

Rangitikei District Council

Turakina Community Committee Meeting
Order Paper – Thursday 4 June 2015 – 7:30 p.m.



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The quorum for the Turakina Community Committee is 3 plus one elected member of Council
At its meeting of 28 October 2010 Council resolved that 'The quorum at any meeting of a standing committee or sub-committee of the Council (including Te Roopu Ahi Kaa, the Community Committees, the Reserve Management Committees and the Rural Water Supply Management Sub-committees) is that required for a meeting of the local authority in SO 2.4.3 and 3.4.3.'

1 Welcome

2 Apologies

3 Confirmation of minutes

Recommendation

That the Minutes of the Turakina Community Committee meeting held on 2 April 2015 be taken as read and verified as an accurate and correct record of the meeting.

4 Council decisions on recommendations from the Committee

There were no recommendations from the Committee presented to Council's meeting on 28 May 2015.

5 Small Projects Grant Scheme

The amount of \$653.00 will be available to the Committee from 1 July 2015 and updates on the balance will be provided to each meeting.

6 Council responses to queries raised at the last meeting

At its last meeting, the Committee sought clarification in the difference in bulk water charges between Feilding and Marton. Currently Manawatu charges \$2.00m³ while Rangitikei charges \$3.10m³ (plus \$5.90 per tanker load). Hunterville town currently pays \$3.21m³. Both councils charge a premium on the charges made for extraordinary water – this is \$1.25m³ in Manawatu and \$1.65m³ in Rangitikei.

This points to different cost structures between the two councils; in addition, Rangitikei has a district-wide approach to funding water supplies whereas Manawatu does not – the cost of supplying water is met through targeted rates on connected and serviceable properties; in Rangitikei revenue from extraordinary water usage (including bulk water sales) contributes a defined percentage of the District-wide funding; this is not the case in Manawatu.

7 Email from Friends and Whanau Group from Turakina Primary School

An email was received from the Friends and Whanau Group from Turakina Primary School have asking if the Committee would like to contribute to a newly established newsletter, either as a one-off or on a regular basis.

If the Committee wishes to contribute to this newsletter, the Chair's contact details will be passed onto the contact from the Friends and Whanau Group from Turakina Primary School.

8 General business

9 Discussion on previous meeting

10 Next meeting

Thursday 6 August 2015, 7.30 pm

11 Meeting closed