at that person's or legal entity's own risk.

In particular and without detracting in any way from the broad disclaimer above, in any discussion regarding any planning application or application for a licence, any statement or intimation of approval made by any member or officer of the West Daly Regional Council during the course of any meeting is not intended to be and is not taken as notice of approval from the West Daly Regional Council.

The West Daly Regional Council advises that anyone who has any application lodged with the West Daly Regional Council shall obtain and should only rely on **WRITTEN CONFIRMATION** of the outcome of the application, and any conditions attaching to the decision made by the West Daly Regional Council in respect of the application.



## AGENDA

### West Daly Regional Council Local Authority Meeting

---

Welcome

Attendance and Apologies

Attendance

Apologies

Confirmation of Minutes

*Wadeye Local Authority - 9 December 2020* ..... 3

Reports

1	Chief Executive Officer's Report .....	7
2	Ordinary Council Meeting Minutes re: LA Recommendations to Council .....	8
3	Attendance Records .....	10
4	Hearing for Learning - Presentation by Menzies School of Health .....	12
5	Community Service Manager's Report - Wadeye .....	22
6	Finance Report - February 2021 .....	31
7	Regional Plan 2021/22 .....	37

Questions from the Public

Deputations/Guest Speakers

Next Meeting: - Wednesday 5 May 2021

8	NT Treaty Commissioner - Presentation .....	40
---	---	----

Confidential

Meeting Close

**Guideline 8**

*“Provisional meeting means, at the time and place set for a local authority meeting when a quorum has not been established, number of members (appointed or elected) present is one third or more of the number of appointed members for the local authority.”*

Prior to the meeting and in the absence of the Chairperson Leon Melpi, the Local Authority Members unanimously appointed Wilfred Harris as Chairperson for the provisional meeting.

**WELCOME AND MEETING ARRANGEMENTS**

Chairperson Wilfred Harris declared the meeting open at 10:23am and welcomed all in attendance.

**ATTENDANCE AND APOLOGIES**

Attendance

Wilfred Harris	Chairperson
Cyril Ninnal	Local Authority Member
Mark Ninnal	Local Authority Member
Timothy Dumoo	Local Authority Member
Wally Minjin	Councillor
Mark Tunmuck-Smith	Councillor

Staff:

Steve Horton	Acting CEO
Rebecca Purser	Manager Corporate (via video conference)
Troy Pollard	Community Services Manager

Apologies

Leon Melpi	Local Authority Member
Damien Tunmuck	Local Authority Member
Ken James	Local Authority Member
John Wilson	Mayor
Terry Sams	Deputy Mayor
Mark Martin	Councillor

**Motion:**

**That the Local Authority receives and accepts the apologies from Leon Melpi, Damien Tunmuck, Ken James, John Wilson, Terry Sams and Mark Martin.**

Moved: Timothy Dumoo  
Seconded: Cyril Ninnal

Resolution: Unanimously

### **CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES**

**Minutes of the Wadeye Local Authority Provisional Meeting held on 30 October 2020**

019/2020 **Motion:**

**That the minutes be taken as read and be accepted as a true record of the Provisional Meeting.**

Moved: Wilfred Harris  
Seconded: Cyrill Ninnal  
Resolution: Unanimously

### **REPORTS**

**1) Minutes from Ordinary Council Meeting**

020/2020 **Motion:**

**1. That the Local Authority receives and notes the minutes from the Ordinary Council Meeting held on 26 August 2020 and 11 November 2020.**

Moved: Cr. Minjin  
Seconded: Timothy Dumoo  
Resolution: Unanimously

**2) Local Authority Members Attendance Records**

021/2020 **Motion:**

**1. That the Local Authority receives and notes the attendance records.**

Moved: Wilfred Harris  
Seconded: Cyril Ninnal  
Resolution: Unanimously

**3) Acting CEO Report**

Manager Corporate sought clarification on who will be responsible for the continued maintenance of the Ablution blocks on Perdjert Street. Suggested that LA allocate an amount up to \$20k for the maintenance and upkeep of the ablution blocks and that that amount be reviewed in 4 months' time.

ACEO provided details to LA Members regarding the Homelands Guidelines.

022/2020 **Motion:**

**1. That the Local Authority receives and notes the Acting CEO report**

**2. That the Local Authority makes recommendation to Council to allocate an amount of \$20,000 for the maintenance of the Ablution blocks on Perdjer Street.**

Moved: Cr. Minjin  
Seconded: Wilfred Harris  
Resolution: Unanimously

**4) Finance Report - November 2020**

Still unable to read attachments to finance report.

**023/2020 Motion:**

**1. That the local authority receives and notes financial information provided by Council for period ending November 2020.**

Moved: Cr. Minjin  
Seconded: Timothy Dumoo  
Resolution: Unanimously

**5) Wadeye Community Service Managers Report**

A request was made to Local Authority members that they speak to local residents and request that the kids stop vandalising the water tank at the oval.

Cyril Ninnal requested inquiries be made with regards to 24 hour security officers with dogs.

Vandalism to all vehicles is continuing.

Action Items:

Oval/Softball Oval to be cleaned up so it can become a 'sporting hub' similar to that of Peppimenarti.

Quotes to be sourced for a BMX track to be installed at the 'sporting hub'

Quotes for 9mx9m Shade Shed with concrete base to be sourced and installed down at Creek Camp. This is so that the Priest and the School Children have somewhere to sit/stand out of the weather.

Quotes to be sourced for road safety signs – ie: Sharp bends.

SPG to be sourced for a Men's Safe House.

**024/2020 Motion:**

**1. That Local Authority accepts the Wadeye community service Managers Report**

**2. Local Authority makes recommendation to council to allocate an amount up to \$30,000 for the purchase and installation of 4 additional shaded seating structures.**

**3. Local Authority makes recommendation to council allocate an amount up to \$5,000 to replace the Wadeye welcome sign.**

Moved: Cyril Ninnal  
Seconded: Mark Ninnal  
Resolution: Unanimously

**6) Community Night Patrol**

**Motion:**

**1. That Local Authority accepts the Community Night Patrol report**

Moved: Cr. Minjin  
Seconded: Cyril Ninnal  
Resolution: Unanimously

**7) Wadeye LA Action Items Update**

**Motion:**

**1. That the Local Authority receives and notes the action items update.**

Moved: Cyril Ninnal  
Seconded: Mark Ninnal  
Resolution: Unanimously

**QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC**

Nil

**GUEST SPEAKERS**

Nil

**NEXT MEETING** – 10 February 2021 at: 10:00am

**MEETING CLOSE**

The meeting closed at 12:05 pm.

THIS PAGE AND THE PRECEEDING 3 PAGES ARE THE MINUTES OF THE Meeting of Wadeye Local Authority HELD ON Wednesday, 9 December 2020 AND CONFIRMED .



## WEST DALY REGIONAL COUNCIL

### FOR THE WADEYE LOCAL AUTHORITY OF 10 MARCH 2021

#### Report for Agenda Item No 1

Prepared by **Matthew Eastham, CEO**

#### **Chief Executive Officer's Report**

---

##### **Purpose**

CEO will provide a verbal report.

##### **Impact for Council**

Information purposes.

##### **Recommendation**

- 1. That the Local Authority receives and notes the CEO's report.**

##### **Attachments**

There are no attachments for this report.



## WEST DALY REGIONAL COUNCIL

### FOR THE WADEYE LOCAL AUTHORITY OF 10 MARCH 2021

#### Report for Agenda Item No 2

Prepared by Rebecca Purser, Manager Corporate

#### Ordinary Council Meeting Minutes re: LA Recommendations to Council

##### **Purpose**

To inform Local Authority Members of Council's decision regarding Local Authority recommendations.

##### **Background**

##### **Purpose**

To inform Local Authority Members of Council's decision regarding Local Authority recommendations.

##### **Background**

Guideline 8 states that Council must consider any items raised by each local authority meeting and that Council's response must be communicated back to the local authority.

The relevant section from the Ordinary Council Meeting minutes held on 16 December 2020 are below for Local Authority Members information.

#### **3) Local Authority Minutes and Recommendations**

Shaded seating area to be installed at the Youth Centre, Council Office and the Park adjacent to the Civil Yard.

#### **001/2020 Motion:**

- 1. That Council receives and notes the Local Authority Minutes for Nganmarriyanga and Provisional Local Authority Minutes for Wadeye for 8 and 9 December respectively.**
- 2. That Council approves the following Local Authority recommendations to Council:**

#### **Wadeye:-**

- a. Allocation of an amount of \$20,000 for the maintenance of**



**the Ablution blocks on Perdjert Street.**

- b. Allocation of an amount up to \$30,000 for the purchase and installation of 4 additional shaded seating structures.**
- c. Allocation of an amount up to \$5,000 to replace the Wadeye welcome sign.**

Moved: Cr. Narburup  
Seconded: Cr. Minjin  
Resolution: Unanimously

### **Impact for Council**

Compliance with legislation and guideline requirements.

### **Recommendation**

- 1. That the Local Authority receives and notes the Ordinary Council Meeting Minutes dated 16 December 2020.**

### **Attachments**

There are no attachments for this report.

## WEST DALY REGIONAL COUNCIL

### FOR THE WADEYE LOCAL AUTHORITY OF 10 MARCH 2021

#### Report for Agenda Item No 3

Prepared by **Rebecca Purser, Manager Corporate**

#### Attendance Records

#### Purpose

Provide Local Authority Members with an update of their attendance records.

#### Background

Local Authorities are required to have a minimum of 6 and a maximum of 14 members. Wadeye Local Authority now has 12 members and 2 vacancies. For a meeting to proceed, a quorum must be present.

If a quorum is not attained for a local authority meeting, but the number of members (appointed or elected) present is one third or more of the number of appointed members for the local authority, the members who are in attendance may hold a provisional meeting.

In the case of Wadeye, one third of members = 4.

						Provisional Meeting	Special Meeting Provisional	Provisional Meeting
	Date	4/09/2019	12/02/2020	8/04/2020	3/06/2020	12/08/2020	29/10/2020	9/12/2020
	Time	1030am	10:30am	10:30am	10:30am	10:30am	10:30am	10:00am
1	Leon Melpi (Chairperson)	1	1	Cancelled due to COVID-19	1	AP	AP	AP
2	Cyril Ninal	AP	AB		1	1	1	1
3	Damien Tunmuck	1	AP		1	AP	1	AP
4	Ken James	1	AP		1	AP	AP	AP
5	Wilfred Harris	1	1		1	1	1	1
6	Mark Ninal	AP	AP		AP	AP	1	1
7	Timothy Dumoo	NA	1		1	1	1	1
8	Vacant							
9	Vacant							
10	Mayor Wilson	AP	1		1	AP	AP	AP
11	Deputy Mayor Sams	AB	AB		AB	AP	AP	AP
12	Cr. Mark Martin	1	AP		1	1	AP	AP
13	Cr. Wally Minjin	1	1		1	1	AP	1
14	Cr. Mark Tunmuck-Smith	1	1		AP	1	1	1

It is important to note that Local Authority members stop being members if they:

- Resign in writing;
- Do not attend two consecutive meetings without an apology;
- Finish their four year term;
- Are convicted of a serious offence or are sent to prison;

- e. Are dismissed by Council.

Below is a snap shot of attendance records for each current Local Authority Member

### **Impact for Council**

Information purposes

#### **Recommendation**

- 1. That the Local Authority receives and notes the attendance records update.**

### **Attachments**

There are no attachments for this report.

## WEST DALY REGIONAL COUNCIL

### FOR THE WADEYE LOCAL AUTHORITY OF 10 MARCH 2021

#### Report for Agenda Item No 4

Prepared by Rebecca Purser, Manager Corporate

#### Hearing for Learning - Presentation by Menzies School of Health

##### Purpose

To seek nominations/representatives for a Community Reference Group for the Hearing for Learning Initiative.

##### Background

**Each community will be invited to form a Community Reference Group to advise on how the Hearing for Learning Initiative should be run including:**

- Who in their community could train to become an Ear Health Facilitator.
- Who in their community will be a champion for the Hearing for Learning Initiative.
- Who could be a mentor.
- What resources are in the community – space, equipment, computer, transport.

##### Impact for Council

Information Purposes.

##### Recommendation

1. That the Local Authority \_\_\_\_\_

**Attachments**

- 1 HREC 18-3264 Item 300 - HfLI Recruitment Brochure V2 130121
- 2 HREC 18-3264 Item 311 - HfLI Trainee EOI V1 - 130121
- 3 HREC18-3264 Item 301- Hearing for Learning Training A3 Poster Web Version -130121

## Benefits for the community and children include:

- Receive safe, culturally appropriate, reliable and expert clinical and education services for children who have ear and hearing problems.
- Explain how ear and hearing problems can affect their child's behaviour.
- Link the family with services to get the best help from the clinic, specialists and school.

Healthy ears and better hearing, improved learning, talking, communication, improved behaviour and school attendance.

## Benefits for the selected Ear Health Facilitators include:

- Employment.
- Important and respected role in the community.
- Professional workforce development training to become workforce ready.
- Accredited training in Aboriginal Primary Health Care.
- High-quality training in ear health including: causes and prevention, how to use equipment, how to detect ear disease and hearing loss, how to liaise with community services to enter results in medical records, and how to link and follow the treatment of the children aged 0-16 years.

## Funding partners



Australian Government  
Department of Health



RTO



PO Box 41096, Casuarina NT 0811 Australia  
Phone: (08) 8946 8600 | Fax: (08) 8946 8464  
Email: [hearingforlearning@menzies.edu.au](mailto:hearingforlearning@menzies.edu.au)  
Website: [menzies.edu.au](http://menzies.edu.au)

**Menzies School of Health Research**  
John Matthews Building (JMB)  
Building 58, Royal Darwin Hospital Campus  
Northern Territory, Australia 0810



Photo by Lauren Roberts, NT News

### The Hearing for Learning Initiative

is an innovative community-based service enhancement model to address the crisis in ear and hearing health of Aboriginal children in the Northern Territory: a Phase III stepped-wedge cluster randomised trial.

The goal of the Hearing for Learning Initiative is to work with communities to establish reliable, sustainable, culturally appropriate services that ensure that **every ear of every child is healthy and hearing every day.**

## What crisis?

In remote communities, of every 10 Aboriginal children under 3 years of age:

- 9 out of 10 have ear problems.
- 2 out of 10 of these have "runny ears".

Children with ear problems cannot hear properly, they have trouble listening and talking, and may behave badly because they misunderstand their parents, teachers, and friends. Children with hearing problems often don't want to go to school.

## Workforce problems

"In some communities Primary Health Care Services only see ~13% of children who need follow-up for their ear problems."

Much more is needed in the community to help get rid of ear and hearing problems.

## Who will be involved in the Initiative?

- 20 Northern Territory remote, rural or urban communities will be enrolled by end of 2019.
- 4 communities will start in 2020,
- 8 more communities will start in 2021, and 8 in 2022.
- Up to 100 casual Trainees and 40 part-time Ear Health Facilitators.
- 5000 children 0 to 16 years of age.

## What is workforce innovation?

The Hearing for Learning Initiative will fund the employment of Trainees, support mentors and fund health services to employ selected Trainees as Ear Health Facilitators at the conclusion of training.

The Initiative will actively support integration of the Ear Health Facilitators into current services to create reliable, sustainable, integrated, culturally appropriate clinical and education services for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children who have ear and hearing problems.

## Each community will be invited to form a Community Reference Group to advise on how the Hearing for Learning Initiative should be run including:

- Who in their community could train to become an Ear Health Facilitator.
- Who in their community will be a champion for the Hearing for Learning Initiative.
- Who could be a mentor.
- What resources are in the community – space, equipment, computer, transport.

## Roles and responsibilities of the Hearing for Learning Initiative Trainees are:

- To undertake six weeks of training including three accredited units in Cert II Aboriginal Primary Healthcare and clinical skills in ear and hearing health.
- Clinical – undertake ear and hearing assessments for children 0 to 16 years of age using video otoscopy, tympanometry, and a basic hearing test.
- Families – educate families about the impact of ear and hearing problems in children and what can be done about it.



Postal: PO Box 41096, Casuarina NT 0811 Australia  
 Location: John Mathews Building (Bldg 58)  
 Royal Darwin Hospital Campus, Rocklands Drv, Casuarina NT 0810  
 Ph: (08) 8946 8600 Fax: (08) 8946 8464  
 Website: menzies.edu.au  
 ABN: 70 413 542 847

## Hearing for Learning Initiative Ear Health Facilitator Trainee Expression of Interest (EOI)

- ✓ The Hearing for Learning Initiative is a research project that will help improve ear and hearing health of children so that they can hear and learn at home and in school.
- ✓ The Initiative is about training and employing people in your community to be champions in ear and hearing health.
- ✓ The positions are called The Ear Health Facilitator Trainees. Five members from your community can attend the training to become an EHF. Trainees will be casually employed by Menzies to complete the training (120 hours in total).
- ✓ The training includes 3 accredited units from the Certificate II in Aboriginal Primary Healthcare:
  - HLTAHW001 Work with Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander clients and communities;
  - HLTWHS001 Participate in workplace health and safety; and
  - FSKWTG006 Write simple workplace information.
- ✓ Trainees will also learn how to:
  - Use otoscopy to look at children's ears
  - Use tympanometry to record mobility of ear drum (a pressure test on the ear drum);
  - Perform a basic hearing screen using a mobile phone and headset;
  - Report the results to the child's community doctor, nurse, or Aboriginal health practitioner
  - Plan with the health professionals for best practice management;
  - Educate the child's family and teacher about what they can do to help; and
  - Assist the family with medicines and follow-up appointments and care.
- ✓ At the end of training, 1 or 2 trainees who have successfully completed the training have the chance to become Ear Health Facilitators employed by the clinic within your community. You will have supported induction from the Hearing for Learning Initiative training team.

If you are interested in this training, please fill out this expression of interest (EOI). You can request an interpreter to fully explain the study and help you with this EOI.

After you have completed the EOI, the Clinical Training Team will then organize for you to complete the LLN (Literacy and Numeracy Tool) and other employment documents. Once all forms are done, the community reference group will select the best candidates for the training. If you are selected, the Clinical Training Team will then contact you to inform you if you are successful and you will be employed casually as a Trainee Ear Health Facilitator.

**Please Note:** *You can choose to withdraw your interest at any stage.*



The Hearing for Learning Initiative is funded by The Balnaves Foundation, The Northern Territory Government and the Australian Federal Government

HREC 18-3264 Item 311 – Trainee Expression of interest v1  
 Created on 6-Jan-21  
 Saved on 01/4/2021 1:19 PM





Postal: PO Box 41096, Casuarina NT 0811 Australia  
 Location: John Mathews Building (Bldg 58)  
 Royal Darwin Hospital Campus, Rocklands Drv, Casuarina NT 0810  
 Ph: (08) 8946 8600 Fax: (08) 8946 8464  
 Website: menzies.edu.au  
 ABN: 70 413 542 847

ALL THE INFORMATION PROVIDED ON THIS FORM WILL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL AND SHARED ONLY WITH THOSE PARTICIPATING IN THE RECRUITMENT PROCESS.

PERSONAL INFORMATION			
Full name			
Date of Birth		Gender	Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/>
Address			
Phone Number	Home Phone	Mobile Phone	
Email Address			
Indigenous Status	Yes, Aboriginal <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes, both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Is. <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Yes, Torres Strait Islander <input type="checkbox"/>		

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION		
Full name		
Address		
Phone Number	Home Phone	Mobile Phone
Email Address		
Relationship to applicant		

EDUCATION EXPERIENCE			
When did you finish school?	Year 9 or below	<input type="checkbox"/>	Completed Year 10 <input type="checkbox"/>
	Completed Year 11	<input type="checkbox"/>	Completed Year 12 <input type="checkbox"/>
Completed a course?	Certificate I	<input type="checkbox"/>	Certificate II <input type="checkbox"/>
	Certificate III	<input type="checkbox"/>	Certificate IV <input type="checkbox"/>
	Diploma	<input type="checkbox"/>	Advanced Diploma
	Bachelor's Degree	<input type="checkbox"/>	



The Hearing for Learning Initiative is funded by The Balmores Foundation, The Northern Territory Government and the Australian Federal Government

HREC 18-3264 Item 311 – Trainee Expression of interest v1  
 Created on 6-Jan-21  
 Saved on 01/4/2021 1:19 PM



Postal: PO Box 41096, Casuarina NT 0811 Australia  
 Location: John Mathews Building (Bldg 58)  
 Royal Darwin Hospital Campus, Rocklands Drv, Casuarina NT 0810  
 Ph: (08) 8946 8600 Fax: (08) 8946 8464  
 Website: menzies.edu.au  
 ABN: 70 413 542 847

What type of courses did you finish? (E.g. Certification I in Hospitality)	
What did you do in the course? (E.g. Cleaning of equipment)	

#### CURRENT EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Where do you work?	
Position/Occupation	
How long have you worked there?	
What do you do in this job?	

#### PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Where did you work?	
Position/Occupation	
How long did you work there?	
What do you do in this job?	

#### PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Where did you work?	
Position/Occupation	
How long did you work there?	



HREC 18-3264 Item 311 – Trainee Expression of interest v1  
 Created on 6-Jan-21  
 Saved on 01/4/2021 1:19 PM  
 The Hearing for Learning Initiative is funded by The  
 Balnaves Foundation, The Northern Territory Government  
 and the Australian Federal Government



Postal: PO Box 41096, Casuarina NT 0811 Australia  
 Location: John Mathews Building (Bldg 58)  
 Royal Darwin Hospital Campus, Rocklands Drv, Casuarina NT 0810  
 Ph: (08) 8946 8600 Fax: (08) 8946 8464  
 Website: menzies.edu.au  
 ABN: 70 413 542 847

What do you do in this job?

Should you wish to provide more employment details please attach an additional sheet to this application.

***\*Please answer questions in own hand-writing\****

A LITTLE ABOUT YOU			
To help the Community Reference Group get to know you please provide details to the questions below. You can skip this section if you do not wish to provide further details, however, this may help you get selected.			
Have you? (Please Tick)	Used a computer before?		Been interviewed for a job?
	looked after or have small children?		Given a speech or spoken in front of a group of people?
	Used a printer before?		Written a letter before?
	Written a resume before?		Played a team sport (AFL, Rugby)?
	Worked in a team?		
Have you helped out in community events? (Family Days, NAIDOC Week). (Please Tick)	Yes		No
	If yes, please write how you helped...		
Write down why you want to work in ear and hearing health...			
Write down why you think its important to have			



The Hearing for Learning Initiative is funded by The Balnaves Foundation, The Northern Territory Government and the Australian Federal Government

HREC 18-3264 Item 311 – Trainee Expression of interest v1  
 Created on 6-Jan-21  
 Saved on 01/4/2021 1:19 PM



Postal: PO Box 41096, Casuarina NT 0811 Australia  
 Location: John Mathews Building (Bldg 58)  
 Royal Darwin Hospital Campus, Rocklands Drv, Casuarina NT 0810  
 Ph: (08) 8946 8600 Fax: (08) 8946 8464  
 Website: menzies.edu.au  
 ABN: 70 413 542 847

good ears and good hearing...	
How many days a week can you come to training?	

Do you understand and agree to what this Initiative involves?	Yes	No
If Yes, complete and sign below		
If No, cannot proceed with the EOI		

I freely give my consent to be considered as a Trainee participant in the Hearing for Learning initiative study.

Designation	Name (print)	Signature	Date
Trainee applicant			
Menzies staff member			
Interpreter/witness (If required)			

ALL THE INFORMATION PROVIDED ON THIS FORM WILL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL AND SHARED ONLY WITH THOSE PARTICIPATING IN THE RECRUITMENT PROCESS.

**Project questions:** Please feel free to contact members of our study team if you have any questions about the study:

Email: [hearingforlearning@menzies.edu.au](mailto:hearingforlearning@menzies.edu.au)

Phone: 0436 835 569 – Senior Clinical Research Training Officer

**Issues or concerns:** If you have any issues or concerns about your rights, or the conduct of the study please contact the following:

Human Research Ethics Committees, NT

Email: [ethics@menzies.edu.au](mailto:ethics@menzies.edu.au)

Phone: (08) 8946 8687 or (08) 8946 8692



The Hearing for Learning Initiative is funded by The Balnaves Foundation, The Northern Territory Government and the Australian Federal Government

HREC 18-3264 Item 311 – Trainee Expression of interest v1  
 Created on 6-Jan-21  
 Saved on 01/4/2021 1:19 PM



Photo by Lauren Roberts, NT News

# Hearing for Learning – training and employment

## What is the training for?

To have local experts – Ear Health Facilitators - who live in the community, have language and who know the families and culture, to help community children to have healthy ears, to hear, listen and learn language, to be happy and enjoy school, playing and communicating with family and friends.

Training will provide learners with work readiness skills, an understanding of ear health assessments including basic hearing tests and an understanding of how to work with the primary health care services and schools within your community.

## Why do the training?

You can gain recognised training that will help kids hear and learn - it may also lead to ongoing employment in the clinic or school.

## Who should apply?

- Aboriginal Australians local to community.
- Can speak local language, and read and write in English.
- Has the ability to acquire an Ochre Card.
- Willingness to obtain a National Police Clearance.

## How can you apply?

Talk to the Menzies Hearing for Learning team when we visit your community or contact us on either **0436 835 569** or [hearingforlearning@menzies.edu.au](mailto:hearingforlearning@menzies.edu.au).

## Is there a job available at the end of training?

Yes, one or two jobs will be available in your community. Those that do all the training will be able to apply for the jobs.



### To find out more:

Phone: 0436 835 569 or

Email: [hearingforlearning@menzies.edu.au](mailto:hearingforlearning@menzies.edu.au)

RTO





## **WEST DALY REGIONAL COUNCIL**

### **FOR THE WADEYE LOCAL AUTHORITY OF 10 MARCH 2021**

#### **Report for Agenda Item No 5**

**Prepared by**                      **Troy Pollard, Community Services Manager, Wadeye**

#### **Community Service Manager's Report - Wadeye**

##### **Purpose**

The purpose of this report is to inform Local Authority of council projects and services within the Wadeye community.

##### **Events and Activities**

WDRC conducted Australia Day celebrations, unfortunately this was rained out. We did manage to cook up approximately 350 steak sandwiches for the community and operate a couple of kid's games on the day.

##### **Community Issues.**

I have been asked by many of the community members for council to mow and whipper snip their private house yard. This is a service WDRC use to provide for a fee. At the present time the civil crew cannot keep up with the general community areas we normally service such as parks, road sides and council business areas. If we go down this track of mowing private yards Wadeye civil crew will certainly not be able to keep on top of the work they have.

I have stopped the collection of cars to be taken to the dump simply due to the softness of people's yards. We have had several machines bogged in people's yards trying to collect vehicles to be taken to the dump.

Community bus service is not running at the moment as the bus is in need of major repair works. WDRC is in the process of purchasing a new bus, this should arrive sometime in the dry season.

##### **Community Night Patrol**

The Wadeye CNP team leader has resigned and we are in the process of filling this position. Wadeye CNP now have eleven staff members to perform the patrols.

The CNP Hiace mini bus has been broken down since Christmas but has been repaired and is back in service. The patrols were still carried out using the two remaining vehicles.

## **Core Services**

The Wadeye civil crew have been working hard over the past few months. They have been making there way around the community collecting large piles of rubbish that has been dumped along the sides of roads and in open spaces. At the same time whipper snipping and slashing their way through Wadeye, Manthathpe and Nilinh trying to keep on top of the fast growing grass.

Daily household and commercial rubbish collection is being performed.

Wadeye municipal currently have three Toro zero turn mowers that are constantly breaking down and they are not able to be used at the moment, from a mechanical perspective these mowers are not suited to the conditions that we require them to be used in. this is costing council substantially, not only because of the cost of repairs but also the time the mower is not able to be used.

I have been obtaining quotes for the best suited zero turn mower for these conditions, the one quote I have come in up to the amount of \$80,000 for all three zero turn mowers including freight.

## **Road Maintenance**

Once we receive a break in weather enough to dry out all the potholes around the community the civil staff will start the repairing process.

We have a lot more bollards to install around the community, this will happen once the civil crew get on top of more important works.

## **Projects**

WDRC is in the process of obtaining quotes for replacement of the Civil Yard fence, shade shelter's to be erected at Nilinh and Manthathpe for people awaiting the community bus.

I am waiting for quotes for the 4 additional shaded seats to be placed around the community.

The contractors upgrading the road from the end of Perdijert Street to the airport entrance have stopped work due to the wet. Once all the rain stops they will be back to complete the works.

The Bucket Broom for the skid steer has arrived in community. We will be training the staff in how to operate this equipment.

Local Authority has asked to have the Cemetery at Manthathpe fenced, I have received several quotes and council would be looking to use local authority funds of an amount up to \$20,000

## **Swimming Pool**

The Wadeye swimming pool is still not up and running, we have received the overflow edge grates they will need to be installed and the pool cleaned before we can allow the school to use the facility.

The refurbishment works to the pools ablution block has been now completed.

## **Libraries and Culture**

We have upgraded the look of the library with some new paint, desks, seating and book shelves to make it more inviting to the community and visitors.

## **Port Keats Aerodrome**

Just before Christmas the Wadeye airstrip was hit with a lightning strike. This caused every light bulb to blow and damaged eighteen transformers along the airstrip. A purchase order has been raised for the repair works. We are now waiting for the materials to arrive into community.

In an emergency WDRC has lights that can be deployed to enable Careflight to land at night.

### **Recommendation**

- 1. That Local Authority accepts the Wadeye community service Managers Report**
- 2. Local Authority makes recommendation to council to allocate an amount up to \$80,000 for the purchase of three new zero turn mowers for Wadeye**
- 3. Local Authority makes recommendation to council to allocate an amount up to \$20,000 for the cemetery fence at Manthathpe**

### **Attachments**

- 1 Kubota ZD series.**



## Specifications

Model	KUBOTA									
Engine	Type	Model	201011-54 AU Kubota D1785-E4-ZD-3	201211-60 AU Kubota D1105-E4-ZD-3	201211-60 AU Kubota D1105-E4-ZD-3	201211-60 AU Kubota D1105-E4-ZD-3	201211-72 AU Kubota D1305-E3-ZD-3	201211L-78 AU Kubota D1305-E3-ZD-3	201211L-78 AU Kubota D1305-E3-ZD-3	
Dimensions	Max. horsepower (Gross) * HP/gpm		19.3 @ 3200	24.8 @ 3000	24.8 @ 3000	24.8 @ 3000	23.1 @ 3000	23.1 @ 3000	23.1 @ 3000	
	Total displacement		47.5 (778)	68.5 (1123)	68.5 (1123)	68.5 (1123)	77.0 (1261)	77.0 (1261)	77.0 (1261)	
	Starting system						Key switch	Key switch	Key switch	
	Overall length	mm	2230	2230	2280	2280	2280	2280	2280	
	Overall width	mm	1710	1710	1875	1510	1600	2180	1910	
Wheel base	Overall height (w/ mower)	mm	1210	1210	1510	1510	2000	1540	1540	
	Overall height (w/ ROPS upright)	mm	1890	1890	1890	1890	2000	1540	1540	
	Overall height (w/ ROPS folded)	mm	1430	1430	1430	1430	1640	1560	1560	
	Front tread	mm	1380	1380	1440	1440	1064	1210	1250	
	Rear tread	mm	890	930	1064	1064	1210	1250	1250	
Weight (w/ mower)	Type size	Front tyre	13-5D-6 smooth pneumatic	13-5D-6 smooth pneumatic	15 × 6.5 smooth pneumatic, low profile tyre	15 × 6.5 smooth semi-pneumatic, low profile tyre	28 × 12 O-16, low profile tyre	28 × 12 O-16, low profile tyre	28 × 12 O-16, low profile tyre	
	Type size	Rear tyre	13-5D-6 smooth pneumatic	13-5D-6 smooth pneumatic	28 × 9.5-16, low profile tyre	28 × 9.5-16, low profile tyre	28 × 9.5-16, low profile tyre	28 × 9.5-16, low profile tyre	28 × 9.5-16, low profile tyre	
	Weight	kg	600	760	760	760	760	790	805	
	Transmission system						2-HST w/ Gear reduction	2-HST w/ Gear reduction	2-HST w/ Gear reduction	
	Speed control						2-hand levers	2-hand levers	2-hand levers	
Brake type	Forward	km/h	0-14.5	0-14.5	0-14.5	0-14.5	0-14.5	0-14.5	0-14.5	
	Reverse	km/h	0-6.0	0-6.0	0-6.0	0-6.0	0-6.0	0-6.0	0-6.0	
	PTO									
	Clutch type									
	PTO brake									
Mower deck	Model									
	Mower deck type									
	Mower lift system									
	Deck depth									
	Deck type									
Travel speed range	Deck steel thickness									
	Anti-scalp roller									
	Cutting width of mower									
	Number of blades									
	Cutting height									
Seat	Mounting system of mower									
	Blade tip speed (max)	FTM (m/s)	17.00 (87)	18000 (91)	18000 (91)	18000 (91)	18000 (91)	18000 (91)	18000 (91)	
	Blade tip speed (max)									
	Blade tip speed (max)									
	Blade tip speed (max)									
Fuel tank capacity	Engine stop system									
	Fuel tank capacity	litres	73	73	73	73	49	49	49	
	Alternator capacity									
	Water temperature indicator									
	Hour meter									
Fuel gauge	Hour meter									
	Hour meter									
	Hour meter									
	Hour meter									
	Hour meter									

\*Power/HP specifications for individual diesel engine models are rated pursuant to Society of Automobile Engineers(SAE) J1940 based on gross output testing performed in accordance with SAE J1995 without the air cleaner and muffler. Diesel engine hp will be higher than actual engine power which is affected by accessories, application, engine speed, and ambient conditions. Gross engine horsepower information is for comparison purpose only. The company reserves the right to change the above specifications without notice.

This brochure is for descriptive purposes only. Please contact your local Kubota dealer for warranty information. For your safety, Kubota strongly recommends the use of a Rollover Protective Structure (ROPS) and seat belt in almost all applications.

Kubota

Kubota Australia Pty Ltd

**Kubota Australia Pty Ltd**  
225-29 Permas Way, Truganina VIC, 3029 Australia  
Freecall: 1800-334-653  
Email: [sales@kubota.com.au](mailto:sales@kubota.com.au)

Web Site: <http://www.kubota.com.au>

**Kubota New Zealand Limited**

Freecall: 0800-582-682  
Email: [sags@kubota.com.au](mailto:sags@kubota.com.au)

2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026 2027 2028 2029 2030 2031 2032 2033 2034 2035 2036 2037 2038 2039 2040 2041 2042 2043 2044 2045 2046 2047 2048 2049 2050 2051 2052 2053 2054 2055 2056 2057 2058 2059 2060 2061 2062 2063 2064 2065 2066 2067 2068 2069 2070 2071 2072 2073 2074 2075 2076 2077 2078 2079 2080 2081 2082 2083 2084 2085 2086 2087 2088 2089 2090 2091 2092 2093 2094 2095 2096 2097 2098 2099 2100 2101 2102 2103 2104 2105 2106 2107 2108 2109 2110 2111 2112 2113 2114 2115 2116 2117 2118 2119 2120 2121 2122 2123 2124 2125 2126 2127 2128 2129 2130 2131 2132 2133 2134 2135 2136 2137 2138 2139 2140 2141 2142 2143 2144 2145 2146 2147 2148 2149 2150 2151 2152 2153 2154 2155 2156 2157 2158 2159 2160 2161 2162 2163 2164 2165 2166 2167 2168 2169 2170 2171 2172 2173 2174 2175 2176 2177 2178 2179 2180 2181 2182 2183 2184 2185 2186 2187 2188 2189 2190 2191 2192 2193 2194 2195 2196 2197 2198 2199 2200 2201 2202 2203 2204 2205 2206 2207 2208 2209 2210 2211 2212 2213 2214 2215 2216 2217 2218 2219 2220 2221 2222 2223 2224 2225 2226 2227 2228 2229 2230 2231 2232 2233 2234 2235 2236 2237 2238 2239 2240 2241 2242 2243 2244 2245 2246 2247 2248 2249 2250 2251 2252 2253 2254 2255 2256 2257 2258 2259 2260 2261 2262 2263 2264 2265 2266 2267 2268 2269 2270 2271 2272 2273 2274 2275 2276 2277 2278 2279 2280 2281 2282 2283 2284 2285 2286 2287 2288 2289 2290 2291 2292 2293 2294 2295 2296 2297 2298 2299 2300 2301 2302 2303 2304 2305 2306 2307 2308 2309 2310 2311 2312 2313 2314 2315 2316 2317 2318 2319 2320 2321 2322 2323 2324 2325 2326 2327 2328 2329 2330 2331 2332 2333 2334 2335 2336 2337 2338 2339 2340 2341 2342 2343 2344 2345 2346 2347 2348 2349 2350 2351 2352 2353 2354 2355 2356 2357 2358 2359 2360 2361 2362 2363 2364 2365 2366 2367 2368 2369 2370 2371 2372 2373 2374 2375 2376 2377 2378 2379 2380 2381 2382 2383 2384 2385 2386 2387 2388 2389 2390 2391 2392 2393 2394 2395 2396 2397 2398 2399 2400 2401 2402 2403 2404 2405 2406 2407 2408 2409 2410 2411 2412 2413 2414 2415 2416 2417 2418 2419 2420 2421 2422 2423 2424 2425 2426 2427 2428 2429 2430 2431 2432 2433 2434 2435 2436 2437 2438 2439 2440 2441 2442 2443 2444 2445 2446 2447 2448 2449 2450 2451 2452 2453 2454 2455 2456 2457 2458 2459 2460 2461 2462 2463 2464 2465 2466 2467 2468 2469 2470 2471 2472 2473 2474 2475 2476 2477 2478 2479 2480 2481 2482 2483 2484 2485 2486 2487 2488 2489 2490 2491 2492 2493 2494 2495 2496 2497 2498 2499 2500 2501 2502 2503 2504 2505 2506 2507 2508 2509 2510 2511 2512 2513 2514 2515 2516 2517 2518 2519 2520 2521 2522 2523 2524 2525 2526 2527 2528 2529 2530 2531 2532 2533 2534 2535 2536 2537 2538 2539 2540 2541 2542 2543 2544 2545 2546 2547 2548 2549 2550 2551 2552 2553 2554 2555 2556 2557 2558 2559 2560 2561 2562 2563 2564 2565 2566 2567 2568 2569 2570 2571 2572 2573 2574 2575 2576 2577 2578 2579 2580 2581 2582 2583 2584 2585 2586 2587 2588 2589 2590 2591 2592 2593 2594 2595 2596 2597 2598 2599 2600 2601 2602 2603 2604 2605 2606 2607 2608 2609 2610 2611 2612 2613 2614 2615 2616 2617 2618 2619 2620 2621 2622 2623 2624 2625 2626 2627 2628 2629 2630 2631 2632 2633 2634 2635 2636 2637 2638 2639 2640 2641 2642 2643 2644 2645 2646 2647 2648 2649 2650 2651 2652 2653 2654 2655 2656 2657 2658 2659 2660 2661 2662 2663 2664 2665 2666 2667 2668 2669 2670 2671 2672 2673 2674 2675 2676 2677 2678 2679 2680 2681 2682 2683 2684 2685 2686 2687 2688 2689 2690 2691 2692 2693 2694 2695 2696 2697 2698 2699 2700 2701 2702 2703 2704 2705 2706 2707 2708 2709 2710 2711 2712 2713 2714 2715 2716 2717 2718 2719 2720 2721 2722 2723 2724 2725 2726 2727 2728 2729 2730 2731 2732 2733 2734 2735 2736 2737 2738 2739 2740 2741 2742 2743 2744 2745 2746 2747 2748 2749 2750 2751 2752 2753 2754 2755 2756 2757 2758 2759 2760 2761 2762 2763 2764 2765 2766 2767 2768 2769 2770 2771 2772 2773 2774 2775 2776 2777 2778 2779 2780 2781 2782 2783 2784 2785 2786 2787 2788 2789 2790 2791 2792 2793 2794 2795 2796 2797 2798 2799 2800 2801 2802 2803 2804 2805 2806 2807 2808 2809 2810 2811 2812 2813 2814 2815 2816 2817 2818

Web Site: <http://www.kubota.co.nz>

**Kubota**  
**Genuine**  
for maximum  
performance  
durability and  
safety

Cat No 2393-01-ANZ Printed in Japan D SEX '19-JUL



**For Earth, For Life**  
Kubota

## KUBOTA ZERO-TURN MOWER ZD Series

Kubota's all-new ZD Series of compact and full-size zero-turn mowers have been engineered from the ground up to deliver quality, performance, comfort, and versatility.



This information is sourced from overseas and may not necessarily apply locally. It is essential that you confirm specifications and other information with your local Kubota dealer.

Procter & Gamble, World's Largest Consumer Goods Company

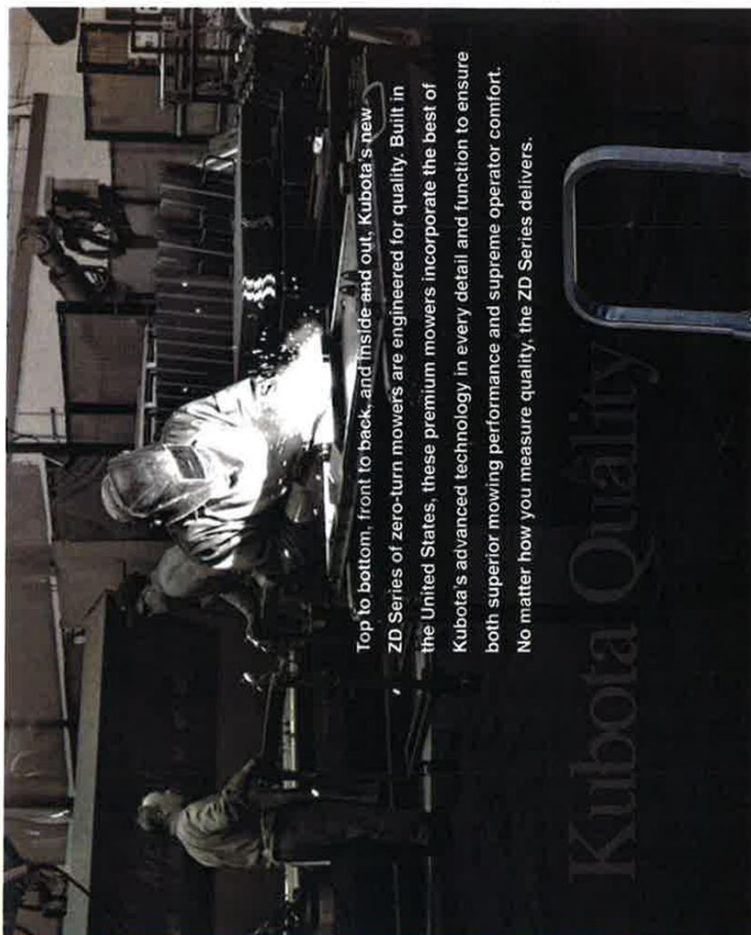


Two premium, high-performance diesel mowers with the quality and versatility to handle a wide range of mowing jobs.

## NEW ZD SERIES



**ZD1200**  
with 60", 60"R, 72", 72"R deck



Top to bottom, front to back, and inside and out, Kubota's new ZD Series of zero-turn mowers are engineered for quality. Built in the United States, these premium mowers incorporate the best of Kubota's advanced technology in every detail and function to ensure both superior mowing performance and supreme operator comfort. No matter how you measure quality, the ZD Series delivers.

Kubota Quality

**ZD1000**  
with 54" deck



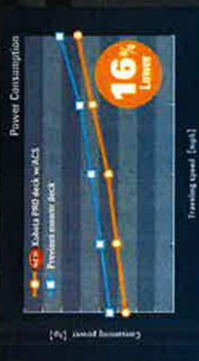


# ACS Kubota PRO deck (Aerodynamic Cutting System<sup>TM</sup>)

Mowing deck with smoother airflow and more powerful rotation

## Improved air flow\*

The airflow inside the deck has been optimized for faster, more efficient cutting and discharge by preventing clippings from clumping, sticking to the walls of the deck, and recirculating to be cut again. The improved airflow also results in reduced power consumption, better work efficiency, and increased fuel efficiency.



## Improved work efficiency\*

An improved airflow ensures better cutting efficiency. That means you can get the job done faster and with up to 27% better work performance.



## New spindle shaft

New larger durable spindle shaft creates a better airflow inside the deck. It's also more durable.



## New clean-cut blades

The redesigned cutting blades have a new shape that improves both cutting efficiency and overall load balance, which creates a better airflow inside the deck ensuring cleaner cutting performance. These new blades also provide a longer service life so you won't need to replace them as often.



## Improved fuel efficiency\*

The ZD Series does more on less fuel, thanks to the ACS Kubota PRO deck's more efficient cutting performance and better fuel/horsepower balance—up to 22% better.



## New flexible discharge chute

Manufactured from a flexible yet strong material, the discharge chute has been redesigned to ensure a smoother discharge and more uniform outflow of clippings.



\*Kubota in-house test result.



# Engineered for superior cutting performance and outstanding operability.

**Kubota Original Engine**

## Kubota diesel engines and durable transmission

With over 26 million engines produced since 1922, Kubota engines are recognized around the world for their proven quality and reliability. Powerful, yet clean and quiet, the ZD Series' rugged diesel engines give you unparalleled performance, productivity and economy. The ZD Series' durable engines let you power through tough mowing jobs with ease and efficiency. These technically advanced engines are also environmentally friendly, thanks to excellent fuel economy, enhanced combustion efficiency, and low vibration and noise levels. These engines are paired with Kubota's original hydrostatic transmission that offers faster, smoother response under all loading conditions. Except for an occasional fluid change, the helically sealed structure requires no maintenance and has no belts to change.



Kubota Original Transmission

## New large and bright LCD panel (ZD1200 only)

The large LCD meter—the biggest in its class—shows all of the key indicators you need to maximize cutting performance and operability, including engine oil pressure gauge, water temperature gauge, fuel level, and voltmeter. A new hour meter lets the operator know when maintenance or service is required.



## New ergonomically designed control layout

For faster operation and better ergonomics, all of the mower deck controls are grouped on the right side within easy reach of your right hand, letting you quickly and easily adjust the cutting height. A tone cutting height adjustment dial is easier to see and simplifies the setting of the cutting height.



## New low profile tires

Low-profile tires at the rear further improve the ZD Series' stability and traction on turf. Their wide tread helps protect the turf from damage during mowing.



## Outstanding stability

The ZD Series' feature a low center of gravity to help improve the weight balance and provides stability on slopes and uneven ground. When combined with the ZD Series' long wheelbase wide, large-diameter rear tires, and fuel tanks mounted above the tires and below the seat, the result is outstanding stability on a variety of terrains.



## New HST levers

Redesigned HST levers not only provide more legroom, but also more settings to choose from, ensuring smoother operation, better zero-turn maneuverability, and greater job efficiency.

## New damper force adjustment

Available only with Kubota mowers, this 3-position lever lets you adjust the damper force to the optimum level for your personal comfort.



## Hands-free parking brake

Conveniently located on the platform under your feet, the parking brake can be easily engaged and released by pressing it with either foot while keeping both hands on the HST levers.

## Hydraulic deck lift

A 2-pedal hydraulic deck lift system keeps you mowing in spite of obstacles by letting you easily raise and lower the deck with your foot.

## Adjustable front axle (oscillating/rigid)

Choose from two front-axle setups to optimize mowing comfort and performance: adjustable for a smooth ride, or rigid for an even cut while mowing on rough terrain.



## Shaft drive mower

Without drive belts and pulleys, the drive shaft smoothly transfers power from the engine to the deck. Shaft drive also requires less maintenance and provides greater dependability.





## Designed to keep you comfortable and productive until the job is done

### New suspension seat

A more comfortable seat means less operator fatigue and greater productivity. With dual adjustable armrests, higher backrest, and lumbar support, the ZD Series' fully padded and reclining bucket seat ensures a high level of comfort. The seat can be adjusted upward, forward and backward to let operators of all body types find the perfect position that will keep them comfortable and productive all day long.



### New, thicker platform mat

Thicker and more durable, the redesigned platform mat also helps reduce noise and vibration for more comfort during mowing tasks. The mat's grip pattern also has been improved to make getting on and off the mower easier than before.



### New and bigger storage box and cup holder

Store personal items as well as two beverage cups in the handy storage box and cup holder beside the seat.



### Easy mower and engine access

The ZD Series is designed to keep you on the job as long as between maintenance stops. When maintenance is needed, however, you can be assured of quick and easy maintenance of all the critical parts and functions. The engine hood retracts the engine; yet is simple to open and offers easy access to the engine for maintenance tasks. A special maintenance hatch under the platform mat provides fast access to the upper mower, mower belt, gearbox case, universal joint and oil filter.

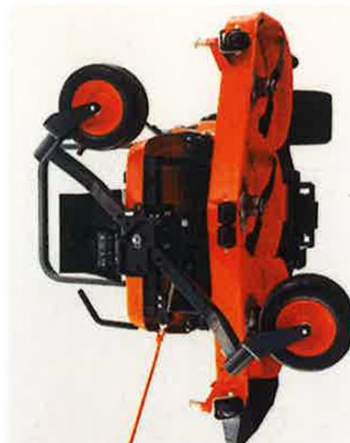


### New foldable ROPS\*

The new ROPS is now compliant with not only OSHA standards, but also ISO standards. The ROPS conveniently folds for easier storage and transportation of the mower.

### Maintenance lift

Routine maintenance underneath the mower is quick and simple, thanks to Kubota's innovative two-pin, tilt-up maintenance lift. A simple operation raises the front of the ZD Series even with the mower deck still attached.



\*The ROPS complies with Occupational Safety and Health act (OSHA) 1926.52, International Organization for Standardization (ISO) 21298.



## Optional Attachments

### "Catch All" hopper style grass catcher (ZD1200 only)

This hopper style grass catcher holds 402 litres of clippings. The hopper is easy to remove and can be emptied while the operator remains seated.

### "Catch All" 2-bag style grass catcher

This 2-bag style grass catcher holds even more, allowing the operator to mow longer between stops to empty the grass catcher. To empty it, simply unlock the lid, and the bag slides out.



Hopper style grass catcher

## Catch All

### Hitch kit

With optional hitch kit, the ZD can tow a trailer or cart carrier for transporting a blower, trimmer, fertilizer, or other work supplies.



### Operator Controlled Discharge Chute

The discharge chute cover over the grass clippings outlet can be opened and closed with single lever, letting you temporarily shut the outlet to avoid sending clippings onto flowerbeds or roads.



2-Bag style grass catcher

Mulch kit and work lights are available for all models. See dealer for details.



**DIESEL ENGINE**  
**ZD1000**

Side discharge mower 54"

Versatile and reliable, the ZD1000 compact mower can handle jobs big and small.

- 19.3HP Kubota diesel engine
- High-back deluxe suspension seat
- Full-flat operator platform with thick cushion mat
- Hands-free parking brake and hydraulic deck lift
- Adjustable front axle
- Low profile drive tires
- Maintenance lift



**DIESEL ENGINE**  
**ZD1200**

Side discharge mower 60"/72"  
Rear discharge mower 60"/72" R

With a bigger engine and wider mower deck, the ZD1200 can get the job done with speed and efficiency.

- 24.8HP or 29.1HP Kubota diesel engine
- High-back Deluxe suspension seat
- Full-flat operator platform with a high cushion mat
- Hands-free parking brake and hydraulic deck lift
- Adjustable front axle
- Semi-pneumatic(flat-free) front caster tires
- Low profile drive tires
- Maintenance lift

## WEST DALY REGIONAL COUNCIL

### FOR THE WADEYE LOCAL AUTHORITY OF 10 MARCH 2021

#### Report for Agenda Item No 6

**Prepared by** Ramesh Pudasaini, Senior Financial Consultant

#### **Finance Report - February 2021**

##### **Purpose**

Provide Financial Information to Local Authority.

##### **Background**

Council's current financial information to local authority member.

Details of Local Authority Fund;

Account Number	Description	Debit	Credit	Commitments	Total Balance
<a href="#">700-LA-722-37410</a>	WIP Plant & Equ	18,225.64	0.00	0.00	18,225.64
<a href="#">700-LA-722-62100</a>	NTG - Opera Gr	0.00	383,200.00	0.00	-383,200.00
<a href="#">700-LA-722-68940</a>	G Income Op b/f	0.00	734,309.98	0.00	-734,309.98
<a href="#">700-LA-722-73125</a>	Tender N Quotes	520.00	0.00	0.00	520.00
<a href="#">700-LA-722-73511</a>	Freight Expense	2,867.28	0.00	0.00	2,867.28
<a href="#">700-LA-722-73800</a>	Contractor M&L	201,466.69	0.00	38,585.83	240,052.52
<a href="#">700-LA-722-73834</a>	R & M Roads	8,911.00	0.00	0.00	8,911.00
<a href="#">700-LA-722-73836</a>	R & M Bldgs	659.09	0.00	0.00	659.09
		<b>232,649.70</b>	<b>1,117,509.98</b>	<b>38,585.83</b>	<b>-846,274.45</b>

For Local authority Fund, unspent fund b/f is \$743,310.

Local authority received \$383,200 for FY 20/21

Council Spent \$232,650 in FY 20/21 till February 2021 and committed \$38,585.83, remaining fund for the year is \$846,274.

Council Financial report (Wadeye) attached.

##### **Impact for Council**

Compliance with reporting Guideline.

##### **Recommendation**

1. That the local authority receives and notes financial information provided by Council for period ending November 2020.

**Attachments**

- 1 LA Report - Budget Management - 700 - February 2021.pdf
- 2 LA Report - Expenses - 700 - February 2021.pdf





Legends: 21GLACT and 21GLBD

From period: 1 to period 8

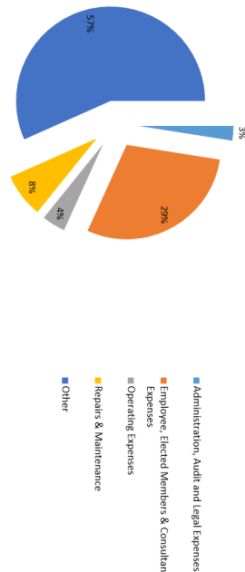
## Budget Management Report

Local Authority Region/ Office : Wadeye

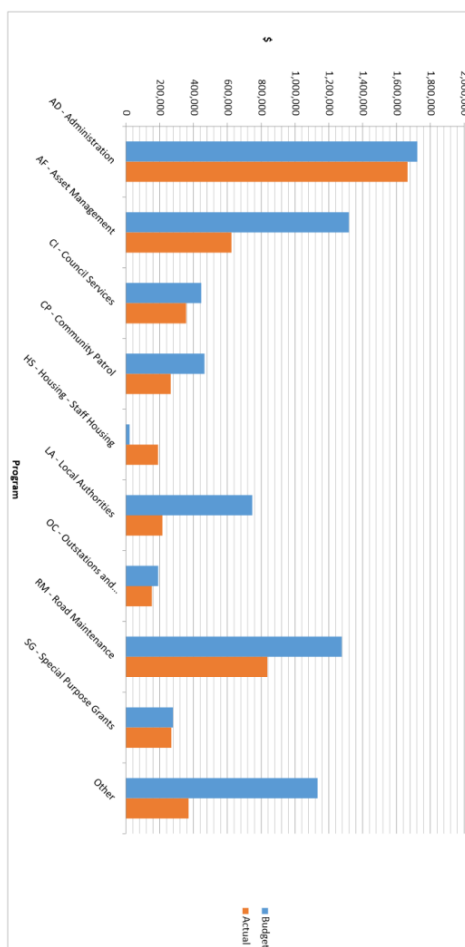
Run by: PRODAKAWA1 on 03-MAR-2021 08:35:28

Income																	Expenses																
Local Authority Region & Programs		Program Code	Income (excluding internal sources)	Internal Income	Total Income	Budgeted Income (including internal sources)	Income Variance	Administration, Audit and Legal Expenses	Employee, Elected Members & Consultant Expenses	Operating Expenses	Repairs & Maintenance	Other	Expenditure Total (excluding internal expenses)	Internal Expenses	Total Expenses	Budgeted Expenses (including internal charges)	Expense Variance	Program Expense Position															
Region: Wadeye																																	
AD - Administration	AD		(1,027,228)	0	(1,027,228)	(1,120,255)	(93,027)	23,461	624,044	47,185	0	1,092,426	1,767,116	(121,341)	1,665,775	1,722,976	(57,201)	Under budget															
AF - Asset Management	AF		10,391	0	10,391	10,391	0	0	0	91,583	96,975	435,120	623,678	0	623,678	1,319,020	(695,342)	Under budget															
CI - Council Services	CI		0	0	0	0	0	0	305,831	0	0	3,075	308,906	0	308,906	444,973	(136,067)	Under budget															
CP - Community Patrol	CP		(595,301)	0	(595,301)	(619,005)	(23,703)	47,457	182,009	19,866	0	20,144	254,971	10,360	264,971	465,009	(200,038)	Under budget															
HS - Housing - Staff Housing	HS		(7,378)	0	(7,378)	(6,667)	711	0	0	2,923	13,403	51,114	189,641	0	189,641	21,333	168,308	Over Budget															
LA - Local Authorities	LA		(1,117,510)	0	(1,117,510)	(1,117,510)	0	0	0	3,452	9,570	203,147	216,169	0	216,169	747,173	(531,004)	Under budget															
OC - Outstations and Homelands	OC		(484,032)	0	(484,032)	(441,020)	43,013	54,042	0	6,493	4,760	87,550	152,875	0	152,875	191,131	(38,256)	Under budget															
RM - Road Maintenance	RM		(1,504,911)	0	(1,504,911)	(2,080,017)	(575,106)	0	49,312	10,666	88,960	97,276	856,708	12,040	856,708	1,216,797	(440,090)	Under budget															
SG - Special Purpose Grants	SG		(2,657,005)	0	(2,657,005)	(2,480,725)	176,280	0	307,880	44,708	7,397	16,107	370,092	0	370,092	1,113,348	(743,256)	Under budget															
Other			(7,946,499)	0	(7,946,499)	(6,465,939)	(1,480,560)	124,999	1,463,077	200,450	976,722	2,831,453	4,996,011	(51,681)	4,944,330	7,600,242	(2,655,912)	Under budget															
LA - Local Authorities	0		(1,117,510)	0	(1,117,510)	(1,117,510)	0	0	0	3,452	9,570	203,147	216,169	0	216,169	747,173	(531,004)	Under budget															

Region: Wadeye (Expenses by Category)



Region: Wadeye (Expenses)



Top 5 Expenses Variance (Overspends)

Local Authority Region & Programs	Program Code	Administrative, Audit and Legal Expenses	Community Grants	Depreciation	Employee, Elected Members & Consultant Expenses	Operating Expenses	Repairs & Maintenance	Other	Expenditure Total (excluding Internal expenses)	Internal Expenses	Total Expenses	Budgeted Expenses	Expense Variance
Region: Wadeye	U	0	0	0	(56,262)	0	0	121,916	65,654	10,500	76,154	65,116	11,038
U - Libraries													



YTD Period from 1st July (inc Prd 0) 2020 to 31st March 2021



C:\Users\I.Pudasainir1\AppData\Local\Temp\5\XLOneTemp7\Report\_XL1\_LA\_PROGRAMS\_EXPONLY\_V3%40191214

	Quarter 3				YTD						
	Actual Amount	Budget Amount	Variance		Actual Amount	Budget Amount	Variance				
			\$				\$				
Depreciation											
AD	19,215	0	19,215		147,911	0	147,911	0	(147,911)	147,911	0
AF	107,560	401,747	(294,186)		411,330	1,205,242	(793,912)	0	1,195,660	813,078	1,606,990
Depreciation sub-total	126,774	401,747	(274,973)		559,241	1,205,242	(646,001)	0	1,047,749	960,989	1,606,990
Grand Total	813,547	2,213,808	(1,400,261)		4,684,789	7,982,241	(3,297,452)	575,389	5,287,176	7,262,903	10,580,355

C:\Users\Pradasa\h\AppData\Local\Temp\5\XLOne\Temp\Report\_XL1\_LA\_PROGRAMS\_EXPONL\_V\3%40191214



## WEST DALY REGIONAL COUNCIL

### FOR THE WADEYE LOCAL AUTHORITY OF 10 MARCH 2021

#### Report for Agenda Item No 7

Prepared by                      Rebecca Purser, Manager Corporate

#### **Regional Plan 2021/22**

---

##### **Purpose**

To seek Local Authority priorities for inclusion in its Regional Plan and Budget for 2021/22.

##### **Background**

Council is required under legislation to adopt its regional plan by 31 July each year.

The regional plan must contain:

- a service delivery plan and Council Budget;
- **a long-term community or strategic plan;**
- a long-term financial plan of at least four financial years;
- most recent assessment of constitutional arrangements (boundaries);
- most recent assessment of opportunities and challenges;
- most recent assessment of administrative and regulatory framework;
- most recent assessment of cooperation with other organisations; and
- performance indicators.

The regional plan for 2020/21 contained the following projects as identified by the Local Authority last year:

## OUR COMMUNITIES

### WADEYE – THAMARRURR/ PINDI PINDI WARD

Wadeye (also known as Port Keats) is located on the far west coast of the Daly River region approximately 360kms south-west of Darwin. At around 2,500 people, the town is one of Australia's largest remote Indigenous communities, and the fifth largest town in the Northern Territory.

Wadeye is predominantly Indigenous (90 per cent) and the most spoken languages are Murrinh Patha and English. From the 2016 Census results, the West Daly region, including Wadeye, is the most disadvantaged local government region in the NT, and the second most disadvantaged region in Australia.

The Port Keats Road between the Daly River Bridge and Wadeye is unsealed and access during the wet season is often cut due to flooding. The community has an all weather aerodrome to support aircraft year round and a barge service to support the provision of supplies. The town has a Health Clinic, Police Station, School, Creche and large Store.

Wadeye is on the land of the Kardu Diminin, whose clan group comprises the Perdjert, Narburup, Pultchen, Bunduck, Dulla, Mollinjin, Kurrawul, and Kolumboort families. There are more than 20 clan groups in the broader Wadeye region.

There are a number of Aboriginal Associations, and Government and Non-Government organisations who support services. Thamarrurr Development Corporation provides economic development programs including housing, training and employment. Thamarrurr Youth and AFLNT provide youth, sport and recreation programs including AFL, Softball and Basketball.

**Working together with Local Authority members and community stakeholders, projects identified to progress in 2020-21 include:**

- Water Park
- Swimming Pool Fence
- Playgrounds
- Barbecues
- Community Toilets
- Street Bollards
- Solar Lights
- Bus Upgrade
- Road Upgrades
- Support to Fossil Head, Old Mission and Kuy Homelands
- Manthatpe Bridge
- BMX Track
- Cemeteries

Council is now seeking feedback from Local Authority members as to priorities/projects for 2021/22.

### **Impact for Council**

Consultation with Local Authority Members on its priorities for inclusion in Councils Regional Plan and Budget for 2021/22.

### **Recommendation**

1. That the Local Authority recommend to Council the priorities/projects of \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ .

### **Attachments**

There are no attachments for this report.



## WEST DALY REGIONAL COUNCIL

### FOR THE WADEYE LOCAL AUTHORITY OF 10 MARCH 2021

#### Report for Agenda Item No 8

Prepared by Rebecca Purser, Manager Corporate

#### **NT Treaty Commissioner - Presentation**

##### **Purpose**

Refer to information sheet attached.

##### **Impact for Council**

Information purposes only.

--

##### **Attachments**

- 1 Information Sheet





Northern Territory  
**Treaty Commission**

### NT TREATY CONSULTATIONS INFORMATION SHEET

- The NT Treaty Commissioner is Professor Mick Dodson AM. His job is to write a Final Report to the Chief Minister **by March 2022** on how treaties between Aboriginal Territorians and the NT Government could be made.
- The Treaty Commission released a detailed Discussion Paper in June 2020 that proposes a framework for future Treaty Negotiations. The Discussion Paper also details how modern treaties are working in Canada and New Zealand and the legal issues that affect Treaties in the NT.
- The Discussion Paper proposes a framework that could lead to Treaties between the NT Government (NTG) and individual First Nation Governments. For example: the NTG and the Yolngu Nation Government, the NTG and the Walpiri First Nation Government; or the NTG and the Arrernte First Nation Government, etc.
- The Discussion Paper makes a few other key points:
  - The key objective of Treaties must be to achieve real change and substantive long term benefits for Aboriginal people in the NT;
  - It will take a long time to negotiate each Treaty – approximately 20 years;
  - All parties need to be “treaty ready” before treaties can be negotiated;
  - Treaties must be negotiated in good faith and with equality of standing;
  - Treaties should not be “full and final” settlements like Land Claims or Native Title Agreements. They should be “living” documents;
  - The rights contained in the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples should be the minimum standard for NT Treaties;
  - Truth telling is an important part of treaty making and should start now.
- **The Treaty Commission’s next job is to listen to and talk with Aboriginal Territorians about what is in the Discussion Paper. The Commissioner and his team will travel around the NT for the next year through to October 2021 doing that.**
- Written, video and audio submissions on the Discussion Paper can be made up to 30 June 2021. More information is available on the Commission’s web site:

[www.treatynt.com.au](http://www.treatynt.com.au)