

# Check-up: Role of the board



The below statements outline the main roles and responsibilities of a board. Ask yourself whether your board fulfils these roles.

Tick the box that most reflects your level of agreement or disagreement with each.

Our board provides representation and leadership for community and members and ensures all members participate and are heard.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board provides regular updates of any important information, or business, back to their members and broader community as required.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board mediates and negotiates issues and concerns within the wider community.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board sets and plans clear goals and directions for the future, guiding the group's purpose and strategy



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board leads the process of making rules and policies.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board oversees the group's risk management.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board selects and supports the CEO, delegates authority and functions to them, and reviews their performance.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree



Our board makes sure resources are used carefully and transparently.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board establishes guidelines for management to negotiate contracts with staff and external experts.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board interacts with the public, government, private sector and other stakeholders.



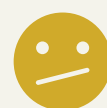
Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board makes sure the group follows relevant laws and is accountable to external funding providers and stakeholders.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board makes sure the group is financially stable, including approving budgets and monitoring expenditure.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board makes sure the group is accountable to members.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board holds regular meetings to carry out its responsibilities.



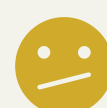
Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree



Our board manages external change and crises, and mediates internal disputes and appeals in a fair and transparent way.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board reviews complaints and appeals.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board regularly assesses its performance.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board monitors and regularly assesses management's performance and implementation of the board's policies.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board monitors and assesses the group's performance against their rules, policies, strategic goals, and legal requirements.



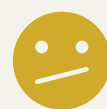
Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board provides leadership on relevant cultural matters and the group's internal culture.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board networks with other Indigenous leaders and organisations.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree

Our board leads the process of building its own organisational and community institutions.



Strongly agree



Agree



Unsure



Disagree



Strongly disagree