



**MINUTES OF THE WURRUMIYANGA LOCAL AUTHORITY MEETING HELD IN THE
WURRUMIYANGA COUNCIL BOARDROOM ON WEDNESDAY 25 MARCH 2026 AT
11:00 AM**

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UNCONFIRMED

1 WELCOME & APOLOGIES

1.1 Welcome and Opening of Meeting

The meeting opened at 11:15 am.

The Chair welcomed members and staff.

1.2 Present

Chair	Richard Tungatalum	In Person
Member	Savio Timaepatua	In Person
Member	Marie Francis Tipiloura	In Person
Member	Wayne Pilakui	In Person
Member	Bonaventure Timaepatua	In Person
Member	Bradley Tipiloura	In Person
Member	Ronald Tipungwuti	In Person
Member	Mavis Kerinaia	In Person
Member	Gavin Ackland	In Person
Deputy Mayor	Mary Dunn	In Person
Councillor	John Ross Pilakui	In Person
Councillor	Stanley Tipiloura	In Person
Staff		
Acting Chief Executive Officer	Heidi Dorn	In Person
Chief Financial Officer	Jayesh Vasandani	Teleconferencing
Acting Governance Coordinator	Lauren Davidson	Teleconferencing

1.3 Apologies

Apologies from members who were absent from the meeting

WLA/64 RESOLUTION

Moved: Bradley Tipiloura

Seconded: Savio Timaepatua

That the Wurrumiyanga Local Authority:

1. Accepts the apology from Mayor Lynette De Santis; and
2. Notes that Miriam Tipungwuti was absent and no apology was received.

CARRIED

1.4 Leave of Absence

Nil

1.5 Declaration of Interest of Members or Staff

WLA/65 RESOLUTION

Moved: Mary Dunn
Seconded: Mavis Kerinaiaua

That the Wurrumiyanga Local Authority receives and notes the declarations of interest as listed.

The following members declared a conflict of interest in relation to Confidential Item 2.1 and did not participate in discussion or voting:

- Bradley Tipiloura
- Bonaventure Timaepatua
- Wayne Pilakui
- Richard Tungatulum
- Gavin Ackland

CARRIED

2 CONFIDENTIAL ITEMS

Adjournment of Open Meeting at 11:25 am.

Moved into Confidential Session at 11:25 am.

WLA/66 RESOLUTION

Moved: Bradley Tipiloura
Seconded: Savio Timaepatua

That pursuant to Section 65(2) of the Local Government Act and Regulation 8 of the Local Government (Administration) Regulations the meeting be closed to the public to consider a Confidential matter.

CARRIED

CONFIDENTIAL ITEM DECISIONS

At the conclusion of the discussion on the Confidential Item(s), the meeting was reopened and the decision on the Item(s) noted.

The meeting was reopened at 12:07 pm.

WLA/70 RESOLUTION

Moved: Wayne Pilakui
Seconded: Bradley Tipiloura

That the meeting be reopened and the decisions on the Confidential Item(s) be noted.

CARRIED

3 CLOSURE

The meeting closed at 12:25 pm.