



# Northern Land Council

## MEDIA RELEASE

### **NLC Maningrida office opens**

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The Northern Land Council (NLC) is proud to announce the official opening of its second West Arnhem Regional office at Maningrida on the north coast of Arnhem Land.

NLC Chief Executive, Mr Kim Hill said that the Maningrida office will have one staff member and will support the local community and its surrounding outstations on issues ranging from land and sea country, and housing, to outstations, and various legal and policy issues.

“The Maningrida office has been open for business for the past three months and our employee is local resident Peter Danaja,” he said.

“This office operates like every other NLC regional office assisting Traditional Owners in protecting and managing their traditional estates both at an administrative and a practical level,” he said.

The office is situated in the Maningrida Progress Association complex.

**The official opening will take place at 2pm.**

The NLC has regional offices at Borroloola, Jabiru, Katherine, Ngukurr, Nhulunbuy, Palmerston, Tennant Creek and Timber Creek.

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