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Conference Agenda

Day 1 - 26th November 2025

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REGISTRATION

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9:20 - 09:50

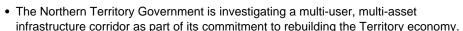
SPEED NETWORKING

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9:50 - 10:10

Ministerial Address

Territory Energy Link and AROWS Projects



- It is called Territory Energy Link and was formerly known as the Tennant Creek to Darwin Infrastructure Corridor.
- The Territory Energy Link corridor will run for around 670km from near Elliott to the
 proposed Middle Arm Precinct in Darwin. It will be approximately 130m wide and
 support buried services including gas, water, optical fibre, hydrogen gas and other
 services in the future. The corridor will connect major energy projects in the Beetaloo
 Sub Basin to Middle Arm Precinct and other strategic infrastructure in Darwin.

Arows Project

AROWS is an innovative and sustainable large scale water storage project.

- The AROWS project represents a new way of thinking to deliver reliable, sustainable and safe water for the Darwin region over the long term.
- · Latest updates

Evan Tyrrell, Executive Director – Enabling Infrastructure, Department of Logistics and Infrastructure NT

U 10:40 - 11:00

Rebuilding the Territory's Economy

Stuart Knowles, Territory Coordinator, Department of the Chief Minister and Cabinet Northern Territory



I1:00 - 11:30
TEA BREAK

① 11:30 - 11:50

Rover 1 Project - Latest Updates

- The \$280M million Rover 1 project presents an exciting opportunity for economic growth in the Barkly region.
- The Rover 1 Project is expected to target gold dore, 99% cobalt, 99% copper, and 96.4% magnetite in an underground mine 80kms south west of Tennant Creek.
- · Latest updates

Mark Hepburn, Managing Director, Castile Resources Limited



① 11:50 - 12:10

Presentation by Gold Sponsor Autogen Al

① 12:10 - 12:40

Updates on the Suncable's AAPowerlink Project



SunCable's flagship development project, Australia-Asia PowerLink (AAPowerLink), will harness and store renewable energy from the Northern Territory – for 24/7 transmission to Darwin and Singapore via a high voltage direct current (HVDC) transmission system.\
The project includes the development of the world's biggest integrated renewable energy and battery storage facility in the heart of the Northern Territory.
Latest Updates

Jett Street, Regional Director, NT Suncable

U 12:40 - 13:00

Developing Circular Economy Strategies for the Northern Territory Construction Sector



• Transitioning the Territory to a Circular Economy

Eileen Breen, Business Development Manager, NTEX, President - Waste & Recycling Industry Association NT (WRINT)

① 13:00 - 14:00 LUNCH BREAK

14:00 - 14:20
Overview of Critical Mineral Projects at Tivan



• Enabling a long term critical minerals precinct for the NT

Dr. Ellin Lede, Chief Development Officer, Tivan Limited

14:20 - 14:40

Presentation by Gold Sponsor Fulton Hogan

Nolans Rare Earths Project



- Arafura Nolans Project Ltd (Arafura) is developing the Nolans Rare Earths project, which will encompass a mine, beneficiation plant, extraction plant, separation plant, sulphuric acid plant and related non-process infrastructure, to be constructed in the Northern Territory.
- The project site is located on Aileron Station, approximately 135 kilometres NW of Alice Springs.

Stewart Forrest, Head of Northern Territory and Indigenous Affairs, Arafura Rare Earths Limited

S 15:00 - 15:30 TEA BREAK

3 15:30 - 15:50

Presentation by Luncheon Sponsor ARKANCE

15:50 - 16:10

City of Darwin's Waste to Energy: Opportunities at Shoal Bay

Simone Saunders, Chief Executive Officer, City of Darwin



16:10 - 16:40

PANEL DISCUSSION: Rebuilding the NT's Economy

- Priority Projects to Shape NT's Infrastructure Future
- Addressing Skills Shortages
- Accelerating Indigenous Engagement in Construction Projects

Drew Wagner, CEO, UDIA NT

Glen Hingley, Chief Executive Officer, Chamber of Commerce NT

Ruth Palmer, Northern Territory Executive Director, Property Council of Australia







O 16:40 - 16:45
MC CLOSES

16:45 - 17:45
NETWORKING & DRINKS FUNCTION

Day 2 - 27th November 2025

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SPEED NETWORKING	
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© 09:50 - 10:10 Delivering Cleaner, Affordable and more Secure Energy solutions to the Territor Australia: Exploring the Beetaloo Basin Eric Dyer, Chief Financial Officer, Tamboran Resources	ry and
○ 10:10 - 10:30 Overview of Investments in Northern Australia and in particular the Northern Tel Region – NAIF	rritory
 The Northern Territory's vast land area and ample sunlight present opportunities renewable energy development, including solar power projects and research in advanced energy technologies. 	
Stephen Land, Chief Investment Officer, Northern Australia Infrastructure Facility (NAIF)	
S 10:30 - 10:55	25
Darwin Port Macternion	

Darwin Port Masterplan



• Darwin Port is the only major multimodal port located in Northern Australia and is strategically located as Australia's gateway to Asia and Asia's gateway to Australia.

Peter Dummett, Chief Executive Officer, Darwin Port

O 10:55 - 11:25 TEA BREAK

Evolution of Public-Private Partnerships and Traditional Contracting



- "Public-Private Partnership" (PPP) vs Traditional Contracting.
- We will explore the evolution of "Traditional Contracting" methods which has blurred the lines between a PPP and other forms of public-private partnerships.
- We will highlight how each model controls project risk and cost, and touch on some notable past, current and future major projects across the Territory that involve a partnership between the public sector and private sector.

Andrew Giles, Partner, HWLE Lawyers

O 11:45 - 12:05

Affordable Housing for the Territory

· Addressing the scale of housing need across the NT

Annie Taylor, Chief Executive Officer, NT Shelter



① 12:05 - 12:30

Legal Update: Recent Developments in the Northern Territory and Beyond



Following on from his popular legal update sessions at the past two NT Major Projects
Conferences, Clayton Utz Major Projects Partner Greg Midgley joins us again for a
third year in a row. Greg will discuss the current state of the construction market in the
Northern Territory and Australia and the latest developments in both regulation and
contract forms being implemented by governments in the Northern Territory and
throughout Australia to procure major projects.

Greg Midgley, Partner, Clayton Utz

① 12:30 - 13:30 LUNCH BREAK

U 13:30 - 14:00

Overview of the NT Homelands Housing and Infrastructure Program



- The NT Homelands Housing and Infrastructure Program (HHIP) is a joint initiative between the Australian and NT governments to upgrade housing and essential infrastructure in Northern Territory homelands.
- Addressing critical housing and infrastructure issues in remote Northern Territory homelands.

Daniel Johns, A/Director, Homelands Housing and Infrastructure Program, Department of Housing, Local Government and Community Development NT

Power and Water Corporation Major Projects Overview

• Investing in infrastructure to provide reliable high-quality services

① 14:30 - 14:35 MC CLOSES

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