



**HIMATANGI
BEACH**

**COMMUNITY
COMMITTEE**

Himatangi Beach Community Committee 2020



Community Committee Minutes

Venue: Zoom, 20/08/2020 at 7pm

Present:

Stuart Campbell, Jason Kennerley, Penny Harrington, Reuben Ebrey, Janine

Hawthorn, Philson Marsh, Hamish Waugh, Rene Van DeWeert.

Apologies:

That the following apologies be accepted:

Sue Smith

Moved : Jason Kennerley

Seconded: Reuben Ebrey

Carried: yes

Correspondence:

Inward:

- Email from Rebecca Bell about LTP

- Email from Fire Service about Fire Lane.

- Email from Mathew Bayliss about Dune Restoration.

- Community Petition.

Outward:

- Email of letter from fire brigade to Stuart.

- Email to council about water funding.

- Email to Rec Services, Janine and James about bollards.

Moved: Jason Kennerley

Seconded: Reuben Ebrey

Carried: Yes

Confirmation of Previous Minutes:

That the minutes from the previous meeting held on 16th April be accepted as a true and correct record.

Moved: Jason Kennerley

Seconded: Reuben Ebrey

Moved: yes

Matters Arising:

Water Supply funding:

Hamish Waugh spoke about the way water will be supplied around the country in the future and why these changes are being made. He also discussed the options the council have been investigating to improve the water in Himatangi. The current water supply meets the drinking water standards. There is silica and iron in the water which cause discoloration on surfaces when left to dry, this is common in coastal water supplies. The options to improve the water supply are to either

- install a filter to the current water supply which would be expensive and have on going costs,

- dig a deeper bore to try and get to a better quality of water, this however may not improve the water quality at all and has a high level of risk.

- connect to the new water supply in Sanson once this is up and running.

Of the three options the connecting to the Sanson supply has the most appeal as the costing for laying pipes is fairly uniform so is easier to plan for as well as guaranteeing a high quality water supply.

The council has applied for funding from the government and they are working through the costings for the project. The government would only partly fund the

project so the rest of the funding would need to come through the council.

The ohakea/sanson scheme would need to be hooked up first before an extra section of pipeline could be installed to Himatangi Beach. The earliest that work could start would be after Christmas next year.

Water Meters:

Discussions were made about the possibilities of water meters to reduce wasting of water as the water pressure in the village drops significantly when the village is busy.

Fire Lane:

The GIS team at council will be registering fire lane in the next few weeks.

Bollards/sight rails

Hamish will talk to Mathew Bayliss to discuss repair options.

Temporary 50km zone:

Hamish will have a look to see if the temporary sign can be put back to the original speed until the speed can be changed if needed officially.

Recycling centre

The council will move the bins in the recycling centre to try and get the bins further into the recycling centre area. The committee has suggested that the back of the recycling centre be increased by 10m allow all the bins to fit inside the recycling area.

Doggy do bins

Hamish to talk to Mathew Bayliss.

Funding Information:

Janine talked to the committee to explain how community funding works.

Petition:

The petition from the community was submitted

Finances:

Project fund:

\$9562.58

Community Tagged Funding

\$3000 has been allocated for the Community patrol

\$3635 Stage 3 signage

\$3000 Stage 4 signage

The community committee has asked to have this money be released from stage 3 and 4 signage so it can be used for bollards. This will be ratified by an email to the committee.

\$10000 for tennis court redevelopment.

Moved : Reuben

Seconded: Jason

Carried: Yes

Community Plan:

Review of community Plan Projects (whats been completed, whats been planned, timeline, issues, actions)

Projects in order of priority

Bollards upgrade

Skate park make safe

Security Cameras

privacy screens for public showers
improvements to the paths by the creek
outdoor fitness equipment
signage to show street name history
improvements to the road to the beach
tennis court upgrade

MDC Community Project funding

Balance: \$ 29197.58

Surf Club Report:

None

Fire Brigade Report:

none

Community Patrol Report:

The Foxton Beach community have a project underway to install cameras that will be monitored by the Levin Police. Himatangi Beach could piggy back onto this scheme if we can get the funding to pay for our own cameras. The cameras are 12000-15000 each. The community committee will apply for funding in the long term plan and the trust will apply for funding through central energy trust.

There have been some young people ripping up the berms around the village. Higgins have repaired and the people involved are known.

Councillor Update:

- Cemetery strategy was adopted.
- Draft stock movement bylaw has more work to be done on it.

- The Mangaweka bridge has a approved a contract to rebuild the bridge, the tender is out for this.
- The LTP was discussed in regards to the rates remitting policy as well as the infrastructure strategy.
- The youth council has been selected and will be adding their input to the council on youth affairs.
- Work to be done on earthquake strengthening of the council building
- Feilding library is having an upgrade.
- Work on the district plan around rural and village zoning.
- Feilding based resourced recovery centre is underway
- Waste water centralization project is progressing. Ohakea will be included into the scheme.

Meeting Closed:

Time - 819pm

Next Meeting:

17th September @ 7pm at the Himatangi Beach Community Hall.



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