

## **CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT**

**TO:** Community Services Committee

**FROM:** Cr Stuart Bryant

**SUBJECT:** **Chairperson's Report for Meeting of 26 August 2010 – RCS10-08-01**

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Welcome to the final meeting of Community Services for the 2007-2010 term of Council.

### **Druids Hall at the Hope Reserve**

Since the last meeting of this committee we have had a public meeting at the Hope Hall, and a meeting in the Druids Hall with members of the Hope Reserve Board, with a look around the grounds and a view from one of the neighbouring properties. Thanks to those Councillors who attended. The next step is to go to a public consultation most likely via a public open day.

I, Cr Norriss, Community Board Chair David Ogilvie, Stephen Richards and Eric Verstappen met with about 25 residents regarding issues at Tapu Bay. It was a very positive meeting and the residents are very passionate about this iconic little reserve.

On the same day, Cr Norriss and myself had a look at the Stephen's Bay Reserve. We really had to wonder if the outcomes sought by the plantings and railings had been achieved.

I continue to hear very positive comments about the upgrade to the District Library in Richmond. Hopefully our other two projects; the Motueka Recreation Centre upgrade, and the new Learners' Pool at the Aquatic Centre will be completed in this term of Council.

Finally, thank you to all members for their input to this committee over this term. I have enjoyed Chairing this committee and would wish all members, who are putting their names forward again for Council, good luck with your re-election.

Thank you

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

**THAT the Chairperson's Report RCS10-08-01 be received by the Community Services Committee**

Stuart Bryant  
Chair, Community Services