
Waitai Coastal-Burwood Community Board Public Forum Briefing AGENDA

Notice of Briefing:

Waitai Coastal-Burwood Community Board Public Forum - Briefing will be held on:

Date: Monday 28 February 2022

Time: 3pm

Venue: Audio/Visual Link

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Please Note:

This forum has no decision making powers and is purely for the purpose of information sharing.

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1. Apologies Ngā Whakapāha

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

2. Council Parks, Regional Parks (Coastal and Plains), Residential Red Zone and Road Maintenance Update and Q&A

Reference Te Tohutoro: 22/165273

Bridie Gibbings – Team Leader Parks Sector North

Neville Tucker – Lead Road Landscapes, Road Amenity and Asset Protection, Transport and Waste Management

Presenter(s) Te kaupāhō : Brenden Winder – Manager Residential Red Zone, Parks

Courtney Reid – Community Partnership Ranger, Residential Red Zone, Parks

Robbie Hewson – Head Ranger, Coastal and Plains – Regional Parks Team

1. Detail Te Whakamahuki

Timing	This briefing is expected to last for 1 hour.
Purpose / Origin of Briefing	Representatives from the Parks Unit, Regional Parks, Residential Red Zone Team and Road Maintenance Unit will provide the Board with an update on what their units work responsibilities are and to provide the Board with a verbal update on their work schedules for the two wards. Staff in attendance will be available to answer questions previously provided by the Board on behalf of the Community.
Background	The Board requested a briefing with staff and the community in relation to maintenance concerns in the ward area. The Board indicated that they would like staff to be available to answer questions and concerns raised by the Community.
Key Issues	Not applicable.
Next Steps	Not applicable.
Useful Links	Not applicable.

Attachments Ngā Tāpirihanga

There are no attachments to this coversheet.

Signatories Ngā Kaiwaitohu

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3. Sustainable Coastlines in Ōtautahi/Christchurch

Reference Te Tohutoro: 22/203685

Presenter(s) Te kaupāhō: Emma Hunter, Programme Coordinator

1. Detail Te Whakamahuki

Timing	This briefing is expected to last for 30 minutes.
Purpose / Origin of Briefing	<p>The perils of pre-production pellet pollution in the Avon-Heathcote Estuary/Ihutai.</p> <p>Emma Hunter will be presenting her MSc research on the "Quantification and Characterisation of Pre-Production Pellet Pollution in the Avon-Heathcote Estuary/Ihutai, Aotearoa-New Zealand" to raise awareness of this issue and encourage discussion around solutions.</p> <p>In addition, Emma has started working for Sustainable Coastlines: a charity enabling people to look after coastlines and waterways. She will be introducing this organisation and the work they are doing in Ōtautahi/Christchurch.</p>
Background	<p>Emma is a recent graduate from Edinburgh Napier University with a Masters of Science in Wildlife Biology and Conservation. Plastic pollution was the focus of the degree's research component.</p> <p>The Avon–Heathcote Estuary/Ihutai in Aotearoa–New Zealand, an important wildlife habitat, was assessed for the presence and characteristics of pre-production pellets. During the manufacture of plastic products, virgin pre-production plastic pellets are melted and formed into the desired plastic item, often requiring thousands of pellets to create a single item. Unfortunately, these plastic pellets end up in the environment through accidental loss during transport, human handling error and run-off from manufacturing plants. Pre-production pellets pose a chemical and physical threat to wildlife by being mistaken for prey items, being unintentionally ingested via filter-feeding or indirectly ingested through the food chain.</p>
Key Issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plastic pollution
Next Steps	Sustainable Coastlines are hosting an Ōtautahi Christchurch Coastline Clean-up at New Brighton beach on 26th March.
Useful Links	<p>Research Paper: https://www.mdpi.com/2673-8929/1/1/5</p> <p>Clean-up Event: https://sustainablecoastlines.org/event/otautahi-christchurch-coastline-clean-up/</p>

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