

SELECTION CRITERIA

PURPOSE OF THE GURAKI ABORIGINAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

To provide strategic advice and guidance with relation to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander issues, realise Council's commitment to the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people of the City of Newcastle and engage Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in Local Government.

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1. Aboriginal and known to the local Aboriginal community.
2. Demonstrated interest, understanding and commitment to issues relevant and significant to Aboriginal peoples.
3. Ability to contribute to a consultative process and respond to emerging issues.
4. Demonstrated leadership and sound interpersonal skills.

Applicants must submit a statement of no more than two pages outlining how they meet the selection criteria and how this relates to the purpose of the committee.

The selection criteria should be read with the Terms of Reference for this Committee, available [here](#).

A completed application form must accompany your statement of claims. This form can be completed online on the [Advisory Committee EOI web page](#), or attached to email applications (available [here](#)).

Membership of the Committee includes:

1. Up to three Councillors
2. Representatives from stakeholder organisations
3. Up to three community representatives.

The Councillor members of the Guraki Aboriginal Advisory Committee are:

1. Councillor Winney-Baartz
2. Councillor Richardson
3. Councillor McCabe