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From the President

ALGWA NT continues to welcome new Members and is moving forward with activities. We have been addressing best practice administrative arrangements to suit our Northern Territory Branch.

I attended the ALGWA National Breakfast at the National General Assembly in Canberra, along with Alderman Helen Galton from City of Darwin.

Amendments to our Membership Fees, sees a 'face-lift' to meet 2015 and the times ahead. There is no increase for Individual Membership, it remains at \$30 and a Special General Meeting on 28 May endorsed the introduction of a Corporate Membership package, see below. The new Membership/Subscription Form is included in this edition of the Newsletter.

1. Corporate Membership

7.2.1 THAT ALGWA NT offer Corporate Membership to Councils and Corporations that share the ALGWA mission

Moved: Clair O'Brien

Seconded: Alderman Helen

Galton Carried

7.2.2 THAT the Corporate Membership be four times the individual

membership.

*Moved: Alderman Seranna Shutt Seconded: Pam
Robinson Carried*

7.2.3 Committee agreed that “Entitlements to attendance at events at member’s prices should not be limited. This enables us to encourage more people to attend and Councils in particular to support our events”.

7.2.4 That the following constitutional changes be made:

Section 9 (c) A Corporation or Council may apply to become a Corporate Member by completing the appropriate form.

Section 11 (3) Corporate Membership shall be at four times the individual membership.

THAT the following Constitution changes be presented to the membership at a Special General Meeting to be held at 5.30 pm on 28th May at City of Darwin.

*MOVED: Clair O’Brien Seconded: Alderman Seranna
Shutt Carried*

I was delighted to meet up with other ALGWA Members at the Local Government Managers Association Congress in May. The photograph below shows me with Western Australia delegates Alderman Janet Davidson, City of Perth and Councillor Elizabeth Re from the City of Sterling, along with Pam Robinson ALGWA NT.

That’s it for now

Katrina



Photo 1 ALGWA NT President Katrina Fong Lim with Western Australia delegates at the Local Government Managers Association Congress in May - Alderman Janet Davidson (City of Perth) and Councillor Elizabeth Re (City of Sterling), along with Pam Robinson ALGWA NT.

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In the News

IMPORTANT MEETING COMING UP SOON!: ALGWA NT Annual General Meeting 6 August -

The 2015 AGM will be held on Thursday, 6 August at 12.00noon – City of Darwin.

Please consider joining the Executive Committee. If you would like to know more about ALGWA NT and be part of developing the 2015-2016 Program, this is for you. If however you are not available at this time, please do consider others whom you could approach and nominate.

Attached below is the 2015-2016 Nomination Form.

Local Government Managers Association www.lgma.org.au

Consider joining the NT Division – a chance to meet others working in local government, to share knowledge and with opportunities for mentoring.

A Women's Health Newsletter of Interest - www.alswh.org.au

Climate Petition: Twelve Australian Women say Thank You

Professor Fiona Stanley AC, Mary Crooks AO, Professor Judith Brett, Sam Meers, Pam Robinson OAM, Leanne Miller, Dur-e-Dara OAM, Professor Kim Rubenstein, Dr Susan Mitchell, Eileen Mitchell, Patmalar Ambikapathy and Associate Professor Clare Wright say ***Thank You*** to the many readers who signed the Climate Petition. Attached for your information is the outcome of the signatures so far and to let you know that your efforts were taken forward and presented to the House of Representative and to international leaders. You can read more at www.monsterclimatepetition.com.au

Membership Matters.



LOOK at this – Membership 2015-2016 Due Now.

If you are already a member: thank you!

If not, we hope you and your colleagues will consider joining. You can make a difference!

Time is right too for current Members to renew their subscription.

Application Form attached.

Message from our Treasurer and Most importantly:

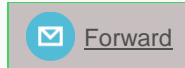
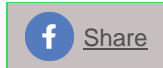
Please ensure to put in your name when you or your colleagues bank your fees directly. This is needed so as to be able to match up the deposit with your Membership Form.

We hope to see you at the Annual General Meeting and we look forward to discussing with you some future events that will be held in the first half of the new 2015-2016 year.

If you would be willing to be the August ALGWA Member Profile – please send a photograph and brief bio between now and the end of July. Thank you,

Regards

Pam - ALGWA NT Newsletter Editor.



*Join the Australian Local Government Women's Association NT Division
Complete the form below*



Membership/Subscription Application & Tax Invoice

Northern Territory Branch Incorporated

Please fill out Part A or B as applicable

(A) INDIVIDUAL APPLICANT DETAILS:

Name.....

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Address.....Postcode.....

Council/Shire

Area.....

Position with Council (if applicable).....

Telephone (business hours).....

Email.....Mobile.....

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(B) CORPORATE/COUNCIL APPLICANT DETAILS:

Business Entity

Name.....

Business

Address..... Postcode.....

Contact Name.....Contact Phone:

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Email.....Mobile.....

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MEMBERSHIP FEES: *please circle*

INDIVIDUAL **\$30.00***

CORPORATE **\$120.00***

PAYMENT METHODS:

ALGWA NT does not have Credit card facilities – please pay by cash, cheque or direct deposit

Cheques: payable to ALGWA Northern Territory Branch Inc.

Direct Credit: ALGWA NT Branch, BSB: 035302, Account no: 152130*

POST to: Alderman Kate Worden, Treasurer ALGWA NT Inc. C/- 38 Rothdale Road, MOIL NT 0810

Privacy Requirements:

The Executive advises that due to the Privacy Act, we are required to have your authorisation to be able to release any information pertaining to your membership or to include your details in any publication.

We ask that the following authorisation be agreed to:

I authorise ALGWA NT Inc. Executive Committee to release my contact details to ALGWA Members, other organisations, or persons for matters pertaining to the Association's interests.

Signature.....Date.....

ONCE COMPLETED PLEASE EMAIL THIS FORM TO:

katew5000@live.com.au

For all inquiries please call 0400 746 669

***NOTES:**

- *New Members joining from 1 April each financial year are covered to June the following year.*

- *Subscription fees do not include GST*
- *Any payments made by direct deposit need to note your name for identification purposes*



As a financial member of the Australian Local Government Women's Association NT we nominate

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for the position of:

President :	
Vice President:	
Newsletter Editor:	
Secretary:	
Treasurer:	
Public Officer:	
Committee Member	
Committee Member	
Committee Member	

Nominated By:

Name: ----- Signature-----

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Date

Seconded By:

Name: Signature.....

Date.....

Consent of Nominee:

I, accept the nomination for the
position

of For the 2015/2016 term of the ALGWA NT

Executive & Committee

Nominee's Name and Local Government are

ALGWA NT Office Bearers will be elected for a one year term.

1. Nominations of candidates for election as Officers and Members on the Executive Committee
 - a. Must be in writing, signed by two financial members of the NT Branch and accompanied by the written consent of the candidate (which may be endorsed on the form of the nomination); and
 - b. Delivered to the Secretary of the Association not less than 7 days

before the date fixed for the holding of the annual general meeting.

2. A candidate may only be nominated for one Executive position, or as a Committee Member.

3. Completed nomination forms must be received by the ALGWA NT Secretary seven days prior to the **Annual General Meeting at 12:00pm (noon) on Thursday 6 August 2015 City of Darwin Function Room – *Light refreshments will be provided***

To be lodged with the Secretary, maxine.dowley@palmerston.nt.gov.au no later than 30 July 2015

ALGWA NT 2014 -15 Executive Committee:

President: Lord Mayor Katrina Fong Lim

City of Darwin lord.mayor@darwin.nt.gov.au

Vice-President: Clair O'Brien

Mataranka, Grazier / Station Stay host and inaugural Deputy Mayor Roper Gulf Shire (2008-12) clair@coodardie.com.au

Secretary: Maxine Dowley

City of Palmerston, Community Events

Coordinator maxine.dowley@palmerston.nt.gov.au

Treasurer: Alderman Kate Worden

City of Darwin Kate5000@live.com.au

Public Officer: Alderman Helen Galton

City of Darwin h.galton@darwin.nt.gov.au

Newsletter Editor: Pam Robinson

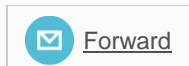
City of Palmerston, Environment & Climate Change Strategic
Planner pam.robinson@palmerston.nt.gov.au

Committee Members:

Mayor Fay Miller, Katherine Town Council, records@ktc.nt.gov.au

Alderman Seranna Shutt, City of Palmerston seranna.shutt@palmerston.nt.gov.au

Councillor Shenagh Gamble, Wagait Shire Council s.gamble@darwin.nt.gov.au



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