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Senator Siewert asked:

That same Plan of Management cites that “The management arrangements in the park between Bininj/Mungguy and the Director of National Parks continue to be cited as an example of an innovative cooperative management arrangement”. Can you provide examples of this innovative cooperative management within Kakadu?

Answer:

Through joint management arrangements, the Director of National Parks works closely with the Kakadu National Park Board of Management to implement the lease agreement, the Kakadu National Park Plan of Management 2016-26 and Parks Australia Corporate Plan.

Management and investment priorities are established through the above partnership and administered by park management through a range of programs in conjunction with Traditional Owners and the Aboriginal people of Kakadu.