



AGENDA FNQROC Annual General Meeting No. 25

**MONDAY 7 AUGUST 2017 AT 9.45AM
Yarrabah Community Hall, Corner Beach and Muka Street, Yarrabah**

- 1 Chair's opening remarks
- 2 Apologies
- 3 Confirmation of Minutes
 - Annual General Meeting No. 24 held on 8 August 2016
Amendment to minute no. 961 'That a payment of \$6,000
be made to the Chair, Cr Tom Gilmore for the period 1
July 2016 to 30 June 2017.
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MINUTES
of the Twenty-fourth Annual General Meeting of the
FAR NORTH QUEENSLAND REGIONAL ORGANISATION OF COUNCILS
held on **MONDAY 8 AUGUST 2016 at 9.00am**
at Events Centre, Cooktown (Cook Shire)

PRESENT:	Cr Bob Manning, Mayor	Cairns Regional Council
	Mr John Andrejic, Acting CEO	Cairns Regional Council
Deputy Chair	Cr John Kremastos, Mayor	Cassowary Coast Regional Council
	Cr Peter Scott, Mayor	Cook Shire Council
	Cr Trevor Pickering, Mayor	Croydon Shire Council
	Mr Bill Kerwin, Interim CEO	Croydon Shire Council
Chair	Cr Julia Leu, Mayor	Douglas Shire Council
	Ms Linda Cardew, CEO	Douglas Shire Council
	Cr Tom Gilmore, Mayor	Mareeba Shire Council
	Mr Peter Franks, CEO	Mareeba Shire Council
	Cr Joe Paronella, Mayor	Tablelands Regional Council
	Mr Matthew Hyde, Acting CEO	Tablelands Regional Council
	Ms Janelle Menzies	Yarrabah Aboriginal Shire Council
	Cr Desmond Tayley, Mayor	Wujal Wujal Aboriginal Shire Council
	Ms Darlene Irvine	FNQROC
	Ms Teresa Schmidt	FNQROC
	Mr Steven Cosatto	FNQROC
	Ms Amanda Hancock	FNQROC
OBSERVERS:	Mr Greg Hoffman	LGAQ
	Cr Warren Devlin, Mayor	Etheridge Shire Council
	Mr Michael Kitzerman, CEO	Etheridge Shire Council
	Cr Greg McLean, Mayor	Hope Vale Aboriginal Shire Council
	Mr Ross Higgins, CEO	Hope Vale Aboriginal Shire Council
	Mr Steve Linnane, Incoming CEO	Hope Vale Aboriginal Shire Council
	Cr John Giese	Cook Shire Council
	Cr Wayne Bing Chew, Deputy Mayor	Croydon Shire Council
APOLOGIES:	Mr Ramon Jayo, Deputy Mayor	Hinchinbrook Shire Council
	Cr Mary Brown, Deputy Mayor	Hinchinbrook Shire Council
	Ms Katherine Wiggins, Acting CEO	Wujal Wujal Aboriginal Shire Council
	Mr Peter Cochrane , Acting CEO	Cassowary Coast Regional Council
	Mr Travis Sydes	FNQROC

953	CHAIR'S OPENING REMARKS
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Chair, Cr Tom Gilmore, opened the meeting at 8.45 am, and thanked Cook Shire Council for hosting the meeting. Cr Peter Scott acknowledged the traditional owners, past and present, on whose land we met.

954	APOLOGIES
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Apologies as noted above.

955	CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES
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MOVED: Cr Peter Scott
 SECONDED: Cr Trevor Pickering

“That the minutes of the Twenty-third Annual General Meeting held on 10 August 2015 be confirmed.”

CARRIED

956	TREASURER’S REPORT
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MOVED: Cr Joe Paronella
 SECONDED: Cr Desmond Tayley

“That the Profit and Loss Statement and Balance Sheet for the period 1 July 2015 to 30 June 2016 as circulated be adopted (with an audit to be completed).”

CARRIED

957	ELECTION OF CHAIR
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The Board positions were declared open.

Ms Darlene Irvine called for nominations for the position of Chair

Cr Tom Gilmore

NOMINATED by Cr Peter Scott
 SECONDED by Cr Julia Leu

Cr Gilmore accepted the nomination for Chair.

There being no further nominations Cr Gilmore was declared elected as Chair of FNQROC.

Cr Bob Manning and Mr John Andrejic arrived at 8.49 am

958	ELECTION OF DEPUTY CHAIR
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The Chair called for nominations for the position of Deputy Chair.

Cr Peter Scott

NOMINATED by Cr Julia Leu
 SECONDED by Cr Joe Paronella

Cr Scott accepted the nomination for Deputy Chair.

There being no further nominations Cr Scott was declared elected as Deputy Chair of FNQROC.

959	APPOINTMENT OF SECRETARY AND TREASURER
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The Chair called for nominations for the position of Secretary and Treasurer.

Ms Darlene Irvine, FNQROC Executive Officer

NOMINATED by Cr Desmond Tayley

SECONDED by Cr Trevor Pickering

There being no further nominations, the FNQROC Executive Officer was declared Secretary and Treasurer.

960	APPOINTMENT OF AUDITOR
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MOVED: Cr John Kremastos

SECONDED: Cr Bob Manning

“That Mr Shaun Donaldson of Halpin Partners Accountants be appointed auditor for the financial year ending 30 June 2016.”

CARRIED

961	PAYMENT OF HONORARIUM TO CHAIRMAN
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MOVED: Cr Peter Scott

SECONDED: Cr Bob Manning

“That a payment of \$6,000 be made to the Chair, Cr Tom Gilmore for the period 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2017”.

CARRIED

962	B65 – FNQROC CHARTER REVIEW
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MOVED: Cr Julie Leu

SECONDED: Cr Joe Paronella

“That the amended FNQROC Charter be adopted”.

CARRIED

963	CONCLUSION
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There being no further business the meeting was declared closed at 8.54am.

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Cr Tom Gilmore
Chair

Profit and Loss

Far North Queensland Regional Organisation of Councils 30241 For the year ended 30 June 2017

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Trading Income

FNQROC

FNQROC: Annual Contribution	432,268.38
FNQROC: Miscellaneous: Staff Christmas Party	342.50
FNQROC: Reimbursement for FNQROC Dinner & Accommodation	567.28
FNQROC: Training	320.00
Total FNQROC	433,498.16

Regional Roads & Transport

RRTG: Annual 2.75% contribution	149,698.87
RRTG: Funding/Subsidies	142,866.00
Total Regional Roads & Transport	292,564.87

Regional Urban Water

Water: Short Term Projects: QWrap Funding	33,441.82
Water: Short Term Projects: DWQMP Audit	73,735.17
Total Regional Urban Water	107,176.99

Regional Waste and Recycling

Waste: Regional Waste Management Group: EHP/Waste Option Investigations	10,000.00
Total Regional Waste and Recycling	10,000.00

Regional Natural Asset Management

Natural Asset: Miscellaneous	814.30
Natural Asset: NCCARF Tool implementation partnership project	14,000.00
Total Regional Natural Asset Management	14,814.30

Regional Procurement Group

Regional Procurement: Regional Bitumen Reseal Project	143.18
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Regional Procurement: Annual Procurement Contribution	150,000.00
Regional Procurement: Regional Scrap Metal Project 20% savings	2,183.67
Total Regional Procurement Group	152,735.94

Total Trading Income	1,010,790.26
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Gross Profit	1,010,790.26
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Other Income

Interest Income	5,384.85
FNQROC: Reimbursement of RMCN expense	120.00
Total Other Income	5,504.85

Operating Expenses

Audit & Accounting Fees	8,500.00
Bank Service Charges	716.60

FNQROC

FNQROC: Subscription/membership	31,083.33
FNQROC: Annual Subscriptions - Advance Cairns	21,818.18
FNQROC: Chairs Honorarium	6,000.00
FNQROC: External Meeting Expenses: Registration Fees	2,640.90
FNQROC: External Meeting Expenses: Travel, Accom & Meals	6,870.63
FNQROC: Internal Meeting Expenses: Miscellaneous	1,472.19
FNQROC: Internal Meeting Expenses: Catering	5,669.51
FNQROC: Miscellaneous expenses	1,029.15
FNQROC: Mobile Phone Expenses	1,266.33
Payroll Expenses: On Costs - Annual Leave	(10,731.96)
Payroll Expenses: On Costs - Long Service Leave	(9,352.40)
FNQROC: Salaries	176,061.76
FNQROC: Short Term Projects: Strategic Directions Workshop	12,990.47
FNQROC: Stationery & Office Expenses	9,970.73
FNQROC: Stationery & Office Expenses:Website	2,867.60
FNQROC: Vehicle Expenses	19,405.06
FNQROC: Reimbursement of personal expenses	109.09
FNQROC: Reimbursement of RMCN expenses	120.00
Total FNQROC	279,290.57

Infrastructure

Infrastructure: Salaries	52,962.08
Infrastructure: Mobile Phone Expenses	1,222.92
Total Infrastructure	54,185.00

Regional Roads & Transport

RRTG: RRTG Management Tool	11,258.45
RRTG: External Meetings: Registration Fees	4,000.00
RRTG: External Meetings: Travel, Accom & Meals	8,412.14
RRTG: Internal Meeting Expenses: Miscellaneous	185.45
RRTG: Internal Meeting Expenses: Catering	775.69
Total Regional Roads & Transport	24,631.73

Regional Urban Water

Water: Water Alliance Annual Plan Workshop	700.00
Water: Internal Meeting Expenses: Catering	1,003.66
Water: Short Term Project: DWQMP Audit	73,735.14
Total Regional Urban Water	75,438.80

Regional Waste & Recycling

Waste: Internal Meeting Expenses: Catering	442.26
Waste: EHP/Waste Option Investigations	39,300.00
Total Regional Waste & Recycling	39,742.26

Regional Asset Management

Asset Management: Internal Meeting Expenses: Catering	244.82
Total Regional Asset Management	244.82

Regional Natural Asset Management

Nat Asset: Vehicle Expense	2,278.40
Nat Asset:External Meetings: Registration Fees	2,178.72

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Nat Asset: External Meetings: Travel, Accom & Meals	4,188.61
Nat Asset: Internal Meeting Expenses: Miscellaneous	341.32
Nat Asset: Internal Meeting Expenses: Catering	138.64
Nat Asset: Mobile Phone Expenses	1,222.92
Nat Asset: NCCARF Project	462.75
Nat Asset: NCCARF Project (mileage)	934.80
Nat Asset: Wet Tropics Healthy Waterways Report Card	1,697.92
Nat Asset: Salaries	97,695.88
Nat Asset: Stationery & Office Expenses	82.92
Nat Asset: Vehicle mileage (staff)	1,911.00
Nat Asset: Yellow Crazy Ants Taskforce: Yellow Crazy Ants (mileage)	96.00
Total Regional Natural Asset Management	113,229.88
Regional Planning and Economic Development	
Reg Planner/economic development: External Meetings: Travel, Accom & Meals	653.04
Reg Planner/economic development: Internal Meeting Expenses: Catering	513.36
Reg Planner/economic development: Mobile Phone Expenses	976.32
Reg Planner/economic development: Salaries	38,973.96
Reg Planner/economic development: External Meetings Expenses: Registration	264.51
Reg Planner/economic development: Internal Meeting Expenses: Miscellaneous	1.64
Total Regional Planning and Economic Development	41,382.83
Regional Procurement	
Regional Procurement: Bitumen Reseal Project	3,903.45
Regional Procurement: Bitumen Reseal Project: Project Coordinator Fees	45,600.00
Regional Procurement: Asphalt Overlay Project: Project Coordinator Fees	34,300.00
Regional Procurement: External Meeting Expenses: Travel, Accom & Meals	624.47
Regional Procurement: External Meetings Expenses: Registration Fees	746.82
Regional Procurement: Internal Meeting Expenses: Catering	944.75
Regional Procurement: Internal Meeting Expenses: Miscellaneous	2.18
Regional Procurement: Mobile Phone Expenses	1,237.92
Regional Procurement: Salaries	94,813.47
Regional Procurement: Stationery & Office Expenses	164.71
Regional Procurement: Tender Advertising Expenses	5,085.85
Regional Procurement: Tender/contract legal fees	875.00
Regional Procurement: Training	713.07
Total Regional Procurement	189,011.69
Regional Development Manual	
Development Manual: Internal Meeting Expenses: Catering	373.89
Total Regional Development Manual	373.89
Total Operating Expenses	826,748.07
Net Profit	189,547.04

Balance Sheet

Far North Queensland Regional Organisation of Councils 30241

As at 30 June 2017

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Assets

Bank

Cheque Account	68,239.62
V2 Account	1,252,570.28
Total Bank	1,320,809.90

Current Assets

Accounts Receivable New	(10,150.07)
Accrued Interest Receivable	809.71
Total Current Assets	(9,340.36)

Total Assets

1,311,469.54

Liabilities

Current Liabilities

Accounts Payable	17,784.80
Accrued Expenses	21,640.67
ANZ Credit Card:FNQROC	9,154.42
GST	(4,844.57)
Payroll Liabilities:AL Payable Current	36,695.00
Payroll Liabilities:AL Payable Non Current	6,385.00
Payroll Liabilities:LSL Payable Current	6,841.00
Payroll Liabilities:LSL Payable Non-Current	67,416.00
Rounding	(0.07)
Total Current Liabilities	161,072.25

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Net Assets

1,150,397.29

Equity

Current Year Earnings	189,547.04
Opening Bal Equity	293,928.07
Retained Earnings	666,922.18
Total Equity	1,150,397.29



FNQROC CHARTER REVIEW

Darlene Irvine: 5499860

Recommendation:

That FNQROC adopt the proposed amended FNQROC Charter.

INTRODUCTION:

The FNQROC Charter commenced as a constitution and adopted 10 June 1992. Since this time it has been amended on a regular basis and has become a 'Charter'. The current Charter was last reviewed at FNQROC AGM No. 24, 8 August 2016.

The proposed amended Charter (attachment A) reflects current practice and complements the FNQROC Operational Guidelines adopted 12 December 2016.

OPTIONS:

1. Adopt amended FNQROC Charter
2. Amend proposed FNQROC Charter

Statutory:

Under the Local Government Act 2009 Council has jurisdiction to ensure good governance in its area.

Financial:

No changes to current arrangements

ATTACHMENTS

Appendix A – Amended FNQROC Charter (#1189437 v 16)

CONCLUSION:

This review is to ensure the FNQROC Charter remains current, transparent and regularly reviewed.

Darlene Irvine

FNQROC Executive Officer

CHARTER

FNQROC

**(Far North Queensland Regional
Organisation of Councils)**



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FNQROC is a voluntary regional organisation of Councils for Far North Queensland. This charter is an update and supersedes the original constitution, which was adopted 10 June 1992.

The constitution has been updated due to time, membership changes and to ensure currency and consistency.

1. NAME

The name of the Organisation shall be the Far North Queensland Regional Organisation of Councils (FNQROC).

2. MISSION STATEMENT

Our Mission is to foster cooperation and resource sharing between councils and effectively advocate on agreed regional positions and priorities.

3. VISION

Regional prosperity through interactive and collaborative planning and advocacy.

4. CORE VALUES

- a) **Autonomy** to act within the constraints of our systems of Government,
- b) **Integrity** in the performance of their functions,
- c) **Responsiveness** to the needs of the local community,
- d) **Accountability to stakeholders** – electors, ratepayers, other spheres of Government,
- e) **Equity**; and
- f) **Respect** the individual rights of individual councils to have their own opinions.

5. OBJECTIVES

- a) To support and advance the local interest of its members and their constituencies in a regional context.
- b) To formulate policies and strategies from which all member Councils may act collaboratively in determining complementary plans for the co-ordination of regional growth and management of change.
- c) To foster co-operation amongst members on issues of mutual concern or to further joint interests.
- d) To act as an advocate to State and Commonwealth Governments or public bodies on issues of concern to members.
- e) Address cross boundary issues.
- f) Take forward the collective interest of Councils in the region and influence senior decision makers within government and agencies.
- g) Communication and information sharing.
- h) Facilitate regional economic development and co-operation of mutual benefit to member councils, communities and businesses.
- i) Strategies for doing more with less.
- j) Build effective partnerships with State and Federal agencies which make decisions that affect our region.

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- k) Facilitate co-operation with community, business and academic organisations for the benefit of the region.
- l) Member Councils to work together to proactively promote sustainable growth so as to retain the region's natural assets and the cultural diversity of its people.

6. PRINCIPLES

In the pursuit of these objectives the Far North Queensland Regional Organisation of Councils will observe the following principles:

a) Liaison

Establish and maintain close liaison with the Local Government Association of Queensland (Inc), other Local Government networks and peak regional organisations to ensure as far as possible the pursuit of common objectives and strengthening Local Government representation.

b) Decisions

Positions adopted and decisions taken shall acknowledge minority or dissenting viewpoints at a member's request.

Resolution of regional matters shall promote the collective interest of the members in association without adversely affecting the interest of any member Council.

c) Operations

- i. Facilitating the sharing of resources and information between the Councils to achieve economies of scale and to improve the region.
- ii. Identifying, planning, prioritising and lobbying for regionally significant assets.
- iii. Seeking to secure, through forward commitments, State and Commonwealth investment in major regional assets.
- iv. Thoroughly examining State and Commonwealth legislation and policy to ensure that the region will not be disadvantaged, and that maximum benefit is obtained.
- v. Providing a forum for the Councils to meet regularly in an atmosphere of goodwill and trust.
- vi. Developing effective networks and alliances with the key stakeholders.
- vii. Dealing with other issues of significance as determined from time to time by the participating Councils.
- viii. Ensuring that the Executive Officer effectively and efficiently manages the secretariat of FNQROC within the budget parameters and delegations agreed to.

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d) Regional Coordination and Co-operation in relation to but not limited to:

- Statutory Planning
- Roads
- Development
- Transport and Communications
- Water Supply
- Waste Water Treatment
- Solid and Liquid Waste Management and Disposal
- Environmental Issues and Management
- Economic Development
- Social Justice and Equity
- Non-Urban Lands
- Management of Data
- Electricity Supply and Distribution

and any other issue of a regional nature that an absolute majority of members may wish to include.

7. MEMBERSHIP

a) Membership of the Far North Queensland Regional Organisation of Councils shall be open to the following Local Government Councils:

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| ▪ Cairns Regional Council | ▪ Carpentaria Shire Council |
| ▪ Cassowary Coast Regional Council | ▪ Cook Shire Council |
| ▪ Croydon Shire Council | ▪ Douglas Shire Council |
| ▪ Etheridge Shire Council | ▪ Hope Vale Aboriginal Shire Council |
| ▪ Hinchinbrook Shire Council | ▪ Mareeba Shire Council |
| ▪ Tablelands Regional Council | ▪ Wujal Wujal Aboriginal Shire Council |
| ▪ Yarrabah Aboriginal Shire Council | |

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- b) Additional Local Government Councils may be admitted as members by majority vote of the members.
- c) A member may resign at any time by notice in writing.

8. SELECTION OF THE CHAIR OF FNQROC

The Chair and Deputy Chair of FNQROC will be elected on an annual basis at the Annual General Meeting.

9. POWERS

The Far North Queensland Regional Organisation of Councils shall have the power to:

- a) Make and levy an annual subscription for membership in such amount or amounts as may be determined at or around the March ordinary meeting.
- b) Members are financially committed to the subscription fee unless written resignation is received prior to the start of a financial year.
- c) Make and levy a special levy for any or all of its objects in such amount as may be determined at an Annual General Meeting or at any other meeting on a notice of motion given at least fourteen days prior to an Annual General Meeting or any other meeting but in any case, any such resolution shall have no force or effect unless the vote is unanimous.
- d) Any additional requests for funds for projects and/or matters not included in the annual budget, but are considered to be of an urgent and important regional nature, shall be referred to member Councils for approval.

All member Councils must approve the request for additional funds before the project is undertaken.

- e) Determine and make payments from its funds for any or all of the purposes of its objectives.
- f) Receive any grant or subsidy and apply monies for the purposes of such grant or subsidy

10. MEETINGS

Meetings of FNQROC will be held generally in accordance with the following guidelines:

- a) Meetings shall be held on at least seven days notice as follows:
 - as determined at a previous meeting(s)
 - called by the Chairperson
 - at the request of any three (3) members

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b) Minutes of the meetings shall be circulated within fourteen (14) days to representatives and confirmed at the following meeting.

c) A quorum shall consist of seven full member representatives.

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d) The Chair will preside at all meetings. In the absence of the Chair, the Deputy Chair will preside and in his/her absence a person elected at the meeting.

e) The Chair shall be responsible for the conduct of the meetings. Meetings will be run in a business-like manner following accepted guidelines for meeting procedure and protocols.

An Annual General Meeting (AGM) shall be held within four (4) months from the end of June:

f) To elect a Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson

g) To receive audited annual financial statements and reports.

h) To transact any other business.

11. MEETINGS – APPOINTMENT OF REPRESENTATIVES

Each member Council shall appoint an elected representative for a term of not less than one year except as this might be varied by notice given by a member Council.

A proxy may attend meetings and will vote if the appointed representative has not given written instructions for voting direction.

12. ATTENDANCE

FNQROC meetings shall be attended by:

a) A representative from each member Council.

b) CEO's from each member Council

c) FNQROC Executive Officer

FNQROC meetings are open to Councillors of member Councils as observers.

13. OBLIGATIONS OF MEMBERS

The purpose of FNQROC is to facilitate regional cooperation. It is therefore expected that representatives will consider all issues from a regional perspective and decide the merits of an issue in the interests of the regional community.

14. VOTING

a) Every question, matter or motion shall be decided by a majority of votes of the members represented at a meeting.

b) Every full member shall be entitled one (1) vote.

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- c) In the event of an equality of votes the Chair shall have a second or casting vote.
- d) A member may vote through its representative or authorise in writing, any other person to be its proxy in accordance with its directions.
- e) Any member may request the recording of and have recorded any dissent from or qualification of a majority decision.

15. MEETINGS - CONFIDENTIALITY

FNQROC meetings allow member council representatives to discuss items or issues in a frank and honest manner without fear or favour. As such, the meetings shall generally be closed to the public.

Meeting agendas and Minutes will form the public record.

16. PROCEEDINGS AT LAW

Upon a resolution of the organisation to institute proceedings at law, the Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson or other representative appointed for that purpose by resolution may undertake proceedings in his/her name as a representative of the organisation and shall have the right of indemnity, from organisation funds, against any claim arising from such representation or in respect of costs properly incurred or any award made against him/her as a representative of the Organisation.

17. POLICIES

The Far North Queensland Regional Organisation of Councils may from time to time at any meeting make, amend or repeal policies consistent with its objectives and principles.

18. ALTERATION OF CHARTER

These rules may be rescinded, amended or added by resolution passed by a two-thirds majority of the membership at an Annual General Meeting or Special General Meeting called for that purpose.

A notice of motion to this effect shall be submitted to the Chairperson for distribution to members at least 14 days before the meeting at which the proposal shall be considered.

19. FUNDS AND ACCOUNTS

Funds of the Far North Queensland Regional Organisation of Councils shall be deposited by the Organisation or any Trustee in the name of the Far North Queensland Regional Organisation of Councils in a Bank or Permanent Building Society.

Books and accounts shall be kept. The Executive Officer shall make all necessary arrangements for the keeping of books and accounts and for the preparation of financial statements and reports.

Such financial statements and reports shall be prepared for the Annual General Meeting and as such other intervals as determined at a meeting of the Organisation.

The income and property of the Organisation shall be used and applied solely in promotion of its objects and in the exercise of its powers and other provisions of this Charter.

Cheques shall be signed by any two of the Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson or Executive Officer or any Trustee or any other person as may be authorised from time to time by resolution of a meeting.

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We the undersigned, agree to be bound by the Charter of the Far North Queensland Regional Organisation of Councils.

Signed for and behalf the member Councils, as resolved at AGM Meeting No. 25^x day of
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Cr Bob Manning
Mayor, Cairns Regional Council

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Cr Jack Bawden
Mayor, [Carpentaria Shire Council](#)

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Cr John Kremastos
Mayor, Cassowary Coast Regional Council

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Cr Peter Scott
Cook Shire Council

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Cr Trevor Pickering
Mayor, Croydon Shire Council

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Cr Julia Leu
Mayor, Douglas Shire Council

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Cr Warren Devlin
Mayor, Etheridge Shire Council

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Cr [Greg McLean](#)
Mayor, [Hope Vale Aboriginal Shire Council](#)

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Cr Ramon Jayo
Mayor, Hinchinbrook Shire Council

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Cr Tom Gilmore
Mayor, Mareeba Shire Council

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Cr Joe Paronella
Mayor, Tablelands Regional Council

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Cr Desmond Tayley
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