

Rodney Local Board Chair's Report

October 2018

The following report covers the activities of the Chair for the month September 2018, 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

None this month

Chairs' Fora / LGNZ / Political Working Group meetings

September 10 – Local Board Chairs' Forum, Auckland Town Hall

September 26 – Auckland Council SeaChange Political Reference Group (via Skype)

Civic Ceremonies and Events

None this month

Subject matter / Project Lead meetings

September 5 – Meeting with Cr Sayers and Mayor Goff, with members of the Mahurangi River Restoration Trust to discuss potential funding for dredging

September 7 – Meeting with AT CEO Shane Ellison and CTO Mark Lambert, with Members Brewer and Pirrie to discuss Local Board Plan transport priorities and progress

September 10 – Meeting with Mayor Goff and Member Pirrie on Local Board Plan priorities and progress

September 10 – Meeting with Cr Hulse and GM Waste Solutions Parul Sood, with Cr Sayers re Lawrie Rd and Rustybrook Rd transfer station closures and remediation

September 14 – Hill Street Community Advisory Group meeting with AT, NZTA, and Consultants Mott Macdonald

Public consultations

September 18 – Auckland Transport New Northern Network Service information day (with Member Smith)

Community group meetings

September 3 – Snells Beach Residents & Ratepayers Assn

September 4 – Mahurangi Community Sport & Recreation Collective

September 5 – Warkworth Area Liaison Group (with Cr Sayers)

September 10 – Sandspit Residents & Ratepayers Assn (with Cr Sayers)

September 11 – Whangateau Residents & Ratepayers Assn

Constituent, small group, and on-site meetings

September 12 – Meeting with One Warkworth Business Assn manager and Auckland Council Arts & Culture Project Manager re public art proposal for Warkworth
September 14 – Monthly clinic in Warkworth with Cr Sayers
September 17 – Constituent meeting at Sandspit re proposed development
September 19 – Meeting with Oli Sanandres, Head of Health Safety & Wellbeing Auckland Council, re Mahurangi East defibrillator project
September 25 - Constituent meeting at Matakana re Mahurangi Wastebusters

Guest appearances / Event attendances on behalf of the Local Board

September 8 – Opening of Oaks on Neville Retirement Village
September 14 – Wellsford skate park opening (with Members Smith, Berger, and Roe)
September 15 – Attended Rahui ceremony for Atuanui at Puatahi Marae
September 20 – Mayoral Conservation Awards, Auckland Town Hall
September 25 – Dawn blessing of SH1 Safety Improvements in Dome Valley
September 30 – Inaugural bus trip to Hibiscus Station

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