## **Cherbourg Aboriginal Shire Council**

## **Councillor Profile**

Councillor Fred Cobbo

2020 First Term Councillor

I've spent the majority of my life moving between Hervey Bay and Cherbourg. It was when I returned Cherbourg that I took education serious and completed my High School education at the nearby Murgon State High School. I became the first in my family to complete Year 12.

After completing school I worked in the Local Government sector, by taking up employment with the former Hervey Bay City Council.

I had an opportunity to become a tradesperson and obtained an apprenticeship with the Cherbourg Aboriginal Shire Council. After 10 years of service and gaining my electrical qualifications, I ventured into my other love. EDUCATION

For over past 25 years I have been employed in the education section on many levels from Policy making, working in Primary, Secondary, vocational & University education.

During these year I completed a university degree in Bachelor of Applied Science, Majoring in Community Development Management & Leadership with Curtin University Perth WA, becoming the second member of my family to complete university studies.

My goals this term are to;

- Provide good honest and transparent leadership
- Develop a better relationship with community
- Provide Better housing
- Build a partnership with all Government Departments both State and Federal
- Create job opportunities for all