



2017 NT COUNCIL ELECTIONS

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2017 NT Council elections - Nominations open 14 July

CANDIDATES wishing to nominate for the 2017 NT Council elections can do so now by lodging their completed nomination form with a recent photograph, at NTEC offices in Darwin or Alice Springs or via email at nominations.ntec@nt.gov.au, by noon on Thursday 3 August.

Incomplete or late nominations cannot be accepted.

"There are 16 councils going to election in August and I encourage anyone interested in nominating as a candidate, to lodge their nomination with the NTEC as early as possible. This provides time to resolve any issues that may arise with the form," NT Electoral Commissioner Iain Loganathan said.

"The candidate's photograph must be a clear, full-faced, portrait image of their head and shoulders, accompanied by a statement saying the photograph was taken within the last six months.

"The nomination form must also include the names, enrolled addresses and signatures of not less than three people supporting the nomination. These supporters must be enrolled in the ward/council area for which the candidate is standing.

"Candidates will be declared on Friday 4 August. This event takes place at the NTEC offices in Darwin and Alice Springs and is open to the public," Mr Loganathan said.

[Nomination forms](#) and a [Candidate handbook](#) are available at ntec.nt.gov.au, at the NTEC offices in Darwin or Alice Springs, or by calling 1800 698 683.

Anyone considering nominating as a candidate can contact Wayne Harlock on 8999 7613 or wayne.harlock@nt.gov.au to make arrangements to lodge completed nomination forms.

The City of Palmerston is under official management so the Palmerston Council election has been deferred.

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Details of vacancies for each council

COUNCIL	ELECTION	VACANCIES
Alice Springs Town Council	Mayor	1
	Councillor	8
Barkly Regional Council	President	1
	Alpurrurulam Ward Councillor	1
	Alyawarr Ward Councillor	4
	Kuwarrangu Ward Councillor	2
	Patta Ward Councillor	5
Belyuen Community Government Council	Councillor	5
Central Desert Regional Council	Akityarre Ward Councillor	2
	Anmatjere Ward Councillor	4
	Northern Tanami Ward Councillor	2
	Southern Tanami Ward Councillor	4
Coomalie Community Government Council	Adelaide River Ward Councillor	2
	Batchelor Township Ward Councillor	2
	Coomalie Rural Ward Councillor	2
City of Darwin	Lord Mayor	1
	Chan Ward Alderman	3
	Lyons Ward Alderman	3
	Richardson Ward Alderman	3
	Waters Ward Alderman	3
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East Arnhem Regional Council	Anindilyakwa Ward Councillor	2
	Birr Rawarrang Ward Councillor	2
	Gumurr Gattjirrk Ward Councillor	2
	Gumurr Marthakal Ward Councillor	3
	Gumurr Miwatj Ward Councillor	3
	Gumurr Miyarrka Ward Councillor	2
Katherine Town Council	Mayor	1
	Alderman	6
Litchfield Council	Mayor	1
	Central Ward Councillor	1
	East Ward Councillor	1
	North Ward Councillor	1
	South Ward Councillor	1
MacDonnell Regional Council	Iyarrka Ward Councillor	2
	Ljirapinta Ward Councillor	3
	Luritja Pintubi Ward Councillor	3
	Rodinga Ward Councillor	4

COUNCIL	ELECTION	VACANCIES
Roper Gulf Regional Council	Never Never Ward Councillor	3
	Numbulwar Numburindi Ward Councillor	2
	Nyirranggung Ward Councillor	3
	South West Gulf Ward Councillor	3
	Yugul Mangi Ward Councillor	2
Tiwi Islands Regional Council	Bathurst Island Councillor	6
	Milikapiti Ward Councillor	3
	Pirlangimpi Ward Councillor	3
Victoria Daly Regional Council	Daguragu Ward Councillor	1
	Milngin Ward Councillor	1
	Pine Creek Ward Councillor	1
	Timber Creek Ward Councillor	1
	Walangeri Ward Councillor	1
Wagait Shire Council	Councillor	5
West Arnhem Regional Council	Barrah Ward Councillor	2
	Gunbalanya Ward Councillor	3
	Kakadu Ward Councillor	3
	Maningrida Ward Councillor	4
West Daily Regional Council	Nganmariyanga Ward Councillor	1
	Thamarrurr/Pindi Pindi Ward Councillor	4
	Tyemirri Ward Councillor	1