

## Report Name: Board Member Julie Fairey's report

Report covering the period 1<sup>st</sup> November to 21<sup>st</sup> November 2018

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### Auckland Council workshops, meetings and briefings

- 1<sup>st</sup> Nov Attended regular local board workshop with Chair Doig, Member Holm, Member Coury, Member Kumar from 9.43am, Member Kaushal from 9.50am.
- 1<sup>st</sup> Nov Preparation session for meeting with General Manager of Community Facilities regarding local board concerns around timely reporting and advice
- 1<sup>st</sup> Nov Regular advisor catch-up with Chair Doig
- 5<sup>th</sup> Nov Regular advisor catch-up with Chair Doig
- 5<sup>th</sup> Nov Meeting with General Manager of Community Facilities, with Chair Doig
- 7<sup>th</sup> Nov Regular catch-up with Chair
- 7<sup>th</sup> Nov Auckland Transport research session with Chair Doig and Member Holm
- 7<sup>th</sup> Nov Volunteer Awards panel session with Chair Doig and community members
- 7<sup>th</sup> Nov Meeting with officers and Chair Doig regarding declaration of interests by board members at workshops and board meetings in future
- 7<sup>th</sup> Nov Attended monthly community forum, on community venues for hire (photo)
- 8<sup>th</sup> Nov Attended regular local board workshop with Chair Doig and Member Holm, Member Kaushal from 9.37am, Member Kumar from 9.40am to 2.46pm, Member Coury
- 9<sup>th</sup> Nov Te Auaunga catch-up briefing until 12.20pm, with Member Coury and Chair Doig, Member Kaushal from 11.50am
- 9<sup>th</sup> Nov Volunteer Awards panel session with Chair Doig and community members
- 12<sup>th</sup> Nov Attended Remuneration Authority meeting with deputy chairs
- 12<sup>th</sup> Nov Attended Chairs' Forum from 1.15pm as an observer, with Chair Doig
- 14<sup>th</sup> Nov Regular catch-up with Chair Doig
- 14<sup>th</sup> Nov Attended Infrastructure and Heritage Cluster, facilitated by Member Holm, with Chair Doig, Member Kumar, and Member Kaushal from 1.35pm
- 14<sup>th</sup> Nov Regular advisor catch-up with Chair
- 15<sup>th</sup> Nov Meeting with Youth Advisory Panel rep, with Chair Doig and Member Holm
- 15<sup>th</sup> Nov Draft minutes meeting with Chair Doig
- 15<sup>th</sup> Nov Catch-up with Chair and Relationship Manager



15<sup>th</sup> Nov Monthly local board business meeting (photo via Cathy Casey)

19<sup>th</sup> Nov Attended and spoke at Resource Management Act hearing for 1a Bamfield Place (Stage 2 of the Waikowhai Coast boardwalk)



21<sup>st</sup> Nov Regular catch-up with Chair

21<sup>st</sup> Nov Attended Auckland Transport briefing on Safer Communities (Carr Rd/Frost Rd project) consultation with Chair Doig and Member Kumar from 12.20pm.

21<sup>st</sup> Nov Attended Community Cluster meeting with Chair Doig, Members Kumar and Kaushal

21<sup>st</sup> Nov Regular advisors catch-up with Chair

## Other meetings, events

2<sup>nd</sup> Nov Attended Friends of Wairaki Stream inaugural meeting, with Member Holm and around 25 locals

6<sup>th</sup> Nov Visit to Roskill South Kindergarten and Bob Bodt Reserve to discuss modifications to the park made by other users, possibility of community plan for the park in the future

7<sup>th</sup> Nov Attended Keith Hay Park Users Group with Member Kumar

9<sup>th</sup> Nov Informal catch-up with Winstone Park Tennis Club members

10<sup>th</sup> Nov Attended Three Kings Scarecrow Festival (photo)



12<sup>th</sup> Nov Attended VHF club's AGM to discuss future plans for the carpark on Hazel Ave, in Arthur Faulkner Reserve

## 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, including removal of old car debris from Wairaki Stream Reserve (photo)
- Local resource consent applications and alcohol licences monitoring
- Special Housing Areas progress and general Housing NZ developments in our area
- Promoting submissions to AT consultations, in particular the Safer Communities project for Carr Rd and Frost Rd areas
- Keith Hay Park sports fields, clubroom development, parking enforcement
- Mt Roskill War Memorial Park needs assessment and concept plan
- New (Bus) Network teething issues

- Western Bays Sea Scout den flooding and signage in Margaret Griffen Reserve
- Friends of Wairaki Stream Reserve
- Arthur Faulkner Reserve concept plan implementation, including pickleball and VHF club
- Fearon and Harold Long Park project progress
- Small improvement project completion
- Mt Roskill Village upgrade works
- Waikowhai Coast boardwalk Stage 2
- Noton Rd and Richardson Rd carpark projects (part of Keith Hay Park)
- Bike path connection from end of Waterview shared path until Underwood reopens
- Light rail along Dominion Rd
- Te Auaunga project progress
- Wesley name process with NZ Geographic Board
- Delargey Rd markings (within Monte Cecilia Park)
- Three Kings bus stop electronic sign
- Noise control in relation to fireworks
- Boarding house issues
- New playgrounds going in to Pallister Reserve, Harold Long Reserve
- Road surface degrading at corner Quona and Hillsborough Rds
- Community space for Auckland Regional Migrants Services Trust
- Unresolved Auckland Transport complaint in regard to a fall on a bus (outside our area, now resolved)
- 509 Mt Albert Rd alcohol license application (now withdrawn)

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 not attend any events in this role. [www.ncwnz.org.nz](http://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 in women's refuges. During the reporting period I attended a supervision session on 18<sup>th</sup> November. [www.aunties.co.nz](http://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 received hospitality to dine at Everest Dine restaurant from the NZ Nepal Society, for an informal meeting with the Nepalese Ambassador of New Zealand, Canberra Her Excellency Mrs. Lucky Sherpa, accompanying my partner in his role as the Undersecretary for Ethnic Communities.

## Recommendation/s

- a) That the report be received.

## Signatories

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