

COMMUNITY BOARD MEMBER'S REPORT

Report to: Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Community Board
Member Name: Terry Greening - Chairperson
Subdivision: Russell-Opua
Date: October 2018 – November 2018

Meetings

15/10/2018	Russell Centennial Trust meeting and AGM
15/10/2018	Russell Town Hall monthly meeting
23/10/2018	Council offices Kaikohe – 1:1 meeting with CEO
23/10/2018	Council Chambers Kaikohe – Powhiri to welcome new GM SPP
25/10/2018	Council Chambers Kaikohe – Council meeting
26/10/2018	Tane Mahuta room JBC Kerikeri – meeting with stakeholders to discuss Lake Manuwai
30/10/2018	Russell Sports Club meeting
05/11/2018	Maromaku Hall, Maromaku – Community Board meeting
11/11/2018	Laid wreath on behalf of FNDC at Russell Cenotaph to mark 100 th anniversary of WW1 Armistice
12/11/2018	Meeting in Russell with Russell Business Association Chairperson and District Facilities staff member regarding Town Maintenance Contract issues
12/11/2018	Meeting in Opua with Jane Saunders and District Facilities staff member regarding 'Living Wall' proposal
14/11/2018	Council Chambers Kaikohe – workshops on <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Opinion Survey/Reputation survey, andb. Review of Committee Structure
15/11/2018	Council Chambers Kaikohe – workshops on: <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Annual Plan 2019/20, andb. Elected Members responsibilities under the Health and Safety Act
16/11/2018	Meeting in Russell with members of the Resilient Russell Charitable Trust and FNDC staff regarding recycling options
17/11/2018	Kerikeri Packhouse Market – attended District Plan Roadshow
19/11/2018	Russell Town Hall monthly meeting
20/11/2018	Infrastructure Network Committee bus trip with Northern Transport Alliance staff and Council staff

Projects

FNDC/BroadSpectrum Ltd will be carrying out major maintenance on York Street and Cass Street in Russell over the nights of 26, 27, 28, 29 November. This will involve removing the current hot mix by milling etc. on the first night, and relaying with new hot mix over the next two subsequent nights, followed by road marking on the fourth night. Although these roads will be open during the day they will be closed to all traffic and parking from 6 p.m. to 6 a.m. the following day on the nights of operation. Because of this major disruption I have been working closely with BSL and FNDC staff to provide as much early warning and notification to affected businesses, residents etc. as possible. This has involved firstly personally visiting these affected parties once I had confirmation of the dates and times and following up with a letter to these same people a week later. The one business not happy with the activity (an accommodation provider) wrote to me and I worked with FNDC communications staff to provide them with a response that 'calmed troubled waters'.

Resource Consents

Nil

Requests for Service/Information

3878599	09/03/2018 - Request for 'blank sheet' parking plan for Russell township (progressing)
3884112	20/04/2018 - Warning signs for Play Centre in Church Street Russell (with roading staff for action)
3884602	23/04/2018 - Historical slip repair on Florance Avenue, Russell (progressing)
3880778	06/06/2018 - State of footpaths in Paihia for mobility scooter access (raised by Betty Chapman with me as monitor - this is now with Mike Fox for action)
3908439	Request for a report on Paihia Village Green management arrangements (nil report to date)
N/K	Request for a report on status of a request for a concrete ramp at the beach end of Te Wahapu Road (RFS 3852704 raised on 25 October 2017) (advice received at odds with previous advice given by IAMS)
3904640	16/08/2018 - Request for drain connection for Russell tennis courts (progressing)

In progress

Project to ensure supply of water to short list of customers in Russell currently connected to Top 10 campground bore is being managed by Fred Terry on behalf of FNDC. Customers are to set up a Management Company and Fred has liaised with current Top 10 lessee to enable monitored connection to storage tank. Customers will be responsible for their own purification of the received water.