

4 February 2022

## Statement from the Executive Director of Township Leasing

The Traditional Owners of the Tiwi Islands have requested the support of the EDTL to limit access to the Tiwi Islands to prevent the spread of COVID-19.

A Joint Public Notice from EDTL and TLC was published on 3 January 2022. The EDTL supports the TLC working on a process that will assist residents to return home in a safe way to the Tiwi communities.

The EDTL anticipates receiving further advice from the TLC regarding requirements to support residents returning to Community.



GPO Box 3671 Darwin, Northern Territory 0801 | Phone 1800 152 259 | Email townshipleasing@otl.gov.au | Web www.otl.gov.au OTL acknowledges the Traditional Owners and their continuing connection to their ancestral lands, waters and communities. To all Traditional Custodians of Country throughout Australia we pay our respects to their Cultures, Country and Elders both past, present and emerging. These documents are for official OTL use only and should not be distributed further or used for any other purposes without the prior written approval of OTL