



Rangitikei District Council

Bulls Community Committee Meeting

Agenda – Tuesday 15 September 2020 – 6:00 pm

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The quorum for the Bulls Community Committee is 6 including 1 Elected Member.

Council’s Standing Orders (adopted 31 October 2019) 11.2 provide: The quorum for Council committees and sub-committees is as for Council, ie half the number of members if the number of members (including vacancies) is even or a majority if the number of members is odd.

1 Welcome

2 Public Forum

Mr Graeme Platt to speak in regards to the 'A Bull' branding and Town signage.

Ms Helen Scully of the Bulls & District Community Trust to provide an update on the township branding.

3 Apologies

4 Member's conflict of interest

Members are reminded of their obligation to declare any conflicts of interest they might have in respect of items on this agenda.

5 Confirmation of order of business

That, taking into account the explanation provided why the item is not on the meeting agenda and why the discussion of the item cannot be delayed until a subsequent meeting, be dealt with as a late item at this meeting.

6 Confirmation of Minutes

The Minutes for the meeting of the Bulls Community Committee held on 21 July 2020 are attached.

File ref: 3-CC-1-1

Recommendation:

That the Minutes of the Bulls Community Committee meeting held on 21 July 2020 {as amended/ without amendment} be taken as read and verified as an accurate and correct record of the meeting.

7 Chair's Report

A verbal report will be provided at the meeting.

Recommendation:

That the verbal 'Chairs Report' to the 15 September 2020 Bulls Community Committee be received.

8 Council Decisions on Recommendations from the Committee

Installation of rubbish bins

At its 27 August 2020 meeting, Council approved to investigate with Horizons the installation of rubbish bins at the picnic area on the Bulls side of the Rangitikei River, noting the need for continued maintenance of the bins and removal of the rubbish on a regular basis.

Dog litter bag dispensers

Council were not in favour of purchasing and installing two dog litter bag dispensers, noting not all dog owners are irresponsible.

9 Council Response to Queries Raised at Previous Meetings

Process of being co-opted onto a Committee

An update will be provided at the meeting.

Update on the car parked at the Bulls bus stop

The car has since moved from the park outside the bus stop, this was without Council staff intervening.

10 Bulls Community Co-Ordinator Report

There are no updates to provide this month.

11 Long Term Plan 2021-31 Update

A memorandum is attached.

File ref: 3-CC-1-5

Recommendation:

That the memorandum 'Long Term Plan 2021-31 Update' to the 15 September 2020 Bulls Community Committee meeting be received.

12 Civil Defence Community Response Plan

Paul Chaffe, staff member responsible for Emergency Management will be present to update the Committee on the Civil Defence Community Response Plan.

13 Town Signage

At Council's meeting on 27 August 2020, Tricia Falkner, on behalf the Bulls Community Committee and Bulls & District Community Trust, spoke during Public Forum presenting the process and consultation of developing the new Bulls Township Sign image. The presentation

highlighted the two option pamphlet drop consultation and preference for of submitters for option A.

At the same meeting, and prior to the presentation by Ms Falkner, Heather Thorby raised her concern to Elected Members questioning community input into the design and rigour of the consultation process. A report is being prepared for the 24 September Council meeting with the following options for Council's consideration:

- a) approve Option A (on the basis of the outcome of the recent pamphlet drop)
- b) require a further period of consultation and clarification of the options beyond Option A and Option B.

14 Bulls playground – Devon Crescent and Kittyhawk Row

The New Zealand Defence Force owned playground at Devon Crescent and Kittyhawk Row, has been subjected to constant vandalism and graffiti over the years and is rapidly deteriorating.

Spotless (who maintain the facility) have undertaken a maintenance check and have advised that all of the vertical posts (24) are rotting below ground level and require replacement. The entire playground would require dismantling so the posts can be replaced. This is estimated to cost around \$10,000.

The NZDF are recommending to demolish the existing playground, and turn the area into grass. If the playground was to be demolished this would cost approximately \$2,500. Pictures and a recent maintenance report are attached.

The New Zealand Defence Force would like feedback on this proposal.

15 Pedestrian Crossing Light

Discussion item.

16 Logo design and by-line 'A Voice to the Community'

At the 12 December 2019 meeting Council confirmed the recommendation from the Taihape Community Board that each Community Board and Committee have a committee/board logo with the by-line 'A Voice to the Community'. The logo is attached. Each committee chair will receive a file with the logo images in different formats along with guidelines on appropriate use.

17 Mayoral Update

A report is attached.

Recommendation:

That the 'Mayoral Update' to the 15 September 2020 Bulls Community Committee be received.

18 Rangitikei Youth Development Update August 2020

A memorandum is attached.

Recommendation:

That the memorandum 'Rangitikei Youth Development Update August 2020' to the 15 September 2020 Bulls Community Committee meeting be received.

19 Placemaking

Discussion item.

20 Small projects Grant Scheme update – September 2020

A memorandum is attached.

File ref: 3-CC-1-2

Recommendation:

That the memorandum 'Small Projects Grant Scheme Update – September 2020' to the 15 September 2020 Bulls Community Committee be received.

21 Community Grants

The Events Sponsorship Scheme closed on 21 August 2020, with a total of 12 applications received, the deliberation meeting will be held 22 September 2020.

The following funding schemes are due to open as follows:

- The Creative Communities Scheme will be open from 29 August – 18 September 2020.
- Community Initiatives will be open from 3 October – 23 October 2020.

Applications are being received and processed through the online portal SmartyGrants.

<https://rangitikei.smartygrants.com.au/>

22 Late Items

As accepted in item 5.

23 Future Items for the Agenda

Parking Bylaw

24 Next meeting

Tuesday 17 November at 6.00 pm

25 Meeting Closed