

Council Briefing Meeting Minutes

Date: Thursday, 19 October, 2017

Time: 12:30 p.m.

Location: **Committee Room 1**

Forum North, Rust Avenue

Whangarei

Elected Members Her Worship the Mayor Sheryl Mai

(Chairperson)

Cr Vince Cocurullo Cr Tricia Cutforth Cr Shelley Deeming

Cr Sue Glen **Cr Phil Halse**

Cr Cherry Hermon Cr Greg Innes Cr Sharon Morgan

Cr Anna Murphy

Not in Attendance Cr Stu Bell

Cr Crichton Christie

Cr Greg Martin

In attendance:

General Manager Planning and Development (Alison Geddes), Acting Health and Bylaws Manager (Reiner Mussle), Strategic Planner (Shireen Munday)

1. **Apologies**

Crs Stu Bell, Crichton Christie and Greg Martin

The briefing commenced at 12.30pm.

2. Reports

2.1 Camping in Public Places Bylaw - Summer 2017/18 monitoring and options

Members discussed the enforcement options available. The majority agreed with the proposed approach recommended by staff.

The following proposed programme was considered feasible and can be met within existing budgets.

Season	Option	Cost
Spring Shoulder	Option 2	60 days x \$612 = \$36,720
Summer	Option 1	49 days x \$930 = \$45,570
Autumn Shoulder	Option 2	55 days x \$612 = 33,660
Winter	Option 5	201 days x \$0 = \$0

Total cost for remaining 2017/2018 year: \$115,950.

The enforcement programme will be reviewed after the summer period. Members requested a detailed report of complaints received to inform their decision making when determining the best enforcement approach for future years.

3. Closure of meeting

The meeting concluded at 12.55pm