

Workshop Records Manukau Harbour Forum

Date: Friday 15 June 2018

Time: 10.00am – 12.05pm

Venue: Mangere-Otahuhu Local board office, Shop 17, 93 Bader Drive, Mangere Town Centre

Chairperson	Saffron Toms	<i>Waitakere Ranges Local Board</i>	
Deputy Chairperson	David Holm	<i>Puketapapa Local Board</i>	
Members	Alan Cole	<i>Franklin Local Board</i>	
	Joseph Allan	<i>Manurewa Local Board</i>	
	Chris Makoare	<i>Maungakiekie-Tamaki Local Board</i>	
	Dawn Trenberth	<i>Otara-Papatoetoe Local Board</i>	
	Bill McEntee	<i>Papakura Local Board</i>	(from 10.25am, item 1)
	Tracy Mulholland	<i>Whau Local Board</i>	
Alternate Members	Nerissa Henry	<i>Maungakiekie-Tamaki Local Board</i>	
Also Present	Cr Josephine Bartley	<i>Auckland Council Councillor</i>	
Staff	Glenn Boyd (<i>Relationship Manager</i>), Miriana Knox (<i>Relationship Advisor, I& ES</i>), Riya Seth (<i>Democracy Advisor</i>), Rhianna Drury (<i>Senior Healthy Waters Specialist</i>),		

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1.0	<p>Hydrodynamic model project update</p> <p><i>Presenters: Chris Garton (WaterCare), Roseline Klein (WaterCare)</i></p> <p><i>Time: 10.05am – 10.35am</i></p> <p>Members received an update on the progress of the Manukau Harbour hydrodynamic model project. The following points were noted:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acknowledged MHF and its objectives and noted that advocacy from forum did assist in the commitment from WaterCare to develop Hydrodynamic modelling. • Hydrodynamic model is computer based and National Institute of Water and Atmospheric Research (NIWA) has constructed 4 smaller models that will work together to model the nutrient and water flow around the Manukau Harbour. Two land based models will calculate flow velocities and total nutrient loads into the harbour from approximately 290 individual points representing the many catchments that flow into the Harbour. • This model builds upon the ecological surveys and monitoring that has been in place for decades with accountability aspects sitting with WaterCare and NIWA.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member Cole noted that there is some significant quick occurring land use changes that the modeling needs to take into account particularly down south with changing agricultural uses such as dairy to cropping, or to life style or residential intensification. Growth model aspects need to be shared and currently are issues around release of statistical information. • Noted that sediment measuring is not part of modelling project. • Framework for model has been established and now key modeling calibration is underway with buoys being launched to validate model and its alignment. • Model is expected to be completed by June 2019 (with an interactive interface).
<p>2.0</p>	<p>Flagship site evaluation</p> <p><i>Presenters: Jan Burbery</i></p> <p><i>Time: 10.35am – 11.05am</i></p> <p>Flagship site evaluation report was discussed with members. The following points were noted:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flagship site programme has delivered 10 events between 2015-2017. The objective of the programme was to provide best practice information to business to protect the Manukau Harbour. It was noted that 262 people attended these events (with 26 people average for each event). • The programme received consistent and positive feedback from businesses and attendees found events useful, well run and professional. • It was noted that database of organisations came from Wilkinson's within the industry. Clarification was sought with regards to where barriers identified to those with English as a second language. • Members from Marae were involved and gave some insight to the Maori perspective which was valuable. • It was noted that Pukekohe Business Association have indicated an interest to host an event in their area. • Indicative cost for each event is around \$5500 (including support communication and information and hosting costs). • It was noted that forum wishes to have opening welcome at events by a forum representative.
<p>3.0</p>	<p>Transform Onehunga</p> <p><i>Presenters: Gavin Peebles, Helga Sonier, Tim Watts</i></p> <p><i>Time: 11.05am – 11.40am</i></p> <p>Members received introduction to the Transform Onehunga Framework Plan which was approved by the Panuku Board in late May 18. The following points were discussed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It was noted that the Framework Plan will be shared with Community in June. • Noted that Panuku is looking to purchase Onehunga Wharf. • Noted that Onehunga is a deep water wharf and is a site of Maori portage and early European settlement and, has continued to be a nexus of transport and energy infrastructure. • There are 6 key strategic moves planned including connecting people to the Manukau Harbour. • It was noted that 2 major properties have been cleared for sale by Panuku in Onehunga town centre to date.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Panuku acknowledge that what it is doing in Onehunga and Manukau can contribute positively towards water quality. • Over 160 jobs and around \$39m contribution to Auckland economy. First 3 years looking to focused on required maintenance, working with current users on site. • Note that proposed land requirement for roading improvements, in dialogue with TransPower to try and advance removal of high voltage powerlines. Planning zone changing would be required to include residential non-wharf uses. • Engagement is occurring with local boards, Mana whenua and community stakeholders around key principles to include future design of wharf. • Current schedule will result in no obvious change to wharf and access for next 5 years. • Members noted that removal of transmission pylons is an interest to many boards. This can be advocated to Transpower. • Member Allan acknowledged commitment of Panuku towards 'Transform Manukau project' and to the restoration and water quality of Puhinui Stream beyond the specific development area but taking catchment into consideration. • Noted that Ferry strategy is part of thinking however AT strategy is still in early stages with no fiscal commitments.
4.0	<p>Young Leaders Programme</p> <p><i>Presenters:</i> Bridget Glasgow, Miriana Knox</p> <p><i>Time:</i> 11.40am – 12.05pm</p> <p>Members received an update <i>on the Young Leaders Programme (a potential project for 2018/2019 financial year) and its success. The following points were discussed:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It was noted that the programme was Manukau Harbour focused with good representation from schools around the harbour. • Purpose of the programme was “Empowering young people to lead the bold and transformative steps needed to shift the world into a sustainable and resilient path”. • The programme involved a range of contributors, sought out opportunities for leaders to have genuine experiences that would help shape thinking. WaterCare, Auckland Airport, DOC, council departments and Mana whenua worked as partners for the programme. Site visit to marine reserve to experience biodiversity was a success. Student action projects were presented in the presentation as a list. • A number of partners have interest in supporting the programme - two students have obtained scholarships to attend Sea Cleaners conference in Hawaii. • MAD Marine and Sustainable Communities are working together. Members requested to meet member boards individually