Minutes Whakatāne District Extraordinary Council Meeting – 25 July 2024

WHAKATĀNE District Council Kia Whakatāne au i ahau	Details of Meeting:	WHAKATĀNE DISTRICT EXTRAORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING HELD IN ROOM TŌTARA (CHAMBERS), ON THURSDAY, 25 JULY 2024, COMMENCING AT 11:23 AM.
	Present:	His Worship the Mayor Dr V Luca, Deputy Mayor Immink, Councillors A Iles, G Dennis, T Boynton, N Rangiaho, T O'Brien, W James, N Tánczos, J Pullar and J Jukes
	In Attendance:	D Bewley (Acting Chief Executive), G Cooper (Manager Three Waters), N Woodley (Acting GM Development Services), B Gray (GM Infrastructure), G Connolly (CFO and GM Business Partnering), V Fergusson (Manager Strategic Property), J Sinclair (Acting Manager Policy Planning and Consents), and C Viljoen (Manager Governance Services)
	Visitors:	Janeane Joyce (Project Manager / Consultant)
	Apologies:	

1 KARAKIA

The Chairperson opened the meeting with a Karakia at 11:23 am.

2 MEETING NOTICES

Meeting attendees were advised on the following subjects:

- Health and Safety aspects attendees needed to be aware of.
- Standard meeting protocols when livestreamed.

3 APOLOGIES

Nil.

4 ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS / TRIBUTES

Nil.

5 CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

No conflicts were declared.

Attendance: Councillor J Pullar left the meeting (online) at 11:25 am and returned to the meeting (online) at 11:30 am.

6 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Nil.

7 RESOLUTION TO EXCLUDE

Refer to pages 10 of the agenda.

Moved Councillor Iles / Seconded Councillor James

RESOLVED:

THAT the **public be excluded** from the following parts of the proceedings of this meeting, namely:

1. Matatā Land Purchase and Lease Report

CARRIED

The general subject of each matter to be considered while the public is excluded, the reason for passing this resolution in relation to each matter, and the specific grounds under section 48(1) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 for the passing of this resolution are as follows:

	General subject of each matter to be considered	Reason for passing this resolution in relation to each matter	Ground(s) under section 48(1) for the passing of this resolution	When item can be released into public
1.	Matatā Land Purchase and Lease Report	Good reason to withhold exists under Section 7.	That the public conduct of the relevant part of the proceedings of the meeting would be likely to result in the disclosure of information for which good reason for withholding exists. Section 48(1)(a)	Not to be released

This resolution is made in reliance on sections 48(1)(a) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 and the particular interest or interests protected by section 7 of that Act, which would be prejudiced by the holding of the relevant part of the proceedings of the meeting in public are as follows:

Item No	Interest
1	To enable the Council to carry out, without prejudice or disadvantage, commercial activities (Schedule 7(2)(h))
1	To carry on, without prejudice or disadvantage, negotiations (including commercial and industrial negotiations) (Schedule 7(2)(i))

Moved Councillor Iles / Seconded Deputy Immink

RESOLVED:

THAT Council confirm that the Matatā Land Purchase and Lease Report was received by Council for discussion in Public Excluded, and that it was agreed for resolution 1 of this report to be re-stated in the public section of the meeting.

CARRIED

The Chairperson closed the meeting with a Karakia at 11:50 am.

Confirmed at the meeting dated:	
CHAIRPERSON	