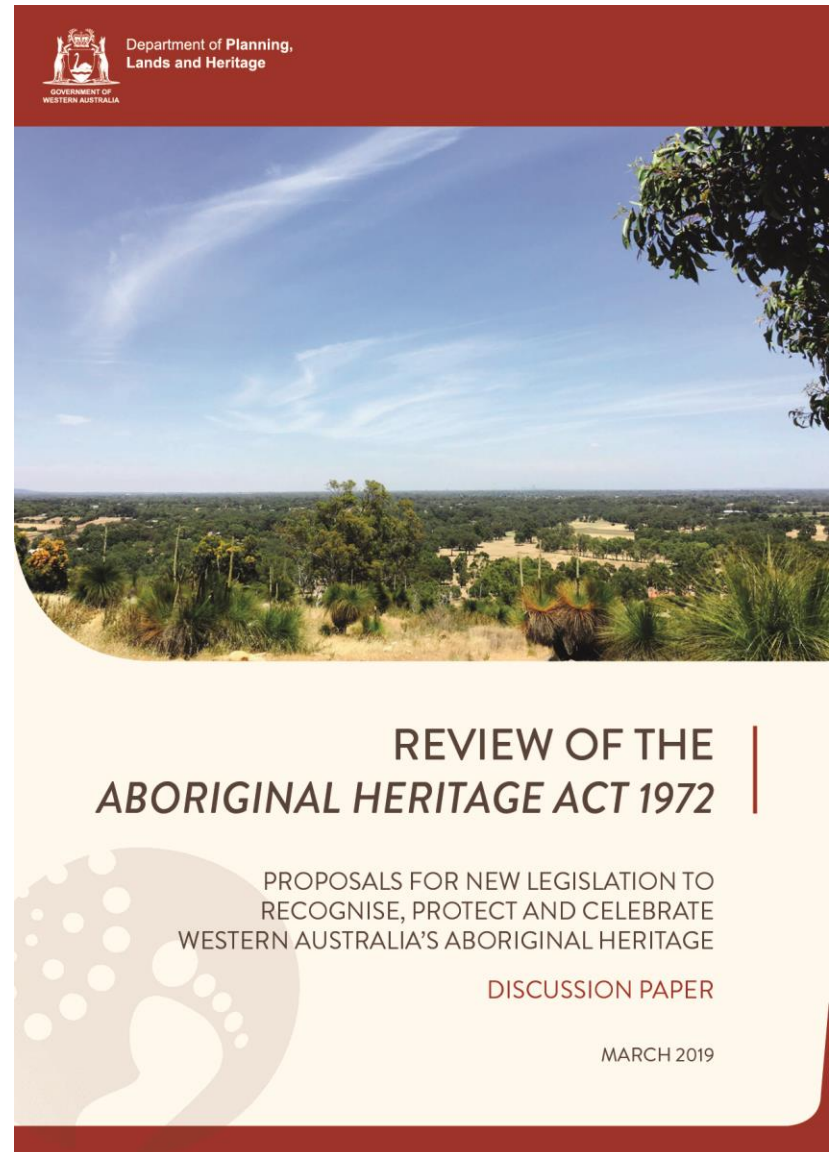


*PROPOSALS FOR NEW
ABORIGINAL HERITAGE
LEGISLATION*

*NARROGIN
COMMUNITY WORKSHOP
7 May 2019*

MEETING RECORD



DISCUSSION PAPER PROPOSALS

1. A New Aboriginal Heritage Act

PROPOSAL 1: *Repeal the Aboriginal Heritage Act 1972 and deliver new Aboriginal heritage legislation*

2. What new legislation will cover: Aboriginal heritage places, objects, ancestral remains

PROPOSAL 2: *Update definitions and scope of new Aboriginal heritage legislation*

3. Key roles in Aboriginal heritage: Proposed local and central bodies – Functions and selection

PROPOSAL 3(a): *Local Aboriginal Heritage Services*

PROPOSAL 3(b): *The Aboriginal Heritage Council*

PROPOSAL 3(c): *The Minister's role*

PROPOSAL 3(d): *The role of the Department of Planning, Lands and Heritage*

PROPOSAL 3(e): *Heritage professionals – aiding selection of those with appropriate qualifications and experience and improving standards*

4. How heritage information will be managed: The Aboriginal heritage register

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DISCUSSION PAPER PROPOSALS (cont.)

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5. Managing land use proposals that may impact on Aboriginal heritage

PROPOSAL 5: Introduce a referral mechanism to facilitate tiered assessments and approvals of proposed land uses

6. Agreements between Aboriginal people and land users

PROPOSAL 6: Encourage and recognise agreement making

7. Transparency of decision making

PROPOSAL 7: Transparency and appeals

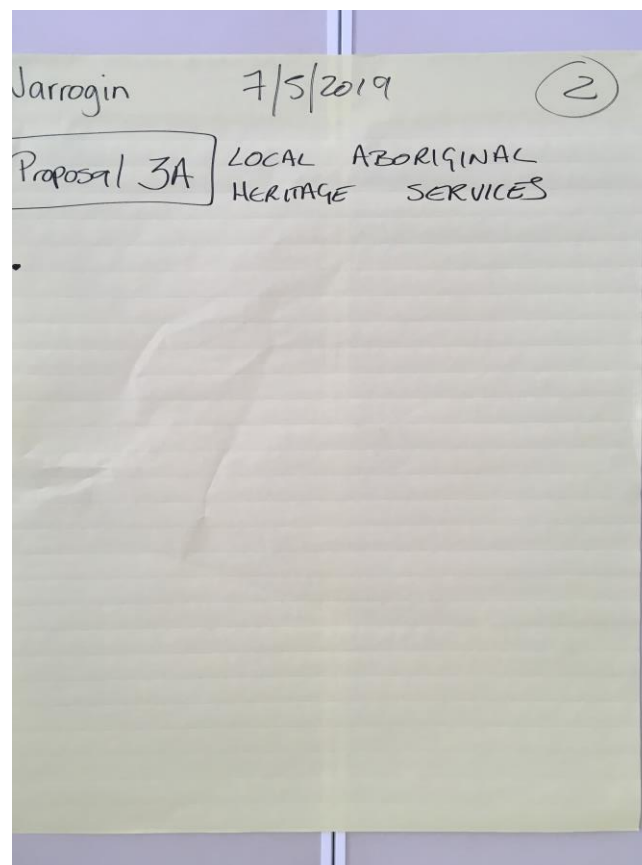
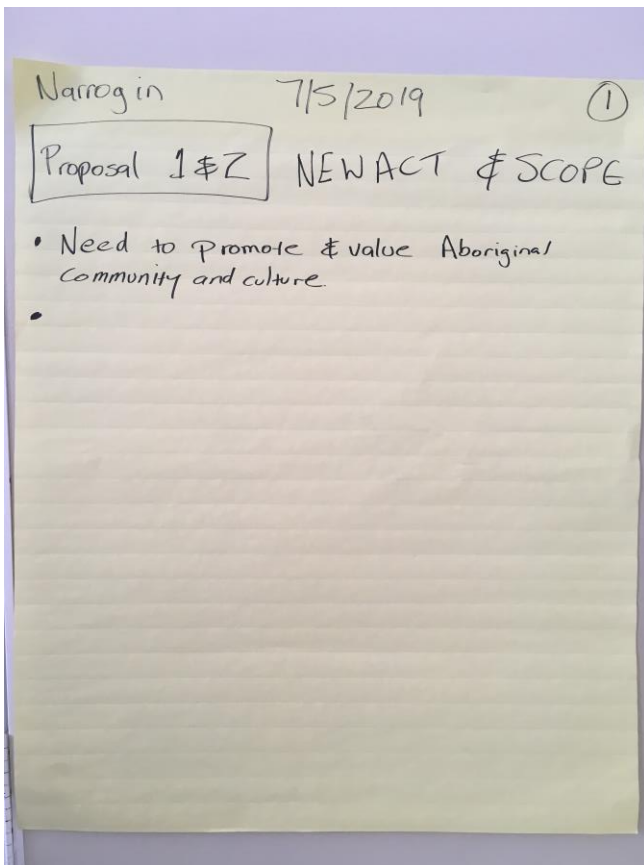
8. Enforcement: Offences and penalties

PROPOSAL 8: A modernised enforcement regime

9. Protecting places of outstanding importance

PROPOSAL 9: Protected Areas

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Narrogin 7/5/2019 (3)

Proposal 3B Aboriginal Heritage Council

- Support the new approach

Narrogin 7/5/19 (4)

Proposal 5 Land Use Assessments

- Support the new process of early engagement
- Important to ensure no pressure put on community in making agreements
- Important that land use assessment is done with community

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Narrogin 7/5/19 (5)

Proposal 4 Aboriginal Heritage Register

- It should be alive & continually added to over time
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Narrogin 7/5/19 (6)

Proposal 3E Directory of Heritage Professionals

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Narrogin 7/5/19 (7)
Proposal 3C Minister's Role
• Support the proposal

Narrogin 7/5/19 (8)
Proposal 6 Agreements
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Proposal 7

Transparency & Appeals

- Aboriginal Representative on S.A.T.
- Important to see the equity in the appeal process

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Proposal 8

Enforcement

- The term "duty of care" is too weak.
- Ideal is protection rather than prosecution after the event.
- Should be more resources put into protection of Aboriginal Heritage
- S(A), S(a) & 6 seen as positive new initiatives.

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Narrogin 7/5/19 (11)

Proposal 3D Department's Role

- Support the direction

Narrogin 7/5/19 (12)

Proposal 9 Protected Area's

- Supported.