

**MINUTES TREE RE-ESTABLISHMENT
ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Thursday 20 September 2018

2.00pm

Meeting Room 1, City of Darwin Civic Centre

1. MEMBERS ATTENDING

Dr Greg Leach	Chair
Cr Peter Pangquee	City of Darwin Elected Member
Mr Jamie Lewis	City of Darwin – Technical Officer
Mr Adam Grainger	Community member
Mr Tony Cox	Community member
Mr Jamie Moseley	Observer - City of Darwin Trainee Arborist
Ms Jordan Byrne	City of Darwin – Communications Trainee
Ms Josie Matthiesson	City of Darwin - Research & Project Co-ordinator
Secretarial	
Ms Janine Honner	City of Darwin

APOLOGIES

Ms Fiona Eddleston	Australian Institute Landscape Architects
Mr Simon Smith	Nursery and Garden Industry NT
Mr Richard Kenyon	NT Arboriculture Association
Ms Yvette Brady	Greening Australia

2. WELCOME

TRAC acknowledges the Larrakia people - the traditional owners and custodians of the land on which the meeting is held. TRAC pays respects to their Elders past, present and emerging.

3. MINUTES OF MEETING 3

Approved

4. MATTERS ARISING – ACTION LIST

- Adam compiled a list of examples of species from overseas tropical regions in cyclone prone regions. There was little overlap with species in the Darwin spread sheet. The committee agreed that further research is not worth pursuing.

5. TREE LIST – SPECIES AND ATTRIBUTES

- Complete individual species assessments.
The committee completed the assessments of cyclone resilience for the remaining individual tree species.
- Discuss presentation of lists to City of Darwin Marketing and Communications.
It was decided on four lists and the current copy was endorsed. Jamie to prepare four spread sheets with high resilience, low resilience, medium resilience and unknown for information for public consultation for the Marketing and Communications team.
- Discuss and endorse Background to Cyclone Resilience Categories lists document.
Endorsed and provided to Marketing and Communications.
- Discuss and endorse 'Why plant trees' document.
Endorsed and provided to Marketing and Communications.

- Sector representatives – feedback and media contacts for consultation.
To be provided by sector representatives.
- Process for submission of material to CoD by 25th September.
The process was clarified by the Marketing and Communications team. Documents for the public consultation process were discussed with the Marketing and Communications team. The Table of contents for the Best Practice document was provided. There will be a briefing for the Lord Mayor on Monday 24/9/18. Greg, Peter and Jamie to attend.
There will be a media event on 28/9/18. Two members of the committee to attend - Peter and Greg.

6. BEST PRACTICE DOCUMENT – TABLE OF CONTENTS

Discuss actions required from summary of Edan's comments.

Consider climate change – a Climate Change Resilience column to be added to the tree list with high/low/unknown. Greg to code species.

There is an opportunity for study regarding climate change resilience – this discussion to be added to the Best Practice Document.

7. WORKPLAN – TIMELINES FOR STAGES OF PREPARING REPORT TO CITY OF DARWIN, WHO IS DOING WHAT BY WHEN.

Discuss approach to dividing up work on document – committee members to work in groups at the next meeting 27/9/18.

8. GENERAL BUSINESS

Submission from Peter Pitcher regarding Vetiver.
Discussion deferred to next meeting.

9. DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

Members to reconvene at 2.00pm, 27 September 2018 in Meeting Room 1 Civic Centre.

MEETING CLOSED AT 3.55PM