Agenda

NWTD Stakeholder Liaison Group

Meeting date: 22 September 2026

10 September 2026

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Member invitees

Participant name	Representing
Michael Bailey	Northern Tasmania Development Corporation
Mike Brindley	Renewables, Climate and Future Industries Tasmania
Jasmine Chapple	TasFarmers
Gabriella Conti	West by North West
Rodney Greene	Collaboration for Impact
Richard Ingram	TasTAFE
Ian Jones	Business Northwest
Sarah Jones	UTAS
Danielle Kidd	West North West Working
Narelle Punshon	Skills Tasmania
Luke Sayer	Building Tasmania
Sid Sidebottom	Independent Chair
Nicci Skerl	Regional Development Australia Tasmania
Veronica Terry	Cradle Coast Authority
Zoy Yerondais	Housing Choices

TasNetworks attendees

Participant name	Role
Louise Baring	Head of Community, Stakeholder & Communications
Sonya Booth	Landholder Engagement Partner
Leesa Butler	Community Benefits Partner
Brian Mann	NWTD Construction General Manager
Emily Norris	Major Projects Engagement Partner
Kristin Raw	Leader Major Projects Engagement

Guest attendees

Participant name	Representing
Matt Dance	TasTAFE
Ken Drake	Marinus Link
Melissa Lewarn	GenusPlus Group

Apologies

- Graham Marshall – Youth, Family and Community Connections (YFCC)

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#	Item	Purpose	Presenter	Time	Duration (mins)
1	**Welcome** - Acknowledgement of Country - Welcome new members - Today's agenda	To welcome and set the scene for the meeting.	Sid Sidebottom	12:30pm	5
2	**Round robin**	To share collective insights and build understanding of different perspectives amongst members.	All members	12:35pm	20
3	**Project update** - Intro to Construction General Manager - Notice to Proceed - Compensation payments - Recent engagement	To build an understanding of progress and milestones including any barriers, blockers, opportunities. The group can ask questions or provide reflections on information shared.	Brian Mann and Kristin Raw	12:55pm	20
4	**Landholder case study** - Voice of a landholder - Reflections from members	To build a deeper understanding of landholder experiences and for members to share reflections from their own interactions with NWTD landholders.	Sonya Booth	1:15pm	10
5	**NWTD head contractor** - What's happening on the ground - Interactive session	For members to shape and influence engagement and responses to key issues for construction.	Melissa Lewarn	1:25pm	45
BREAK (Group photo and headshot with photographer)				2:10pm	20
6.	**Transparency, accountability and collaboration Charter**	To build a shared understanding of the next steps from the co-design workshop to shape TasNetworks' first Transparency Charter.	Louise Baring	2:30pm	10
7.	**Bright Futures Fund** - Round one applicants and overview - Ideas and feedback for future rounds	To build an understanding of the types of applications and investment. To shape the approach for future funding rounds.	Leesa Butler	2:40pm	15
8.	**Clean Energy Centre of Excellence**	To build awareness of progress and milestones.	Matt Dance	2:55pm	15

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9.	**Marinus Link**	To build a shared understanding of project status.	Ken Drake	3:10pm	10
10.	**Any other business and meeting actions**	A time for members to raise any reflections that haven't been covered. A summary of meeting actions to be recorded in the Minutes.	All members Sid Sidebottom	3:20pm	10
Meeting close					

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