



Te Kaunihera-ā-Rohe o Ngāmotu  
**NEW PLYMOUTH DISTRICT COUNCIL**  
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**EXTRAORDINARY AGENDA**

**CLIFTON COMMUNITY  
BOARD**

**Tuesday 8 May 2018  
at 3.30pm**

**Plymouth Room, Civic Centre  
Liardet St, New Plymouth**

Chairperson	Mr	Ken	Bedford
Members	Mr	John	McLean
	Mr	Warren	Petersen
	Ms	Pamela	Street
	Cr	John	Williams

## **Community Boards**

### **Role of community boards (s52 Local Government Act 2002)**

- a) represent, and act as an advocate for, the interests of its community; and
- b) consider and report on matters referred by the council and other matters of interest
- c) maintain an overview of services provided by the council within the community; and
- d) prepare an annual submission to the council for expenditure within the community;
- e) communicate with community organisations and special interest groups within the community; and
- f) undertake any other responsibilities that are delegated to it by the territorial authority.

### **Addressing the community board**

Requests for public forum and deputations need to be made at least one day prior to the meeting. The Chairperson has authority to approve or decline public comments and deputations in line with the standing order requirements.

#### Public Forum

Public Forums enable members of the public to bring matters to the attention of the committee which are not contained on the meeting agenda. The matters must relate to the meeting's terms of reference. Speakers can speak for up to 5 minutes, with no more than two speakers on behalf of one organisation.

#### Deputations

Deputations enable a person, group or organisation to speak to the meeting on matters contained on the agenda. An individual speaker can speak for up to 10 minutes. Where there are multiple speakers for one organisation, a total time limit of 15 minutes, for the entire deputation, applies.

### **Purpose of Local Government**

The reports contained in this agenda address the requirements of the Local Government Act 2002 in relation to decision making. Unless otherwise stated, the recommended option outlined in each report meets the purpose of local government and:

- Will help meet the current and future needs of communities for good-quality local infrastructure, local public services, and performance of regulatory functions in a way that is most cost-effective for households and businesses;
- Would not alter significantly the intended level of service provision for any significant activity undertaken by or on behalf of the Council, or transfer the ownership or control of a strategic asset to or from the Council.

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**HEALTH & SAFETY**

**APOLOGIES**

**CONFLICTS OF INTEREST**

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

**DEPUTATIONS**

None advised

**REPORTS**

**ITEMS FOR DECISION BY CLIFTON COMMUNITY BOARD**

- 1 Clifton Community Board Long-Term Plan 2018-2028 Submission

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## **CLIFTON COMMUNITY BOARD LONG-TERM PLAN 2018-2028 SUBMISSION**

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### **PURPOSE**

This report advises of the Clifton Community Board's long-term plan submission.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

**That, having considered all matters raised in the report, the Clifton Community Boards Long-Term Plan 2018-2028 submission be forwarded for consideration by the Council.**

### **ACTIVITIES**

#### **Urenui Speed Controls**

Urenui is divided by State Highway (SH3), with the school and playcentre on one side, and some businesses, shops and residents on both sides and this requires people to cross SH3 on a regular basis. The speed of traffic on SH3 within the village boundaries is dangerous, in particular for children and the elderly, and there are no safe points to cross the road.

The Board would like an investigation into suitable safety measures undertaken to slow the traffic down and ask that Council work with NZTA and Police to investigate a safe solution for the Urenui community.

#### **Okau Road**

This road, which takes tourists up to Mt Damper Falls, is now being used by logging trucks on a daily basis and needs urgent attention to make the road safer for all road users. The road constantly has under-slips following inclement weather and in some areas it is impossible for two vehicles to pass. The Board would like serious consideration given to putting in safety barriers in areas where the road is too narrow to raise driver awareness of the dangers on this road.

#### **Motorhome Dump Station**

Clifton is the first point of call for visitors from the North and Tongaporutu Reserve has a very high use for freedom campers. There is an animal effluent dump station on SH3 and the Board believe this would be a suitable area for the establishment motorhome dump station (septic tank) for visitors to our region. This would also prevent motorhomes users from dumping their waste in the animal effluent dump, which is a serious health hazard. The Board request that Council investigate establishing a suitable dumpsite in this area with NZTA and local iwi, or another suitable area within the Clifton Ward.

#### **Clifton Road – Calming Measures**

Tongaporutu Reserve is extremely popular for tourists coming to New Plymouth from the North. Clifton Road provides entry to the baches, freedom camping area and the Three Sisters carpark and toilets, and pedestrians are required to walk on the road as

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there is no room for a footpath at some points along the road. There are areas of the road that do not permit two cars to pass, let alone allow pedestrians to walk safely along.

The Board endorse a request from the users and owners of the Tongaporutu baches for officers to investigate a suitable solution for traffic calming measures along this road to slow the traffic and provide a safer pedestrian walkway.

### **Onaero and Urenui Sewerage System**

The Clifton Community Board have strongly advocated for a suitable sewerage system in Onaero and Urenui for many terms. There have been three feasibility studies undertaken with no progress on this matter. The Board would like to see a suitable plan to establish a sewerage system put in place.

### **Water Infrastructure – Urenui**

The Clifton Community Board have been made aware of quite a few burst water pipes around Urenui, in particular following the recent water crisis. The Board would like to have assurance that renewal of the water infrastructure in Urenui will be considered in the Master Water Plan development.

### **Recycling Depot**

The Clifton Community Board would like to see a recycling depot established within the Clifton Ward as a step towards the goal of Zero Waste.

### **Urenui and Onaero Seawalls**

The Clifton Community Board would like to see the development of a coastal erosion plan and support completion and continues maintenance of seawalls at Urenui and Onaero.

### **Public Toilet Sign – Urenui**

The Board request that a more appropriate sign indicating the location of the public toilets in Urenui be put in place on the corner of SH3 and Ngakoti for travellers through the district.

### **Urenui Domain – Additional Lighting**

With the installation of LED streetlights at Urenui Domain, there is now an increase in "dark spots" around the village. The Board support an application for increased streetlighting in the Domain.

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#### **Report Details**

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