



Karlup Aboriginal Corporation

# Membership Form

**Moordjitj** • *strong*  
**Budjar** • *place*  
**Kaartdijin** • *knowledge*  
**Moort** • *family*

## Karlup Aboriginal Corporation

Karlup, is a Noongar Aboriginal term meaning homeland or heartland, was registered as an Aboriginal Community Controlled Organisation (ACCO) with the office of Registrar of Indigenous Corporations (ORIC) in April 2022.

Midland is based in the City of Swan, which according to Census data, has the largest population of Aboriginal people of any Local Government Authority throughout Western Australia.

Karlup has been built upon the engagement and empowerment of Aboriginal men and women through their participation in Moordjitj Maaman and Deadly Yorga's support groups, groups which have been operating successfully for many years in Midland.

Karlup Aboriginal Corporation has been developed in collaboration with Indigo Junction, a trusted and respected not for profit, which has been operating in the greater Midland area for over 30 years. This partnership

has been formalised through a Collaboration Agreement, the implementation of which is overseen by an Indigo Junction/ Karlup Steering Committee.

The Karlup Board is elected by and represents corporation members, while providing governance and strategic oversight. The work of the Corporation is governed by the "Karlup Rule Book".

## Ngallan Koort – What we will do

Increase the availability of  
**HOUSING for our community.**

**Create opportunities for ABORIGINAL LED and DEVELOPED** services through fostering leadership, and codesigning services with our communities' Elders, Men, Women and Children.

**Develop and run programs to improve CULTURAL KNOWLEDGE and SECURITY** for Aboriginal children, young people and families.

Karlup's vision is for all **Aboriginal people have a place to call home, be empowered to have a voice and to be in control of their own lives and communities.**



## Karlup Aboriginal Corporation Members Rights and Responsibilities

To ensure that the Karlup Aboriginal Corporation is truly representative of the community, Karlup has the strategic goal of having a broad membership base.

### A person is eligible to apply for Membership if the person is:

- (i) 18 years of age or over;
- (ii) an Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander person; and
- (iii) able to demonstrate a connection with:
  - the geographical area of Midland and surrounding suburbs; or
  - the Midland community.

### Rights

As a Karlup Aboriginal Corporation Member has rights under the *Corporations (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) Act 2006* and the Karlup Aboriginal Corporation Rule Book.

#### Members can:

- have a say in what Karlup Aboriginal Corporation does by attending, speaking and voting at Karlup Aboriginal General Meetings;
- put forward resolutions to be voted on at a General Meeting;
- nominate and/or be involved in deciding who can be to become a Director of the Karlup Aboriginal Corporation Board; and
- ask the Directors to provide access to any other records or books of the Corporation in accordance with this Rule Book.

### Responsibilities

#### Each Member has a responsibility to:

- comply with the *Corporations (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) Act 2006* and the Karlup Aboriginal Corporation Rule Book;
- notify the Corporation of any change in their address within 28 days of the change;
- comply with any Code of Conduct adopted by the Board;
- treat other Members and the Directors with respect and dignity; and
- not make any public statement on behalf of the Corporation unless authorised by the Board.

## Membership application request

To apply for membership of the Karlup Aboriginal Corporation please **click/scan on the QR code, or complete the following form and return** via email [admin@karlup.org.au](mailto:admin@karlup.org.au) or mail/drop to 15 Spring Park Rd, Midland, WA 6056.

**For more information, please email or call 0411 876 247.**



## Karlup Aboriginal Corporation Community Membership Application Form

**Name:**

**Address:**

**Age:**

**Mobile:**

**Email:**

**What is your connection Midland/City of Swan:**

**How did you hear about Karlup Aboriginal Corporation?**

**Please briefly describe your reasons for wanting to become  
a Karlup Aboriginal Corporation Community Member?**

- I wish to apply for membership of the Karlup Aboriginal Corporation.
- I agree for this information to be shared with the Karlup Aboriginal Board for the purposes of assessing my application to become a Karlup Aboriginal Corporation Member.
- I understand that if my membership is approved then my name and contact details will be placed on a Registration of Members which is available to be viewed by other Karlup Aboriginal Corporation members and the Office of Registrar of Indigenous Corporation.

**Name:**

**Signature:**

**Date:**

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### Office Use Only

Action	Y/N	Date
Membership Form received		
Board approved		
Member notified		
Member provided with Member Pack		