



ABORIGINAL AFFAIRS CO-ORDINATING COMMITTEE

MEETING NO. 16 – 09 December 2021

COMMUNIQUE

The Aboriginal Affairs Coordinating Committee (the Committee) enables whole-of-government coordination on strategic government initiatives and policies that affect the cultural, health and economic outcomes for Aboriginal people in Western Australia.

Aboriginal Advisory Council Western Australia

The Co-Chairs of the Aboriginal Advisory Council Western Australia provided an update on the WA Aboriginal Tourism Strategy and employment opportunities, Infrastructure WA and procurement opportunities for Aboriginal businesses and Closing the Gap progress.

Aboriginal Economic Development Across the WA Recovery Portfolio Engagement

The Department of the Premier and Cabinet presented to the Committee on Aboriginal economic development across the WA Recovery Portfolio.

Closing the Gap Implementation

The Department of the Premier and Cabinet presented on the Closing the Gap implementation strategy, including finalisation of the WA Government's first Jurisdictional Implementation Plan for Closing the Gap and release of the Aboriginal Engagement Strategy in September 2021.

Emily Roper

CHAIR

**Confidential deliberations are not included.*