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Minutes of the Meeting of the Utility Services Committee held in the Council Chamber, The Regional Council Centre, 142-146 Wakefield Street, Wellington on Tuesday, 28 November 2000 at 9.30am

### **Present**

Councillors McQueen (Chairperson), Laidlaw, Macaskill, Shaw, Thomas and Werry

### **Officers Present**

Messrs Benham, Bodnar, Darroch, Kennedy, Leonard, Morrison, Nugent, Roberts, Samuel, Sells and Woolley

## **Public Business**

## **Procedural Items**

US163 Apologies

Resolved

Cr McQueen/Cr Shaw)

That the apologies from Councillor Shields and Councillor Hutchings (WCC) be confirmed.

## **US164** Public Participation

There were no members of the public who wished to participate in the meeting.

## **US165** Confirmation of Minutes

Resolved

(Cr Thomas/Cr Werry)

That the Public and Public Excluded minutes of the meeting held on 17 October 2000, Report 00.769, and Report PE 00.770, the public excluded part to remain in public excluded, be confirmed.

## **Matters for Information**

## US166 Utility Services Division, Water Group, Incident Management System

**Report 00.815** File: B/9/2/8

Resolved (Cr Werry/Cr Shaw)

That the report be received.

## US167 2000/2001 Summer Water Conservation Campaign

**Report 00.841** File: B/1/3/72

Resolved (Cr Thomas/Cr Laidlaw)

That the report be received and the information noted.

# **US168** System Optimiser

**Report 00.847** File: B/1/6/1

Resolved (Cr Shaw/Cr Laidlaw)

That the report be received and the information noted.

## **US169 Divisional Report**

**Report 00.829** File: O/2/1/10

## **Water Integration**

Councillor McQueen said discussions were continuing at officer level and there will be a workshop about progress for all Regional Councillors in the new year.

Resolved (Cr Laidlaw/Cr Werry)

That the report be received and the information noted.

#### US170 Questions

There were no questions.

#### US171 General

Councillor McQueen thanked Mr Benham and his team for their commitment and hard work in what had been an interesting and solid year, and wished everyone a good break in the holiday season.

#### US172 **Exclusion of the Public**

**Report 00.852** 

Resolved

(Cr McQueen/Cr Thomas)

That the public be excluded from the following part of the proceedings of this meeting namely:

Contract No 1199: Plateau Reservoir Inlet Main – Tender Acceptance

The general subject of each matter to be considered while the public is excluded, the reasons for passing this resolution in relation to each matter and the specific grounds under section 48(1) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 for the passing of this resolution are as follows:

matter to be considered:

each

General subject of each Reason for passing this Ground under section 48(1) for the resolution in relation to passing of this resolution

Contract No 1199: Plateau Reservoir Inlet Main – Tender Acceptance

carry on negotiations (including commercial negotiations)

Because of the need to That the public conduct of the whole or the relevant part of the proceedings of the meeting would be likely to result in the disclosure of information for which good reason for withholding would exist (ie including commercial negotiations)).

This resolution is made in reliance on section 48(1) (a) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 and the particular interest or interests protected by section 6 or section 7 of that Act of section 6 or section 7 or section 9 of the Official Information Act 1982, as the case may require, which would be prejudiced by the holding of the whole or the relevant part of the proceedings of the meeting in public are as follows:

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The open part of the meeting concluded at 11.05am.

CR EUAN McQUEEN

Chairman

Date: