

NATIONAL PARK COMMUNITY BOARD

MINUTES

MEETING HELD IN THE TAUMARUNUI ROOM (COUNCIL CHAMBER),
HUIA STREET, TAUMARUNUI ON WEDNESDAY 5 FEBRUARY 2014 AT 9.00AM

PUBLIC BUSINESS

Present

Board Members:	Bill Taylor Hamish Sinclair Jenni Pendleton Jim Paul
Councillors	Elaine Wheeler
Mayor:	Don Cameron
Staff:	Margaret Hawthorne Group Manager Community Services Pauline Welch Group Manager Customer Services Warren Furner Land Transport Manager Sarah Dunn Executive Support

1 Apologies

File A05-0014

There were no apologies received.

2 Public Forum: Temporary Suspension and Reinstatement of Standing Orders

File A05-0014
Doc 575698

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 thanked Council Officers for organising the meeting in National Park between members of the Taumarunui/Ohura Ward Committee, Waimarino-Waiouru Community Board and the National Park Community Board where the budget for National Park was discussed. Member Pendleton suggested that a workshop be planned to approach this further on utilising the monies for projects within the area.
- Chairperson Taylor moved that a letter of congratulations be sent to Sue Morris for her 12 years of mayoralty and for being a recipient of the Officer of the NZ Order of Merit in the New Years Honours. This was fully supported.
- Members Pendleton, Paul and Sinclair discussed the Apiarists within the National Park area and the concerns with the bees. Member Pendleton suggested that a letter from Council be sent to the Apiary Association with concerns regarding where hives are placed within the National Park area and advised that a letter had been sent previously from Council in 2013. Councillor Wheeler spoke of the driving habits of the apiarists who travel at night to move their hives which was of some concern.
- Member Sinclair spoke on Mangatepopo Road, the access for the public, and the high numbers using the crossing.

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.

3	Confirmation of Minutes: 27 November 2013	<i>File A05-0014</i>
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RESOLVED

That the Public Business Minutes of the National Park Community Board meeting held on 27 November 2013, are confirmed as a true and correct record.

4	Speed Limit Setting on State Highway 4, National Park	<i>File A05-0014 Doc 574254</i>
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Members considered a report explaining the rules governing the setting of speed limits in New Zealand. Council's Land Transport Manager spoke to the report and answered Members questions.

RESOLVED

- 1 *That the Report on Speed Limit Setting on State Highway 4, National Park be received.*
- 2 *A further speed limit review is not recommended to be carried out on State Highway 4, National Park.*
- 3 *That the National Park Community Board send a letter to the New Zealand Transport Agency (NZTA) voicing concerns with the present set speed limit within the National Park area.*

5	Confirmed Owhango Residents and Ratepayers Incorporated Society Minutes	<i>File M60-0004 Doc 573749</i>
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Members considered a Report providing confirmed Owhango Residents and Ratepayers Incorporated Society minutes.

RESOLVED

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

6	Capital Works and Other Items of Interest	<i>File A05-0014 Doc 575444</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 2013/14. Council's Group Manager Community Services spoke to the report and answered Member's questions.

RESOLVED

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

There being no further business, the meeting concluded at 10.44am.

Dated at Taumarunui this 19th day of March 2014.

Jenni Pendleton
DEPUTY CHAIRPERSON