Mr Paul Baxter, Darwin

Mr Baxter has lived in Darwin for the last 40 years, and together with his wife ran a successful construction company in Darwin for 35 years, P W Baxter & Associates Pty Ltd. Mr Baxter was appointed a registered judicator in the NT. He has been a member of the Master Builders Association since 1987 and served as Councillor, Treasurer and President; Chairman of the Construction Industry Skills Foundation Ltd; and a panel member of Contractor Accreditation Ltd since its inception.

Mr Neil Hallagan, Darwin

Mr Hallagan is the Chief Executive Officer of the Civil Contractors Federation and is a current member of the Engineers Australia Darwin Chapter. Mr Hallagan has an extensive background in the civil industry starting out in New South Wales and then the NT, before moving to the United States of America. Mr Hallagan moved back to the NT in 2005 working with Downer EDI works until 2008, taking various consulting roles and then working as the Contract Project Director on the Ichthys LNG Project before returning to consulting as Neimon Pty Ltd in the NT.

Mr Barry Duthie, Darwin

Mr Duthie arrived in the NT in 2002. He is the current NT Regional Manager of OneSteel Metalcentre and is an active member of the Palmerston Regional Business Association (PRBA). Mr Duthie has a passion for the NT and support of local businesses including engaging local builders and industry leaders such as the Manufactures Council, Industry Capability Network, Master Builders and Australian Steel Institute.

Mr Ray Bail, Darwin

Mr Bail moved to the NT in 1971 to take up a position with the then Department of Works. He worked in a range of roles focused on construction supervision for both civil and building works. Mr Bail moved to Alice Springs in 1985 to develop Alice Precasters; the business was successful in the area and expanded to Darwin with a name change to All Cast NT. Mr Bail’s company currently sub-contracts to a range of construction companies in Darwin and Alice Springs.

Ms Rosemary Campbell, Darwin

Ms Campbell moved to the NT in 1988 and is currently the Senior Tax and Business Services Director at Merit Partners. Ms Campbell is on the Board of NT Build as Chair of the Risk and Audit Committee and is a former Director of the Chamber of Commerce. Ms Campbell was an active committee member of the Nightcliff Primary and High School during the period of her children’s attendance there and has served on the RAAF Darwin Golf Club, Darwin Sailing Club and Golf NT committees.

Mr Brendan Heenan, Alice Springs

Mr Heenan has been working in Alice Springs since 1962 and has developed multiple businesses, adapting when the environment changed, before opening the BIG4 MacDonnell Range Holiday Park. He is an active member of the community, contributing to the local and sporting communities through his current roles on the Development Consent Authority, and as Chairman of the NT Caravan Parks Association, Councillor on the Alice Springs Town Council and member of Rotary.

Ms Alyson (Ali) Dalaney, Darwin

Ms Dalaney has a history in consultancy, business ownership, site supervision, procurement and contracts. She currently works as the Darwin Lead Contracts and Procurement specialist for ConocoPhillips. This role
includes assessing, coordinating and assisting stakeholders and contractors in the development of Local Content Plans, including the plans’ viability and likelihood to succeed. Ms Dalaney frequently evaluates current market availability for procurement of supplies including the identification of businesses that have a local base verse those that are more a ‘shopfront’.

**Mr Jamie De Brenni, Alice Springs**

Mr De Brenni grew up in Alice Springs and currently owns a local building company that has been operating for over 23 years. He is committed to the community through his involvement in sports and currently holds the positions of Vice-President of Motorsports NT and is a sitting Councillor on the Alice Springs Town Council.

**Mr Geoffrey Newton, Katherine**

Mr Newton arrived in the NT in 1972 as a 16 year old to take up a job in the Barkly Tablelands pastoral industry. He spent time in the NT and Western Australia teaching himself saddle making skills and doing saddlery repairs before starting his own business in 1978, including setting up premises in Katherine. Mr Newton has been active on a school council, sporting groups, the Katherine Show Society and the Katherine Flood Mitigation Committee.

**Mr Robert Kendrick, Darwin**

Mr Kendrick has been in the NT since 1982 and is a retired Chief Executive Officer of the now Department of Local Government and Community Services. He served in various roles with NT Police in remote communities including Alyangula, Jabiru, Harts Range, Yuendumu, Yulara, Avon Downs, Ntaria and Kulgura and was then seconded to the United Nations Police in East Timor from 2002 to 2011. Mr Kendrick is heavily involved in community through his roles as Deputy Chair of Regional Development Australia, Board Member of both the Heart Foundation (NT) and St John’s Ambulance (NT) and as a Community Member of the Alcohol Mandatory Treatment Tribunal.

**Mr Michael (Mick) Hannon, Darwin**

Mr Hannon started and developed a number of businesses in the NT including Buslink, BuslinkVIVO and the Vertical Technology Group. Mr Hannon is involved in the Community including starting the ‘Admiralty Club’ that raises money for locals in need and provides opportunities for young Territorians.

**Ms Karen Hawkes, Darwin**

Ms Hawkes’ family moved to the NT when she was three years of age. She completed her schooling and university study in the NT before commencing in a role with Charles Darwin University (CDU) as a Project Manager for online learning. Ms Hawkes moved to the roles of Executive Officer School of Social and Policy Research and then Senior Project Manager for a National Literacy Program, before she left CDU to start up Captovate, a digital media agency, with her Husband in 2005.

Ms Hawkes is a current member of the Ministerial Advisory Committee for the ICT Industry and is the current Vice Chair and founder of ‘Devine’ (a business owners networking group) that started in 2015.

**Mr Peter Pattemore, Darwin**

Mr Pattemore is the current operations manager for Pattemore Constructions. He has worked with the company in various roles since 2007. A born and bred Territorian, his application states he is actively involved in the community. Mr Pattemore supports the employment of Territorians, apprentices and through Pattemore Constructions and contributes to a number of local charities and sports groups.
Mr Craig Reid, Alice Springs

Mr Reid has owned a business in the NT for 10 years, growing it from a sole operator to an organisation with 43 staff. Mr Reid’s sons are now involved in the family business and indicate that they intend to remain in the NT and remain involved. The business currently has premises in Darwin, Katherine, Tennant Creek and Alice Springs and is expanding interstate with a premise in South Australia.

Mr David McLeod, Darwin

Mr McLeod has been in the NT for 25 years, owning and operating a number of businesses including Hosepower, a Farm in Doulgas Daily, Farm in NSW. Hosepower has business premises operating in Darwin, Katherine, Alice Springs and has two locations in Queensland. Mr McLeod is also employed as the Director Trailer Manufacture for Haulmark NT, who recently constructed a new manufacturing facility in Berrimah.

Mr Rodney Illingworth, Darwin

Mr Illingworth moved to the Northern Territory in 2000 as an owner operator of a farming/pastoral property before moving to commercial fisheries and established an operation to supply Dew fish to Darwin’s largest wholesaler. Mr Illingworth is currently the Executive Chairman of Sherwin Iron and the Project Director of a private enterprise providing advice to financial institutions and development of projects in the NT and Timor-Leste.

Ms Mary McAlpine, Darwin

Ms McAlpine has been in the NT for over 30 years working in the IT Industry, and is a current Director with Area9. Ms McAlpine participates in the Women’s Network (NT), Business Network International and the Chamber of Commerce. MS McAlpine has experience across a range of industries in her Area9 role and frequently provides reporting, business planning and general advice on strict timeframes. She is a highly motivated and respected member of the Territory community.

Ms Karen Green, Darwin

Ms Green moved to the NT in 1991 becoming a partner of Deloitte in 1999 and currently leading the Tax and Business Advisory division. Karen in involved in the community, including current membership to the Business Advisory Council and the Petroleum Club NT, and previous membership to the Boards of the Darwin Port Corporation, Australia China Business Council NT, Urban Development Institute of Australia (NT) and Chair of the Business Enterprise Centre. In her nomination Karen emphasises her commitment to the NT, passion for local business and advocacy for the Developing the North agenda.

Mr Alan Sprigg, Darwin

In Darwin since 1972, Mr Sprigg is a long-term Territorian who has worked for the then Department of Aboriginal Affairs in a range of roles including managing Capital Works and Maintenance in all regions across the NT. Mr Sprigg was a Ministerial Advisor in the Government, before creating his own consultancy business, Territory Development Services (TDS). Mr Sprigg has previously been a member of a number of boards including a JP for the Magistrates Court Bench, office mediator for the Lands, Planning and Mining Tribunal and has lectured at CDU. Mr Sprigg is currently the Acting President of the Justices Association and Executive Officer of the NT Firearms Council.