

Minutes
Redvale Landfill
Community Liaison Committee Meeting
Held at the Redvale Landfill Office - Monday 16/08/2021 at 6:30pm

Welcome: 6:30pm: Warwick Hojem

Present: W Hojem, S Lee, L Bosquet, A McNeil, C Wills, M Drury, J Hutchinson, N de Witte, K Hills, L Johnston, B Kapea, J Jefferis, B Macfarlane, B Gibbs, S Dryland

Apologies: M Joubert, A Nicholas, K Storie, S Walker

Absent:

W Hojem welcomes: B Kapea (Iwi), K Hills (DF School Principal), C Wills (local resident), and L Bosquet (Auckland Council) to the meeting

Minute's previous meeting: Circulated. W Hojem runs through his proposed amendments to previous meeting minutes

Minutes be accepted as a true and correct record – Not accepted
Seconded – as above

Correspondence In:

- Email trail from S Lee to all which was a reply to J Hutchinson regarding odour complaints (17/5)
- Email from L Johnston to all regarding Paper Rd and Greenways trails (17/5)
- Email from B Kapea to S Dryland apologising for missing the meeting in May (18/5)
- Email from B Kapea to all in response to L Johnstons emails about Greenways trails (18/5) and again a reply from L Johnston to all (21/5)
- Email from W Hojem to all with a reminder of “rules of engagement” at the CLC meetings (18/5)
- Email from W Hojem to all reflecting on the May meeting and providing some points to help the group move forward in a more constructive way (31/5)
- Email from W Hojem to S Dryland to circulate the minutes and ask for any edits attendees may feel necessary (31/5) S Dryland replied with unease about any changes (1/6) W Hojem replied again saying he would draft something after receiving feedback from J Hutchinson and L Johnston (1/6)
- Email from L Johnston to all asking for an update on new location for Benevap and testing (1/6)
- Email from D Gautam (WM Environmental) to S Dryland with approval and a copy of 2021 Landfill Management Plan – *this is available at Reception* (4/6)
- Email from N de Witte to B Macfarlane (CC'd to all) for information around Condition 67 and dates around fluff layer in latest cell and filling on top on landfill (8/6)
- Email from D Gautam to S Dryland with a copy of PRP report – *attached* (9/6)
- Email from N de Witte to B Macfarlane (CC'd to all) thanking Blair for his reply but Dec 2020 records were missing and to forward those (17/6)
- Email from W Hojem to S Dryland with a draft of edited minutes from May (19/7)
- Email from B Gibbs regarding Bypass Road (20/7)
- Email from S Lee to B Macfarlane, J Jefferis, S Dryland & W Hojem advising of her resignation and her replacement (21/7)

- Email from L Johnston to all confirming that WMNZ does own Paper Road (3/8). Followed up with more info later in the day and again on 4/8 to enquire about updated info on Benevap to which J Jefferis replied on same day
- Email from W Hojem to B Macfarlane, J Jefferis and S Dryland regarding previous minutes (10/8). B Macfarlane responded (11/8) and W Hojem replied again (13/8)
- Email from L Johnston to all asking for Condition 27 to be added to the agenda
- Email from W Hojem to B Macfarlane, J Jefferis and S Dryland to add item to agenda (16/8)

Correspondence Out:

- Email from B Macfarlane to N de Witte (CC'd to all) replying to his questions from 8/6 (14/6)
- Email from S Dryland to W Hojem regarding the changes proposed to the minutes (20/7) to which W Hojem responded again on 20/7
- Email from J Jefferis to all in response to B Gibbs email about Bypass Road (29/7)

Matters arising:

- Reflection on meeting minutes and how they could be presented ongoing. Personal views were shared from various members. Perhaps too much personal information recorded was an overall consensus i.e. specifically naming individuals and sharing private exchanges to the wider group
- The complaints register was discussed as also perhaps sharing too much personal information? B Macfarlane explains why we record finer details and don't redact like Auckland Council.
- A McNeil shares a statement with his personal views on the previous meeting. An apology from B Macfarlane is extended to A McNeil and the group as a whole.
- It is decided for now that the previous meeting minutes are to be kept in draft as they were not accepted.
- W Hojem invited C Wills to attend this meeting and he was seemingly welcomed onto the liaison without a formal vote. It is made clear that C Wills may need to "step aside" with occasional topics – as a former staff member of WMNZ there could be a conflict of interest. C Wills understands and agrees
- B Kapea gives an overview of Ngati Rango views and what they would like to see upon closure of Redvale Landfill. A nursery is an option they'd like considered.

Update from J Jefferis – Technical Manager

- Managed Fill granted. Raised to comply with consent. Operation hours 6am – 6pm Mon-Sat. Processes that are currently in place will continue
- Benevap – no affects found towards the school. Additional planting has been done along Richards Road. Ngati Manuhuri are supportive of the project. Emissions have been tested and no extra effects found. J Jefferis will forward details to CLC. Other changes to Benevap include using a different oil and changes to cleaning procedure.
- Stockpile 4 – J Jefferis has sent link, process underway. Looking at 7am starts on Saturdays. One neighbour still concerned about potential noise. The intention is to provide public alternative access whilst this work takes place (as the Bypass Road will be affected). J Jefferis was asked to check again about the easement that was in place when the Paper Road was taken over. Auckland Council are also investigating the details around this.

Complaints:

- Updated register was circulated.
- One neighbour believes the process is not working and that Auckland Council should be notified of complaints in the first instance. S Lee explains why Redvale is still best as first point of contact for complaints.

Operations report: B Macfarlane

- Clay and topsoil disposal has increased
- 35 containers with nickel slag from New Caledonia in the past month
- New nozzles for T Bars
- Small area open at tip face
- Working to produce an odour curtain around active tip face

General Business:

- B Macfarlane encourages locals to consider applications for projects that will enhance the local area via Dairy Flat Community Trust grant applications.
- B Macfarlane discusses various sit visits from political parties and others
- A thank you to S Lee for her time & efforts

Next meeting date: Nov 15th
Christmas dinner: Nov 29th

Meeting closed: 9:15pm

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