



## APPLICATION For Membership

Winnam Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islanders Corporation is a not-for-profit community organisation. We were incorporated under the Aboriginal Councils & Associations Act 1976 on the 29<sup>th</sup> August, 1990.

Please refer to our brochure for more information on our services and vision for our community.

### Eligibility

To be eligible for **full membership**, the applicant must:

- (1) Be at least 18 years old;
- (2) Be of Aboriginal and / or Torres Strait Islander Descent (proof of this must be provided);
- (3) Pay \$4.00 application fee;  
*NOTE: once the application for membership is accepted by the Corporation then this \$4.00 becomes the new member's first annual membership fee. Should the application be declined, then the \$4.00 is retained by the Corporation.*
- (4) **Pay annual membership fee by the 30<sup>th</sup> June each year.**  
*NOTE: membership is for life, unless you request your membership be cancelled. Failure to pay your annual membership fee means that you will be classed as a "non-financial member". You will remain on our membership register and mailing list, however you will forfeit full membership rights, such as ability to vote at general meetings, standing for election to the Committee and eligibility for housing waiting list etc.*

To be eligible for **associate membership**, the applicant :

- (1) Must be at least 18 years old;
- (2) Is unable to provide Confirmation of Aboriginal and / or Torres Strait Islander descent;
- (3) Has a connection with the Corporation; and
- (4) Pays \$2.00 fee on application  
*NOTE: once the application for membership is accepted by the Corporation then this \$2.00 becomes the new member's first annual membership fee. Should the application be declined, then the \$2.00 is retained by the Corporation.*  
*An associate member has the same rights and responsibilities as a full member except that they will not have the right to vote, the right to stand for election to the Committee nor will they be eligible for our housing waiting list.*

**\*\* FURTHER INFORMATION ON A MEMBER'S RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS CAN BE OBTAINED BY REQUESTING TO VIEW OUR CORPORATIONS RULE BOOK AT OUR OFFICE \*\***



**APPLICATION**  
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Office Use Only	
Approved Date	
Fee Paid Y/N	
COA approved?	
Housing application?	

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Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Please tick appropriate boxes:  New Member  Associate Member  Renewal

Name: Mr/ Mrs/Ms \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (Home): \_\_\_\_\_ (Work): \_\_\_\_\_ (Mobile): \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you happy for us to send mail and newsletter to your email address?  Yes  No

Are you: ABORIGINAL  TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER  BOTH  NEITHER

Reason for requesting membership: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Nominee Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**SKILLS AND INTERESTS**

Please list some of your interests: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any special skills, abilities or qualifications? : \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Are you interested in volunteering your time / assisting with any of our events, activities or services? : \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any suggestions for service, activities or events that you would like to see our organisations provided? : \_\_\_\_\_  
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