

Multicultural Subcommittee AGENDA

Notice of Meeting:

An ordinary meeting of the Multicultural Subcommittee will be held on:

Date: Friday 3 March 2017

Time: 1pm

Venue: Committee Room 2, Level 2, Civic Offices,

53 Hereford Street, Christchurch

Membership

Chairperson Councillor Jimmy Chen
Members Councillor Mike Davidson

Councillor Anne Galloway Councillor Glenn Livingstone

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Note: The reports contained within this agenda are for consideration and should not be construed as Council policy unless and until adopted. If you require further information relating to any reports, please contact the person named on the report.



MULTICULTURAL SUBCOMMITTEE - TERMS OF REFERENCE

Chair	Councillor Chen
Membership	Councillor Davidson, Councillor Galloway
Quorum	Half of the members if the number of members (including vacancies) is even, or a majority of members if the number of members (including vacancies) is odd.
Meeting Cycle	Bimonthly
Reports To	Social and Community Development Committee

Responsibilities

The Multicultural Subcommittee is responsible for:

- Overseeing the implementation of the Christchurch Multicultural Strategy Our Future together
- Overseeing issues related to diverse communities throughout the city
- Considering matters related to multicultural communities and sector providers
- Receiving regular updates from existing mandated community networks/forums via nominated representatives including:
 - The Multicultural Council Nominated Representative
 - INFORM Network Nominated Representative
 - CLING (Community Languages and Information Network Group) Nominated Representative
 - Ethnic Leaders Forum- Nominated Representative
 - Multicultural Strategy Implementation Committee Staff
- Receiving deputations from individuals and ethnic communities (as and when appropriate via invitation or deputation), i.e. Muslim Building Bridges Group, Chinese New Year Committee, Indian Students' Association etc
- Supporting the activities of the Canterbury Regional Economic development Newcomer work strand
- Championing ethnic and cultural diversity across Council.

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1. Apologies

At the close of the agenda no apologies had been received.

2. Declarations of Interest

Members are reminded of the need to be vigilant and to stand aside from decision making when a conflict arises between their role as an elected representative and any private or other external interest they might have.

3. Deputations by Appointment

3.1 Thi Phan and Mike Fowler will speak on behalf of Hagley College regarding a Hagley project proposal for a multicultural centre.

4. Presentation of Petitions

There were no petitions received at the time the agenda was prepared.