



Kāwhia Community Board

MINUTES

17 December 2021

1PM

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Minutes of an Ordinary meeting of the Kāwhia Community Board held via zoom on Friday 17 December 2021 commencing at 1pm.

Tanya Winter
CHIEF EXECUTIVE

MINUTES

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PRESENT

Mr. D Walsh (Chair), Cr. C Jeffries, Mr. G Good.

IN ATTENDANCE

Mr. G Bunn (Group Manager Business Enablement), Mr. A Loe (Group Manager Regulatory & Growth), Mr. B O'Callaghan (Finance Manager), Mr. R McNeil (Strategic Advisor), and Mrs. N Eynon (Business Support – Business Enablement).

The Chair declared the meeting open and welcomed those present.

PUBLIC FORUM

Catherine Holland spoke in relation to the 'Kāwhia Regatta' that is to be held New Year's Day. She raised concerns on COVID potentially being brought to Kāwhia if restrictions and safety precautions are not in place. She suggested the event be cancelled.

The Kāwhia Community Board has an expectation that gatherings will be ran in accordance with the government's directions.

Daisy Scott spoke in the meeting and highlighted the following concerns;

- Safety at the boat ramp – people are dangerously swimming while boats are coming in.
- Signs needing to be put up to prevent fish carcass dumping in Kāwhia.

APOLOGIES

Resolved that the apologies received from Mrs. Whiu and Mr. Briggs be sustained.

Councillor Jeffries / Chair

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES – 29 OCTOBER 2021

Resolved that the Minutes of the meeting of the Kāwhia Community Board on 29 October 2021, as circulated be approved as a true and correct record of that meeting and the recommendations contained therein be adopted.

Councillor Jeffries / Chair

ITEM 64 CHAIRPERSONS REPORT – VERBAL

The Chair reported on the following-

- Expecting an increase of people coming into town over the Christmas/New Year period.
- May have more Covid cases reported that relate to Kāwhia visitors and residents.

Resolved that the Chairperson's verbal report be received.

Councillor Jeffries / Mr. Good

ITEM 65 KĀWHIA COMMUNITY BOARD 2022 MEETING DATES

Resolved that the dates presented for regular meetings of the Kāwhia Community Board for the 2022 year be adopted.

Friday

25 February

25 March

22 April

27 May

24 June

22 July

26 August

23 September

28 October

25 November

16 December (week earlier)

Chair / Councillor Jeffries

BOARD MEMBER UPDATE

COUNCILLOR JEFFRIES

- Suggested the board to make brochures for 3 January 2022 in support of concerns relating to fish carcass dumping and safety at the boat ramp.
- Expressed thanks for the work done over the year and wished everyone a good Christmas.

MR. GOOD

- Met with the Roading Manager in Aotea to do an assessment on the footpath.
- Community concerns on logging trucks exiting Aotea Road onto State Highway 1.
- Seawall issues in Aotea.

CHAIR

- The Chair advised members of an application received to put an ice-cream truck at the park. After discussion, the Board agreed to accept the application on a trial-basis for a period of one season with the cost of power being covered by the applicant.
- Merry Christmas to staff and the Board members.

The Group Manager Regulatory and Growth thanked the Community Board for their efforts throughout the year and wished everyone a Merry Christmas.

MEETING CLOSURE

The meeting closed at 2.16pm.