

Report Name: Board Member Julie Fairey's report

Report covering the period 8th March to 8th April 2019

During the reporting period my attendance was limited due to being put in isolation as a result of the measles outbreak, from 14th March to midday 18th March, and a week's holiday in Samoa (paid for personally) from midday 22nd March to 30th March.

Auckland Council workshops, meetings and briefings

- 11 Mar Attended part of Chairs' Forum as observer, with Chair Doig, and on behalf of Chair from 1.45pm to 2.30pm

- 13 Mar Regular catch-up with Chair
- 13 Mar Attended Infrastructure & Heritage Cluster
- 13 Mar Regular advisor catch-up with Chair

- 14 Mar Attended regular local board workshop by Skype (in measles isolation) from 10am to 1.40pm

- 18 Mar Attended central sub-regional cluster workshop with elected members from other local boards, including Chair Doig, Members Holm and Kaushal, from 2.15pm

- 20 Mar Meeting with advisors regarding work programme input while I am away
- 20 Mar Attended Members Cluster with Chair Doig, Members Doig, Kumar, and Kaushal, Member Holm until 1.45pm

- 20 Mar Regular catch-up with Chair
- 20 Mar Regular advisor catch-up with Chair Doig

- 21 Mar Attended monthly communications meeting with Chair Doig
- 21 Mar Regular board business meeting

- 22 Mar Catch-up with Member Kaushal

- 3 Apr Regular catch-up with Chair
- 3 Apr Facilitated monthly Green Cluster meeting, with Chair Doig, Members Coury, Kaushal, and Member Kumar from 1.08pm
- 3 Apr Regular advisor catch-up with Chair
- 3 Apr Attended monthly community forum with Chair Doig, Members Coury, Holm and Kaushal, Member Kumar from 7.10pm
- 3 Apr Attended local board workshop with Chair Doig, Member Holm, Member Coury until 12noon, Member Kumar from 10.35am. Topic was Complaining to council effectively

- 4 Apr Attended regular local board workshop with Chair Doig, Member Holm, Member Coury (absent 11.55am to 1.29pm), Member Kaushal from 9.33am, Member Kumar from 9.40am

- 5 Apr Participated in filming for Taste of Puketāpapa promotion
- 5 Apr Meeting with Wesley Community Centre Manager with Chair Doig and advisor
- 8 April Attended Mara Hupara Whakawatea with Chair Doig, Member Coury, Member Kaushal from 10.15am, Mayor, Cr Casey, mana whenua and members of the community and project teams
- 8 April Attended Chairs' Forum as an observer, with Chair Doig, from 12.30pm

Other meetings, events

- 8 Mar Bimonthly meeting with Mt Roskill Member of Parliament, with Chair Doig
- 8 Mar Spoke on behalf of the Chair at the Wesley International Women's Day event
- 12 Mar Visit to Waikowhai Park
- 19 Mar Visited outside of Stoddard Rd mosque (Masjid E Umar)
- 30 Mar Helped out with local board stall at Molley Green Community Day
- 7 Apr Helped out with local board stall at Auckland International Cultural Festival

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. Often these are conversations on social media (Facebook and Twitter, sometimes Neighbourly).

- Illegal dumping
- Local resource consent applications and alcohol licences monitoring
- Promoting submissions to AT consultations, in particular Carlton St
- Keith Hay Park sports fields, clubroom development, parking enforcement
- Mt Roskill War Memorial Park needs assessment and concept plan
- Noton Rd and Richardson Rd carpark projects (part of Keith Hay Park)
- Friends of Wairaki Stream Reserve
- Arthur Faulkner Reserve concept plan implementation, including pickleball and VHF club
- Waikowhai Coast boardwalk Stage 2
- Fearon and Harold Long Park project progress
- Maintenance of walkways between roads
- Footpath clearance eg weeds
- Faded parking lines, particularly mobility parks
- Mowing issues in Ernie Pinches area, on Housing NZ property
- SH20 cycleway maintenance including Frost Rd spiral
- Bamfield Park/Rendcomb PI steps, fencing and handrail
- Tree pruning/removal and mowing in parks
- Bus parking on footpath
- Mt Roskill Village upgrade works
- Inorganic collection issues

- Missing Greenways plinth sign on Frost Rd
- Illegal advertising signs on public land

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. During the reporting period I did attend the regular branch meeting on 11th March. www.ncwnz.org.nz

I am a trustee, and board secretary, for The Aunties, a charity established to expand and make sustainable work done to meet the needs of families dealing with domestic violence. During the reporting period I did not attend any meetings in this role. 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.

I did not travel to Wellington, return, from 15th March to 17th March, due to illness, however two of my children did – this was funded by Parliamentary Services to accompany their father in his work.

During the reporting period I also attended a Northern Mystics netball game “Long Lunch” with a complimentary ticket, accompanying my husband in his role as a Member of Parliament, on 7th April.

I am travelling to Christchurch, return, with my three children, from 12th April to 15th April, funded by Parliamentary Services to accompany my husband in his work. Accommodation will also be provided by Parliamentary Services.

Recommendation/s

- a) That the report be received.

Signatories

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