

**Date:** Tuesday 18 February 2025  
**Time:** 10.00am  
**Meeting Room:** Devonport-Takapuna Local Board Office  
**Venue:** 1 The Strand  
Takapuna

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## **Devonport-Takapuna Local Board OPEN MINUTE ITEM ATTACHMENTS**

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## **6.2 Ann Hartley QSO**

### **Purpose of the report**

1. To acknowledge the passing of Margaret Ann Hartley, commonly known as Ann, a prominent member of the North Shore community and send its sincere condolences to the Hartley family and friends.

### **Executive summary**

2. Ann Hartley was a North Shore political leader who had a huge involvement in the development of the North Shore and North Harbour region for more than 50 years. She was a Kaipātiki Local Board member for three terms, and the Kaipātiki Local Board Deputy Chairperson between 2013 and 2016.

3. In 2022, Ann was awarded a Companion of the Queen’s Service Order in the New Year Honours List 2022 for her services to local government and the community. Ann had a huge passion to work to help everyone in the local community. She knew how to be successful in politics and her levels of tenacity were never doubted.

4. In the 1970s Ann commenced her community roles when she played a significant part in the establishment of the crèche at St Philip’s Church in Birkdale. She was first elected to Birkenhead City Council in 1980, becoming Mayor in 1986 and was elected Mayor of North Shore City upon its inception in 1989. As Mayor, she worked with other councils to secure funding for the establishment of the only Marae in the North Shore area at the time, Awataha Marae. In three years she bought up a number of houses on the Takapuna beach waterfront to establish the Gould Reserve.

5. Ann was elected to Parliament for the Northcote electorate in 1999, was Deputy Speaker of the House from 2002 to 2005, and a list member and an Assistant Speaker from 2005 until her retirement from Parliament in 2008. From 2008 to 2012, Ann was a Trustee of the ASB Community Trust (Foundation North) and served as Chairperson.

6. In 2007 she was elected as a councillor in the final term of the former North Shore City Council. She was then elected to the new Auckland Council, as a councillor, representing the North Shore Ward from 2010 to 2013. During this term she was the chairperson of council’s Regional Development and Operations Committee. At that time Ann helped to secure the funding for the rebuild of the Devonport Library.

7. Ann was influential in establishing and maintaining the North Shore’s rich array of parks and facilities including North Shore Events Centre, Kauri Point Centennial Park and the Bruce Mason Centre, and improved public beach access at Takapuna. During her long service to North Shore communities, Ann had a tremendous impact on the lives of many across Auckland.

8. People of the Devonport-Takapuna Local Board area are deeply saddened by the passing of Ann Hartley and extend our condolences to her family and friends.

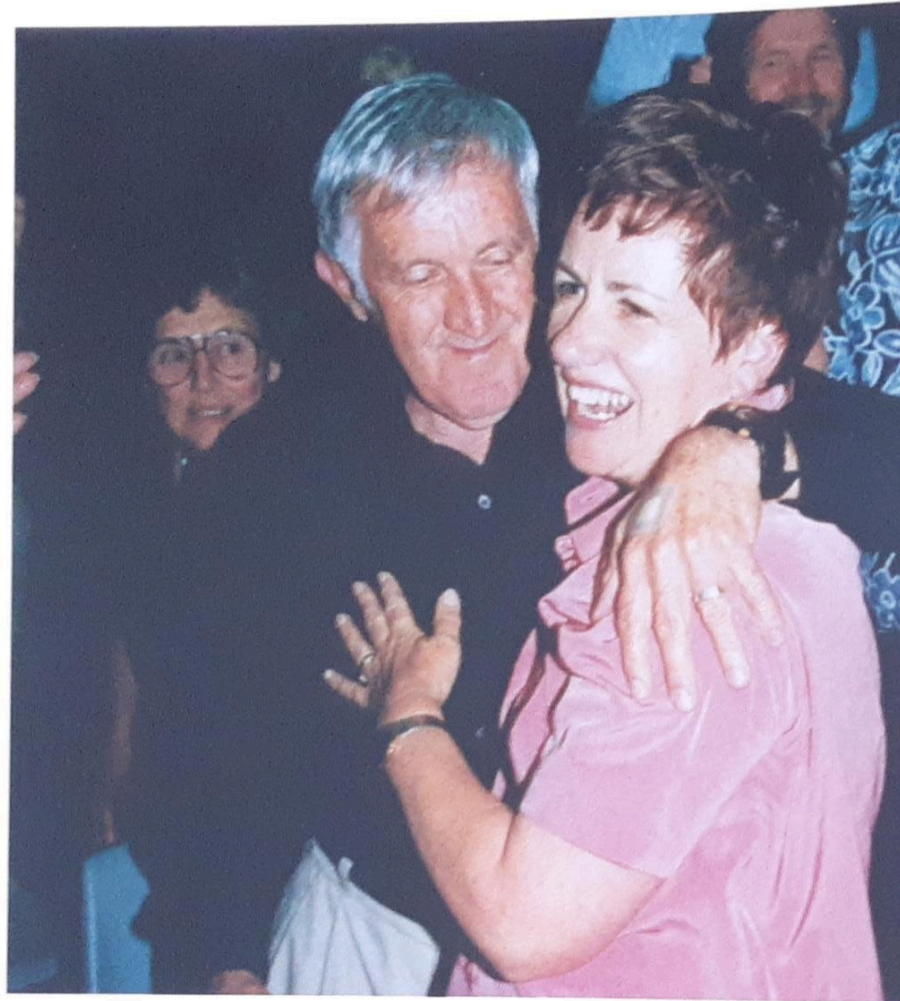
### **Recommendation/s**

That the Devonport-Takapuna Local Board:

- a) Acknowledge the passing of Ann Hartley and express its sincere condolences to the Hartley family and friends.

**Item 6.2**

**Attachment A**



Margaret Ann Hartley, QSO  
Memorial Service  
14 February 2025 at 2pm  
Northcote Birkenhead Rugby Club

Thank you to Northcote Rugby Club and everyone for  
attending the service in celebration of Ann's life.



*In loving memory of*  
**Margaret Ann Hartley, QSO**  
23 September 1942 - 20 December 2024



Devonport-Takapuna Local Board  
20 August 2024



**14 Joint traffic bylaw review feedback report**

Resolution number DT/2024/128

MOVED by Chairperson T van Tonder, seconded by Member G Wood:

That the Devonport-Takapuna Local Board:

- a) whakarite / provide the following feedback on the proposed changes on the review of Auckland Transport (AT) and Auckland Council (AC) traffic-related bylaws outlined in Attachment A of the agenda report.
  - i) support establishing a single bylaw by Auckland Transport and Auckland Council to replace the existing bylaws. (Option 4 in the summary document).
  - ii) support the prohibition of parking on beaches and recommend the enablement of enforcement and infringement to support this position.
  - iii) support the prohibition of berm parking where there is a formed kerb and channel, or in areas that have been grassed or planted or any vegetation not intended to be a carpark.
  - iv) support the proposal to amend the bylaw which will remove the requirement for a resolution to be made before a sign can be erected to enforce berm parking.
  - v) do not support the enablement of motorhome, boat parking or tractor parking on the road corridor, or of cars parking across footpaths obstructing access for pedestrians.
  - vi) support the prohibition of heavy and commercial vehicles being parked overnight on residential streets.
  - vii) recommend that the bylaw provides for an agile approach to implementing “No Stopping At All Times” lines on roads where there is not enough room for cars to park or manoeuvre safely; noting Kerr Street and Northboro Road as examples.
  - viii) recommend that an additional piece of work be delivered simultaneously that enables more effective enforcement of the rules contained in a new transport bylaw.

**CARRIED**





## Devonport-Takapuna

### 1. Sites to consider removing

- N-DT2 – Northern side of Seabreeze/Lake Road Corner
  - The placing of signs there can be problematic for cars exiting Seabreeze onto Lake rd.

Response – Having assessed the sightlines with this road site AT is satisfied that it should meet safety standards and there is no need to revoke the site. It may need better monitoring to ensure that signs are erected in the correct space.

#### (N-DT2) Seabreeze Road / Lake Road junction



2. Sites to consider adding

- Reserve next to 240 East Coast Road, Forrest Hill

Response - AT is concerned about the sightlines of vehicles reversing out of the parking spaces so would not support a site on the road berm. However a site within the Park would be acceptable to AT – would the LB support this option

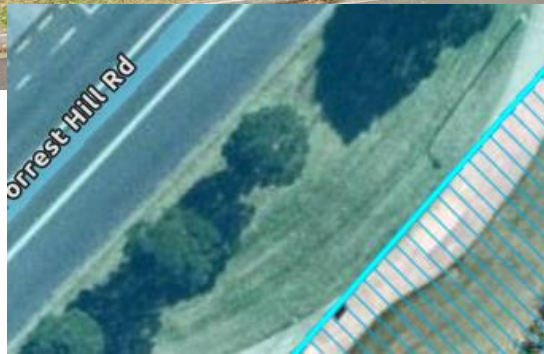


- 2 Forrest Hill Road
  - empty council lot on the corner of this busy intersection.

Response – AT agrees this would be a suitable site



- Near 252 Forrest Hill Road across the street from Domino's



Response – AT believes this site would be too small and hemmed in with trees. AT would suggest as a counter proposal a site opposite 232 where there are less trees



An addition site that had occurred to AT that the Local Board might want to comment on would be a new site on the southeastern side of Esmond Road opposite Fred Taylor Drive. As is typical for sites with no kerb the site would be set 5m back from the seal.

