



**SUPPLEMENTARY  
AGENDA  
ORDINARY MEETING  
WEDNESDAY, 30 MAY 2012**

Notice is given that the next Ordinary Meeting of Tiwi Shire Council will be held on:

- Wednesday, 27 June 2012 at
- Milikapiti Office
- Commencing at 10:00am

Your attendance at the meeting will be appreciated.

**Alan Hudson  
Chief Executive Officer**

## **AGENDA**

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**REPORTS FOR DECISION**

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<b>ITEM NUMBER</b>	6.4
<b>TITLE</b>	Confirmation of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Descent for Michael Morgan
<b>REFERENCE</b>	99957
<b>AUTHOR</b>	Trevor Harris, Governance Manager

Confirmation by council of Aboriginal and/ or Torres Strait Islander Descent for Michael Morgan

**BACKGROUND**

Please see attachment

**RECOMMENDATION:**

**Moved:**  
**Seconded:**

**That Council note and approved that the above person is accepted and recognised as an aboriginal and/ or Torres Strait Islander person by the Tiwi Islands Shire Council.**

**Carried:**

**ATTACHMENTS:**

- 1 Confirmation of Aboriginal Descent.pdf



### Confirmation of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander descent

For: Michael Morgan NT School Sports

To be completed by the Applicant:

I, Michael Morgan (First & Last names)

born on 07/01/2001 (Date dd/mm/yyyy)

at Darwin (Place)

and now living at Milikapiti (Address)

Declare that I am of Aboriginal Torres Strait Island descent.

My mother's name is/was Tahnee Darcy

My father's name is/was Michael Morgan

My language group or home community is: Tiwi

To be completed by the Tiwi Islands Shire Council during ordinary council meetings:

The above person is accepted and recognised as an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander person by the Tiwi Islands Shire Council.

Address of organisation: PO Box 104, Parap, NT, 0804.

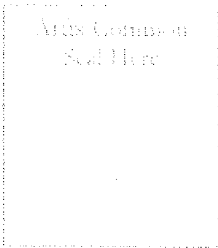
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\*Signature \_\_\_\_\_ \*Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Seconded by \_\_\_\_\_ \*Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Council Meeting \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Council Meeting \_\_\_\_\_

\*These signatories must not be members of the applicant's family.



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## REPORTS FOR DECISION

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<b>ITEM NUMBER</b>	6.5
<b>TITLE</b>	Request from Xavier College Requesting Financial Assistance for Students to Attend the Merrepen Arts and Sports Festival.
<b>REFERENCE</b>	99960
<b>AUTHOR</b>	Trevor Harris, Governance Manager

Xavier College has written to Tiwi Islands Shire Council requesting for financial assistance for students to attend the Merrepen Arts and Sports Festival.

### BACKGROUND

Xavier College has written to Tiwi Islands Shire Council requesting for financial assistance for students to attend the Merrepen Arts and Sports Festival.

Students selected to attend have met the following criteria:

1. Students who have been identified as emerging / current school leaders;
2. Students who uphold the school rules of: Stay Safe, Respect Everyone and Learn Everyday; and,
3. Students who come to school every day and stay at school all day.

### ISSUES/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

Xavier College has requested that TISC assist to off-set some of the costs which includes approximately \$10,000 for charter planes and \$4,000 for the cost of hire vehicles.

### CONSULTATION & TIMING

#### RECOMMENDATION:

**Moved:**

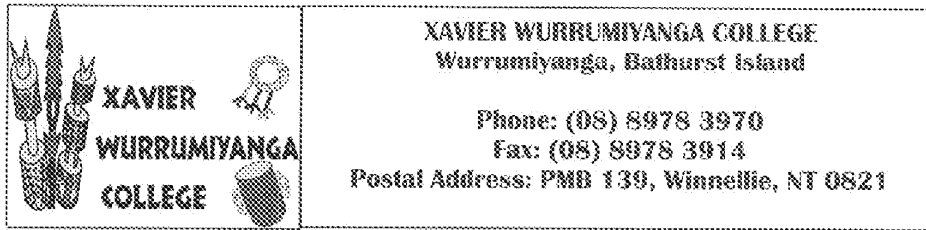
**Seconded:**

**That Council support Xavier College with a donation of \$?.000 for students to attend the Merrepen Arts and Sports Festival.**

**Carried**

#### ATTACHMENTS:

- 1 Xavier College Request for Assistance.pdf



23 May 2012

CEO – Alan Hudson  
Tiwi Island Shire Council  
Wurrumiyanga, Bathurst Island

RECEIVED  
29 APR 2012  
BY: *MS*

Dear Alan,

Xavier Catholic College Wurrumiyanga provides a Quality Catholic Tiwi Education for students from Year Seven to Year Twelve. This year we are targeting 33 emerging leaders to attend the annual Merrepen Arts and Sports Festival.

Student selection is based on the following criteria:

- Students who have been identified as emerging / current school leaders
- Students who uphold our school rules of: Stay Safe, Respect Everyone and Learn Everyday
- Students who come to school every day and stay at school all day

We are writing requesting financial support from the Council to off-set some of the costs for this camp. The cost of charter planes is approximately \$10 000 and the cost of Hire Vehicles is approximately \$4 000. Any assistance will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you for your continued support of XCCW.

Regards,

Cameron Hughes  
Principal

## REPORTS FOR DECISION

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**ITEM NUMBER** 6.6  
**TITLE** Tiwi Long Grass People  
**REFERENCE** 99965  
**AUTHOR** Kevin Doolan, Coordinator - Youth Services



A lot of Tiwi people here at Wurrumiyanga have been talking about a delegation of Tiwi people going into Darwin and asking Tiwi people living in the long grass to come back home away from the sickness of alcohol and drug addiction.

### BACKGROUND

The last two Tiwi deaths have been people who have been living in the long grass in Darwin for considerable time.

Both passed away last Sunday 27/05/2012.

### ISSUES/OPTIONS/CONSEQUENCES

Can the shire help with this issue of sending a delegation of Tiwi people into Darwin to encourage Tiwi living in the long grass in Darwin to come back home?

### CONSULTATION & TIMING

#### RECOMMENDATION:

**Moved:**  
**Seconded:**

**That Council will assist / will not assist with sending a delegation of Tiwi people into Darwin to encourage Tiwi living in the long grass in Darwin to come back home.**

**Carried:**

#### ATTACHMENTS:

There are no attachments for this report.