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Meetings Attended

Date	Meeting
04/07/2023	Te Hiku Board Community Board meeting – Te Ahu
05/07/2023	Awanui Progressive & Ratepayers meeting

Community Issues

Issue name	Comment
Strategic Plan	Gillies Road access to Rangaunu Harbour. I would like to add the re instatement of the Gillies access road to the Beach which links to Rangiputa. This is the only other emergency exit off the Rangiputa Foreshore. The paper road was extensively damaged during the last cyclone and vehicle accidents have already occurred due to under cutting of the off ramp.
RFS Tracking	At the last Te Hiku Community Board meeting I requested a list of currently raised RFS for my region in a hope to have this as an ongoing report from staff. The request was made to ensure that I knew what was happening in my ward and that I could support the RFS submission if required. I hope that this does not create too much difficulty for staff.

Thank you to all Te Hiku Board members who supported the Rangiputa Sea Wall, Mayors Relief fund application. I just wanted to add that the new approach to sea walls is allowing the natural regeneration of the dunes via wind, tide, and foreshore planting. Under normal circumstances this is the way forward, however natural regeneration can take years. In places like Rangiputa, Hihi. and Ahipara as we have witnessed over the years and more recently, that the existing rock sea walls, after being damaged, needed to be reinstated as quickly as possible to prevent imminent property loss and or community isolation due to lost road access.