



CEDUNA
ABORIGINAL
CORPORATION

ANNUAL REPORT

2014–2015



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Please be aware that this publication may contain the names and images of deceased people. CAC strives to treat Indigenous culture and beliefs with respect. We acknowledge that to some communities, it is distressing to show images of people who are deceased.

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CEDUNA ABORIGINAL CORPORATION

Since the establishment of the Far West Aboriginal Progress Association in the early to mid-1970's there have been a progression of name changes for the organisation. From FWAPA it eventually changed to the Ceduna Aboriginal Community Council (CACC), then Tjutjunaku Worka Tjuta was established as a training and employment provider to address Aboriginal unemployment in the Ceduna area. TWT proved to be a highly successful employer of Aboriginal people under the Community Development Employment scheme.

In July 2012, CAC was registered as a corporate body under the CATSI Act 2006 and is now known as Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation.

The Far West Aboriginal Progress Association laid the foundation for change to address the fundamental basic rights of

Aboriginal people living in or around the surrounding area of Ceduna.

At that time there was a desperate need to address a number of key social issues in and around Ceduna such as housing, essential services, alcohol misuse, unemployment, including the lack of sporting and recreational activities for our youth.

As a representative organisation for Aboriginal people this progression of change eventuated in improved housing, the establishment of the Far West Aboriginal Sporting Complex, improved health delivery services for Aboriginal people including access to training and employment opportunities under the Community Development Employment Program (CDEP).

The Board of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation recently endorsed a new logo as part of a transition process from one organisation to another. This logo was chosen as a demonstration of our strength, our resilience, our connection to land and our ability to survive as Aboriginal people despite the constant shift in government policy around key issues affecting Aboriginal people.

Successive governments have created an uncertain future for many Aboriginal organisations which makes it extremely difficult for us as a people to actively participate in the social and economic prosperity of this country.

The logo adopted is the West Coast Mint Bush and only grows in pockets across Eyre Peninsula including Port Lincoln, Elliston and around Ceduna. This native bush is listed as a threatened species by the International Union of Conservation, Nature and Natural Resources (IUCNR).

Many years ago Aboriginal people used this particular plant as an insect repellent by throwing parts of the plant on an open fire to ward off mosquitos and other insects.

CAC is currently managed by a Board of six (6) Aboriginal Directors, elected annually and in turn elect office bearers. The Board employs a Chief Executive Officer, Senior Finance Manager and Assistant Finance Officer to manage and monitor the day to day financial and administrative functions of the Corporation.

THE ORGANISATION'S CORE OBJECTIVES ARE TO:

- ASSIST IN THE RELIEF OF POVERTY, SICKNESS, DESTITUTION, HELPLESSNESS, DISTRESS, SUFFERING AND MISFORTUNE AMONGST ABORIGINAL PEOPLE IN THE CEDUNA REGION.
- ENGAGE WITH RELEVANT STAKEHOLDERS AND SERVICE DELIVERY PROVIDERS TO MAXIMISE POSITIVE TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT OUTCOMES FOR ALL ABORIGINAL PEOPLE IN THE CEDUNA REGION.
- ENGAGE IN PARTNERSHIPS AND/OR AGREEMENTS WITH STAKEHOLDERS TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC BENEFITS FOR THE ORGANISATION AND ITS MEMBERS.
- SUPPORT THE ABORIGINAL RESIDENTS OF THE CEDUNA REGION IN PURSUING ACTIVITIES THAT STRENGTHEN AND REINFORCE CULTURAL, ARTISTIC, SOCIAL AND OTHER WELL-BEING INITIATIVES.
- DESIGN AND IMPLEMENT STRATEGIES THAT MEET THE NEEDS OF ABORIGINAL YOUTH TO ACTIVE A BETTER QUALITY OF LIFE.
- STRENGTHEN AND SUPPORT ACTIVITIES THAT BUILD MUTUALLY RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN THE ABORIGINAL AND NON-ABORIGINAL COMMUNITY.
- PROVIDE OPPORTUNITY FOR ABORIGINAL PEOPLE IN THE CEDUNA REGION TO FULLY PARTICIPATE IN ALL ASPECTS OF COMMUNITY LIFE AS ENJOYED BY THE WIDER COMMUNITY.
- OPERATE AND MAINTAIN A GIFT FUND TO BE KNOWN AS "CEDUNA ABORIGINAL CORPORATION GIFT FUND" IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE AUSTRALIAN TAXATION OFFICE.

LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

TO MEMBERS OF CEDUNA ABORIGINAL CORPORATION ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation
Board of Directors
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DEAR BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND MEMBERS OF CAC

In accordance with the statutory requirements of the Corporations (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) Act 2006 and the requirements of the Office of the Registrar of Indigenous Corporations (ORIC), I am pleased to present the third Annual Report of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation.

2014-15 ANNUAL REPORT

This Annual Report is inclusive of the Annual Audited Financial Statements (AAFS) for the period 1 July 2014 to 30 June 2015.

An outline of the corporation's activities during this period is also included;

BOARD OF DIRECTOR MEETINGS

During the 2014-15 financial year, the Board held six (6) meetings related to general issues, financial matters, program funding updates and renewal of employment contracts for senior management.

Main Resolution at the Last Annual General Meeting

Special Resolution

CAC Held Commercial Land Assets

"That members present at this Annual General Meeting authorize CAC to pursue the utilization of current investment properties, assets and income as collateral through the newly appointed Board of Directors to support future local investment opportunities which seeks to promote the social and economic prosperity of members living in the Ceduna area including the corporation".

OUTGOING DIRECTORS

The following Directors will vacate their positions at the sitting of the next Annual General Meeting but can be re-elected if they are prepared to accept their nomination:

- Peter Miller
- Simon Prideaux
- Remaining Directors
- Corey McLennan
- Oscar Richards

CHANGES TO THE RULE BOOK

5.2 ELIGIBILITY OF DIRECTORS

Proposed to add that a Director must not be an employee of the Corporation

5.3 MAJORITY OF DIRECTOR REQUIREMENTS

It is proposed to remove dot point four (4) "not to be employees of the corporation".

Changes in Governance Arrangements

During the course of the financial year two Directors vacated their positions by written resignation:

- Janomie Saunders
- Paul Haynes (Jnr)

Two vacant position are open for nominations

Revisions of the CAC Strategic Plan

The CAC Strategic Plan remains active with no amendments made during 2014/2015 but will require the new Board of Directors to review the overall plan.

Acknowledgment of Funding Agencies and Partners

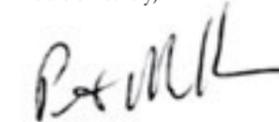
On behalf of the corporation I wish to acknowledge the following agencies and partners who contributed significant support to an array of projects during the course of the 2014-15 financial year to enhance Directorship Governance, training and employment of

young Aboriginal job seekers, legal assistance and advice to CAC, youth education and diversionary support programs, awareness of the harmful effects of alcohol and substance misuse and knowledge retention and language:

- Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet (DPMC)
- Attorney Generals Department (AGD)
- Office of the Registrar of Indigenous Corporations (ORIC)
- Ministry for the Arts/Attorney Generals Department
- Eyre Peninsula Natural Resource Management (EPNRM)
- Alinytjara Wilurara Natural Resource Management (AWNRM)
- Department of Environment, Water and Natural Resources (DEWNR)
- Complete Personnel
- BP Australia
- Far West Aboriginal Corporation
- Eyre Futures

With funding support or partnership agreements many of the programs or projects would not have been delivered with successful outcomes.

Yours sincerely,

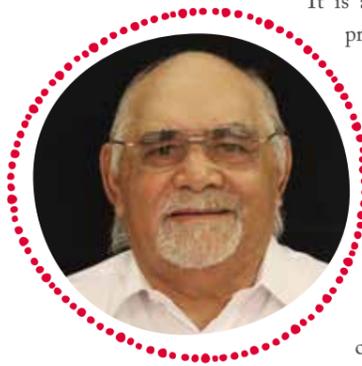


PETER MILLER
Chairperson

15th September 2015

CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT

Firstly, I take this opportunity to pay respect to the traditional custodians of this land, both past and present and the deep feelings of attachment and relationship we all have to country.



It is again with pleasure that I present the third Annual Report of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation (CAC) for the 2014/2015 financial year.

The past 12 months has been a long and enduring challenge for senior management and the Board following unsuccessful outcome(s) from the Indigenous Advancement Strategy (IAS) 2014/2015 funding round to maintain

ongoing programs in Ceduna and on Homelands.

The IAS application submitted to Department of the Prime minister and Cabinet (DPMC) by CAC was well detailed and informed across all of the five categories as outlined below.

- Jobs, Land and Economy
- Children and Schooling
- Safety and Well-Being
- Culture and Capability; and
- Remote Australia Strategy

Once the government announced the outcome of funding applications, CAC was only offered interim funding to maintain services at the Ceduna Youth Hub.

Following ongoing consultations with Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet (DPMC) further funding was secured for vital local programs including;

- Art and Culture Centre including the Jobs Creation Package
- Indigenous Sport and Recreation Program (ISARP)
- Indigenous Women's Leadership Program (INWP)
- NAIDOC
- Indigenous Community Governance and Engagement Officer (ICEGO)

During the course of 2014/2015 the Board also faced a concerning issue regarding the non-continuation of annual funding for municipal services to Homeland communities. The Commonwealth Government advised all organisations that funding for Municipal Services would cease effective as of 30 June 2015. The cessation of \$9.6 million in funding by the Commonwealth would have affected 4000 Aboriginal residents in more than 700 homes in 60 locations across South Australia.

The consequential impact of no funding for vital services in Homeland communities would have created significant environmental health issues and further disadvantage for members living on Homelands.

After intense lobbying by community representative across South Australia including CAC, funding was eventually reinstated by the Commonwealth through the State Government's Department of Planning, Transport and Infrastructure (DPTI) for a further 12 months.

I am pleased with the result of discussions between State and Federal Government Ministers to retain services to Homelands and other communities across South Australia. Without this funding many Homelands and possibly communities would have closed.

CAC still continues to develop and maintain partnerships with Eyre Peninsula Natural Resource Management (EPNRM) and Alyintjara Wilurara Natural Resource Management (AWNRM) in Land Management. This has been a long standing partnership providing employment and training to our young job seekers in Ceduna. Further opportunities will be explored as they are presented in the future.

Through senior management funding was secured for the construction of a Seed Storage Facility at the Emu Farm. This facility will be set-up as a base to store seed for future sales and land rehabilitation programs in 2015/2016.

As I had mentioned previously, government funding is being reduced significantly and we as an organisation cannot continue to rely on "hand-outs" or not accept responsibility on a range of different matters. Through the Board and senior management we have and will continue to explore opportunities through other means to support initiatives which address our needs as Aboriginal people in this community.

We must build a future for our next generation of potential leaders but at the same time retain our identity as the traditional owners of this land.

As we move forward into another year of uncertainty I also ask members of the Aboriginal Community to look at the value of CAC as an organisation to the wider community. There are a number of things which CAC supports out in the community but not necessarily recognised for those efforts in terms of what we do deliver.

At times I do fear that as a community we are sometimes dysfunctional by not coming together as a united community to deal with key issues confronting the future of our people.

One of my biggest concerns is that if we do not collectively unite as a community all the efforts made by our former and present leaders to make our community strong, vibrant and engaging on all matters that effect our people all of our efforts will be lost forever.

I urge all members to consider these important and pertinent issues which do have an impact on our overall social and economic well-being as a people living in Ceduna.

PETER MILLER
Chairperson



BOARD OF DIRECTORS

SIMON PRIDEAUX

Secretary



Simon Prideaux was born in Adelaide but spent most of his adult life living in Ceduna to be close to his mother and also to be a part of his ancestral connection to country.

Simon has spent a significant period of time living at Denial Bay with his partner and 2 children who love growing up in the area and

also leaning about the cultural history and their background.

Simon was elected to the Board in 2013 and is an active participant at Board meetings but would like to see the organisation move forward constructively by seeking new opportunities in commercial development, tourism and land management activities with a focus on training and real employment for Aboriginal people so that people do not get caught up in the destructive cycle of alcohol and substance misuse.

Following the loss of significant grant funding from the Commonwealth under the Community Development Employment Program (CDEP), the future of CAC is very reliant on sourcing other avenues of funding to maintain levels of service delivery to the Aboriginal community and supports exploring Corporate Sponsorship funding from mainstream corporations who wish to invest in CAC activities and programs.

Simon strongly believes that opportunities need to be created for our future generations in a range of fields such as land management; Aboriginal led education, leadership skills and social issues management to tackle the many social issues Aboriginal people are confronted with on a daily basis.

Overall, the corporation has moved through a very difficult period of time following the withdrawal of CDEP funding which resulted in a number of positions being made redundant. The last 12 months has seen the corporation reduce costs in order to achieve a small but significant profit which should improve over the next financial year.

COREY MCLENNAN

Director



I am the current Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Koonibba Community who was elected to the CAC Board in 2012 and again re-elected in 2014.

With a strong focus of ensuring that the financial position of the corporation continues to rebuild its capacity to deliver strong financial returns to enable remuneration

levels of employees, costs associated with maintaining assets, operational costs and other cost negative assets are contained until such time as larger investments are sourced or new opportunities developed that contribute good returns to CAC.

Obviously, income generating activities such as derived through the partnership(s) established between Eyre Peninsula Natural Resource Management (EPNRM) and Alyintjara Wilurara Natural Resource Management (AWNRM) are very important to CAC as these contracts provide a much needed source of income to the organisation.

In 2013/2014, I emphasised that as a result of the changes implemented at CAC they represented very significant challenges for us as a Board to deal with particularly given that we had to discuss changes to staffing levels remunerations packages as well deal with employee contracts for individuals who were facing redundancies.

These changes were necessary to ensure that service delivery to members of the Aboriginal community were being maintained at ground level which is a fundamental core value of our commitment as Directors to ensure that programs continue to be delivered appropriately and in a professional manner.

Throughout the course of the past financial year Directors also faced the possibility that Municipal Services funding would be withdrawn by the Commonwealth. This decision would have had a significant impact on services delivered to Homelands and could have had a detrimental effect of the health status of people living on Homelands.

I am pleased that despite the decision taken by the Commonwealth to transfer responsibility across to the State Government, Municipal Services will be retained commensurate to the same level of funding previously offered by Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet (DPMC) to CAC.

As a community leader I will continue to strive and advocate for improving the health and social well-being, and building strong foundations for our people across this region.

We should also be mindful as Aboriginal people that no matter where we live we cannot continue to rely of government funding to maintain services and programs. Funding streams to support local initiatives are no longer available as in previous years therefore we must try and source other avenues of funds such as Corporate Sponsorships to invest in programs delivered at the local level.

OSCAR RICHARDS

Director



I was born at Koonibba Mission in 1952 and have lived most of my life in the Ceduna area and across Eyre Peninsula.

I was elected onto the Board in 2012 to represent the Aboriginal community on matters I see as being important to our members.

I have served on many Boards throughout South Australia representing the issues of Aboriginal people on many issues. "Closing the Gap" remains at the forefront of the many challenges I would like to see addressed at the local level.

I have found the experience of working alongside of my fellow Directors both rewarding and challenging particularly since funding to Aboriginal communities/organisations have been dramatically reduced.

Of significant concern to me is the lack of real employment opportunities for our young people although as a corporation we have managed to develop key partnerships with agencies in the area of land management. these partnerships have provided employment under the CAC Labour Hire Program for 10 local Aboriginal job seekers.

I see real opportunities for our young people in this field as it provides a pathway for individuals to obtain Certificate II and III in Land Management and further opportunity to work in mainstream employment.

We desperately need to engage more of our people in training and employment and other diversionary programs to reduce boredom which does lead to a cycle of poverty including alcohol and substance misuse. The influx of harder drugs into our community is also concerning and can have a detrimental effect not only on the individual but also on the family structure.

There needs to greater transparency across all governments, agencies and service providers to work with the Aboriginal community to deliver programs which address gaps in funding on a range of issues such as improved housing, as well as alternative technology to reduce water and power costs.

Many Aboriginal people are suffering with the rising cost of living and are falling into the cycle of poverty.

Other critical issues include repair and maintenance of existing houses on Homelands, improving the school attendance of our young children, addressing women's issues including domestic violence as well as improving our health delivery service across the wider community, particularly to our elderly and disabled.

As a community we need to support organisations like CAC who are at the forefront of trying to address a number of core issues like alcohol and drugs, training and employment, improving governance, and youth issues.

I would like to see more young Aboriginal members from our community being nominated for positions on the CAC Board. Being elected can be rewarding and an honour as it provides an opportunity to represent your community.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

PAUL HAYNES (JNR)

Director Treasurer



At the 2014 Annual General Meeting of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation Paul Haynes (Jnr) was elected to the CAC Board of Management.

During the course of the 2014/2015 financial year Paul Haynes vacated his position by written resignation.

No report submitted.

JANOMIE SAUNDERS

Director

At the 2014 Annual General Meeting of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation Janomie Saunders was elected to the CAC Board of Management.

During the course of the 2014/2015 financial year Janomie Saunders vacated her position by written resignation.

No report submitted.





As Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation (CAC), I am pleased to present an overview of the corporation's activities for the 2014-15 financial years in accordance with the statutory reporting requirements under the Corporations (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) Act 2006 and the Office of the Registrar of Indigenous Corporations (ORIC).

During the 2014/2015 financial year the corporation was again forced to face many challenges as a result of major funding restrictions to support programs which deliver a range of services and programs in and around the Ceduna area.

These programs are vital in maintaining activities for our youth as well as support programs attached to the Far West Aboriginal Sporting Complex, Ceduna Art and Culture Centre and School Holiday programs which promote active lifestyles through sport and recreational activities.

In mid-October 2014 Indigenous organisations across Australia were required to submit applications for future funding for the 2015/2016 financial year under the Indigenous Advancement Strategy (IAS) through Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet (DPMC). Many applications were either rejected or failed to receive any funding support, forcing many organisations to close their doors leaving many people without adequate or any service provision.

During the reporting year funding was provided through Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet (DPMC) either to support or maintain:

- Indigenous Community Engagement and Governance Officer position located at CAC
- Sport and Recreation
- Ceduna Arts and Culture Centre
- Ceduna Youth Hub
- Community Development Fund-Land Management Training
- Municipal Services
- NAIDOC
- Indigenous Women's Leadership

As at 30 June 2015, funding for the delivery of Municipal Services was transferred from the Commonwealth to the State Department of Planning, Transport and Infrastructure (DPTI) for the 2015/2016 financial year.

Previously, I reported that Aboriginal members of this corporation would face many challenges to maintain our presence in this community as well as continue to operate as a viable and solvent entity.

For many Aboriginal organisations including CAC, it is now evident that we face an uncertain period of change regarding the future of Indigenous Affairs and programs previously funded under successive governments, particularly for the ensuing financial year.

As a direct result of the changing political environment and the uncertainty of ongoing funding for our programs, CAC embarked on developing a Corporate Partnership Proposal through SMS Consultancy aimed at attracting corporate funding to support programs currently managed under CAC. These proposals will be distributed across approximately fifty (50) major corporate entities seeking their investment support.

It is important for members to appreciate and understand that sometimes decisions supported by the Board do not deliver the desired outcomes we seek but must continue to explore other opportunities to maintain our presence as a key service provider for the members we represent.

These challenges will continue to evolve in an environment of strategic and political and directional change for CAC. As an organisation we must continue to take on the challenges before us if we are to be successful in any business venture or service we take on as Aboriginal people in Ceduna and across this region.

A new employment registration requirement under the Remote Jobs and Communities Program (RJCP) now requires unemployed individual job seekers to participate in approved work activity programs. Clearly the governments focus has shifted from social programs to service provision based on measurable longer term employment participation programs.

With the changes in government policy around service delivery and the framework in which CAC has previously operated, we now have to consider how best to respond to what are clearly significant and con-

tinuing changes in policy frameworks on service delivery and government funded programs.

CAC continues to be recognised as a key Aboriginal service provider in Ceduna for Aboriginal people, however, we must now re-invent our thinking to develop the resources and skills required to ensure that real jobs, sustainable employment, training, and opportunities are explored and developed.

In addition, commercial and business development outcomes have become a prime focus for the Board to secure a future for Aboriginal people, particularly our youth as part of our service with excellence.

In further developments, funding for the "Breaking the Cycle of Alcohol and Substance Misuse" in Indigenous communities program for the far west region ceased as of August 2014.

CAC continues to strengthen its partnership with Eyre Peninsula Natural Resource Management (EPNRM) on rehabilitation and conservation work in the Wild Eyre Revegetation and Chain of Bays projects.

A new partnership has also been established with Alyintjara Wilurara Natural Resource Management (AWNRM) pro-

viding further training and employment opportunities for young Aboriginal job seekers in the Ceduna area.

These partnerships generate income for the corporation to support the ongoing operational expenditure of the corporation. Without this source of income, the corporation would not be in a viable position to maintain existing overheads associated with assets held.

An opportunity in the field of Land Management and Seed Collection training at the Emu Farm was supported through Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet. This has been a positive and rewarding program resulting in ten (10) jobs seekers being trained in a range of key Land Management practices.

In closing, I extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to the Board and employees of the Corporation for their contribution and commitment in what can only be described as a difficult and tumultuous year.

MICHAEL HAYNES
Chief Executive Officer

PROGRAM REPORTS



MUNICIPAL SERVICES

A municipal service is provided to the eight local Homeland Communities and one in Port Lincoln. The Service includes:

- Hard Waste Removal
- Dog Control
- Landscaping and Dust Control
- Fire Prevention
- Sewage
- Road Grading of Internal Roads

This year the Municipal Services team continued to provide an efficient service to all Homelands through regular consultations with Homeland Chairpersons. This process enables the team to identify and prioritise action tasks within the respective communities.

The Homeland Communities include:

- Betts Corner
- Yarilena
- Dinahline
- Warevilla
- Munda Munda Watu Tjina
- Munda & Wanna Mar
- Akenta

CAC endeavours to utilise members to assist with carrying out various tasks within their community or utilises CAC Labour Hire Services for:

HARD WASTE

Municipal Services liaises with Homeland Chairpersons and the CAC Labour Hire Services to remove all hard waste on Homelands. This task is undertaken periodically. Four of the eight Homeland communities utilised these services including the complete removal of rubbish to the designated rubbish collection point.

LANDSCAPING AND DUST CONTROL

Municipal Services provided slashing to four Homelands and contracted CAC Labour Hire workers to assist with:

- Maintenance of community ovals, parks and playgrounds
- Identifying locations impacting negatively on air quality and undertaking remedial actions including the planting of shrubs and bushes to control dust movement
- Conducting weekly inspections of critical Homelands infrastructure
- Mowing and whipper snipping
- Erected new sails on playground
- Layered crush refine around office/shed area
- Planted fruit trees at each Homeland on request.

ROAD REPAIRS

Activities undertaken included:

- Routine grading of internal unsealed roads
- Minor maintenance including repair of potholes

DOG HEALTH

The Port Lincoln Veterinary Service is engaged twice a year to improve the health of community dogs. Services are provided to de-sex, cull and vaccinate dogs. General treatment includes eradicating ticks, parasites, worms, mange and other infectious diseases.

During the year there were a small number of instances of dogs trespassing on neighbouring land and destroying livestock. Those dogs were euthanised.

FIRE PREVENTION

Firebreaks are essential to minimising the risk of communities losing key assets. Accordingly breaks have been created and maintained around all designated community points including houses, the administrative centre, sheds and paddocks. This service is conducted biannually.

YARILENA SEWAGE

Municipal Services through regular site inspections provided perimeter sewage pond, weed control, dispensed and maintained onsite chemicals, monitored and maintained pumps to ensure operational effectiveness.



CEDUNA ARTS AND CULTURE CENTRE

The Centre's primary aim is to build a stronger Visual Arts Industry, and in doing so, promote employment of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples in positions supporting the delivery of the Australian Government arts and culture programs.

The program is funded by the Department of Regional Australia, Local Government, Arts and Sport and for the past twelve months was implemented by Pam Diment along with Collette Gray, Samara Swan, Beaver Lennon and Kelly Taylor.

The Centre is Aboriginal owned and sells artworks on behalf of artists in the Far West Region. The Arts and Culture Centre commenced in 2001 and the development of the business has provided an opportunity for artists as far away as Oak Valley, Yalata and Koonibba to promote and sell their artwork and artifacts.

Other benefits of the Centre include providing a source of income and economic independence for artists and the delivery of new skills workshops, training, physical materials and an environment with the facilities to produce, promote and sell Aboriginal visual arts.

The Arts play an important role in any culture, society or local community; the Centre has an integral role in the maintenance and transmission of indigenous culture and in maintaining links to Country and capacity building.

The centre held and participated in a number of events including

- Pottery workshops
- Film Production
- Light Painting Techniques workshops
- Lino Printing Workshop
- Picture Framing Workshop
- Working closely with Complete Personnel (RJCP) and partnering with Oak Valley Maralinga Tjarutja to assist artists in the development of their work and the associated administrative tasks
- Nuclear Futures mentoring program
- Partnership with Eyre Futures mentoring and training disengaged youth to provide opportunities in Hospitality and Certificate II in Business and Work Preparation

- Marine Debris Workshop –sculptural artworks were created that reflect the natural and cultural environment of the region.
- White Lion Stride Street Art Workshop
- Participation in the Our Mob exhibition at the Adelaide Festival Centre
- Munna (Hat) workshop with Yalata, Scotdesco and Koonibba.
- Catch and Cook Workshop
- Joylene Haynes commissioned to work with Ceduna Area School to produce artworks.
- Fire extinguisher workshop
- Artist participation in Far West Native Title logo competition – won by Nancy Lawrie.
- Cultural trip to Pridinga Rockhole – documenting storyline associated with the Rockhole and Red Lakes.
- 'Jidirah the Whale' project culminated in the whale being displayed in the Taronga Zoo Sydney and in Monaco at the Oceanographic Museum of Monaco.
- National Gallery Victoria acquired a painting from Beaver Lennon. Artwork by Joylene Haynes selected for the Watershed exhibition Adelaide.
- Works selected for inclusion in the Near Horizons exhibition displayed in the Migration Museum.
- Artists met with the Minister for the Arts, The Honourable Jack Snelling.
- Updated website to cross-reference with Google searches on the Internet. Increased exposure by linking Ceduna Arts & Cultural Centre with social networks.

CAC also extends a warm welcome to the incoming Art Centre Coordinator, Pam Armstrong. Pam possesses an array on knowledge and experience in the arts and in working with Aboriginal artists across Western Australia particularly communities in northern WA.



FAR WEST LANGUAGES CENTRE

The Far West Language Centre is funded by the Department of the Prime Minister & Cabinet, Office for the Arts to:

- Support the maintenance of indigenous languages
- Increase the use of indigenous languages in a range of fields and media, including greater indigenous community engagement
- Increase public appreciation of indigenous languages
- Support the sustainable development of organisations working to support indigenous languages

Over the past year the Centre focussed on increasing capacity through community engagement and identifying opportunities for people to participate in the documentation of Gugada/Kokatha languages with the assistance of Dr. Mark Clendon. As a result 6 informants were paid for their contributions in the recording of the languages as part of the Master Apprentice Language Learning Program. This program is the main vehicle to promote language revitalisation. In particular Master/Apprentice sessions are providing motivation to the individuals involved and are delivering high quality language use.

Adelaide University linguists and the mobile language team are supporting local language data collection are undertaking ongoing research.

The Centre has run a number of informal pronunciation sessions with staff and children from the Ngura Yaduririn Family & Children's Centre.

The Centre conducted a workshop in Adelaide with the Mobile Languages Team to establish a dictionary database.

During 2014/2015 year former Coordinator, Estelle Miller resigned and was replaced by Lynette Ackland. CAC wishes to acknowledge the efforts and achievements of Estelle during her time as Coordinator and we wish her well for the future.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Collette Gray enrolled in Conservation and Land Management

Kelly Taylor enrolled in Certificate III in Media

Samara Swan Certificate III in Children's Services

Pam Diment recently resigned from her position. CAC and its Board would like to acknowledge her passion and contribution to the Arts and wish her all the best for the future.



SPORT AND RECREATION

Indigenous Sport and Active Recreation

The Indigenous Sport and Active Recreation Program (ISARP) is funded by the Department of Regional Australia, Local Government, Arts and Sport to:

Facilitate able and disabled Indigenous Australians to participate in sport and active recreation within the Ceduna District.

Encourage and increase community ownership and the management of sport and active recreation through skills development and to provide employment opportunities for people to support and/or assist in the provision of sport and active recreation.

Target entry-level positions for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in assisting them in the transition to employment within the broader sport and recreation sector.

Participation in sport and recreation activities plays a vital role in improving the health and wellbeing of Indigenous people and their communities. It provides a range of benefits including increased self-esteem, social and community cohesion, increased cognitive development and learning and reduces the prevalence of anti social behaviour.

This year activities included:

- Colleen Tschuna & Maurice Miller Cups
- NAIDOC Family/Sports Day
- Golf Day with participants from Ceduna Youth Hub

- Visit from Paddy Mills NBA Championship player
- Implemented 10-week gymnasium program in conjunction with Community Gym Instructor.
- Men's & Women's Basketball Competitions
- Joint School Holiday Program with Bright Youth Foundation to run end of school Big Day Out that featured Extreme Kite and Paddle activities
- Golf Days in conjunction with Malcolm Bilney Centacare, for Indigenous men
- Weekly junior basketball academy
- School holidays program with Ceduna Youth Hub including visits to Davenport Beach, Smoky Bay and a Foreshore Funday held at the Ceduna foreshore.
- Support for key personnel to gain Surf Rescue Certificate
- Participation of local community members in the Tour de Nunga
- Running local basketball competition for 8 men's and 4 women's teams.

The Coordinator Sonya Coleman resigned on 13 March 2015 and was replaced by Caroline Schmucker for the interim. CAC and its Board would like to acknowledge Sonya for her efforts in organising many community events in the sport and recreation field and wish her well for the future.

CAC welcomes the new incoming Sport and Recreation Officer, Tracey Cox who was appointed to the position in September of this year

FAR WEST ABORIGINAL SPORTING COMPLEX

The Department of Regional Australia, Local Government, Arts and Sport to fund the Far West Aboriginal Sporting Complex (FWASCI) to:

Increase the active participation of able and disabled Indigenous Australians in sport and active recreation activities.

Encourage and increase community ownership and management of sport and active recreation activities, including skills development.

Provide employment opportunities for people to support and/or assist in the provision of sport and active recreation activities, and specifically entry level positions for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people for positions available more broadly in the sport and active recreation industry.

During the year we were fortunate to have some fantastic sponsors – The Centre would like to acknowledge and thank Far West Mining and Civil, MGA Insurance, Career Employment Group, Ceduna Food and Milk Distributors, Exact Mining and the Ceduna Foreshore Hotel Motel.

The Centre has continued to foster a family friendly community oriented inclusive club that connects people through sport and recreation.

Bookings & Events

- Basketball, Pool & Tennis Competitions
- Football & Netball Season
- Thursday Night Dinners
- NAIDOC Week Celebrations – hosted 4 events
- CKAHS Men's Health Day
- Red Cross
- Wake/s
- CAC Loader and Backhoe Training (CEG)
- RJCP – Assisted with landscaping, mowing and revamping the internal boundary roads. The Women's group has assisted by ensuring the netball toilets are clean, breakages reported, working in the kitchen and vacuuming regularly.
- Colleen Tschuna & Maurice Miller Cups – a huge success which included an appearance from Port Power AFL players, together with support from the Puya Blasters who provided stalls with healthy eating alternatives for the schools involved namely Crossways Lutheran, Ceduna Area, Koonibba Aboriginal, Yalata Anangu and Oak Valley Anangu.



CAC also extends a very warm welcome to Darryll Coleman who is the manager of the Far West Aboriginal Sporting Complex under the Real Jobs program.



CEDUNA YOUTH HUB

The Ceduna Youth Hub began life back in 2012 to provide an integrated service response for the youth of the Ceduna community. The Hub provides a central location to facilitate two-way engagement processes between young people and service providers with a view to:

- Providing positive diversionary program opportunities as well as a need based referral service for young people at risk, particularly regarding alcohol and substance abuse and related self-harm and violence.
- Working with local service organisations and stakeholders to ensure the delivery of targeted activities, services and education/awareness programs for youth.
- Working closely with the local Job Search Agency to provide an RJCP Work Activity for youth jobseekers.
- Identifying potential youth leaders and offering them appropriate leadership and development support.

The Ceduna Youth Hub has been extremely successful in engaging and maintaining youth interest since its inception. Positive indicators include transition to work for participants through the RJCP activity as well as large participation activity based programs.

To achieve these and similar outcomes the Ceduna Youth Hub runs a number of programs and activities throughout the year including:

- Drop In Service 5 days per week
- Comprehensive School Holiday Programs
- RJCP Work Activity Host
- Local Service Provider Outreach and Programs including ADAC, Ceduna District Health Service, Life Without Barriers, Red Cross, Centacare, Eyre Futures.
- Hosting Intra State Service Provider Programs including Whitelion-Stride, Shine SA, Aboriginal Health Council, RFDS, Office for Sports and Recreation, Bright Youth Foundation.
- Multimedia Leadership Program (Film/Music)
- Community Mural Projects
- Mentoring Camps
- National Youth Week and NAIDOC Celebrations
- Bike Restoration Program

CAC and its Board wishes to congratulate the Ceduna Youth Hub and its coordinator Peter Jericho who accepted the Rural Doctor's Workforce Agency South Australian Community Achievement Award for Rural Health and Wellbeing in 2014.

INDIGENOUS COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND GOVERNANCE OFFICER

The Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet funds the position of the Indigenous Community and Engagement Officer under its priority of getting children to school, adults to work and making communities safer.

The key strategic initiatives include:

- Assisting communities to identify goals, develop organisational structures, plans and processes.
- Work with communities to develop strategies to promote community leaders to have a stronger voice on strategic matters, frameworks and working documents related to the broader Aboriginal community.
- Identify community leaders that can influence developing a strong governance culture.
- Facilitate a range of forums that focus on leadership, governance and capacity building with particular emphasis on developing collaborative partnerships with government and other key stakeholders
- Attend community and stakeholder forums and encourage participation from community leaders.
- Foster positive relationships between the communities and Ceduna District Council including facilitating forums and regional proposals focussed on community safety.
- Develop strategies to promote communities to have a stronger voice on matters related to the broader Aboriginal community

Activities for this financial year include:

- Development of working documents that identify regional plans.
- Development of structural review model with Community Heads Group (CHG).
- Continuing work with Ceduna Services Reform to identify regional plans to minimise harm caused by alcohol and other drugs.
- Working with Housing South Australia, DPMC & Far West Coast Homelands to discuss sustainable property management models.

- Individual consultation with Community Heads either face to face or via teleconferencing.
- Five Homelands choosing to adopt sustainable housing model.
- Development of a regional governance structure to strengthen community representation.
- Participation in the Far West Mojo Program to showcase communities and restore pride, culminating in a short story 'We're all Leaders'.
- A planning session to improve functionality of the CHG.
- Partnering with service providers to deliver training and mentoring programs to potential leaders.
- Identification of community leaders (aged 18-25) in conjunction with the Youth Reference Group and the establishment of a regional program.
- Fostered relationships and linkages between informal community leaders, governance groups and CHG to encourage participation and mentoring of potential leaders.
- Engagement with local communities and a range of stakeholders in reference to the Forest Review and West Coast Regional Alcohol and Substance Misuse Action Group as well as meetings with Homelands Chairpersons, Ceduna Wildlife Sanctuary, Ceduna Services Reform, Ceduna District Council, Koonibba Community Aboriginal Corporation, Centacare, Governance Working Group, West Coast Homelands and the Red Cross
- Participation in Country Cabinet.
- Discussions with Ceduna District Council to identify partnership opportunities in upcoming projects including Sleepy Lizard Park, Ceduna Foreshore Redevelopment and Ongoing Council works.
- Drafting of a partnership agreement with Ceduna District Council, service providers and agencies.
- Brokering pathways between RJCP and gainful employment.
- Identified strategic planning session with CHG to provide clarity around frameworks, roles and purpose.
- Facilitation of training opportunities.



BREAKING THE CYCLE OF ALCOHOL AND SUBSTANCE MISUSE REPORT

The Indigenous Capability and Development (ICAD) Program – Breaking the Cycle of Alcohol and Substance Misuse in Indigenous Communities was funded by the Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet to provide support for individuals, families and communities to improve wellbeing, capability and governance.

The program ceased in the first quarter of the financial year. Many great outcomes were achieved. For the purposes of the Annual Report only activities in the last quarter have been documented.

Activities undertaken in that time included:

- Production and distribution of Swimming the River CD to Community Centres, Health Services, Youth Services, Schools, Ceduna District Council, the local radio station and available for viewing on Youtube.
- Production of report outlining actions achieved against priorities in The West Coast Alcohol and Substance Misuse Plan presented in August 2014.
- Governance training proposed for Far West Aboriginal Women's Council.
- Proposed community training i(Certificate I) in Oak Valley, Yalata and Koonibba through the Aboriginal Access Centre to empower individuals to engage in community engagement, develop IT skills, explore work and Certificate II training pathways and general skills to assist in further study.
- Customised leadership training held in communities.
- TAFE SA to provide various training to communities covering the following skills: literacy and numeracy, communication, employment and IT.

CAC and its Board would like to acknowledge Sharon who stepped into the role and delivered some fantastic outcomes for the Ceduna region. Thank you Sharon, we wish you well for the future.

NAIDOC WEEK

NAIDOC week was celebrated from July 6 – 12. The theme for this year was Serving Country 'Centenary and Beyond'. NAIDOC is about promotion and reconciliation within the wider community. CAC brought together remote and non-remote communities to celebrate a number of events promoting healthy families and better lifestyles through sports and recreation.

Sunday – Church Service

Celebrations commenced with the Koonibba Aboriginal community. A church service hosted by the Koonibba Community Aboriginal Council was officiated by Pastor Dean Heyne. This was followed by a ceremony to commemorate and recognise the contribution of Aboriginal men and women who served in World Wars I & II and the Korean War. A morning tea, prepared by Kevina Ware, was held in the Community Hall. Attendance increased by approximately 50 people on the previous year.

Monday – NAIDOC March, Movie Night

The NAIDOC Committee organised a march beginning in the car park at Mitre 10 and culminating at the RSL Park in the raising of the flag with a barbeque lunch and local bush tucker. Ceduna Arts and Crafts hosted the event and the awards of Artist of the Year, Achievement and Further Education were announced.

A movie night held at the FWASCI where 'Frozen' and 'Standing Up' were screened along with complimentary nibbles.

Tuesday – Elders Lunch, Quiz Night

Ceduna Koonibba Aboriginal Health Service Aboriginal Corporation and the Far West Coast Aboriginal Community Charitable Trust sponsored the lunch. It was held at FWASCI and 74 elders attended. CKAHSAC staff undertook the decorating, cleaning and waitressing. Elders were treated to music, a display of old photographs, slideshow and a lunch cooked by Anna Toumbus. Ali Paerata and Stewart Mc Waters supplied the entertainment. A great success as the feedback was extremely positive and the lunch was the largest ever held.

Thanks to the following people and organisations who made significant contributions to the success of the lunch: CKAHS and staff, Far West Coast Aboriginal Community Charitable Trust, CAC, Peter Miller, Brenz Saunders Jnr., Tia Carbine, Jordan Miller, Shearne Gray, Ali Paerata and Stewart Mc Waters.

Quiz Night

A quiz night (teams of six) was held at FWASCI for people 16 years and over and was hosted Cecelia Cox, during the course of the evening light refreshments were served.

Wednesday – Family Sports Day, 8 Ball Competition

The Family Sports day faced significant challenges due to the impending weather and a number of outdoor activities could not be utilised. Thankfully Ceduna School came to the rescue and the event was held in the school gymnasium. Activities included kite making, electric scooters, mechanical bull riding, jumping castle, Velcro stick walls and sumo wrestling suits. A number of agencies attended to showcase their services.

Despite the weather the day was a huge success with 200-250 parents and children attending. Show bags containing aboriginal flags, temporary tattoos, hacky sack, Frisbees, NAIDOC wristbands and NAIDOC badge were a hit with the children. Special thank you to Dionne Haynes and Families SA for the use of the BBQ trailer, and to Royden & Joseph Miller for cooking assistance. CAC would like to acknowledge CKAHS, Aboriginal Legal Rights Movement, Centrelink, Save the Children and Centacare for their attendance.

8 Ball Competition

The competition was sponsored by Complete Personnel and held at FWASCI for people of all race to compete in either singles or doubles between mixed genders and was open to people sixteen years and above. It was initially planned for 30 people, but the response was excellent with 50 people turning out.

CAC would like to thank Ceduna Foodland for the provision of finger food, MC Cyril Windlass, Ceduna Homescene for donating the 2 door prizes (\$50 vouchers) Graham Bilney for providing equipment, Cecilia Cox, FWACSI for the venue and Complete Personnel for their sponsorship.

Thursday – Children's Fancy Dress Disco

The disco catered for children from 0-11 years of age and was hosted by Ceduna Family Violence Legal Service Aboriginal Corporation and SAPOL. The event was well attended with children coming from all parts of the District.

Friday – Youth and NAIDOC Masquerade Balls

Both balls were well attended and organised. People embraced the masquerade theme and a good time was had by all.

CAC wishes to acknowledge NAIDOC sponsors: the Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet, Far West Coast Aboriginal Community Charitable Trust, Iluka, Family Violence Legal Service Aboriginal Corporation (South Australia), BP Australia, Ceduna Home Timber and Hardware, Complete Personnel, Ceduna Foreshore Hotel Motel, Ceduna Koonibba Aboriginal Health Service Aboriginal Corporation and NAIDOC hosts: Ceduna Koonibba Aboriginal Health Service Inc., Far West Aboriginal Sports Complex, Koonibba Community Aboriginal Council, Centrelink, Ceduna Youth Network, SAPOL and the 2013 NAIDOC Committee.

We would like to recognise the exceptional efforts of the 2014 committee – Cecilia Cox, Sharon Yendall, Tracey Cox, Sonya Coleman, Renee Colbung, Amanda Richards, Jean Carbine, Dionne Haynes, Kevina Ware, Peter Jericho, Nicole Coleman, Gloria Haseldine, Janomine Saunders and Michelle Naylon.



LAND MANAGEMENT/SEED COLLECTION AND TRAINING PROGRAM

This program was funded by Community Development Funding (CDF) as part of the Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet portfolio and was targeted to young long term unemployed people.

Key objectives were:

- RJCP jobseeker engagement
- Engagement with employers and employment opportunities
- Community engagement that aligns with community priorities

Throughout the course of the year CAC supported Aboriginal jobseekers by providing appropriate transport and mentoring support to ensure jobseekers were provided with the best possible opportunities to participate in the activity and ultimately gain appropriate accreditation and employment.

Regular meetings with Complete Personnel, Ceduna Youth Hub, Eyre Peninsula Natural Resource Management and Alyntjara Wilurara Natural Resource Management (AWNRM) enabled CAC to identify and engage jobseekers to ascertain their interest and willingness to participate in the activity as a potential pathway to gainful employment.

This initiative follows two previous land management projects namely 'Chain of Bays' and 'Wild Eyre', which form part of the broader partnership between the Eyre Peninsula Natural Resource Management (EPNRM) and CAC.

The project was designed around a whole of community approach to provide employment opportunities to young Aboriginal jobseekers. The results include:

- Employment for 10 indigenous people including 2 in the youth cohort (16-24 years old)
- Training for 10 indigenous people in Chemical Certificate – purchase and application, First Aid Certificate, Chain Saw Operations, White Card (OH & S), All Terrain Vehicle accreditation, GPS Tracking and Work Zone Traffic Management, a further 2 of the 10 received a Plant Pest Operators Licence.

- Application to the Indigenous Land Council (ILC) to construct a large shed to support the Land Management Program. This application was successful.
- Establishment of a sandalwood site involving the clearing of 10 acres in preparation for direct seeding of native acacia (host plant).
- 3 of the original participants obtained employment with EPNRM under CAC Labour Hire Services.

Despite current funding having ceased CAC recognises significant ongoing opportunities in relation to land management and is confident of further success. Industry best practice models dictate specific control of plants and animals in the conservation and land management industry. CAC is recognised as having the requisite expertise and experience to deliver against these particularly in the areas of weeds of national significance, prescribed plants and vertebrate pest control.

Further opportunities for contractual work in land management can be secured with Parks and Wildlife and Greening Australia. CAC is in discussion with Land Care Australia regarding large-scale seed collection and rehabilitation projects. Ongoing discussions continue with native titleholders on co-management work activity plans for designated parks such as Yumberra, Yellabinna Wilderness area, Yellabinna Regional Reserve including Nullarbor Regional Reserve and Nullarbor National Park.



GENERAL FINANCIAL REPORT

THE FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING 30 JUNE 2015 CONTAINS:

- The financial report for the year ending 30 June 2015 contains:
- Names and addresses of Directors
- Name and address of the Corporations Secretary
- The Corporations registered address
- The Corporations total income and expenditure and a balance sheet disclosing income, expenditure and liabilities for the financial year ending 30 June 2015
- The value of the Corporations assets as at the end of the financial year ending 30 June 2015
- The number of employees of the corporation as at 30 June 2015
- The Corporations ABN
- That Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation is a deductible gift recipient under the Income Tax Assessment Act
- Director's declaration, in accordance with the requirements of the Corporations (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) Act 2006 (CATSI Act)

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SENIOR FINANCIAL MANAGER REPORT



For the Financial period ending 30th June 2015, Hillier Ellis – Chartered Accountant have continued to assist with quarterly scrutinising of all accounts with Richard Deane of Deane & Associates conducting an interim audit in March with a final Audit of CAC's accounts completed in September 2015.

Various funding received during the 2014-15 financial year on behalf of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation included:

- NAIDOC
- Municipal Services – Homelands
- Art & Culture
- Far West Coast Aboriginal Languages Program
- Sport & Recreation Program
- Indigenous Women
- Indigenous Capability and Development
- Youth Hub
- Jobs Creation Package

In the opinion of the Auditor, the financial report of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation is in accordance with the CATSI Act 2006, including:

- Giving a true and fair view of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation's financial position as at 30th June 2015 and of its performance for the year ended on that date; and
- Complying with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the CATSI Act Regulations 2006.

Deane & Associates further specifically report that:

- Assets with a purchase or construction cost of \$5,000 or more acquired with Grant Funds, have been insured with an insurer recognised by APRA; and
- Asset register has been maintained in accordance with the terms and conditions of the grants received.

The day to day operations including payroll and all data entries were undertaken by the Senior Financial Manager.

SENIOR FINANCIAL MANAGER

Gavin Haynes



CEDUNA ABORIGINAL CORPORATION

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

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STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND COMPREHENSIVE INCOME
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

		2015		2014
	NOTE	\$		\$
Revenue from ordinary activities	2	3,620,538		3,974,808
Employee benefit expense	3	(1,591,032)		(1,199,627)
Depreciation expense	3	(147,362)		(153,007)
Programme costs	3	(1,031,820)		(1,259,684)
Property expenses	3	(98,351)		(113,106)
Management, administration & other expenses	3	(771,528)		(1,446,022)
Profit / (Deficit) before income tax expense	1a	(19,555)		(196,638)
Income tax expense		Nil		Nil
Net Profit / (Deficit) after income tax expense		(19,555)		(196,638)
Interest on discontinued operations		0		0
Net Profit / (Deficit) for year		(19,555)		(196,638)
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME				
Revaluation of Investment Properties	0		1,157,881	
Carry forward Funding 2012-13	(58,824)			
Land and Buildings not owned	0	(58,824)	(335,421)	822,460
Total comprehensive income for the year		(78,379)		625,822

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
AS AT 30 JUNE 2015

		2015		2014
	NOTE	\$		\$
ASSETS				
CURRENT ASSETS				
Cash and cash equivalents	5	1,378,769		2,044,731
Trade and Other Receivables	6	244,464		235,910
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		1,623,232		2,280,640
NON-CURRENT ASSETS				
Investment properties	7	675,000		675,000
Property, plant & equipment	8	2,477,980		2,605,341
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		3,152,980		3,280,341
TOTAL ASSETS		4,776,213		5,560,981
LIABILITIES				
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Trade and Other Payables	9	337,211		1,026,757
Borrowings	10	8,000		8,000
Provisions	11	82,130		82,118
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		427,341		1,116,874
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Trade and Other Payables	9	0		0
Borrowings	10	217,115		233,971
Provisions	11	0		0
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		217,115		233,971
TOTAL LIABILITIES		644,456		1,350,846
NET ASSETS		4,131,756		4,210,135
EQUITY				
Retained profits		2,833,699		2,912,078
Reserves		1,298,057		1,298,057
TOTAL EQUITY		4,131,756		4,210,135

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

		Retained Earnings	Consolidated Reserves	Asset Revaluation Reserve	Total
	NOTE	\$			\$
Balance at 1st July 2013		3,444,137	143,829	(3,653)	3,584,313
Less Brought forward Income		0	0		0
Less Discrepancy		0	0		0
Other Comprehensive income		(335,421)	0	1,157,881	822,460
(Deficit) for year		(196,638)	0		(196,638)
Balance at 30 June 2014		2,912,078	143,829	1,154,228	4,210,135
Less Discrepancy		0	0		0
Other Comprehensive income		(58,824)	0	0	(58,824)
Surplus/ (Loss) for year		(19,555)	0		(19,555)
Balance at 30 June 2015		\$2,833,699	\$143,829	\$1,154,228	4,131,756

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

		2015	2014
	NOTE	\$	\$
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Receipts from customers		1,644,075	1,242,735
Operating grants and subsidies received		1,172,121	3,024,136
Interest received		22,596	17,189
Donations		3,560	36,000
Payments to suppliers and employees		(3,471,456)	(4,021,701)
Net cash generated by/(used in) operating activities	14b	(629,104)	298,358
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Unknown difference in opening equity		0	(24,286)
Disposal of property, plant and equipment		0	6,000
Purchase of property, plant and equipment		(20,002)	(147,694)
Redemption/ (Purchase) of investments		0	2,635
Net cash generated by (used in) investing activities		(20,002)	(163,345)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Repayment of borrowings		(16,857)	(5,952)
Net cash generated by/(used in) financing activities		(16,857)	(5,952)
Net (decrease)/ increase in cash		(665,962)	129,062
Cash 1 July		2,044,731	1,765,161
Cash 30 June	14a	1,378,769	1,894,223

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

The financial statements cover Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation as a consolidated entity. Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation is a company incorporated under the Corporations (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders) Act 2006.

Note 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Preparation

The financial statements are general purpose financial statements that have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards - Reduced Disclosure Requirements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board (AASB) and the Corporations Incorporation Act. The corporation is a not-for-profit entity for financial reporting purposes under Australian Accounting Standards.

Australian Accounting Standards set out accounting policies that the AASB has concluded would result in financial statements containing relevant and reliable information about transactions, events and conditions to which they apply. Material accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements are presented below and have been consistently applied unless otherwise stated. The financial statements have been prepared on an accruals basis and are based on historical costs, modified, where applicable, by the measurement at fair value of selected non-current assets, financial assets and financial liabilities.

The financial statements were authorised for issue on 24 October 2015 by the directors of the corporation.

(a) Principles of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the assets, liabilities and results of the entities controlled by Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation at the end of the reporting period. A controlled entity is any entity over which Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation has the power to govern the financial and operating policies so as to obtain benefits from its activities.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, all intragroup balances and transactions between entities in the consolidated group have been eliminated in full on consolidation.

(b) Income Tax

The corporation is exempt from income tax and is a deductible gift recipient as determined by the Australian Taxation Office

(c) Fair Value of Assets and Liabilities

The association measures some of its assets and liabilities at fair value on either a recurring or non-recurring basis, depending on the requirements of the applicable Accounting Standard.

Fair value is the price the association would receive to sell an asset or would have to pay to transfer a liability in an orderly (i.e. unforced) transaction between independent, knowledgeable and willing market participants at the measurement date. As fair value is a market-based measure, the closest equivalent observable market pricing information is used to determine fair value. Adjustments to market values may be made having regard to the characteristics of the specific asset or liability. The fair values of assets and liabilities that are not traded in an active market are determined using one or more valuation techniques. These valuation techniques maximise, to the extent possible, the use of observable market data.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

Note 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(c) Fair Value of Assets and Liabilities

To the extent possible, market information is extracted from either the principal market for the asset or liability (i.e. the market with the greatest volume and level of activity for the asset or liability) or, in the absence of such a market, the most advantageous market available to the entity at the end of the reporting period (i.e. the market that maximises the receipts from the sale of the asset or minimises the payments made to transfer the liability, after taking into account transaction costs and transport costs).

For non-financial assets, the fair value measurement also takes into account a market participant's ability to use the asset in its highest and best use or to sell it to another market participant that would use the asset in its highest and best use.

The fair value of liabilities and the entity's own equity instruments (excluding those related to share-based payment arrangements) may be valued, where there is no observable market price in relation to the transfer of such financial instruments, by reference to observable market information where such instruments are held as assets. Where this information is not available, other valuation techniques are adopted and, where significant, are detailed in the respective note to the financial statements.

(d) Property, Plant and Equipment

Each class of property plant & equipment is carried at cost, or fair value less applicable depreciation.

Land and buildings

Land and buildings are measured at cost less impairment or Board valuation. Net revaluation increments in the carrying amounts of land and buildings are recognised directly in the asset revaluation reserve. Impairments are provided for as necessary and charged to expense.

Plant and equipment

Plant and equipment is measured on the cost basis and is therefore carried at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. In the event the carrying amount of plant and equipment is greater than its estimated recoverable amount the carrying amount is written down immediately to its estimated recoverable amount. A formal assessment of recoverable amount is made when impairment indicators are present.

The depreciable amount of all fixed assets including buildings, but excluding freehold land, is depreciated on a straight line basis over their useful lives to the Corporation commencing from the time the asset is held ready for use.

The depreciation rates used for each class of depreciable asset are:

Class of Fixed Asset	Depreciation Rate
Buildings	2.5%
Plant and equipment	10.0%
Motor vehicles	15.0%
Fixtures & Fittings	20.0%
Computers /IT equipment	40.0%

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at the end of each reporting period.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

Note 1: Statement of Significant Accounting Policies, continued

(e) Investments

Current investments are measured on the cost basis.

The carrying amount of investments is reviewed annually by the Board to ensure it is not in excess of the recoverable amount of these investments. The expected net cash flows from investments have not been discounted to their present value in determining the recoverable amounts.

(f) Employee Benefits

Short-term employee benefits

Provision is made for the association's obligation for short-term employee benefits. Short-term employee benefits are benefits (other than termination benefits) that are expected to be settled wholly before 12 months after the end of the annual reporting period in which the employees render the related service, including wages, salaries and sick leave. Short-term employee benefits are measured at the (undiscounted) amounts expected to be paid when the obligation is settled.

The association's obligations for short-term employee benefits such as wages, salaries and sick leave are recognised as a part of current trade and payables in the statement of financial position.

Other long-term employee benefits

The association classifies employees' long service leave and annual leave entitlements as other long-term employee benefits, as they are not expected to be settled wholly within 12 months after the end of the annual reporting period in which the employees render the related service.

Other long-term employee benefits are measured at the present value of the expected future payments to be made to employees. Expected future payments incorporate anticipated future wage and salary levels, durations of service and employee departures and are discounted at rates determined by reference to market yields at the end of the reporting period on government bonds that have maturity dates approximate to the terms of the obligations.

Upon the re-measurement of obligations for other long-term employee benefits, the net change in the obligation is recognised in profit and loss as a part of employee benefit expense.

The association's obligations for long-term employee benefits are presented as non-current provisions in its statement of financial position, except where the association does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement for at least 12 months after the reporting date, in which case the obligations are presented as current provisions.

Retirement benefit obligations

Defined contribution superannuation benefits

All employees of the association receive defined contribution superannuation entitlements, for which the association pays the fixed superannuation guarantee contribution (currently 9.5% of the employee's average ordinary salary) to the employee's superannuation fund of choice. All contributions in respect of employees' defined contribution entitlements are recognised as an expense when they become payable. The association's obligation with respect to employees' defined contribution entitlements is limited to its obligation for any unpaid superannuation guarantee contributions at the end of the reporting period. All obligations for unpaid superannuation guarantee contributions are measured at the (undiscounted) amounts expected to be paid when the obligation is settled and are presented as current liabilities in the association's statement of financial position.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

Note 1: Statement of Significant Accounting Policies, continued

(g) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, cash at bank and deposits at-call with banks.

(h) Revenue and other income

Revenue from Government grants and funding is recognised when it has been established that a right to receive exists.

Interest revenue is recognised using the effective interest method, which for floating rate financial assets is the rate inherent in the instrument.

All revenue is stated net of the amount of goods and service tax (GST).

(i) Trade and Other Payables

Trade and other payables represent the liability outstanding at the end of the reporting period for goods and services received by the Association during the reporting period, that remain unpaid.

The balance is recognised with the amounts normally paid within 30 days of recognition of the liability included as a current liability.

(j) Financial Instruments

Initial recognition and measurement

Financial assets and financial liabilities, are recognised when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. For Financial assets, this is equivalent to the date that the corporation commits itself to either purchase or sell the asset.

Financial instruments are initially measured at fair value with transaction costs expensed where the instrument is classified as "at fair value through profit or loss" in which case transaction costs are expensed to profit or loss immediately.

Classification and subsequent measurement

Financial instruments are subsequently measured at either fair value or cost. Fair value represents the amount for which an asset could be exchanged or a liability settled, between knowledgeable, willing parties.

(i) *Loans and receivables*

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market and are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

(ii) *Financial liabilities*

Non-derivative financial liabilities (excluding financial guarantees) are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

Impairment

At the end of each reporting period, the corporation assesses whether there is objective evidence that a financial instrument has been impaired. Impairment losses are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

Note 1: Statement of Significant Accounting Policies, continued

(k) Critical Accounting estimates and Judgements

The Board members evaluate estimates and judgements incorporated into the financial statements based on historical knowledge and best available current information. Estimates assume a reasonable expectation of future events and are based on current trends and economic data, obtained both externally and within the corporation.

Key Estimates - Impairment

The association assesses impairment at the end of each reporting date by evaluation of conditions and events specific to the association that may be indicative of impairment triggers. Recoverable amounts or relevant assets are reassessed using value-in-use calculations which incorporate various key assumptions.

(l) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST. Receivables and payables in the Balance Sheet are shown inclusive of GST. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the ATO is included with other receivables or payables in the statement of financial position.

(m) Comparative Figures

When required by Accounting Standards, comparative figures have been adjusted to conform to changes in presentation for the current financial year.

(n) New Accounting Standards for Application in Future Periods

The AASB has issued a number of new and amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations that have mandatory application dates for future reporting periods, some of which are relevant to the association. The corporation has decided not to early adopt any of the new and amended pronouncements. The association's assessment of the new and amended pronouncements that are relevant to the company but applicable in future reporting periods is set out below:

AASB 15: Revenue from Contracts with Customers (applicable for annual reporting periods commencing on or after 1 January 2017).

When effective, this Standard will replace the current accounting requirements applicable to revenue with a single, principles-based model. Except for a limited number of exceptions, including leases, the new revenue model in AASB 15 will apply to all contracts with customers as well as non-monetary exchanges between entities in the same line of business to facilitate sales to customers and potential customers. The core principle of the Standard is that an entity will recognise revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for the goods or services. To achieve this objective, AASB 15 provides the following five-step process:-

- identify the contract(s) with a customer;
- identify the performance obligations in the contract(s);
- determine the transaction price;
- allocate the transaction price to the performance obligations in the contracts; and
- recognise revenue when (or as) the performance obligations are satisfied.

This Standard will require retrospective restatement, as well as enhanced disclosures regarding revenue.

Although the Board anticipates that the adoption of AASB 15 may have an impact on the corporation's financial statements, it is impracticable at this stage to provide a reasonable estimate of such impact.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

	2015	2014
	\$	\$
Note 2: Revenue		
Operating Activities		
Government funding (net)	1,672,809	1,092,011
Incentive payments	16,909	36,000
Interest received	22,596	36,000
Programme Income	1,174,009	1,018,942
Other Income	465,272	1,858,424
Total Revenue	3,351,594	4,041,377

Note 3: Profit for the year

Profit for the year has been determined after:

Charging as an expense

Staff expenses	1,591,032	1,248,596
Depreciation of property, plant & equipment	147,362	153,007
Programme related expenses	1,127,570	1,367,210
Interest paid	3,936	10,304
Remuneration of auditor		
audit or review services prior year	12,295	12,178
audit or review services current year	0	6,265
other services	0	0
Annual Report	0	135
Accounting	19,893	17,200
Administration	371,367	247,610
Property expenses	97,694	129,189
	3,371,149	3,191,694

Note 4: Key Management Personnel Compensation

Key management personnel compensation	104,796	124,188
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Note 5: Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash on hand	0	0
Cash at bank	882,997	1,567,618
Term deposits	495,772	477,113
	1,378,769	2,044,731

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

	2015	2014
	\$	\$
Note 6: Trade and Other Receivables		
Trade debtors	241,584	236,207
Less Provision for impairment	(297)	(297)
Sundry debtors	3,177	0
	244,464	235,910
The corporation does not have any material credit risk exposure to any single receivable or group of receivables.		
No collateral is held over trade and other receivables.		
Note 7: Investment Properties		
Investment properties, at valuation 2014	675,000	675,000
Note 8: Property, Plant and Equipment		
Freehold land at valuation 2014	805,000	805,000
	805,000	805,000
	0	
Buildings at valuation 2014	1,289,898	1,289,898
Less accumulated depreciation	(88,996)	(44,498)
	1,200,902	1,245,400
Plant and equipment at cost	1,371,140	1,351,138
Plant and equipment at valuation 1998	77,350	77,350
Less accumulated depreciation	(976,412)	(873,548)
	472,078	554,940
Total Property, Plant and Equipment	2,477,980	2,605,341

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

Note 8: Property, Plant and Equipment (cont)

(a) Movements in carrying amounts

Movement in the carrying amounts of each class of property, plant and equipment between the beginning and the end of the financial year.

	Land	Buildings	Plant & Equip.	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Carrying amount at 30 June 2014	805,000	1,245,400	554,940	2,605,341
Additions	0	0	20,002	20,002
Revaluation	0	0	0	0
Disposals	0	0	0	0
Assets not owned	0	0	0	0
Depreciation expense	0	(44,498)	(102,864)	(147,362)
Carrying amount at June 30 2015	805,000	1,200,902	472,078	2,477,980

	2015	2014
	\$	\$
Note 9: Trade and Other Payables		
Current		
Trade creditors	0	0
Sundry creditors	68,267	47,005
Funding unexpended	268,944	979,752
	337,211	1,026,757
Non-current		
None	0	0
	0	0

Note 10: Borrowings

	2015	2014
Interest Bearing		
Current (Secured)(ANZ Bank)	8,000	8,000
Other	0	
	8,000	8,000
Non Current (Secured)		
ANZ Bank	217,115	233,971
	217,115	233,971
Total Interest Bearing Borrowings	225,115	241,971

a) ANZ Bank

The ANZ Bank liability is secured by registered first mortgage over the investment properties at 26 McKenzie Street, Ceduna of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporations and a corporate guarantee from the Corporation.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

	2015	2014
	\$	\$
Note 11: Provisions		
Current		
Provision for employee benefits	82,130	82,118
Non Current		
Provision for employee benefits	0	0
Total Provisions	82,130	82,118

Note 12: Corporation Details

The principal place of business of the Corporation is :

Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation
39 McKenzie Street
CEDUNA SA 5690

The principal activity of the corporation is provision of employment and training opportunities for Aboriginal people in the Ceduna area.

The Corporation was registered under the CATSI Act, 2006 as a large corporation on 20th July 2012. The Corporation previously conducted a similar operation as Tjutjunaka Worka Tjuta Inc.

Note 13: Segment Reporting

Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation operates in the employment and training sector.

The Corporation has only one segment.

Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation operates within South Australia which is considered one geographical location.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

	2015	2014
	\$	\$

Note 14: Cash Flow Information

(a) Reconciliation of Cash

Cash at the end of the financial year as shown in the statement of cash flows is reconciled to the related items in the statement of financial position as follows:

Cash on hand	0	0
Cash at bank	882,997	1,567,618
Deposits	495,772	477,113
	1,378,769	2,044,731

(b) Reconciliation of cash flow from profit on operations with profit after income tax

Profit/(Loss) after income tax	(19,555)	(196,638)
Non-cash flows in profit :		
Depreciation	147,362	153,007
Funding 2012-13	(58,824)	0
Revaluation of Investment Properties	0	0
Changes in assets and liabilities		
(Increase) Decrease in receivables	(719,362)	345,251
(Increase) Decrease in investment properties	0	0
Increase (Decrease) in creditors and payables	21,263	32,857
(Decrease) Increase in provisions	12	(36,118)
Net cash (used in)/ provided by operating activities	(629,104)	298,358

Note 15: Financial Risk Management

The corporation's financial instruments consist of deposits at bank and accounts receivable and payable and bank and other loans.

The totals for each category of financial instrument, measured in accordance with AASB 139 as detailed in the accounting policies to these financial statements, are as set out below.

Financial asset and financial liability maturity analysis

Financial Liabilities due for payment

	Within 1 Year		1 to 5 Years	
	2015	2014	2015	2014
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Trade and other payables	337,211	1,026,757	0	0
Bank Loans	8,000	8,000	217,115	233,971
Total expected outflows	\$345,211	\$1,034,757	\$217,115	\$233,971

STATEMENT BY DIRECTORS

The Directors have determined that the company is a reporting entity.

The Directors have determined that this general purpose financial report should be prepared in accordance with the CATSI Act, accounting standards and the accounting policies outlined in Note 1 to the accounts.

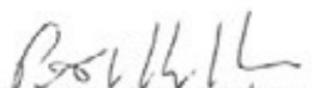
In the opinion of the Directors, the financial statements as set out on pages 1 to 15:

1. Present a true and fair view the financial position of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation as at 30 June 2015 and the performance of the corporation for the year ended on that date;
2. At the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

During the year ended 30 June 2015 the Directors report that:

1. (i) no officer of the Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation;
(ii) no firm of which the officer is a member;
(iii) no body corporate in which the officer has a substantial financial interest; has received or become entitled to receive a benefit as a result of a contract between the officer, firm or corporation and the Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation.
2. No officer of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation has received directly or indirectly from Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation any payment or other benefit of a pecuniary value.

This statement is made in accordance with a resolution of the Directors dated and is signed for and on behalf of the Directors by:


Name: Peter Miller
Position: Chairperson


Name: Simon Prideaux
Position: Vice Chairperson

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Your Directors submit the consolidated financial report of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation for the financial year ended 30 June 2015.

Directors

The names of Directors throughout the year and at the date of this report are:

Peter Miller (Chair from November 2013)	Simon Prideaux (Secretary)
Paul Haynes (Resigned 9th June, 2015)	Corey McLennan
Oscar Richards (Resigned November, appointed December)	Janomie Saunders (appointed November, resigned 20 March '15)
Lynette Ackland (appointed November, resigned due in ineligibility)	

Principal Activity

The principal activities of the association during the financial year were to provide employment and training opportunities for Aboriginal people in the Ceduna region.

Significant Changes

A significant change in the nature of key component of the activities of the Corporation occurred during the previous year which resulted in the termination of a number of employees following the cessation of CDEP funding in August 2013.

The Corporation continues to remain a viable entity.

Operating Result

The deficit from ordinary activity for the year was \$ 18,555 (2014: deficit of \$196,638).

Distributions

No distributions were made to members during the year and none are recommended but not paid at year end.

Director's Qualifications, experience and special responsibilities

Peter Miller, Chair

Peter has been involved with the Aboriginal Community, has sat on many Boards for more than forty years and is committed to ensuring that services available to the Aboriginal Community are delivered in accordance with their mandate. He is a respected member of the community and brings life skills to the Board when dealing with the many issues facing Aboriginal people.

Peter is committed to the progress and development of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation and to tackle new reforms of Government in training, employment and education, including alcohol and substance misuse in communities.

Corey McLennan

Corey is a committed and dedicated leader in the Aboriginal Community and is the current Chief Executive Officer of Koonibba Aboriginal Community Council. He has an excellent business acumen and has undergone various governance training programs to increase his knowledge and understanding of corporate governance procedure under the CATSI Act 2006. Corey is the Public

Office of the Corporation.

Oscar Richards

Oscar has been an active member of the Aboriginal Community and is currently employed as an Environmental Officer with the Ceduna Koonibba Aboriginal Health Service Aboriginal Corporation. Oscar has sat on many committees and Boards such as the Far West Coast Traditional Lands Association and Koonibba Football Club and continues to serve the community in a array of roles.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Director's Qualifications, experience and special responsibilities, continued

Simon Prideaux

Simon Prideaux is a strong advocate for the rights of Aboriginal people and views his participation on the Board as an important role in representing the view of the Aboriginal people of Ceduna. He acknowledges the responsibility he carries when dealing with the complex issues facing Aboriginal people in addressing youth unemployment, education, housing and alcohol and substance misuse and funding cuts which directly impact on the operations of the Corporation.

Simon is the Secretary of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation.

Joy Reid

Ms Joy Reid is a well-respected elder of the Ceduna Aboriginal community who has been actively involved on a number of committees over a period of 40 years. Ms Reid was an inaugural member of the first Aboriginal organization established in Ceduna in the early 1970's, the Far West Aboriginal

Progress Association. Ms Reid is employed by "Save the Children" and has held numerous positions in Ceduna which have had a strong focus on improving the social status of Aboriginal people.

In 2014, Ms Reid was the winner of the Gladys Elphick Award in recognition of her service to the community. Ms Reid resigned during this year.

Paul Haynes (Jnr)

Paul is an active young member of the Aboriginal Community being involved with the Koonibba Football Club and other sporting activities. He is the Chairperson of Dinahline Community. Paul is a qualified linesman and continues to be actively involved on Boards and Committees in Ceduna.

Paul was Treasurer of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation and resigned during this year.

Board Meetings and Attendance (to June 2015)

Total number of meetings held:	6
Individual Attendance:	
Peter Miller	6
Paul Haynes	2
Cory McLennon	4
Simon Prideaux	4
Janomie Saunders	2
Oscar Richards	5

Matters arising since the end of the year

Some uncertainty exists re the continuation of the municipal services funding beyond December 2015.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Directors dated

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF CEDUNA ABORIGINAL CORPORATION

Report on the Financial Report

We have audited the accompanying financial report of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation, which comprises the balance sheet as at 30th June 2015, and the income statement, statement of changes in equity and cash flow statement for the year ended on that date, a summary of significant accounting policies, other explanatory notes and the directors' declaration.

Directors' Responsibility for the Financial Report

The directors of the company are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the Corporations (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) Act 2006. This responsibility includes establishing and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These Auditing Standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

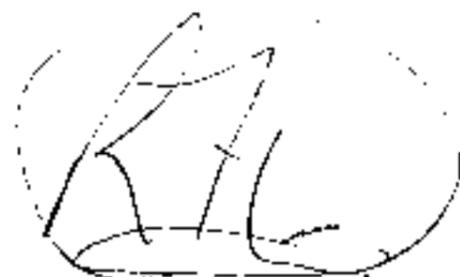
Independence

In conducting our audit, we have complied with the independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001. We confirm that the independence declaration required by the Corporations Act 2001, provided to the directors of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation on 2 April 2015, would be in the same terms if provided to the directors as at the date of this auditor's report.

Auditor's Opinion

In our opinion:

- a. the financial report of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation is in accordance with the CATSI Act 2006, including:
 - i. giving a true and fair view of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation's financial position as at 30th June 2015 and of its performance for the year ended on that date; and
 - ii. complying with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the CATSI Act Regulations 2006



DEANE & ASSOCIATES
 Chartered Accountant

Richard F Deane
 Principal

Dated in Adelaide on 22nd September 2015

DEANE & ASSOCIATES
AUDITOR INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION

To the Directors

CEDUNA ABORIGINAL CORPORATION

As lead auditor for the audit of Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation for the year ended 30 June 2015, I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been:

- no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the audit; and
- no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

This declaration is in respect Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation and the entities it controlled during the period.



Auditor Signature

RICHARD F DEANE

Name

PRINCIPAL

Position

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Firm and address

2nd April 2015

Date

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