

SOUTH WAIRARAPA DISTRICT COUNCIL

16 JULY 2014

AGENDA ITEM E1

REPORT FROM HER WORSHIP THE MAYOR

Purpose of Report

To update Council on activities and issues which have arisen since my last report to Council.

Recommendations

Her Worship the Mayor recommends that Council:

1. *Receives the information.*

1. MEETING REPORT 1

Name	Mayor Adrienne Staples
Meeting – Date & Venue	Wairarapa Racing Club Tauherenikau
Key issues from meeting	Advice that the Melbourne Cup would once again be visiting South Wairarapa on 26/27 July (two years ago it came to Greytown) and how this could be celebrated? Childrens activities – Fstn, Saturday afternoon. Cocktail function – Saturday evening Visit Martinborough Sunday – Pukemanu?
Speakers	None
Specific item/s for Council consideration	Availability of ANZAC Hall. Guest speaker for Saturday Night Support from Trust House
General	

2. MEETING REPORT 2

Name	Mayor Adrienne Staples
Meeting – Date & Venue	CDEM Upper Hutt
Key issues from meeting	Regular reports given Full papers available from GW website.
Speakers	None
Specific item/s for Council consideration	
General	

3. MEETING REPORT 3

Name	Mayor Adrienne Staples
Meeting Date & Venue	Rimutaka Hill Road Committee Meeting Thursday 12 June 2014
Attendees	Mayor Adrienne Staples SWDC Mayor Lyn Patterson Masterton Martin Napier AA Wairarapa Richard Hocken NZ Road Policing Adam Nicholls NZTA
Apologies	Mayor Ron Mark Carterton
Key issues from meeting	Confirmation of Membership Maintenance – guard rail completion North side – safety issues
Speakers	
Specific item/s for action	Invite Ken Shirley or representative from Road Transport Association to join group. Guard rail – budget for next two years and completion time. Signs – info for reporting slips and damage. Stopping and slow traffic bays need to be called something else as some traffic don't consider they are either slow or need to stop even when they have long lines of traffic behind them. Adam to supply information around freight movement and safety issues around three identified corners to support the Mayors to argue for inclusion in the NLTP when discussed at the Regional Transport Committee.
General	Discussion around speed limits and their effect on accident rates. Discussion around yellow line and policing and its

	<p>ramifications. Slips – proposed work i.e. more netting. Road maintenance: service levels and regularity. Next meeting – 29 July, 2014. 9am Greytown Town Centre.</p>
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4. Other Meetings and Engagements

Date	Engagement	Date	Engagement
04/06/14	Times Age Sports Awards	25/06/14	Adopt Annual Plan
05/06/14	LGNZ Rural and Provincial Sector	26/06/14	SST – new Project Managers
09/06/14 - 10/06/14	Annual Plan Submissions	27/06/14	Kids Can luncheon
12/06/14	Meka Whaitiri – MP	30/06/14	Breakfast meeting – Vern Walsh
12/06/14	Anne Neil – Heritage NZ	30/06/14	Community Boards workshop
12/06/14	Regional Sports Awards	02/07/14	LGNZ Conference Committee
13/06/14	LGNZ Conference Committee	03/07/14	Open Greytown Dog Park
17/06/14	SWSCC	03/07/14	Roger Mill's farewell
18/06/14	SW Rotary 45 th Birthday	04/07/14	Featherston Ratepayers and Residents Association
19/06/14	Martinborough Town Centre workshop	04/07/14	Kuranui College WWI Concert
19/06/14	Resume Annual Plan deliberations	05/07/14	Cancer Society cabaret fund raiser
19/06/14	Gold Awards	07/07/14	Alistair Scott
21/06/14	Rural Women Conference	08/07/14	SWSCC
23/06/14	Martinborough Community Board	09/07/14	Zone 4
24/06/14	Featherston Community Board	11/07/14	Wellington Opera
24/06/14	Social Sector Trial	12/07/14	Greytown Little Theatre
25/06/14	Greytown Community Board	13/07/14	Cobblestones Dawn Service

5. Correspondence

5.1 Inwards

DATE	INWARDS	SUBJECT
19 May 2014	Professor Grant Guilford	Victoria University Annual Report 2013.
19 May 2014	Andrew Bridgeman, CE and Secretary for Justice	Justice Sector Report 2013: Crime and safety highlight.
25 May 2014	Vivienne Malneek, Secretary, Martinborough Branch, Rural Women NZ	Thank you for accepting invite to open conference on 20 June.

DATE	INWARDS	SUBJECT
18 June 2014	Ministry of Transport	Draft Government Policy Statement on land transport 2015.
13 June 2014	Hon Steven Joyce	2014 Regional Economic Activity Report.
18 June 2014	Anadarko	Completion of Pegasus Basin two dimensional seismic survey.
11 June 2014	Engineers for Social Responsibility (ESR)	Climate Change Papers.
23 June 2014	The Peace Foundation	United Nations International Day of Peace example of celebrations to mark event.
24 June 2014	Ian Cresswell, Festival Producer, Jazz in Martinborough	Invitation to open Jazz Festival.
26 June 2014	Wild plum Software	Outlining their services.
27 June 2014	Presbyterian Social Services	Grant application support request.
30 June 2014	Phil Gibbons, Sport Wellington	Thanks for attendance at Awards.

5.2 Outwards

DATE	OUTWARDS	SUBJECT
27 May 2014	Ann and Neil Smith	Thank on behalf of the Council and the South Wairarapa Community for their work at the Greytown Campground.
9 June 2014	Derek Anderton	Rates issues and dog issue.
16 June 2014	Michele Elliot	Letter of support for funding for Suicide Prevention Awareness campaign.
19 June 2014	Tweet Bird	Letter of support for funding re-enact a march of WWI troops over the Rimutaka Hill, on 27 September 2015.
25 June 2014	Mike Jones Earthcare Environmental	Thanks from Council for sponsoring Oversew Awards.
30 June 2014	Presbyterian Support Services	Letter of support for funding for Family Works to run a Wisdom and Wellbeing programme for young mothers in Featherston.

Prepared By: Her Worship the Mayor, Adrienne Staples