

# Bulls Community Committee Meeting

## Agenda

Date: Wednesday, 10 March 2021 – 6.00pm  
Venue: Ohakea Room, Te Matapihi - Bulls Community Centre,  
Criterion Street, Bulls

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### Chair

Tyrone Barker

### Deputy Chair

Danelle Whakatihi

### Membership

Nigel Bowen, Bruce Dear, Nicole Harrison, Matthew Holden,  
John Sula (alt), Raewyn Turner, Russel Ward, Dennis Moratti,  
His Worship the Mayor, Andy Watson and Councillor Brian Carter

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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, i.e. half the number of members if the number of members (including vacancies) is even or a majority if the number of members is odd.

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### Purpose of the committee:

- To provide a local link and point of contact for Council liaison with the community.
- To also provide for the exchange of information, communication, and to assist with the Council's consultative processes.
- To exercise delegated authority for the annual allocation of \$1.00 per rateable property for "defined small local works" in line with the guidelines provided<sup>1</sup>
- Particularly, to help to ensure that any minor remedial or renewal works are brought to Council's attention through the Request for Service procedure in the appropriate manner through promoting the use of the Request for Service procedure and advising community members on how to use the Request for Service procedure
- To be the first point of contact (prior to Council) for community groups. Where this is not possible the Committee will be informed of the approach by the community group to the Council.
- Applications for the Parks Upgrade Partnership Fund are considered and commented on by the Committee prior to the application being considered by Council.
- Placemaking initiatives that are taking place on Council land, will be considered and commented on by the Committee before the application is considered by the Chief Executive.
- To engage with wider/smaller communities of the ward represented.

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<sup>1</sup> Appended to the Delegations Register

1.	<b>Apologies</b>						
2.	<p><b>Confirmation of Minutes from previous meeting</b></p> <p>The Minutes for the meeting of the Bulls Community Committee held on 17 November 2020 are attached.</p> <p><u>Recommendation:</u></p> <p>That the Minutes of the Bulls Community Committee meeting held on 17 November 2020 {as amended/ without amendment} be taken as read and verified as an accurate and correct record of the meeting.</p>						
3.	<p><b>Chairman’s Report</b></p> <p>A report is attached.</p> <p><u>Recommendation:</u></p> <p>That the verbal ‘Chairman’s Report’ to the 10 March 2021 Bulls Community Committee be received.</p>						
4.	<p><b>Bulls Community Co-Ordinator Report</b></p> <p>A report is attached.</p> <p><u>Recommendation:</u></p> <p>That the ‘Bulls Community Co-Ordinator Report’ be received.</p>						
5.	<p><b>Mayoral Update</b></p> <p>A report is attached.</p> <p><u>Recommendation:</u></p> <p>That the ‘Mayoral Update’ be received.</p>						
6.	<p><b>Placemaking</b></p> <p>Discussion item.</p>						
7.	<p><b>Small Projects Grant Scheme Update – March 2021</b></p> <p>A memorandum is attached.</p> <p><u>Recommendation:</u></p> <p>That the memorandum ‘Small Projects Grant Scheme Update – March 2021’ to the 10 March 2021 Bulls Community Committee be received.</p>						
8.	<p><b>Requests from Bulls Community Committee</b></p> <p>The Chair of the Bulls Community Committee has sent a number of questions and items to Council to respond to. A table is listed below, including some responses and also those that need further information about what is required.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Item</th> <th>Owner</th> <th>Response</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Speed reduction to 70km especially coming from Whanganui into Bulls on SH3- What is happening with NZTA on this?</td> <td>Arno</td> <td>tba</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Item	Owner	Response	Speed reduction to 70km especially coming from Whanganui into Bulls on SH3- What is happening with NZTA on this?	Arno	tba
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	Rubbish Bins at the River Car park? This was agreed to and passed at a council meeting.	Carol	This was discussed at the Bulls Community Committee meetings on 21 July and 15 September - then at the 27 Aug 2020 Council meeting where Council approved investigating, with Horizons, the installation of rubbish bins at the picnic area on the Bulls side of the river – noting the need for continued maintenance of the bins and removal of rubbish.
	Town Entrance signs- When are they being erected?	Gaylene	Nardia has advised these should be up by the end of the month (e.g. Friday).
	Bulls Water Tower – Progress update on the current construction, and completion time?	Arno	tba
	Waste from Marton to Bulls progress report	Arno	See page 61: <a href="https://www.rangitikei.govt.nz/council-meeting-order-paper-25-february-2021">Council Meeting - Order Paper - 25 February 2021 (rangitikei.govt.nz)</a>
	Rubbish bins in Rangitikei Junction	Gaylene	The rubbish bins belong to the landowner not RDC. They are not part of the CBD contract. <i>NB RDC leases the toilets from the owner but not the rubbish bins.</i>
	Signage for Te Matapihi	?	It is not clear what information is being sought from these questions, or if Tyrone is simply wanting these items to be added to the agenda for discussion?  Once the information being sought is clear, I suggest these questions form actions/undertaking for staff to respond at a subsequent meeting, or via email in between meetings.
	Greenspace	?	
	Photo sign	?	
	Overview of Rangitikei happenings - how it impacts the whole district re rates etc.	?	
	Community engagement - advertising of events, school holiday programmes etc.	?	
	<u>Recommendation:</u> That the requests from the Bulls Community Committee be reviewed and an update provided back to Council.		
9.	<b>Future Items for the Agenda</b>		
10.	<b>Next meeting</b> Wednesday, 7 April 2021		