

Report 05.231

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Report of the Meeting of the Utility Services Committee held in the Wellington Regional Council Chamber, The Regional Council Centre, 142 Wakefield Street, Wellington on Wednesday, 18 May 2005 at 9.30am

Matters for Council decision are shown in bold type and enclosed in a box Matters for information of Council are in italic type

Present

Councillors Kirton (Chairperson), Buchanan, Glensor, Laidlaw and Long

Officers Present

Messrs Benham, Jackson, Kennedy, Laidlow, Leonard, Morrison, Nugent, Samuel and Sells

Public Business

Procedural Items

US 18 Apologies

Resolved

(Cr Buchanan/Cr Glensor)

That the Committee

Accept apologies for absence from Councillors Aitken and Greig.

US 19 Public Participation

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

US 20 Confirmation of Minutes

Resolved (Cr Glensor/Cr Laidlaw)

That the Committee

Confirm the minutes of the meeting Report 05.85, held on 10 February 2005.

Matters for Information

US 21 Divisional Report for Period Ending 30 April 2005

Report 05.199 File: O/02/01/10

Resolved (Cr Glensor/Cr Laidlaw)

That the Committee

- (1) Receive the report.
- (2) Note the information contained in the report.

US 22 2005 Summer Water Conservation Campaign and Supply Analysis

Report 05.219 File: B/21/03/06

Resolved (Cr Buchanan/Cr Laidlaw)

That the Committee

- (1) Receive the report.
- (2) Note the contents.

US 23 Review of Capital Works Programme 2004/05 Up to April '05

Report 05.223 File: B/25/01/02

Resolved (Cr Buchanan/Cr Long)

That the Committee:

- (1) Receive the report.
- (2) Note the contents.

US 24 Questions

There were no questions.

US 25 General

There were no matters of general business.

US 26 Exclusion of the Public

Report 05.220 File: E/06/17/02

Resolved (Cr Long/Cr Glensor)

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

- (1) Acceptance of Contract 1239: Karori Pumping Station Replacement
- (2) Improvements to Wainuiomata Lower Dam Deferral of Contract

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:

General subject of each matter to be considered:

Reason for passing this resolution in relation to each

Ground under section 48(1) for the passing of this resolution

(1) Acceptance of Because of the need to Contract 1239: Karori carry on commercial Pumping Station negotiations Replacement 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 commercial negotiations)

(2) Improvements Because of the need to to Wainuiomata Lower carry on commercial Dam Deferral of negotiations

Contract

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 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:

Greater Wellington – The Regional Council (1) and (2)

10.20pm The open part of the meeting closed.

CR R KIRTON Chairperson

Date:

Wellington Regional Council – 9 June 2005

To be moved:

That Council

Adopt the report of the meeting of the Utility Services Committee held on 18 May 2005, Items US 18 to US 26.