

NATIONAL PARK COMMUNITY BOARD

MINUTES

MEETING HELD IN THE TAUMARUNUI ROOM (COUNCIL CHAMBER),
HUIA STREET, TAUMARUNUI ON WEDNESDAY 29 OCTOBER 2014 AT 9.00AM

PUBLIC BUSINESS

Present

Chairperson	Bill Taylor	
Councillor:	Elaine Wheeler	
Board Members:	Jim Paul	
	Jenni Pendleton	
	Hamish Sinclair	
Mayor:	Don Cameron (ex Officio)	
Staff:	Peter Till	Chief Executive
	Pauline Welch	Group Manager Customer Services (part)
	Warren Furner	Land Transport Manager (part)
	Anne-Marie Westcott	Environmental Manager (part)
	Sarah Dunn	Executive Support

APOLOGIES

1	Apologies	<i>File M80-0001</i>
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There were no apologies received.

2	Public Forum: Temporary Suspension and Reinstatement of Standing Orders	<i>File A05-0014 Doc 590747</i>
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The Board temporarily suspended Standing Orders in their entirety to allow Members and the public to address the Board.

RESOLVED

- 1 *That the Report on Public Forum: Temporary Suspension and Reinstatement of Standing Orders be received.*
- 2 *That, pursuant to Section 27(4) Schedule 7 of the Local Government Act 2002, the Board temporarily suspends Standing Orders in their entirety to allow Members and the public to address the Community Board.*

The Board received addresses as follows:

- Chairperson Taylor congratulated the district on the new library and commended the staff and contractors involved.
- Member Pendleton had concerns around the surface flooding on State Highway 47 in Manunui on the evening of 28 October 2014. Council's Chief Executive advised that in these circumstances the New Zealand Transport Authority (NZTA) should be contacted in the first instance.
- Member Sinclair voiced his concerns regarding internet speed in and around the National Park Village. Council's Chief Executive, Land Transport Manager and Mayor Cameron discussed costs and reasons for these issues within small populated areas. Members' were advised that a study had gone via Ian McKelvie to the Minister for Communications and Information Technology.

RESOLVED

That, pursuant to Section 27(4) Schedule 7 of the Local Government Act 2002, the Board reinstates Standing Orders in their entirety for consideration of the agenda.

Mayor Cameron entered the meeting at 9.30am.

3	Confirmation of Minutes: 17 September 2014	<i>File M80-0004</i>
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RESOLVED

That the Public Business Minutes of the National Park Community Board meeting held on 17 September 2014 be confirmed as a true and correct record.

4	The Future of Community Boards within the Ruapehu District	<i>File M60-0004 Doc 590749</i>
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Members discussed at length the representation going forward for Community Boards.

RESOLVED

That the Report on the Future of Community Boards be received.

5	Speed Survey State Highway 4, National Park	<i>File R75-0446 Doc 589604</i>
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Members considered a Report on the result of the speed survey conducted on State Highway 4 within National Park Village. Council's Land Transport Manager spoke to the Report and answered Members' questions.

RESOLVED

That the Report on Speed Survey State Highway 4, National Park be received.

6	National Park Inflow and Infiltration	<i>File W30-0006 Doc 590734</i>
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Members considered a Report on the findings from an Inflow and Infiltration Survey conducted on the National Park Wastewater Network. Council's Environmental Manager spoke to the Report and answered Members' questions.

RESOLVED

That the Report on National Park Inflow and Infiltration be received.

7	Confirmed Owhango Residents and Ratepayers Incorporated Society Minutes – 5 June 2014	<i>File M60-0004 Doc 590744</i>
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Members considered a Report on the confirmed Owhango Residents and Ratepayers Incorporated Society minutes.

RESOLVED

That the Report on Confirmed Owhango Residents and Ratepayers Incorporated Society minutes be received.

8	Capital Works and Other Items of Interest	<i>File R40-0021 Doc 590738</i>
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Members considered a Report providing an update on the planned Capital Works and Other Items of Interest in the National Park Community Board area in 2014/15. Relevant staff members spoke to the Report and answered Members' questions.

RESOLVED

That the Report on Capital Works and Other Items of Interest be received.

There being no further business, the meeting concluded at 11.00am

Dated at Taumarunui this 10th day of December 2014.

Bill Taylor
CHAIRPERSON