

Waimāero
Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Community Board
OPEN MINUTES

Date: Monday 1 April 2019
Time: 4.30pm
Venue: Ōrauwata, Bishopdale Community Centre Hall
13P Bishopdale Court, Bishopdale

Present

Chairperson	Sam MacDonald
Deputy Chairperson	David Cartwright
Members	Aaron Campbell
	Linda Chen
	Jamie Gough
	Aaron Keown
	Raf Manji
	Shirish Paranjape
	Bridget Williams

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Part A Matters Requiring a Council Decision

Part B Reports for Information

Part C Decisions Under Delegation

The agenda was dealt with in the following order.

1. Apologies

Part C

There were no apologies received for this meeting.

2. Declarations of Interest

Part B

There were no declarations of interest recorded.

3. Confirmation of Previous Minutes

Part C

Community Board Resolved FWHB/2019/00017

That the minutes of the Waimāero/Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Community Board meeting held on Monday 4 March 2019, be confirmed.

Sam MacDonald/David Cartwright

Carried

Community Board Resolved FWHB/2019/00018

That the minutes of the Joint Extraordinary Meeting of the Waimāero/Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Community Board and Waipuna/Halswell-Hornby-Riccarton Community Board held on Monday 4 March 2019, be confirmed.

Sam MacDonald/David Cartwright

Carried

4. Public Forum

Part B

4.1 Bishopdale Centre Association Inc

Debbie Johnstone and Vicki Were, on behalf of the Bishopdale Centre Association Inc, addressed the Board regarding traffic flow issues and safety concerns within the Bishopdale Mall area and a need for a cohesive traffic and pedestrian management plan.

Debbie Johnstone and Vicki Were also raised the concerns regarding the state of the Mall's public toilets, the inadequate and outdated lighting, and maintenance issues related to the previous library site.

The Board thanked Debbie Johnstone and Vicki Were for their presentation.

The Board agreed to refer the traffic issues raised by the Bishopdale Centre Association Inc to staff for investigation and a response back to the Board.

Attachments

- A Bishopdale Centre Association [⇒](#)
- B Bishopdale Centre Association Map [⇒](#)

5. Deputations by Appointment

Part B

5.1 Gordon Spite – Greers Road/Memorial Avenue Intersection- Proposed Traffic Management Improvements

Gordon Spite from the New Zealand Police was unable to attend this Board meeting.

5.2 Edward Wright – Greers Road/Memorial Avenue Intersection- Proposed Traffic Management Improvements

Edward Wright, Manager Public Transport Strategy, Planning and Marketing, Environment Canterbury addressed the Board in support of the proposed traffic management improvements at the Greers Road/Memorial Avenue intersection which will reduce the delays currently experienced by the Orbiter and other buses using this intersection.

Item 8 of these minutes details the Board's decision on this matter.

Following questions from Board members, the Chairperson thanked Edward Wright for his deputation.

5.3 Charles Breurkes – Greers Road/Memorial Avenue Intersection – Proposed Traffic Management Improvements

Charles Breurkes, Chairperson of the Burnside High School Board of Trustees, E Wen Wong, Student Representative on the Burnside High School Board of Trustees, and Phil Holstein, Principal, Burnside High School addressed the Board in support of improvements being made to the Greers Road/Memorial Avenue intersection.

They were however opposed to the traffic management improvements proposed in the agenda report and raised concerns over the safety of cyclists using the proposed sharrow lane.

Charles Breurkes, Phil Holstein and E Wen Wong presented alternative options to the Board including:

- a dedicated 50 metre separated cycle lane;
- a separated 'refuge' pathway;
- right-turn arrow to assist right turning traffic from Memorial Avenue to Greers Road with coloured cycle lane.

Item 8 of these minutes details the Board's decision on this matter.

The Chairperson thanked Messrs Breurkes and Holstein and E Wen Wong for their deputation.

Attachments

- A Burnside High School Training Changes [⇒](#)

5.4 Margaret Austin – Greers Road/Memorial Avenue Intersection – Proposed Traffic Management Improvements

Margaret Austin addressed the Board in support of the contention that the Greers Road/Memorial Avenue intersection requires significant change, but considered that the changes did not go far enough to allow traffic to flow efficiently.

Ms Austin proposed that a dedicated green arrow be installed to allow traffic to turn before the main flow proceeds and that while a reduction in the width of the footpath to accommodate the turning changes would be required, it is essential that the cycle lane is retained for pupils emerging from the adjacent schools.

Ms Austin also raised concern regarding the time allowed for pedestrians crossing the intersection being insufficient and the behaviour of drivers when turning into multi-lane streets.

Item 8 of these minutes details the Board's decision on this matter.

The Chairperson thanked Margaret Austin for her deputation.

Attachments

- A Margaret Austin letter [⇒](#)

5.5 Christ the King School Principal, Mike Bonisch - Greers Road/Memorial Avenue Intersection - Proposed Traffic Management Improvements

Mike Bonisch, Principal, Christ the King School and Father Rick Loughnan, Parish Priest, Christ the King, addressed the Board in opposition to the proposed traffic management improvements at the Greers Road/Memorial Avenue intersection in its current form and asked that the Board request further work be undertaken to address the concerns raised, especially in relation to the provision of a dedicated cycle lane and greater protection for pedestrians.

Mr Bonisch and Father Loughnan expressed concerns that alternative proposals for managing traffic flow in this area had not been fully investigated, particularly the impact of the removal of the cycle lane currently in place on the eastern side of Greers Road. Potentially, cyclists will mount the eastern footpath in an already reduced and congested area. Traffic issues in Memorial Avenue will need to be addressed before traffic turning from Greers Road into Memorial Avenue is prioritised.

Item 8 of these minutes details the Board's decision on this matter.

Following questions from Board members, the Chairperson thanked Mike Bonisch and Father Rick Loughnan for their deputation.

Attachments

- A Christ the King School Signed Submission [⇒](#)

6. Presentation of Petitions

Part B

There was no presentation of petitions.

7. Correspondence

Community Board Resolved FWHB/2019/00019

Part B

The Waimāero/Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Community Board decided to:

1. Receive the information in the correspondence report dated 1 April 2019 from Charlotte Vanhecke and John Ascroft regarding the proposed Traffic Management Improvements at the Greers Road/Memorial Avenue intersection.

Sam MacDonald/Bridget Williams

Carried

8. Greers Road / Memorial Avenue Intersection - Proposed Traffic Management Improvements

Staff Recommendations

That the Waimāero/Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Community Board:

1. Resolve changes to the layout of the northern Greers Road approach to its intersection with Memorial Avenue in accordance drawing RD351802 Issue 1, dated 25/2/2019 and forming Attachment A of the agenda report. The key changes are:
 - a. Revised kerb line for widened carriageway
 - b. A shared left turn traffic lane and cycle lane with associated road marking changes
 - c. Footpath width reduced from 3.2 metres to 2.2 metres.
2. Revoke any previous resolutions pertaining to traffic controls made pursuant to any bylaw to the extent that they are in conflict with the traffic controls described in this report.
3. Resolve that these resolutions take effect when parking signage and/or road marking that evidence the restrictions described in the staff report are in place (or removed in the case of revocations).

Board Consideration

In its deliberations, the Board considered the information provided in the deputations from Edward Wright, Charles Breurkes, E Wen Wong and Phil Holstein, Margaret Austin, and Mike Bonisch, and Father Rick Loughnan, and in the correspondence from Charlotte Vanhecke and John Ascroft. (Items 5 and 7 of these minutes refers)

Board members asked a number of questions including whether signal phasing could be utilised to address the traffic delays.

Aaron Keown foreshadowed a motion that the Board request that staff explore options regarding traffic signal phasing and the introduction of turning arrows at the Greers Road/Memorial Avenue intersection.

Community Board Resolved FWHB/2019/00020

Part C

Sam MacDonald moved, seconded by Jamie Gough

That the Waimāero/Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Community Board resolve to:

1. Adopt Option 2 – Do Nothing of the staff report

On being put to the meeting by the Chairperson, the motion was declared carried.

A division was requested and declared carried by 7 votes for and 2 against, the voting being as follows:

For: Sam MacDonald, David Cartwright, Linda Chen, Jamie Gough, Aaron Keown, Shirish Paranjape, Bridget Williams

Against: Aaron Campbell, Raf Manji

Sam MacDonald/Jamie Gough

Carried

9. Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood 2018-19 Youth Development Fund - Applications - Christchurch Football Club Inc, Billie Nuku, Neve Nuku Community Board Resolved FWHB/2019/00021 (Original Staff Recommendation accepted without change)

Part C

The Waimāero/Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Community Board resolved to:

1. Approve a grant of \$600 (\$300 each) from its 2018-19 Youth Development Fund to the Christchurch Football Club Inc toward the costs of Ngakau O Taupoki Nixon and Charlie Woodbridge competing at the Kids World Rugby Festival in Yokohama, Japan, from 17 to 23 April 2019.
2. Approve a grant of \$100 to Billie Nuku from its 2018-19 Youth Development Fund towards costs to compete the U15 National Maori Netball Tournament in Invercargill from 19 to 21 April 2019.
3. Approve a grant of \$100 to Neve Nuku from its 2018-19 Youth Development Fund towards costs to compete at the U13 National Maori Netball Tournament in Invercargill from 19 to 21 April 2019.

Raf Manji/Linda Chen

Carried

10. Waimāero/Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Community Board Area Report - April 2019

Staff Recommendations

That the Waimāero/Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Community Board:

1. Receive the Waimāero/Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Community Board Area Report for April 2019.
2. Receive for record purposes, the Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Community Board Submission on the Christchurch City Council's Draft Annual Plan 2019-2020.

3. Consider the establishment of an Emergency Response Fund as a result of the events on 15 March 2019 and allocate \$5,000 from their 2018-19 Discretionary Response Fund towards local projects and initiatives that promote the five essential elements of response and recovery.

Community Board Resolved FWHB/2019/00022

Parts BC

That the Waimāero/Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Community Board resolved to:

1. Receive the Waimāero/Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Community Board Area Report for April 2019.
2. Receive for record purposes, the Waimāero/Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Community Board submission on the Christchurch City Council's Draft Annual Plan 2019-2020.
3. Establish an Emergency Response Fund as a result of the events on 15 March 2019 and allocate \$5,000 from their 2018-19 Discretionary Response Fund towards local projects and initiatives that promote the five essential elements of response and recovery.
4. That a Joint Extraordinary Meeting of the Waipuna/Halswell-Hornby-Riccarton Community Board and the Waimāero/Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Community Board be held on Tuesday, 30 April 2019 at 6pm in the Hao Room, Te Hapua: Halswell Centre, 341 Halswell Road, to consider a report on Waimairi Road and Greers Road - Proposed Bus Stops.

Sam MacDonald/David Cartwright

Carried

Linda Chen left the meeting at 6.10pm.

Shirish Paranjape left the meeting at 6.11pm.

11. Elected Members' Information Exchange

Part B

Board members exchanged information on matters of interest including:

11.1 Community Pride Garden Awards Ceremony

The Board thanked Community Governance staff for their work in making this another successful event.

Meeting concluded at 6.13pm

CONFIRMED THIS 15TH DAY OF APRIL 2019



SAM MACDONALD
CHAIRPERSON