



THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

**STANDING COMMITTEE ON ECONOMICS**

**Inquiry into insurers' responses to 2022 major floods claims**

**PUBLIC HEARING  
Wednesday 24 July 2024**

**Cairns RSL - Catalina Room  
115-119 The Esplanade, Cairns**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Witness</b>
9.00 am	<b>CentaCare Far North Queensland</b> Patrick Sim, Senior Worker Disaster Recovery and Resilience Ross Contarino, Team Leader Operations & Employment  <b>Port Douglas Community Services Network</b> Erin Easton, Family Support Worker  <b>Mossman Support Services</b> Therese Maloney, Community Connect Worker Tahnee De Brueys, Administrator
<b>10.30 am</b>	<b>Break</b>
10.45 am	<b>Advance Cairns</b> Jacinta Reddan, Chief Executive Officer  <b>Cairns Chamber of Commerce</b> Bob Epps, Board Member
<b>12.15 pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
1.30 pm	<b>Cairns Regional Council</b> Cr Rhonda Coghlan, Councillor Nick Masasso, Director Economic Development & Advocacy Gary Everson, Associate Director Service Delivery Lisa Dendle, Acting Local Recovery Coordinator  <b>Douglas Shire Council</b> Paul Hoye, Acting Chief Executive Officer  <b>Cook Shire Council (by teleconference)</b> Brian Joiner, Chief Executive Officer
<b>3.00 pm</b>	<b>Break</b>

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<b>3.15 pm</b>	<b>Community statements</b> Private capacity John Hannan Anne Riley Deryck Thompson Claire Heath Danni Morache Carol Danielson The Third Element Susan (Sioux) Campbell, Principal
<b>4.00 pm</b>	<b>Finish</b>