

COUNCILLOR REPORT
for
South Wairarapa District Council Meeting
Thursday 19th September 2013

Councillor's Name	Margaret Craig
Meeting – Date & Venue	<u>Wairarapa Road Safety Council</u> , 15 August, 2013
Key issues from meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Restraints</u> new regulations – all under 7's in a restraint effective 1st November. Publicity has started. The key message recommended by WRSC is to promote the age change but recommend the 148cm height requirement remain.
Speakers	None
Specific item/s for Council consideration	None
General	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SADD week activities 17 – 22 August • <u>Pedal Ready</u>: Police and GWRC use the trailer to work in Wairarapa Area • <u>School Travel Plan</u>: Greytown school participates • <u>Safe Kids Campaign</u>- creative quest promoting cycle helmet use. Year 2 student at St Mary's school was NZ 1st runner up in the illustrated story category. • <u>AGM</u> on 19 September, 2013

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Meeting – Date & Venue	<u>Waste Forum</u> , 18 August, 2012. Lower Hutt City Council
Key issues from meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>E-Waste</u> Paul Bruce's remit at LGNZ Conference was unanimously supported• <u>Event Recycling</u> Hutt City Council, Upper Hutt City Council and Kapiti Coast District Council have undertaken procurement of a shared (sub-regional) event recycling resource.• <u>TV Takeback</u>. MfE funded to collect 320,000 TVs nation-wide.• <u>Waste Levy</u> 1 July 2014 there will be a ministerial review of the Waste Levy and how it is being spent.• <u>Agrecovery</u> Only 4% farms are practising agrecovery• <u>Tyrewise</u> business plan for product stewardship submitted