

MINUTES OF THE TANGIMOANA COMMUNITY COMMITTEE 19th OCTOBER, 2020

PRESENT: Alison Short (Chairperson), Annie Sowry (Secretary, Hilary Oxley (Treasurer), Paul Gregan, Denise Deacon, Mike Linton (NZ Police), Margaret Angus, Jeff Graham (MDC Civil Defence).

ABSENT: Russell Hunter, Trudy Pankhurst, Jenny Gregan, Helen Worboys (Mayor).

Moved: Hilary O. 2nd: Margaret Angus

Minutes from last meeting read by Alison Short.

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DISCUSSION:

Hilary followed up on the costs for erecting the Moa icon. Quotes for steel plate for base (\$285). 60 footprints recorded at Te Papa. Moa used to hangout in pairs, not flocks. Research into the Durrant family and people involved in funding the Moa footprints.

CORRESPONDANCE:

Email from Matt Favis regarding Community Facilities to be in General Business.

Paul Gregan updated on the Coastal Reserve projects. Moa to be on the first knoll from the STOP sign. Dropping the change in Street names. Not favoured by the locals. Rongotea Lions and RSA to support the ANZAC Memorial project.

TREASURERS REPORT:

Main Acct: \$7,561.21 Less: \$200 for school. Eco Advisor: \$100.00 &

Moa \$5,200 – Creative communities

Still to come, \$250.00 from Fire Brigade.

\$50.00 petty cash from Hall Hire.

Hilary and Denise to sign receipt book for collection of Hall Hire funds. Very few hall hires. No extra heating costs.

Suggestions for warming/heating up hall:

Block gaps around doors and cover on manhole, Perhaps insulation under stage, Warming light globes, Nova light in the dark area on stage.

Matt Bayliss wants to hear any plans we have for the hall, how much use etc., Issued a form to be completed, Hilary to fill in form regarding all the information from the insulation assessment Nilson Levo PNCC Energy Advisor.

No country halls are insured, Hall committees are expected to insure their own contents. Alison to get a copy of the Independent Inspection from Matt that was done.

Suggest another public loo in the reserve, more seating and shaded seating in the community.

Jeff Gordon Civil Defence MDC Tsunami Drills, New signage, and Beach threat mostly, Tsunami Hikoi took 30 minutes to get to the road walking.

Tracey Cuff discussed creating a community committee of contacts, will need to know how many households are in your area and how many people.

Nominate an evacuation centre and back up location. Handed out Response and Recovery Plan and Emergency Guides plus a kit. Back up Kit at TeKawau. Decide where to keep Tangimoana Kit? Tracey gave us a couple of Neighbourhood support sign Facebook pages, community events and updates in the area (16 locations).

Mike Linton: Area Community Policing liaison

Council Report: Lack of housing is a problem. Working on a seniors plan Youth Strategy. New Skate Park opened in Feilding. Renewed solid waste contract. Community Honors last week – 5 received. Shane Harris is acting Chief Executive. DHB Mid Central holding a forum.

Ellison Reserve Report:

Digger been doing work along Moana Street removing pampas etc. Needs a new Facebook admin for reserve. Community Facilities Strategy, proposal. Shade beside playground, mound at back of playground. Plinth and Focal point. Tables, signs. Lockable shed and meeting point. Horizons visit, Bitern, eels, whitebait. Cows in Estery, walkway along river side.

Paul Gregan – 10 year plan: Replacing footpaths, a lot of streets don't have any footpaths - \$300.00 per metre. Perhaps suggest 100m-200m per year (new path laid). Alison to discuss the footpaths with Hamish. Development Contributing are funding footpaths, discussion was had regarding footpaths across the district – community funding requests mainly for recreational walkways.

Margaret mentioned the reserve hasn't cost the council anything, yet, good that things are starting to get done.

Meeting closed at 8.55pm