



Regional Capitals Alliance

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**Western Australian Regional Capitals Alliance
Meeting**

**Minutes
16 October 2020**

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Agenda

1 OFFICIAL OPENING

Meeting opened at: 08.30 am

2 RECORD OF ATTENDANCE

Members:

Dennis Wellington	Mayor City of Albany (Chair)
Andrew Sharpe	CEO City of Albany
Malcolm Osborne	CEO City of Bunbury
Grant Henley	Mayor City of Busselton
Mike Archer	CEO City of Busselton
Ian Mickel	Shire President of Esperance
Shane Burge	CEO Shire of Esperance
Shane van Styn	Mayor City of Greater-Geraldton
Peter Long	Mayor City of Karratha
Chris Adams	CEO City of Karratha
Chris Antonio	Shire President Shire of Northam
Jason Whiteaker	CEO Shire of Northam
Paul Rosair	Executive Officer RCAWA
Jane Lewis	Executive Assistant RCAWA

Dial in:

John Walker	CEO City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder
John Bowler	Mayor City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder

Guests:

Kitty Prodonovich; CEO Regional Chambers of commerce and Industry (WA)
 Ms Jennifer Mathews, Commissioner - Indonesia
 Mr David McCulloch, A/Commissioner - Japan
 Mr Peter Baldwin, Commissioner - India
 Mr Stuart Crockett, Commissioner - China

Apologies:

Harold Tracey	Shire President of Broome
Sam Mastrolembo	CEO Shire of Broome
Ross McKim	CEO City of Greater Geraldton
Fredrick Riebeling	Commissioner Town of Port Hedland
Carl Askew	CEO Town of Port Hedland
Gary Brennan	Mayor City of Bunbury

3 PRESENTATIONS

Purpose:

The Alliance to receive presentations from:

Kitty Prodonovich; CEO Regional Chambers of Commerce and Industry (WA)

Ms Jennifer Mathews, Commissioner - Indonesia

Mr David McCulloch, A/Commissioner - Japan

Mr Peter Baldwin, Commissioner - India

Mr Stuart Crockett, Commissioner - China

Background:

Leading up to this meeting, Alliance members were canvassed about issues pertinent to the portfolios of the presenters: a consolidated list is provided for discussion and has been forwarded to the relevant presenters as appropriate.

Discussion:**8.45 am – 9.15 am Presentation: Regional Chambers of Commerce and Industry**

*Kitty Prodonovich;
CEO Regional Chambers of Commerce and Industry (WA)*

9.35 am – 10.35 am Presentation: International Trade Commissioners

*Jennifer Mathews,
Commissioner Indonesia*



*David McCulloch,
A/Commissioner Japan*



*Peter Baldwin,
Commissioner India*



*Stuart Crockett,
Commissioner China*

Link to Strategic Directions:

Advocacy and Policy Influence

Representation

Partnership and Collaboration

Budget Implications:

Nil

Recommendation: Nil

Meeting Closed: 11.05