

Report Name: Board Member Julie Fairey's report

Report covering the period 7th March to 9th April 2017

Auckland Council workshops, meetings and briefings

8 th March	Meeting with senior local board advisor to prepare for mana whenua engagement hui on local board plans (deputizing for chair)
8 th Mar	Attended Infrastructure & Heritage Cluster with Member Doig and officers
9 th Mar	Attended Board workshop from 9.45am with Members Doig and Kumar, Member Kaushal from 9.50am, Member Coury from 9.55am
15 th Mar	Meeting with Member Diver from Maungakiekie-Tamaki Local Board, and Members Doig, Holm, Coury and Kaushal regarding East-West link submission in relation to pylon removal
16 th Mar	Brief meeting with Chair and Member Kaushal
16 th Mar	Attended monthly business meeting
17 th Mar	Attended mana whenua engagement hui on local board plans (deputizing for chair)
22 nd Mar	Attended ANZAC Day ceremony preparation meeting with Chair, Members Coury, Kumar and Kaushal
22 nd Mar	Regular catch-up with Chair
22 nd Mar	Attended quarterly Auckland Transport briefing with Member Holm and elected members from other areas
23 rd Mar	Attended Board workshop with Chair and Member Coury, Member Kumar from 10.10am, Member Kaushal from 10.13am, Member Holm from 10.21am.
24 th Mar	Chaired Green Cluster meeting attended by all cluster members (Coury, Doig, Holm, Fairey) and Member Kumar from 9.39am
24 th Mar	Attended monthly communications meeting with Chair and officers
24 th Mar	TRY-athlon preparation meeting with Member Holm, Auckland Transport and officers
27 th Mar	TRY-athlon walk-through and site check with organisers, also Ella Kumar in a personal capacity (ie not as a board member)
27 th Mar	Attended sub-regional local board briefing session in Takapuna with Chair, Members Coury and Kaushal
29 th Mar	Regular catch-up with Chair
30 th Mar	Attended Board workshop from 10.05am, with Chair, Member Holm, and Member Coury (absent 12.50pm to 1.20pm), Member Kaushal from 10.12am, Member Kumar from 11.30am
5 th April	Regular catch-up with Chair
5 th April	Attended part of Community Cluster (which I am not in) for discussion regarding Freedom Camping pilot from 2pm to 2.50pm, all board members present
5 th April	Attended monthly community forum, with Chair and Member Holm, and Member Kaushal from 5.20pm
6 th April	Attended Board workshop with Chair, Member Holm, Member Coury (absent 11.35am to 1.40pm), Member Kaushal from 10.06am, Member Kumar from 10.55am

7th April Attended Kura Kawana professional development session from 10.15am, with Members Holm and Kaushal

Other meetings, events

8th March Meeting with Sport Auckland representative regarding possible future shared clubroom development at Mt Roskill War Memorial Park

8th Mar Keynote speaker at NZEI Te Riu Roa International Women's Day event, as a feminist and female local government leader

10th Mar Monthly meeting for Chair and Deputy with local MP for Mt Roskill

10th Mar Attended part of Shakti's "No Equality Without Diversity" conference for International Women's Day

13th Mar Greenways Plan review meeting with Chair and contractor

13th Mar Attended part of the launch of Refugees as Survivors family service

18th Mar Dropped in to Holi celebration at Three Kings Reserve (photo→)

19th Mar Dropped in to Sandringham flower carpet celebration

22nd Mar Attended most of local citizenship ceremony, with Chair, Member Kumar, Holm and Kaushal

23rd Mar Attended most of Antarctica Iceberg opening at the Auckland Museum, with two of my children

31st Mar Attended most of Women in Politics AGM, along with other elected members from Auckland and elsewhere

2nd April Staffed board stall for several hours and attended civic opening at Auckland International Cultural Festival, with Members Holm, Doig and Kaushal. (photo→)

3rd April Meeting with Mt Roskill Tennis Club and Chair regarding concept plan for Arthur Faulkner Reserve

5th April Attended Keith Hay Park Users Group

6th April Site visit and meeting with staff from Tupuna Maunga Authority, and Members Doig, Holm and Kaushal, regarding Mt Roskill / Puketapapa / Pukewiwi and Big King / Te Tatua a Riukiuta

7th April Phone call with Winstone Park Tennis Club secretary regarding Fearon Park and Harold Long Reserve upgrade opportunities

8th April Phone call with constituent regarding cross/star on Puketapapa / Pukewiwi / Mt Roskill

9th April Dropped in to TRY-athlon at Keith Hay Park (photo→)

9th April Visit to Big King Reserve to meet with local dog walkers



Other issues/challenges

Over the reporting period I have worked on issues in response to constituent queries or my own observations in regard to the following list of areas. This has usually involved seeking and supplying information, a request for service, and/or forwarding to relevant Board members/officers for their action/information.

- Sandringham Rd Extn cycling infrastructure (photo→)
- Illegal dumping and graffiti reporting
- Freedom camping pilot
- Low carbon action plan
- Local resource consent applications
- Future of Liston Village and Monte Cecilia concept plan
- Special Housing Areas
- Arthur Faulkner Reserve concept plan
- Sportsfield upgrade delay at Keith Hay Park
- Noton Rd carpark works
- Mt Roskill Safe Routes cycling and walking project (Pink Line from Molley Green Reserve to Wesley Community Centre)
- Fearon and Harold Long upgrade work – including visiting to check progress (photo→)
- Keith Hay Park northern cycleway lights – including visit to check
- Noise at event hosted in Three Kings Reserve
- “Dog” painting on the Big King water reservoir
- Bus lane expansions
- Alcohol bans for local parks
- Double decker buses
- Auckland Rocks – a community activity involving decorating rocks and hiding them in local parks for others to find and re-hide elsewhere (photo→)
- Mt Roskill Borough Council building deconstruction and rehabilitation
- Heritage building at 143 White Swan Rd
- Big King Reserve dog access
- Mayor’s Million Trees Project, including drafting letter to Mayor
- Local stormwater management – including visiting to check on a number of hot spots during recent extreme rainfalls, such as Molley Green Reserve (photos during and four hours later), Keith Hay Park (photo next day, with heron), Memorial Ave, McKinnon St, Mt Roskill War Memorial Park



Thank you to our PA Liaison and other officers and elected members, including AT, for their assistance with these and other matters

Disclosures

I am an individual member of the Auckland branch of the National Council of Women, I have attended a branch meeting and their gender equality community conference for this during the reporting period. I have not had any involvement in NCW's feedback to the Puketapapa Local Board on naming for the rose garden on corner Mt Albert Rd and Warren Ave. I will be assisting with fundraising and the annual high schools speech competition this year. www.ncwnz.org.nz

I am becoming a trustee for The Aunties, a charity being established to expand and make sustainable work done to meet the needs of families in women's refuges in particular Te Marama O Mangere Refuge. During the reporting period I have attended a trust board meeting, and we have lodged the trust deed with the Charities Commission. www.aunties.co.nz

I am also a trustee on the HE Fairey Family Trust, which gives grants to people with disabilities through CCS/Disability Action, but I am not currently one of the two "active" trustees.

Recommendation/s

- a) That the report be received.

Signatories

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