

Road Death 46 of 2024 City of Palmerston Agency Response

Sent: Tuesday, 6 October 2026 8:52 AM
To: City of Palmerston <COP@palmerston.nt.gov.au>
Cc: NT Coroner <NT.Coroner@nt.gov.au>
Subject: Coroner's Findings - Road Death 46 of 2024
Importance: High

Dear City of Palmerston

Territory Coroner Armitage has completed her findings into a 42 year old woman who died at Knuckey Lagoon on 28 August 2024.

The Coroner has made a recommendation to the Department of Infrastructure and Logistics (DLI) with regards to pedestrian safety, with special attention to be given to the intersections of Tivendale Road and Thorak Road with the Stuart Highway.

The Coroner has requested that City of Palmerston Council note the recommendation and respond so far as it concerns Wongabilla Street.

I attach a copy of the published anonymised findings and the response of the Attorney-General to the Coroner's Recommendation. The response indicates that Wongabilla Street falls under the management of City of Palmerston. Should that not be the case, please advise.

Could you please confirm that City of Palmerston has noted this recommendation and provide any comment or response that the Council may have by COB 14 October 2026.

Kind regards

From: Michael Williams <michael.williams@palmerston.nt.gov.au>
Sent: Wednesday, 14 October 2026 8:59 AM
To:
Cc: NT Coroner <NT.Coroner@nt.gov.au>
Subject: RE: Coroner's Findings - Road Death 46 of 2024

Thank you for your email.

I can confirm that Wongabilla Street is controlled and managed by City of Palmerston, to the extent shown in blue below.

With respect to pedestrian safety improvements, a proposal has been added to Council's pathway program. However, the proposal would not proceed until DLI progressed with a path or other facilities on Tivendale Road (shown in red below) for Council to connect to.



If you require anything else in Council's response, please let me know.

Regards,



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