

Media Release

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Prospect Community Services releases 5 Point Election Plan

President Wayne Dixon today released a copy of the Five Point Election Plan for Prospect Community Services seeking a commitment from the Major Parties and the local candidates on a number of issues that impact the Company and its delivery of services to the Charters Towers Community and Region.

Mr Dixon said "the five points contained in the Plan will be forwarded to the candidates in the Traeger electorate and the Major Parties to seek commitment and support for funding for new projects/programs and some that were committed to previously"

"The five priorities include the continuation of funding for the new Domestic Shelter for Charters Towers allocated in the 2016-2017 State Budget, funding for a new Hospital for Charters Towers, funding for visiting specialists rather than our locals travelling to Townsville, support from the State Government to obtain funding for the construction of specialist disability accommodation in Charters Towers and an allocation of funding to deliver a perpetrator program for offenders of domestic and family violence in Charters Towers" he said

Prospect Community Services is a well-established community service provider with an excellent reputation for high quality service delivery, a strong commitment to collaboration, community connection and engagement and a vocal advocate to rural service providers. Prospect Community Services is seeking a commitment from all the candidates in the 2017 State Election to support the five point plan.

"We are looking forward to receiving a response to all the priorities raised in the plan from the candidates and the major parties", Mr Dixon said.

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