

Report 21.139

# Confirmed Public minutes of the Hutt Valley Flood Management Subcommittee meeting on Tuesday 30 March 2021

Council Chamber, Hutt City Council 30 Laings Road, Lower Hutt, at 4.32pm

## **Members Present**

**Greater Wellington Regional Council** Councillor Lamason (Chair) Councillor van Lier (Deputy Chair) Councillor Connelly Councillor Lee

Hutt City Council Deputy Mayor Lewis Councillor Edwards

**Upper Hutt City Council** Mayor Guppy Councillor Wheeler

## **Public Business**

#### 1 Apologies

There were no apologies.

#### 2 Declarations of conflicts of interest

There were no conflicts of interest.



#### 3 Public participation

The following persons each spoke to the Hutt Valley Flood Management Projects report – Report 21.109, specifically regarding the Pinehaven Stream: Stephen Pattinson (representing Save Our Hills), Carie Rowan, Peter Ross, Alex Ross, and Susan Pattinson (representing Save Our Hills).

### 4 Confirmation of the Public minutes of the Hutt Valley Flood Management Subcommittee meeting of 15 October 2020 – Report 20.391

Moved: Cr Wheeler / Cr Connelly

That the Subcommittee confirms the Public minutes of the Hutt Valley Flood Management Subcommittee meeting of 15 October 2020 – Report 20.391.

The motion was carried.

5 Update on Progress of Action Items from previous meetings – 15 October 2020 -Report 21.124 [For information]

Graeme Campbell, Manager, Flood Protection spoke to the report.

**Noted:** The Subcommittee requested that officers provide maps to the Subcommittee members showing the locations of the Hulls Creek Bridge and the proposed new Silverstream water-pipe bridge.

**Noted**: The Subcommittee requested that officers provide information to the next meeting on the frequency of water testing of the Pinehaven Stream.

6 Hutt Valley Flood Management Projects Report (September 2020) – Report 22.109 [For information]

Sharyn Westlake, Team Leader, Floodplain Management Plan Implementation, spoke to the report.

**Noted:** The Subcommittee requested that officers report back to the next meeting regarding progress with the Waiwhetu Stream weed-mat trial, and Hutt City Council's Manor Park cycleway/walkway. Officers advised that they would follow up with Waka Kotahi and Wellington Water Limited regarding the timing of the replacement of the Silverstream road bridge and the replacement of the Silverstream cross-river bulk water pipeline, and the reasons for the work being advanced separately.

#### 7 RiverLink – Project update report – Report 21.80 [For information]

Martin White, Project Director, RiverLink, spoke to the Power Point presentation and Martin White and Tracy Berghan, RiverLink Owner Interface Lead, both spoke to the report.

**Noted:** The Subcommittee requested that officers report to the next meeting on whether the RiverLink works could usefully be advanced through the use of the process available under the COVID-19 Recovery (Fast-track Consenting) Act 2020.

The Chair closed the meeting, thanking officers for the work that has been done over the past few months and, in particular, for the RiverLink open days.

The meeting closed at 6.02pm.

1 **Councillor P Lamason** 

Chair

22.06-2021 Date:

