



Kimberley Land Council

The Kimberley Land Council (KLC) is the recognised Native Title Representative Body for the Kimberley Region

Ngarrawanji (WAD41/2019) and Ngarrawanji #2 (WAD569/2019)

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NOTICE OF NATIVE TITLE HOLDERS MEETING

Authorisation Meeting and Pre-incorporation Meeting for a New Corporation to be the Ngarrawanji Prescribed Body Corporate

WHERE: Online, via Zoom

DATE: Wednesday 9 March & Thursday 10 March 2022

TIME: 9:00am start

This meeting will take place online, *not* in person at the Halls Creek Civic Hall. The notice sent to Ngarrawanji native title holders on 11 February 2022 stated that this meeting would take place at the Halls Creek Civic Hall. Due to the risk of COVID-19 in the Kimberley region, this meeting will no longer take place in person at the Halls Creek Civic Hall, and will be held online instead. Details of how to join the online meeting are contained in this notice.

Details for Online Meeting:

- 1 Register your attendance with **Carlene Davies** on **0499 493 313** or carlene.davies@klc.org.au before **8:45m on Wednesday 9 March 2022**.
- 2 Ngarrawanji native title holders who register to attend the meeting will be provided with a link to the meeting if joining by web browser or a meeting ID number if phoning into the meeting. There will be a different link and meeting ID for each day of the meeting.
- 3 For Ngarrawanji native title holders who do not have access to a phone or a computer to join the meeting, the KLC will make limited numbers of mobile phone handsets available for pick up in Halls Creek, Kununurra and Broome. The KLC can also provide mobile phone credit for native title holders who wish to join the meeting using their own phone.
- 4 Information will be displayed during the meeting using Zoom. KLC can provide printed copies of the material to Ngarrawanji native title holders ahead of the meeting.
- 5 If you require a mobile phone handset or phone credit in order to join the meeting, please contact **Carlene Davies** on **0499 493 313** or carlene.davies@klc.org.au before **10am on Tuesday 8 March 2022**.

Meeting format

- ❖ The KLC will present information on screen via Zoom, and can provide copies of the meeting documents by email, fax, or in hard copy at the KLC offices in Broome and Kununurra. Please call Carlene Davies in Kununurra on 0499 493 313 or Kathryn Neville in Broome on 0477 949 325 if you would like printed copies of the meeting material.
- ❖ Asking questions during the meeting:
 - For those joining online, go to the 'participants' tab and choose the 'raise hand' icon and press the 'unmute' button when asked by the facilitator. For those joining by phone, dial *9 to raise your hand. The meeting facilitator will request you to unmute your microphone. Dial *6 to unmute your mic.
- ❖ Decision making:
 - Take part in decision making by responding to text messages sent to your mobile phone.

What decisions will be made at this meeting?

1 PBC nomination:

Do Ngarrawanji native title holders want to instruct the Kimberley Land Council to nominate an Aboriginal Corporation to be the Ngarrawanji PBC?

If the answer to this question is 'yes', the next part of the meeting will be a pre-incorporation meeting to establish a new corporation to be the PBC and the questions in 2 below will need to be answered. If the answer to this question is 'no' the ILSC will be the PBC and the meeting can go straight to question 3.

2 Pre-incorporation meeting:

If the answer to question 1 is 'yes', the meeting will need to make the following decisions.

2.1 Who are the initial (first) members of the new corporation?

Anyone who wants to be an initial member must provide written consent.

2.2 Is the PBC rulebook approved?

The KLC will review and provide advice on a draft rulebook. The draft rulebook includes some rules that must be included and some rules that members will need to make decisions about.

2.3 Who are the initial (first) directors of the corporation?

Anyone who wants to be an initial director must provide a written consent.

2.4 Who is the contact person for the corporation?

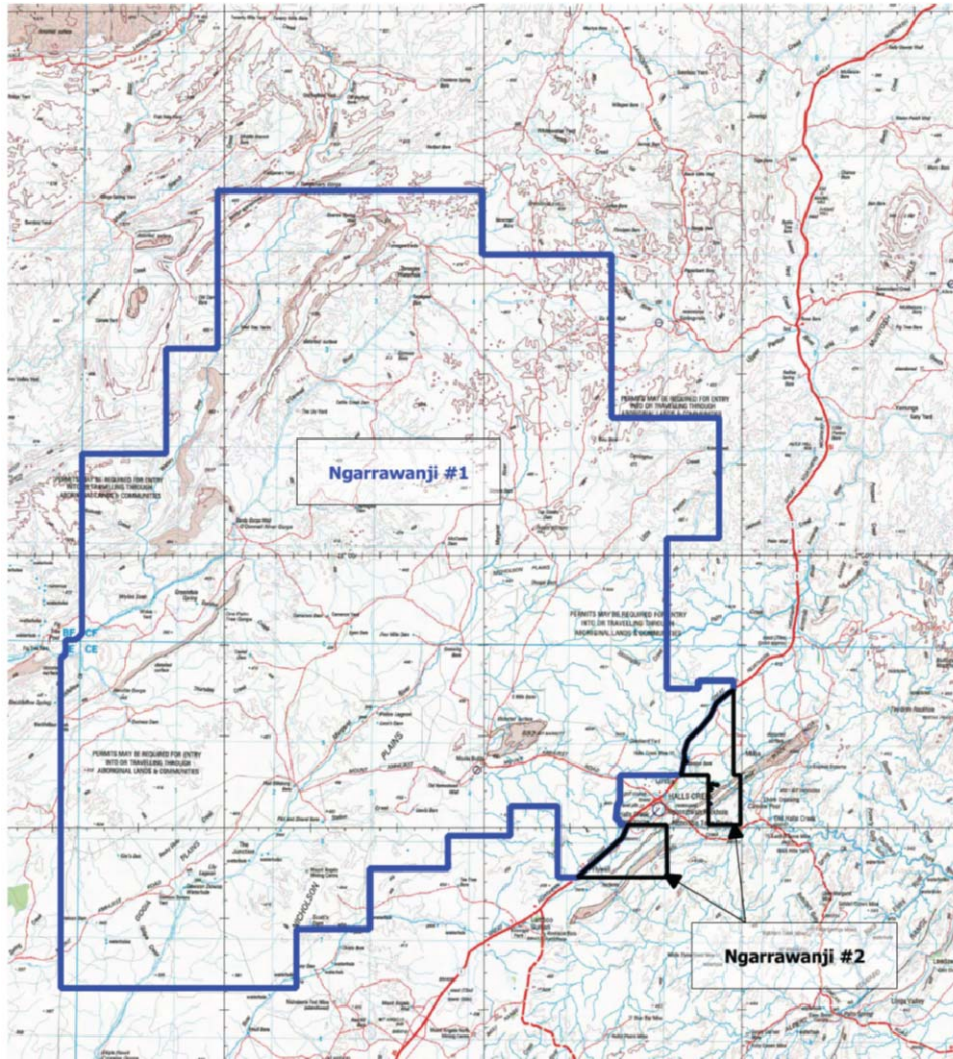
2.5 Who is authorised to submit the application for registration to ORIC?

3. Future Acts Instructions:

Ngarrawanji native title holders should provide instructions to the PBC (the ILSC or their own corporation) for future acts.

The meeting is being held in accordance with Federal Court orders made on 10 December 2021. This is an important meeting for Ngarrawanji Native Title Holders to attend and make decisions about the Ngarrawanji Prescribed Body Corporate (PBC). If Ngarrawanji Native Title Holders don't establish a Ngarrawanji PBC at this meeting, the Indigenous Land and Sea Corporation (ILSC) will become the Ngarrawanji PBC.

The area of the Ngarrawanji determination is shown outlined in blue on the map below. The area of the Ngarrawanji #2 determination is shown outlined in black on the map below.



Who can attend the meeting?

The meeting is being held for **Ngarrawanji Native Title Holders**. The Ngarrawanji Native Title Holders are those Aboriginal people who:

- (a) are related through filiation (including by adoption) to one of the Ngarrawanji Apical Ancestors who held rights and interest in one of the local estate countries comprising the Ngarrawanji Determination Area; or
- (b) are affiliated to a Ngarrawanji Apical Ancestor and who have spirit conception and/or birth sites in one of the local estate countries in the Ngarrawanji Determination Area; or
- (c) are recognised by the persons described above as:
 - (i) holding rights and responsibilities for certain songs and ceremonies which make reference to important sites in the Ngarrawanji Determination Area; or
 - (ii) holding rights and interests in one of the local estate countries in the Ngarrawanji Determination Area under traditional law and custom.

The **Ngarrawanji Apical Ancestors** are:

Djulbir / Dzulbir	Ngowanderin	Unnamed Father of Ngularraji and Polly Gulungal
Jurrgi	Rosie Bulmaril	Madangal (wife of Wolameri)
Linmarji	Nirbrarir / Nirbarr	Nigan and Kalkburreny
Ngiliyayiny / Nyiliyang	Topsy Nanzili	