

Council Briefing Agenda

Date: Wednesday, 11 October, 2017

Time: 1:00 pm

Location: Council Chamber
Forum North, Rust Avenue
Whangarei

Elected Members: Her Worship the Mayor Sheryl Mai
(Chairperson)

Cr Stu Bell

Cr Crichton Christie

Cr Vince Cocurullo

Cr Tricia Cutforth

Cr Shelley Deeming

Cr Sue Glen

Cr Phil Halse

Cr Cherry Hermon

Cr Greg Innes

Cr Greg Martin

Cr Sharon Morgan

Cr Anna Murphy

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2.1 Northland Regional Council Presentation on the 2018-28 Long Term Plan

Meeting: Council Briefing
Date of meeting: 11 October 2017
Reporting officer: Jason Marris (Manager Democracy and Assurance)

1 Purpose

To provide an opportunity for Northland Regional Council (NRC) staff to present to Council on the 2018-28 Long Term Plan.

A presentation will be provided on the day of the briefing.

2.2 2018-28 Long Term Plan - Community Outcomes

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Reporting officer: Jill McPherson (GM Strategy and Democracy)

1 Purpose

To seek guidance from Council on the preferred option for the Community Outcomes to be used for the 2018-28 Long-Term Plan.

2 Discussion

A description of the community outcomes intended by a Council is a statutory requirement for inclusion in a Council's Long Term Plan. The purpose of these are to communicate to the District the outcomes "that a local authority aims to achieve in meeting the current and future needs of communities for good-quality local infrastructure, local public services, and performance of regulatory functions".

At a workshop on 27 June 2017, Elected Members recorded their views on what we might do more of, less of or differently, and what we should protect or enhance. From the results, a set of outcomes were prepared to reflect this feedback. This new set, along with the current set from the 2015-25 LTP were presented at a briefing held on 17 August 2017. Feedback on which outcomes to use was a spread of views between having a new set, retaining the current set or some revision of the current set.

Attachment 1 is the existing set of community outcomes from the 2015-25 Long Term Plan. Attachment 2 is a new set that has been formulated using feedback from the 17 August Council Briefing.

3 Attachments

1. Existing 2015-25 LTP Community Outcomes
2. New proposed set of Community Outcomes for 2018-28 LTP

LTP 2015-18 Community outcomes

Easy and safe to move around

- Range of public and private transport options
- Walkways and cycleways
- Predictable travel times
- Well managed safe and efficient

A growing resilient economy

- More successful businesses and more jobs
- Skilled people are attracted to our district
- Vibrant economy with education and career opportunities

Clean, healthy and valued environment

- Natural and created environment is protected and enhanced
- Harbour, foreshore and waterways are clean and healthy

Vibrant and healthy Communities

- District is full of life, activities and opportunities
- Young people feel they belong
- Leaders are nurtured
- Communities and Maori assist in shaping our direction

Well managed growth

- City centre provides a strong heart
- City centre is vibrant and attractive supporting the District's growth
- Variety of connected public spaces
- Existing settlements are consolidated
- New residential areas are sustainable
- Infrastructure is aligned to growth
- Variety in type and location of housing

Proposed LTP 2015-18 Community Outcomes

A vibrant, attractive and thriving District

Proud to be local

- The District has high amenity values. It is neat and tidy, and looks good.
- Public areas feel and are safe
- There is always something to do and see
- There are opportunities for people to be active across all ages and life stages

Positive about the future

- The District has productive land and people, and a thriving City Centre
- There is good urban/rural balance
- Council has clear and simple documents and rules
- The District embraces new technology and opportunity

Efficient and resilient core services

- It is easy and safe to travel around the District for everyone
- There are opportunities to walk and cycle
- The District is well prepared for growth, and can adapt to change
- Services are supplied in ways that benefit the environment

Caring for the environment

- Communities work to keep the environment clean and healthy
- Access to the coast for people is protected
- Open spaces in parks and streets are places where nature thrives
- The District is positively adapting to climate change