


Minutes - Rangitāiki Community Board 17 April 2024

 <p>WHAKATĀNE District Council <i>Kia Whakatāne au i ahau</i></p>	Details of Meeting:	RANGITĀIKI COMMUNITY BOARD MEETING HELD AT THE LIONS READING ROOM, EDGE CUMBE LIBRARY, COLLEGE ROAD, EDGE CUMBE ON WEDNESDAY, 17 APRIL 2024 COMMENCING AT 5.35 PM
	Present:	Members L Waaka (Chairperson), C McIndoe, P Flowerday, and Councillor G Dennis
	In Attendance:	Councillor O'Brien, Councillor James, F Begley (Manager Community Partnerships) and S French (Senior Governance Support Advisor)
	Visitors:	
	Apologies:	Members H Brown and P Flowerday

The meeting was opened at 5:35 pm with a Karakia led by Chairperson Waaka.

1 APOLOGIES

Moved Councillor Dennis / Seconded Member Flowerday

RESOLVED:

THAT the Rangitāiki Community Board accept the apology from Members H Brown and P Falwasser.

CARRIED

2 ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS / TRIBUTES

Nil.

3 CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

Nil.

4 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Refer to page 7 of the agenda.

No public participation at the April 2024 meeting.

5 CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

Refer to pages 8-11 of the agenda.

Corrections:

The February meeting commenced at 5:32 pm. Member C McIndoe was in attendance.

Reference to installation of a BBQ table at Matatā Beach, correct to installation of a BBQ.

Moved Councillor Dennis / Seconded Member Flowerday

RESOLVED:

THAT, subject to the above corrections, the minutes of the Rangitāiki Community Board meeting for Wednesday, 21 February 2024 be confirmed as a true and correct record.

CARRIED

6 REPORTS

6.1 Rangitāiki Community Board – Activity Report

Refer to pages 12-32 of the agenda.

The meeting was advised a funding-kit workshop, facilitated by the Council Community Partnership staff, would be held on 21 May 2024 from 5:30-7:30 pm, at the Edgumbe Library. The workshop was intended for individuals and community groups to learn more about community funding, creation of a funding kit, and related hints and help. Members were encouraged to pass this information onto their contacts and groups.

Action - It was requested a communication to advertise the workshop be created and shared.

Members expressed the benefits of a youth representative aligned with the Rangitāiki Community Board. It was noted the Board could potentially connect with the group of Edgumbe College youth. The WDC Youth Council comprised of 20 members currently, with room for additional members.

The importance of Council communications to the public was expressed to ensure accurate and full information was reported, that was sometimes missing from media reporting. It was suggested a communication was distributed regarding speed restrictions information.

Action - Regarding the Thornton Safety Improvements, Manager Community Partnerships would report back as to who had input into the painting design of the newly constructed noise wall.

Member McIndoe advised he had corresponded with Kiwi Rail regarding the railway embankment vegetation and had not yet received a reply.

Moved Councillor Dennis / Seconded Member McIndoe

RESOLVED:

THAT the Rangitāiki Community Board - Activity Report March 2024 be received.

CARRIED

7 Chairperson and Sub-Committee Reports

7.1 Chairperson Report

Refer to pages 33-34 of the agenda.

Moved Member Flowerday / Seconded Member McIndoe

RESOLVED:

THAT the RCB Chairperson Report – 17 April 2024 be received.

CARRIED

7.2 Councillor Report

Refer to pages 35-36 of the agenda.

