

Memorandum

To: All Councillors

From: Mayor Phil Goff

Subject: Te Takuahi – First World War Centenary Memorial Art Work Project

The following is an update on the current state of Te Takuahi – our First World War Centenary Memorial Art Project that is proposed for the Auckland Domain.

It updates the material considered at the 23 November 2017 meeting of the Governing Body where we resolved that the completion date for the project would be mid 2019 – being 100 years following the Commemoration of Peace following the First World War.

Design:

- Our designers, Wraight Athfield have completed developed drawings and associated cost estimates.
- An application was lodged for resource consent in January 2018. The decision is currently pending.
- Detailed designs leading to an application for a building consent are currently being prepared. This process involves iwi with respect to the interpretive artworks.

Schedule:

- April 2018 Application for Authority to modify to be lodged with the Historic Places Trust for the authority to excavate on the site
- May – June 2018 Lodgement and processing of the building consent
- June – Sept 2018 Tender period for the physical works
- Dec 2018 – April 2019 Construction

Communications:

- In developing final designs our designers, Wraight Athfield, completed a range of briefings and joint working sessions with affected parties.
- In December 2017 stakeholders associated with the project were briefed on the status and progress of the project advising that a lodgement for resource consent was pending.

Funding:

- An application for further funding will be lodged with the Lotteries Commission by March 21.