

Hearing Agendas for Submission Round: Draft Annual Plan 2010/2011

Wednesday, May 19, 2010

Tasman Council Chambers, 189 Queen Street, Richmond

Start Time (duration)		Speaker (Submission ID)	
1:40 PM	(10 mins)	Ms Shoshona Goodall (150) Ben and Miranda Van Dyke	p 323
All Departments	Various Matters	Coastal erosion problem threatening properties at Jacketts Island.	
1:50 PM	(10 mins)	Mr Errol Milar (153) Nelson Grey Power Association Inc	p 332
Corporate	Rates Affordability / Targeted Rates	Consider 6% increase excessive.	
2:00 PM	(10 mins)	Mr N Muir (240) Tasman Regional Sports Trust	p 609
Community	Other Community Services	Seeking Council support for South island Masters Games to be held during October 2011 and 2013	
2:10 PM	(10 mins)	Dr D Butler (154) Brook Waimarama Sanctuary Trust	p 334
Community	Other Community Services	Thanking TDC for ongoing support and provision of \$293,390 in annual plan.	
2:20 PM	(10 mins)	Mr M Rounce (155) St Leger Trust	p 337
Corporate	Tourism Rate	Opposes proposal to charge each separately used part of retail property with tourism rate.	
E&P	Development Contributions	Opposes proposal to increase Development Contributions in line with PPI.	
2:30 PM	(10 mins)	Mr D Gallagher (161) Mapua and Districts Community Association	p 377
Engineering	Water Supply	Supports Council's efforts to upgrade reticulated water scheme.	
Community	Parks & Reserves	expenditure of funds on parks and reserves in Mapua and Coastal Tasman area likely to be well utilised by residents.	
E&P	Resource Policy / TRMP Matters	Mapua Structure Plan has again been delayed.	
Community	Parks & Reserves	Parking, pedestrian and vehicle conflicts near wharf were evidence this year.	
Engineering	Roading / Streetscaping / Footpaths	Ruby Bay Bypass	
E&P	Waimea Estuary	Significant progress made towards mitigating negative effects of Ruby Bay Bypass on Waimea Estuary.	
Community	Parks Cycleways / National Cycleway	Fully supports Tasman Loop Cycleway	

2:40 PM	(10 mins)	Ms Nicola Robb (163) Nelson Tasman Connections	p383
Community	Other Community Services	Requesting current level of funding be maintained for 2010/2011.	
2:50 PM	(10 mins)	Mr P Davis (166) Tourism Nelson Tasman	p390
Corporate	Tourism Rate	Support changes to process for deciding which properties pay the rate. Support increase of base rate by an allowance for inflation. Do not support rate being raised to \$193.	
Community	Parks Cycleways / National Cycleway	Congratulates TDC on support for and involvement with National Cycleway	
Strategic	Performing Arts Centre	Notes no funding has been allocated to this project.	
Community	Community Facilities / Halls / Saxton Field etc	Supports funding allocations outlined to extend Saxton field sporting facilities	
Community	Other Community Services	Supports funding allocation towards Brook Waimarama Sanctuary fence.	
Community	Community Facilities / Halls / Saxton Field etc	Supports further investigation of future potential of rowing/watersports complex.	
3:10 PM	(10 mins)	Mr C Allison (167) Nelson Cycle Trails Trust	p396
Community	Parks Cycleways / National Cycleway	TDC's role in developing the region's cycle assets through its existing or planned Council goals and activities.	
3:20 PM	(10 mins)	Ms L Harvey (169) Nelson A&P Association	p403
Community	Community Facilities / Halls / Saxton Field etc	Proposal to provide cinema plus cafe at A&P showgrounds.	
3:30 PM	(10 mins)	Mr REJ Wylie (172)	p420
Engineering	Water Supply	Pricing of restricted low flow water supply to rural properties. Issues relating to current supply of water to a restricted low flow customer.	
Corporate	Other Corporate Issues	Debt levels	
Corporate	Rates Affordability / Targeted Rates	Rates increases should be aligned with inflation rate, not multiples of it.	
Strategic	Performing Arts Centre	Supports Council's stance.	
3:40 PM	(10 mins)	Ms K Howieson (173) The Nelson ARK	p431
Community	Other Community Services	Requesting support to continue to deliver APART programme (\$10,250) or a student per course \$1,958 x 4 courses per year \$7,832.	

4:10 PM		(10 mins)	Mr Colin Garnett (141)	<i>p 265</i>
Corporate	Rates Affordability / Targeted Rates		Reserve Bank states inflation and CPI is 2%, therefore no justification in applying 3% increase for inflation.	
Engineering	Water Supply		Request if increase can be shown to be necessary that the unit rate for Redwood Valley Rural water supply be raised from \$240 to \$245 to allow for inflation. No other increase is justified.	
E&P	Development Contributions		General ratepayers are continuing to pay for capital costs that ought to be borne by developers.	
Corporate	Other Corporate Issues		Requesting historic liability management policy borrowing limit be reinstated and placed in Council's Treasury Management Policy; that net external public debt per capita limit of \$3,000 be added to TMP, lesser of any of the TMP limits be the one that limits total loans raised.	
Corporate	Tourism Rate		Request TDC to progressively reduce general ratepayer contribution to Nelson Tasman Tourism to zero over next 5 years.	
E&P	Resource Consents / Compliance		Ridiculous to ban people from pruning trees they have safely and successfully pruned for years.	
Community	Swimming Pools		Ratepayers continue to fund this facility with no financial standings for its health shown in the plan.	
Corporate	Holding Company		Do not proceed with forming holding company.	
Corporate	Early Rates Payment Discount		Do not reduce discount from 4% to 3% until such a move can be justified.	
E&P	Resource Policy / TRMP Matters		Asking Council to either provide final date when plan will be operative or provide reasons why any prolonged further financing is warranted.	

4:20 PM		(10 mins)	Mr D & J Field (188)	<i>p 474</i>
Corporate	Other Corporate Issues		Need to review current spending as it focuses on activities that are not core infrastructure.	
Engineering	Roading / Streetscaping / Footpaths		NZTA not provided same funding as previous years.	
Corporate	Tourism Rate		Tourism should be funded purely by tourism rate.	
Corporate	Other Corporate Issues		Revaluation caused farmers to pay substantially more in rates.	
Strategic	Annual Plan Process / Documents		Does not contain examples or average properties to show the effect of changes to rating system on property rates.	

4:30 PM		(10 mins)	Ms Di Smith (91) Public Health Service	<i>p 152</i>
Engineering	Public Transport		TDC consider improved public transport options	
Community	Other Community Services		be proactive in considering breastfeeding requirements being built into early design, planning and development of commercial and recreational developments.	

E&P	Regulatory (dogs, buildings, public health, liquor etc)	Building consent applications take into consideration Smoke-Free legislation.	
Community	Affordable Housing	Take a lead role to ensure adequate stock of affordable and appropriate housing for the elderly and disabled.	
4:40 PM	(10 mins)	Ms G Struik (194) Friends of Nelson Haven and Tasman Bay inc	p484
E&P	Resource Policy / TRMP Matters	AP does not give surety that action will be taken re landscape.	
E&P	Waimea Estuary	Consider project needs firm timeframes.	
Community	Community Facilities / Halls / Saxton Field etc	proposal for rowing/recreation needs to be regarded with utmost caution.	
4:50 PM	(10 mins)	Ms H Campbell (200) Nelson/Tasman Forest and Bird	p498
Engineering	Public Transport	Despite no NZTA funding Council has responsibility to subsidise public transport	
E&P	Resource Policy / TRMP Matters	Various resource policy matters	
E&P	Waimea Estuary	Progress needs to be made on ensuring values of wider Waimea Inlet are addressed in holistic manner	
All Departments	Various Matters	Forest and Bird submission - various matters	
5:00 PM	(10 mins)	Mr S J & H M Olds (203)	p505
Corporate	Tourism Rate	Tourism rate unfair and undemocratic	
5:10 PM	(10 mins)	Mr B M & M J Biggs (208)	p514
Corporate	Early Rates Payment Discount	To reduce discount is an insult.	
Corporate	Tourism Rate	Tourism Nelson Tasman should be run as business without rates input.	
All Departments	Various Matters	Increase in fees and charges not needed.	
5:20 PM	(10 mins)	Mr P Hay (211)	p520
Engineering	Wastewater	Asking TDC to make provision in 2010/2011 budget for TDC's half share of NRSBU's extra cost to lay 2.6 km of return pipe.	
6:10 PM	(10 mins)	Mr A McGlashen (151) Richmond Unlimited	p328
Engineering	Roading / Streetscaping / Footpaths	Would like to be involved in Queen Street upgrade	
Corporate	Tourism Rate	Would like to see accountability with affected businesses.	

Engineering	Roading / Streetscaping / Footpaths	Would like to see improvement on current lack of signage to Richmond's CBD, shopping and parking area.	
Community	Other Community Services	Would like to see striking "gateway" features to signal entry and exit points of Richmond.	
Community	Grants	Would like funding for seasonal flats, Christmas greetings, themed lights, plantings etc.	
Engineering	Roading / Streetscaping / Footpaths	Would like to see continuing upgrading of street furniture	
Community	Other Community Services	Seeking security cameras throughout Richmond CBD.	
6:20 PM	(10 mins)	Mr P Lawless (225) Nelson Biodiversity Forum	p564
E&P	Waimea Estuary	Can find no clear Council budget in Plan to support commitment to Waimea Estuary.	
6:40 PM	(10 mins)	Mr M Ducray (241) Nelson Trout Fishing Club	p610
Engineering	Other Engineering Matters	Requesting provision be made in the annual plan for the Club to stock the Wai-iti dam with Brown/Rainbow Trout and that access be given to the general public to fish the Wai-iti Dam.	
6:50 PM	(10 mins)	Mr G Thompson (244)	p613
Corporate	Tourism Rate	Opposed to levy on holiday homes to fund Tourism Nelson.	
Strategic	Other Strategic Issues	Considers radio advertising of Newline a waste of money	
Community	Community Facilities / Halls / Saxton Field etc	Supports work on Rabbit Island water sports venue	
7:00 PM	(10 mins)	Mr Albie Aubrey (111)	
Corporate	Rates Affordability / Targeted Rates	Annual Plan should provide sufficient detail to enable ratepayers to judge the merit of various rates and their effect on them. It should say that the \$20 increase in UAGC is in fact an 8.3% increase.	p196
7:10 PM	(10 mins)	Mrs B Graves (177) Safe at the Top	
Community	Other Community Services	Requesting TDC to commit \$5,000 and staff resource to support continued operation of Safe at the Top project.	p442