



**Cairns Regional**  
**COUNCIL**

## **First Peoples Advisory Committee**

Cairns Regional Council has for several years been facilitating the First Peoples Advisory Committee. This has been one of the important ways in which Council has engaged and consulted with the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander community. This committee is an opportunity for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people and communities from within our region to have a voice on issues, projects and initiatives relevant to them.

The role of the First Peoples Advisory Committee is to provide comment, feedback and direction on issues that relate to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people and their communities; and enhance opportunities for participation and collaboration between local Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people/ communities and Council.

Membership is voluntary and meetings are held every 2 months at the Cairns Regional Council, 119-145 Spence Street, Cairns or other agreed locations. Members of the public are welcome to attend and observe.

### **Further information:**

Please contact the Community Development Coordinator, Cairns Regional Council by calling (07) 4044 3095 or email [community\\_development@cairns.qld.gov.au](mailto:community_development@cairns.qld.gov.au)