

**MINUTES OF THE KĀPITI COAST DISTRICT COUNCIL
CLIMATE AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE MEETING
HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, GROUND FLOOR, 175 RIMU ROAD, PARAPARAUMU
ON TUESDAY, 24 JUNE 2025 AT 9.34AM**

PRESENT: Cr Jocelyn Prvanov (Chair), Cr Sophie Handford, Cr Liz Koh, Cr Shelly Warwick, Mr Christian Judge, Mr Michael Moore, Mr Glen Olsen, Mr Simon Black (via Zoom), Mr Huriwai Paki (via Zoom),

IN ATTENDANCE: Deputy Mayor Lawrence Kirby, Ms Rach Wells, Ms Kris Pervan, Mr Evan Dubisky, Ms Anna Smith, Ms Maria Cameron, Mr Jamie Young-Drew, Mr Rob Dunn, Ms Monique Engelen

WHAKAPĀHA | APOLOGIES: Mayor Janet Holborow, Anne Māhia Sidwell (Ātiawa ki Whakarongotai), Kim Tahiwī (Ngā Hapū o Ōtaki)

LEAVE OF ABSENCE: Cr Glen Cooper

1 NAU MAI | WELCOME

The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting.

2 KARAKIA A TE KAUNIHERA | COUNCIL BLESSING

At the Chair's request, Michael Moore read the Council blessing.

3 WHAKAPĀHA | APOLOGIES

APOLOGY

COMMITTEE RESOLUTION CEC2025/19

Moved: Michael Moore

Seconder: Cr Sophie Handford

That the apologies received from Mayor Janet Holborow, Anne Māhia Sidwell, and Kim Tahiwī be accepted.

CARRIED

**4 TE TAUĀKĪ O TE WHAITAKE KI NGĀ MEA O TE RĀRANGI TAKE |
DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST RELATING TO ITEMS ON THE AGENDA**

There were no declarations of interest raised at this meeting.

**5 HE WĀ KŌRERO KI TE MAREA MŌ NGĀ MEA E HĀNGAI ANA KI TE
RĀRANGI TAKE | PUBLIC SPEAKING TIME FOR ITEMS RELATING TO THE
AGENDA**

There were no members of the public present who wished to speak.

Huriwai Paki joined the meeting via Zoom at 9:40am.

Cr Shelly Warwick joined the meeting at 9:43am.

Deputy Mayor Lawrence Kirby joined the meeting at 9:47am.

Michael Moore left the meeting at 10:33am and returned at 10:34am.

6 NGĀ TEPUTEIHANA | DEPUTATIONS

6.1 AN OVERVIEW OF THE NEW ZEALAND DRUGS IN WASTEWATER TESTING PROGRAMME

Marisa Cliff, Lead Analyst of National Drug Intelligence Bureau, and Andrew Chappell, Senior Scientist at Institute of Environmental Science and Research, presented to the committee via Zoom and answered questions from elected members.

Appendices

- 1 Presentation from Deputation of An Overview of the New Zealand Drugs in Wastewater Testing Programme

6.2 PREDATOR FREE KĀPITI

Peter Jones and Wayne Mitchell of Predator Free Kāpiti Coast presented to the committee and answered questions from elected members.

The meeting adjourned at 11:28am and resumed at 11:44am.

Committee members raised the following motion:

COMMITTEE RESOLUTION CEC2025/20

Moved: Cr Jocelyn Prvanov

Seconder: Cr Sophie Handford

That the Climate and Environment Committee:

- A. Endorses the current efforts by Council to work with community groups to achieve a predator-free Kāpiti Coast
- B. **Recommends** to Council that they continue to work with Predator Free Kāpiti Coast on a coordinated programme on predator control that covers Council-owned sites, including public access-restricted areas.

CARRIED

Appendices

- 1 Presentation from Deputation by Predator Free Kāpiti Coast

Discussion resumed on item 6.1 | *An Overview of the New Zealand Drugs in Wastewater Testing Programme* and the following motion was resolved.

6.1 AN OVERVIEW OF THE NEW ZEALAND DRUGS IN WASTEWATER TESTING PROGRAMME

COMMITTEE RESOLUTION CEC2025/21

Moved: Cr Jocelyn Prvanov

Seconder: Cr Shelly Warwick

That the Climate and Environment Committee **recommends** to Council that it investigates testing at the Ōtaki wastewater treatment facility by Institute of Environmental Science and Research for the same illicit substances as the Paraparaumu wastewater treatment facility.

CARRIED

7 NGĀ TAKE A NGĀ MEMA | MEMBERS' BUSINESS

- (a) There were no leaves of absence requested at this meeting.
- (b) There were no matters of an urgent nature raised at this meeting

8 HE KŌRERO HOU | UPDATES

Michael Moore left the meeting at 12:02pm and returned at 12:03pm.

Huriwai Paki left the meeting via Zoom at 12:18pm.

8.1 UPDATE ON GREENER NEIGHBOURHOODS PROGRAMME AND 2024 CLIMATE ACTION GRANT RECIPIENTS

Rob Dunn, Sustainability Advisor Communities, and Jamie Young-Drew, Principal Policy Advisor Climate Change, spoke to the report and along with Monique Engelen, Manager Climate Action and Connected Communities, answered questions from elected members.

COMMITTEE RESOLUTION CEC2025/22

Moved: Cr Sophie Handford

Seconder: Cr Shelly Warwick

A. That the Climate and Environment Committee:

A.1 **Notes** the update on project progress for recipients of 2024 Climate Action Grant funding, and that final reporting is due later in 2025.

A.2 **Notes** that the Greener Neighbourhood programme is underway.

CARRIED

9 TE WHAKAŪ I NGĀ ĀMIKI | CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES**9.1 CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES****COMMITTEE RESOLUTION CEC2025/23**

Moved: Christian Judge

Seconder: Simon Black

That the minutes of the 22 May 2025 Climate and Environment Committee meeting be accepted as a true and correct record.

CARRIED

10 KARAKIA WHAKAMUTUNGA | CLOSING KARAKIA

At the Chair's request, Michael Moore closed the meeting with karakia.

The Te Komiti Āhuarangi me te Taiao | Climate and Environment Committee meeting closed at 12:25pm.

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HEAMANA | CHAIRPERSON