



BINTHI

LAND HOLDING GROUP

ABORIGINAL CORPORATION

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About us – The Binthi Land Holding Group Aboriginal Corporation

The Binthi Land Holding Group Aboriginal Corporation [BLHGAC] is the peak body and trusted voice for the Binthi Warra representing our collective aspirations, cultural, economic, environmental, heritage, interests, social and spiritual concerns of ALL Binthi Warra with connection to Binthi Country.

Our Purpose

- As a united clan, our mission is to preserve and enhance the cultural, environmental and social values of our Country (Bubu);
- Our motto is ‘Binthi Warra Bama-ngay, Bubu Thana-ngan-ngu, Dabarrgu Ngarra-thinhu, Magu-badaaygu’ – Forever Protecting and Respecting the Sacredness of our Land’;
- As Traditional Owners, Custodians and Trustees of our culture and country, we will deliver the highest standards of land management to protect the sanctity and uniqueness of our natural landscapes;
- By encouraging people to reconnect with Country, we promote healing and help ‘Close the Gap’;
- As proud Binthi Warra Bama (people), we champion sustainable land stewardship in accordance with our Lores, stories and customs;
- We will conserve and restore our Aboriginal cultural heritage and environment by promoting ecological sustainability;
- As community leaders and Elders, we will consult with our community to enable participation in decisions affecting their lives;
- We will optimise access to resources and services to continuously improve the quality of life of all generations;
- We will collaborate with strategic partners who respect and value our ways; and
- Together, we will forever protect, respect and celebrate our sacred Country for future generations.

We are committed to:

- Contributing cultural, economic, environmental, heritage, social and spiritual knowledge to guide, inform and streamline government regional interest development approval processes and cultural heritage and environmental policy development;
- Contributing to the sustained cultural, environmental, economic, heritage, social and spiritual preservation and protection of the Binthi Warra, for current and future generations;
- Ensuring Binthi Warra and external stakeholder compliance with legislative conditions set out in the Corporations (*Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander*) Act 2006 and other relevant intergovernmental legislative conditions set by the Commonwealth and Queensland governments;
- Ensuring that ALL programs and services within Binthi Country meets our training needs for members and will assist in the preservation and protection of Binthi cultural and natural heritage and as specified in the Cultural Identity and Maintenance Checklist, and Programs and Services Policy;
- Ensuring that ALL project development activities within Binthi Country are subject to rigorous culturally and scientifically informed environmental assessment;

- Ensuring transparency of communication and decision making within and across all Traditional Owner groups, and with external stakeholder that we are engaged with; and
- Maximising and unlocking the economic participation and potential of Binthi Warra in balance and harmony with our Natural, Physical and Sacred worldviews and our obligation, in accordance with our law/lore and custom, to take care of our environment, land and people.

Our Values and Principles

We are the oldest living and continuous culture in the world. We carry cultural, environmental and spiritual wisdom that is transferred through generations from ancient millennia.

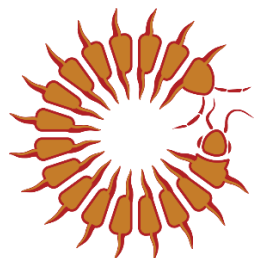
- We respect our Ancestors, Elders, each other, land, and sacred places.
- As an inclusive and supportive culture, we treat all people with dignity and value their contributions.
- As part of our commitment to honesty and integrity, we promote accountability and transparency.
- We represent the aspirations of our people, respect our diversity, and the rights of Binthi Warra people to speak for Binthi Country.
- Our sustainable land management will balance economic development with environmental protection.
- The connection to Country is healing for the health and well-being of the Binthi Warra people and community.
- Our core values are relationships, ethics, sustainability, people, empowerment and trust.

Conclusion

The Binthi Land Holding Group Aboriginal Corporation (BLHGAC) stands as a united and enduring force for the Binthi Warra people, grounded in the sacred connection to our Country and guided by the wisdom of our ancestors. As custodians of a legacy that spans millennia, we embrace our responsibility to protect, nurture, and celebrate our cultural heritage, land, and community. Together, we are committed to ensuring a vibrant, sustainable, and inclusive future for all generations.

We invite all who share our vision and respect our values to join us on this journey of cultural preservation, environmental stewardship, and community empowerment.

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