Chair Report Assets & Infrastructure Meeting, 08 April 2021

Firstly my apologies for not having this brief report included in your electronic order papers.

Having reviewed the order paper you will have noticed a different reporting format from our Project management office [PMO]. This new format is concise and easy to read but more importantly allows us to focus on our role of governance with Council lead projects.

Within todays order paper and included the new reporting format are some risks that the PMO have identified, mainly around delays in works. The statue update within the report also shows that the addition of a PMO to RDC is proving beneficial as we strive to deliver multiple projects, now and in the near future.

Many of today's reports show business as usual and on track for this time of year.

I look forward to the presentation and report on today's agenda re the Taihape to Napier Road CMP.

Mayor Andy has been involved in many discussions relating to this stretch of road over a number of years. I look forward to his and Northern ward Councillors thoughts. Whilst our cost share for this road is rate funded by the whole district, many people within our district will have never travelled it, so local knowledge and understanding is important.

Dave