1. The James Cook University Council is the governing body of the University established by the *James Cook University Act 1997* (the Act).
2. Section 5 of the Act outlines the functions of the University which include providing education at university standard and courses of study or instruction (at the levels of achievement the Council considers appropriate) to meet the needs of the community.
3. In October 2017, in accordance with section 22J of the Act, the Council adopted a membership resolution establishing a 15-member Council, including three members appointed by the Governor in Council.
4. Cabinet endorsed that Ms Angela Toppin AM be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as an Appointed Member to the James Cook University Council for a term commencing from 20 April 2024 up to and including 19 April 2028.
5. *Attachments:*
* Nil.