

NATIONAL PARK COMMUNITY BOARD

MINUTES

MEETING HELD IN THE TAUMARUNUI ROOM (COUNCIL CHAMBER),
HUIA STREET, TAUMARUNUI ON WEDNESDAY 6 AUGUST 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 (Part)
	Pauline Welch	Group Manager Customer Services
	Warren Furner	Land Transport Manager
	Anne-Marie Westcott	Environmental Manager (Part)
	Rebecca Van Orden	Team Leader Community Property
	Brenda Ralph	Team Leader Compliance (Part)
	Sarah Dunn	Executive Support

APOLOGIES

1	Apologies	<i>File M60-0004</i>
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RESOLVED

There were no apologies received.

Note: The following item was taken after item 4.

2	Public Forum: Temporary Suspension and Reinstatement of Standing Orders	<i>File A05-0014 Doc 583946</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:

- Marilla Swift, Secretary, National Park Village Roy Turner Memorial Playground Committee gave a presentation to the Board on the update of the playground project and the costs involved. Ms Swift advised that Ohakune Lions Club are happy to umbrella the Committee for the project funding. Council's Team Leader Community Property advised that a Licence to Occupy had been sent to the Principal of National Park School to be sent to the Ministry of Education for authorisation via the Board of Trustees.
- Mayor Cameron advised of the new cellphone tower erected in Raetihi, therefore the school can now access the internet, although still not sufficient for households. Mayor Cameron has spoken to Council's Information Management Administrator for technical advice and is looking into an application being made on his behalf requesting that faster internet be part of rural towns as it is noted that Chorus are only dedicated to certain areas.
- Chairperson Taylor has been approached by the Tangonui Kingi, Chairperson, Turangi Tongariro Community Board regarding a petition they have put together regarding The Lines Company and are happy to forward copies should anyone be interested. Mayor Cameron advised that he had recently spoken to Ian McKelvie, MP, Rangitikei who advised that changes will be made to the Electricity Act 1992 after the September election.

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.

Note: The following item was taken after item 1.

3	Confirmation of Minutes: 11 June 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 11 June 2014 be confirmed as a true and correct record.

4	Report on Noise Control	<i>File N50-0001 Doc 586006</i>
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Council's Team Leader Compliance spoke to the Board regarding the Policy on Noise Control and the current concerns within the Owhango community.

RESOLVED

That the Report on Report on Noise Control be received.

Note: The following item was taken after item 2.

5	Dust Suppression Methods	<i>File R75-0140 Doc 582942</i>
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Members considered a report on Dust Suppression Methods and to discuss opportunities for methods of dust suppression within the context of the Land Transport programme and current levels of service provided by Council. Council's Land Transport and Economic Development Manager spoke to the report and answered Members' questions.

RESOLVED

- 1 *That the Report on Dust Suppression Methods be received.*
- 2 *That it is recommended that budgets be increased to fund level of service improvements.*

Member Pendleton requested that her vote AGAINST this motion be recorded.

Note: The following item was taken after item 8.

6	Northern Ruapehu Citizens Award 2014	<i>File P95-0009 Doc 585629</i>
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Members considered a Report on the Northern Ruapehu Citizens Award 2014 and the process for receiving nominations from organisations and individuals throughout the Taumarunui, National Park and Ohura Wards.

RESOLVED

- 1 *That the Report on Northern Ruapehu Citizens Award 2014 be received.*
- 2 *That a Working Party consisting of the Chairpersons of the Taumarunui/Ohura Ward Committee and the National Park Community Board and the elected Council Member for the Ohura Ward be formed to consider nominations, decide on the recipient and when the Northern Ruapehu Citizens Award for 2014 is to be presented.*

7	National Park Village Roy Turner Memorial Playground	<i>File P84-0056 Doc 585566</i>
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Members considered an update on the National Park Village Roy Turner Memorial Playground.

RESOLVED

That the Report on National Park Village Roy Turner Memorial Playground be received.

Note: The following item was taken after item 5.

8	Presentation – Pavement Consumption and Funding Equity – Ruapehu Roads	<i>File M60-0004 Doc 585418</i>
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Council's Land Transport and Economic Development Manager made a presentation to the Board on the Pavement Consumption and Funding Equity – Ruapehu Roads.

RESOLVED

That the Report on Presentation – Pavement Consumption and Funding Equity – Ruapehu Roads be received.

Note: The following item was taken after item 7.

9	Report on Community Board Workshop/Seminar, Wanganui	<i>File M80-0004 Doc 585696</i>
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Chairperson Taylor and Members Pendleton and Paul reported back to the Board on their attendance at the Community Board Workshop/Seminar held in Wanganui on 7 July 2014.

RESOLVED

That the Report on Report on Community Board Workshop/Seminar, Wanganui be received.

10	Confirmed Owhango Residents and Ratepayers Incorporated Society Minutes – 3 April 2014	<i>File M60-0004 Doc 583934</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.

11	Capital Works and Other Items of Interest	<i>File R40-0021 Doc 586005</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. 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 11.36am.

Dated at Taumarunui this 17th day of September 2014.

Bill Taylor
CHAIRPERSON