

Member's Report

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Subdivision: Kawakawa and Moerewa

Date: 13/03/2023

Meetings Attended

Date	Meeting	Comments
8/3/23	Cycle Trial	Meeting with Te Pou Herenga Tai, Community and Hapu. Resolution for Whangae Road, discussion for the new cycle track from Opuia to Kawakawa. Attended with Councilor Kapa. Resolution to widen the road change speed limit and add barriers with an age restriction on route.
9/3/23	Ahuareka	Due to Tangi meeting postponed Sight visit to Otiria Marae by myself. Community interaction on what Ahuareka means to the community and subdivision on community notice board. Most agreed that it is one of the most significant events in the subdivision.
9/3/23	Opahi	Met with Northland regional council Tui Shortland and the Community of Opahi.
14/3/23	Civil defence Meeting	Attended the community and civil defence meeting called by Ngatihine. Kowhai was present. Resolution: all communities agree to create civil defence community plans Ngatihine and He iwi kotahi tatou trust will assist with funding applications.
16/3/23	Community Board Meeting	Kerikeri Turner Centre

Community Issues

Issue name	Comment
Otiria Falls	Otiria falls been waiting 30 year for their road and parking via Susan Henare

Moerewa Mill	Kura kaupapa concerned with amount of dust coming from the mill and noise with the increase of freight trucks going through on station road Moerewa. I met with the mill today they are happy to work with the community to deal with the issues. They are in the progress of moving their entry point to the factory road which will stop trucks from going on to station road. They are happy to assist in finding ways to keep dust down and noise down.
Kawakawa tiles	Still waiting for a response from Elizabeth / Far north regional Council
Kura kaupapa o Taumarere	Road needs resealing. It is full of potholes and the tar seal has corroded, making it difficult to turn around at the bottom of station road, This is a historical issue that has been neglected for years.
Parking on the Moerewa pedestrian	Kawakawa police had concerns with the number of residents parking on the islands around the pedestrian crossing, so I asked if I could speak with the public in a joint capacity of community board and police to stop people from parking on the islands so far no one is parking on them
Opahi community	I attended a meeting with NRC and the Opahi community. There are huge issues with roading culverts blocked. A RFS has been sent
Nesbit Park, Moerewa	Nesbit Park Moerewa have been waiting for their shade sail for some time. I will be addressing this with parks and reserves. I was told by Manuwai that this was supposed to happen months ago but no entry has been found.

Requests for Service (RFS)

RFS number	Date	Comment
4112653	10/3/23	Historical RFS need to be resolve for Opahi via Riki Ngatoki
4136840	20/3/23	Station Road Kawakawa Via Shirley Bradshaw
4151869	27/3/23	Roading station road Moerewa
4151978	27/3/23	Potholes Station Road Moerewa

Other information