



Turakina Community Committee Meeting Minutes – Thursday 2 October 2014 – 7:30 p.m.

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Present: S Fouhy (Chair)

K Bayler N Eagland C Neilson D Wallen S Welsh

Cr Soraya Peke-Mason

1 Welcome

The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting.

2 Apologies

That the apologies for absence from A Campbell and L Mauchline-Campbell be received.

K Bayler / C Neilson. Carried

3 Confirmation of minutes

Resolved minute number 14/TCC/011 File Ref

That the Minutes of the Turakina Community Committee meeting held on 7 August 2014 be taken as read and verified as an accurate and correct record of the meeting.

D Wallen / N Eagland. Carried

4 Matters arising

Sainsbury's Drain

Cr Peke-Mason provided the Committee with an update on the Sainsbury's drain problems. She and Cr Sheridan had been following the issue up. The drain belongs to the Sainsburys, and is levelled to go back the other way (the levels are not quite right in the drain). A Request for Services (RFS) can be made to both Rangitikei District Council and Horizons Regional Council to clear these drains. Landowners are responsible for drains that are classed as private.

Picnic Table

N Eagland will check with the landowner (A Glasgow) about putting in a concrete slab for a picnic table to sit on. He had spoken to the work party in Feilding, who are happy to do the work. However, it was agreed that the Whanganui people be approached first; N Eagland will follow up.

Turakina Tartan

S Welsh tabled the official colours. She had obtained two quotes to have the pattern printed on a 1mx2m board (including the names of the winning school students). It was agreed that she and D Wallen would go to the Caledonian Society's meeting to see if they are interested in funding this.

D Wallen will check out the Creative Communities Arts grant now open for applications via Rangitikei District Council.

5 Council decisions on recommendations from the Committee

The Committee noted that there were no recommendations from the Committee presented to Council's meeting on 2 October 2014.

Proposed Significance and Engagement Policy, Local Approved Products Policy, Dog Control and Owner Responsibility Policy, and Control of Dogs Bylaw

The Committee discussed the Policies and Bylaw, and agreed to make submissions on the Local Approved Products Policy and the Dog Control and Owner Responsibility Policy.

Resolved minute number 14/TCC/012 File Ref

That the Turakina Community Committee prepares submissions on the proposed Significance and Engagement Policy, Local Approved Products Policy, Dog Control and Owner Responsibility Policy, and Control of Dogs Bylaw.

S Fouhy / S Welsh. Carried

7 General business

Speed Limit Signs

It was noted that the 70km/h sign at the Northern end of the village had been blown over. It was suggested that NZTA be approached to tidy up their plantings when the new sign is installed.

Cr Peke-Mason agreed to phone NZTA to check if they can do the same thing in Turakina as they have done in Sanson.

Mail Delivery

Order papers are being received by some Committee members two days prior to the meeting. The Committee needs longer to review the order papers prior to the meeting.

The Committee were informed that order papers can be emailed if requested. A list of email addresses for Committee members will be supplied.

Rubbish Bags

Can people who pick up litter along the sides of the road be supplied with rubbish bags?

Long Term Plan: Early Engagement Meeting

The Committee would like to thank the Mayor and Chief Executive for holding the public meeting in Turakina.

8 Date of next med	eting
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Thursday 4 December 2014, 7.30 pm

9 Meeting closed – 8.40 pm

Confirmed/Chair:	 	 		
Date:				