

# REPORT

**TO:** Motueka Community Board  
**FROM:** Chairperson C Satherley  
**REFERENCE:** E859  
**DATE:** 14 January 2005  
**SUBJECT:** Monthly Report

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## **MOTUEKA COMMUNITY BOARD ANNUAL PLAN SUBMISSION**

In December the Motueka Community Board held their public consultation meetings. A submission was circulated to Motueka Community Board members for feedback before sending off to the Management Team. The Motueka Community Board now needs to move the following recommendation to complete the formal process.

### **Recommendation**

**THAT the Motueka Community Board approves its submission dated 23 December 2004 for inclusion in the 2005/06 Draft Annual Plan.**

## **MOTUEKA COMMUNITY BOARD MEMBERS REPORTS**

Following discussions with Yvonne Palmer at the joint Community Boards Workshop, it was agreed that Motueka Board Members (in accordance with Standing Orders and the Council Code of Conduct) would not personally write reports, because it could be seen as a conflict of interest or pre-determined bias on particular issues.

The Code of Conduct requires that all issues must be accompanied by a staff report. All matters for discussion can be raised either through the Chairperson or the Service Centres Manager's reports. For specific issues, reports are prepared either by the Service Centres Manager or other relevant staff member which will include all relevant information that Council has, enabling the community board the necessary information for good decision making.

## **ISSUES THAT MOTUEKA COMMUNITY BOARD MEMBERS WOULD LIKE RAISED ON THE AGENDA**

### **Board Member Fry**

- Motueka Town Christmas Decorations.
- Motueka Recycling Station and new rubbish collection.

### **Board Member Dowler**

- Reference P125 27<sup>th</sup> July 2004. Glenn Thorn about the old clock that used to be on High Street. Tasman District Council now has it in storage. Has there been any progress on this.
- Security Camera High Street. Money was allocated this year to have an additional camera installed, when is this likely to happen? Now is the time it is needed and in the next few months.
- Lighting on Pah Street, High Street corner. I was out on Monday night and could not believe how dark this corner is at 10.00pm. The streetlights have been overgrown by the trees. Please get someone to have a look and report on what can be done.
- Has the Tasman District Council been informed on what is happening regarding the future of the Motueka Community Pool. Has a final decision been made about its possible location?
- Western Intercept Drain. This has been programme to be started this year in the Long Term Council Community Plan. When will this project begin?
- Planning Meeting. When will the Motueka Community Board be able to meet again to find out any progress with the town's future?
- Reference 14760PR. Glenn Thorn had a meeting with us at Thorps Bush regarding the playground equipment. Can you find out what the final decision about this was please?
- Town Rubbish Cart, presently financed through Keep Motueka Beautiful Committee. At our last meeting it was talked about getting this funded through Engineering Services. Has anything about this happened as yet?

## **TASMAN DISTRICT COUNCIL OFFICE MOTUEKA**

It is NOT appropriate that a small number of residents of our district who go into the office are abusive to the staff. Office staff are there to assist you as best they can, not to be verbally abused for something that is not of their doing.

## **RECYCLE BIN**

To say this has been a huge success would be an under statement. It has definitely been under estimated how popular recycling would be.

Everybody within Council are only too aware of the problems and you can be assured that Council are doing their best to rectify the situation.

## **MOTORSPORT**

There has slowly been a growing demand for an area to be set aside specifically for motorsport within the Tasman District Council. This area needs to be free from undue restrictions being placed upon it so that motorsport can go about its business. It needs to be located in such a place that in 50 years time it will not need to be shut down because of noise complaints, etc.

What I would like to see is ALL motorsport groups (cars, bikes, go-karts, jetboats, stock cars, drag racing etc) work together towards achieving a common purpose – a multipurpose motorsport venue.

To begin the process, an investigation by council into the possibility of obtaining an appropriate site should be done prior to meeting with all the interested groups.

### **Recommendation**

**That the Motueka Community Board request the Community Services Manager, Lloyd Kennedy, to investigate options for acquiring a suitable site for a multipurpose motorsport venue, and report back to the Motueka Community Board.**

## **VOTING PAPERS FOR NEW ZEALAND COMMUNITY BOARD'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE DEPUTY REPRESENTATIVE**

I have received the NZ Community Board Deputy Representative voting papers for the Motueka Community Board to make its decision, complete and return. In the information pack, full details of candidates and the process have been circulated to Motueka Community Board members only. A decision will need to be finalised at this meeting, to meet the deadline.

C Satherley  
Chairperson

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