

Rodney Local Board Chair's Report

November 2017

The following report covers the activities of the Chair for the month of October 2017, including meetings attended outside of regular workshops, business meetings, elected member training/induction, and administrative appointments with local board staff and members.

Meetings of the Governing Body, their Committees and Workshops

October 11 & 30 – Planning Committee workshops re Auckland Plan Refresh, Albert St
October 18 & 26 – Finance & Performance Committee workshops on Long Term Plan, Auckland Town Hall
October 19 – Teleconference with combined working group re on-site wastewater treatment strategy for the Long Term Plan (with Albany Cr Walker, Waitakere Cr Hulse, Franklin LB Chair Fulljames, and Waiheke LB Chair Walden)

Subject matter / Project Lead meetings

October 1 – Meeting with Auckland Transport, stakeholders, local businesses, and Sandspit and Kawau Island residents' representatives re wharf maintenance
October 5 – Meeting with Dr Lester Levy, Chairman of Auckland Transport, together with business and community representatives in Warkworth regarding transport issues (with Member Roe and Cr Sayers)
October 12 – NX2 community liaison meeting at Puhoi (with Member Roe)
October 18 – Warkworth Transport Infrastructure Forum (with MP Mark Mitchell and Cr Sayers)
October 18 – Sandspit Pest Free public meeting with Infrastructure & Environmental Services staff, and Sandspit residents
October 19 – Meeting with Arts Advisor and Community Facilities staff re Kumeu Arts Centre expansion proposal (with Members Pirrie & Bailey)
October 24 – Meeting with Auckland Transport and Auckland Council Healthy Waters re Matakana Valley Road
October 27 – Greenways meeting with Walking Access Commission and Matakana Coast Trail Trust at Mahurangi West (with Members Roe and Johnston)

Chairs' Fora / LGNZ Meetings

October 9 – Local Board Chairs' Forum, Town Hall

Civic Ceremonies

October 12 – Coatesville Settlers Memorial Hall handover ceremony (with Members Johnston, Bailey and Steele)
October 24 – Citizenship Ceremony, Orewa

Community group meetings

October 2 – Snells Beach Residents & Ratepayers Assn
October 3 – Warkworth Area Liaison Group (with Cr Sayers)
October 10 – Whangateau Residents & Ratepayers Assn
October 25 – Kawau Island Residents & Ratepayers Assn at Ponsonby Yacht Club (with Cr Sayers)
October 29 – Omaha Beach Community Inc

Constituent, small group, and on-site meetings

October 5 – Meeting with Compliance officer and Harbour Master re constituent complaint
October 10 – Meeting with Community Facilities staff re Coatesville Reserve exercise equipment proposal (with Member Johnston)
October 13 – Warkworth Clinic, various (5) appointments (with Cr Sayers)
October 19 – catchup meeting with NZ Police Area Commander

Community Engagement

October 3 – Community Engagement walkthrough event at Warkworth Town Hall
October 17 – Wellsford playspace and skatepark engagement, Wellsford Library (with Members Smith and Berger)

Guest appearances / Event attendances

October 12 – Warkworth RSA Passchendaele commemorative service at Warkworth Town Hall (with Cr Sayers)
October 18 – Matakana Coast Tourism event
October 29 – Kowhai Festival Huge Day Out

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