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Agenda for a meeting of the Taupiri Community Board to be held in the War Memorial Hall, Greenlane Road, Taupiri on **MONDAY, 30 OCTOBER 2023** commencing at <u>6.00pm</u>.

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Information and recommendations are included in the reports to assist the Board in the decision-making process and may not constitute Council's decision or policy until considered by the Board.

I. APOLOGIES AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE

2. CONFIRMATION OF STATUS OF AGENDA

3. DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST

The register of interests is no longer included on agendas; however, members still have a duty to disclose any interests under this item.

4. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

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7.3	Taupiri School updates	Verbal
7.4	Emergency Procedures – Civil Defence	Verbal
7.5	Halls	Verbal

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То	Taupiri Community Board	
Report title	Confirmation of Minutes	
Date:	Monday, 23 October 2023	
Report Author:	Robyn Chisholm, Democracy Advisor	
Authorised by:	Gaylene Kanawa, Democracy Manager	

1. Purpose of the report Te Take moo te puurongo

To confirm the minutes for a meeting of the Taupiri Community Board held on Monday, 18 September2023.

2. Staff recommendations Tuutohu-aa-kaimahi

THAT the minutes for a meeting of the Taupiri Community Board held on Monday, 18 September 2023 be confirmed as a true and correct record.

3. Attachments Ngaa taapirihanga

Attachment 1 – TCB Minutes, Monday, 18 September 2023



<u>MINUTES</u> for a meeting of the Taupiri Community Board held in the Memorial Hall, Greenlane Road, Taupiri on **<u>MONDAY, 18 SEPTEMBER 2023</u>** commencing at <u>6.00pm.</u>

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Present:

Ms J Morley (Chairperson) Ms S Cocup-Hughes (Deputy Chairperson) Mrs D Lovell Mr H Lovell Cr T Turner

Attending:

Mr J Ebenhoh (Planning & Policy Manager) Mr A Singh (Transport Operations Team Leader) Ms R Chisholm (Democracy Advisor)

APOLOGIES AND LEAVE OF ABSENCES

Resolved: (Mrs D Lovell/Ms S Cocup-Hughes)

THAT the Taupiri Community Board accepts the apologies from:

a. non-attendance from Cr J Gibb

CARRIED

TCB2309/01

CONFIRMATION OF STATUS OF AGENDA ITEMS Resolved: (Mrs D Lovell/Ms S Cocup-Hughes)

THAT the agenda for a meeting of the Taupiri Community Board held on Monday, 18 September 2023 be confirmed and

- a. with all items therein being considered in open meeting; and
- b. all reports be received.

CARRIED

TCB2309/02

DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST

There were no disclosures of interest.

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

Resolved: (Ms S Cocup-Hughes/Cr Turner)

THAT the minutes for a meeting of the Taupiri Community Board held on Monday, 7 August 2023 be confirmed as a true and correct record of that meeting:

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CARRIED

TCB2309/03

PUBLIC FORUM

Agenda Item 5

There were no members of the public present at the meeting.

REPORTS

Agenda Item 6

Works and Issues Report Agenda Item 6.1

The report was received [TCB2309/02 refers] and the following discussion was held:

Community Plan Booklet

• Ongoing. No updates.

WEL Green Boxes/Chorus Building – Mural Painting

• Mrs D Lovell reported that the mural painting will be started, weather permitting, end of September or early October 2023.

Proposal for Walkway and Cycle Track

• It was noted that the bank accounts for this project are now open and a Project Manager is all that is required now to make it the project happen.

Emergency Procedures

• Ongoing. No updates

Picnic Tables

• It is understood that all the picnic tables have now been delivered.

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Ngaaruawaahia/Hopuhopu/Taupiri Structure Plan & Ngaaruawaahia Town Centre Plan Updates

- Mrs D Lovell tabled copies of proposed projects and documentation/information along with an email outlining public consultation drop-in sessions in both Taupiri and Ngaaruawaahia. The drop-in session date for Taupiri was confirmed as 28 September 2023.
- It was emphasised that at this stage, these are just ideas and the focus is getting the community involved.
- It was noted that Long Term Plan (LTP) Workshops at Council are scheduled to begin next week and discussion on the projects in the tabled document will be part of those workshops as well as part of the Blueprints for Taupiri.
- Waikato District Council's Planning and Policy Manager confirmed that the proposed projects documentation will be live on the Council website from tomorrow.

ACTION: The Planning and Policy Manager to update the Board at the next meeting to confirm:

- Who is the team/reference group responsible for proposed projects?
- Who are the Key Stakeholders who provide input in the decisions?
- What are the channels for communications and when will community members be advised?

Roading & Traffic Signs:

- The Transport Operations Team Leader addressed the Board and clarified the funding model for road signs and confirmed that there is no funding unless it is adopted in the LTP. It was further noted that any new road signs are considered new assets and this changes the funding model.
- It was confirmed after discussion regarding additional road signs and further funding that may be needed that the Discretionary Fund can be used as an option.
- The Board queried whether a ballpark figure of the costs for new road signs could be provided however it was noted that new assets have to be considered under a separate funding list and a ballpark figure was hard to provide.
- The Board discussed their concerns with the speed limit in Te Putu Street and it was agreed that a speed-counter would provide great data to monitor this. A further concern was noted in relation to the School Sign in Te Putu Street and the poor visibility due to it's location.

ACTION: The Transport Operations Team Leader to proceed with the installation pf speed-counters in Te Putu Street.

ACTION: The Transport Operations Team Leader to investigate the possibility of moving the School Sign on Te Putu Street and liaise with NZTA on a new location.

• The Board queried whether a speed limit sign can be installed on Murphy Lane where the new subdivision has been built.

ACTION: The Transport Operations Team Leader to investigate the possibility of installing a speed sign in Murphy Lane.

Lighting at Taupiri Mountain

- It was noted that the lighting at Taupiri is still owned by NZTA and is not yet in the jurisdiction of Council and has no budget. The Transport Operations Team Leader advised that whilst there is no confirmed date as yet for the vesting of the Great South Road (along with the lighting) back to Council, the process is underway and lwi Consultation is being done.
- It was advised that there is a plan to upgrade the lighting to LED's along the mountain on Great South Road and Waka Kotahi will provide the funding for this prior to vesting back to Council.
- The Board discussed the issue of minimal street lighting due to lack of funding throughout the Taupiri Community and it was confirmed that this is an issue throughout the district and the LTP approval process will hopefully address this.

Footpaths/Road signs/Lighting/Tunnels

- The parking issues in Button Lane was discussed and it was noted that whilst 'no parking' lines have been installed the major remains the widening of the road. It was noted that the Council Monitoring Team could actively patrol the parking issues in Button Lane and parking tickets could discourage people from parking there.
- It was noted that Councils 0800 number is in operation 24 hours a day so any parking issues can be reported immediately.
- ACTION: The Planning & Policy Manager to discuss the current parking issues in Button with the Council Monitoring Team Leader and determine the best solution moving forward
 - The issues around logging Service Request to address roading issues at the Taupiri Complex was discussed and it was noted that the Complex is not in the jurisdiction of Council.

Discretionary Fund Report to 8 June 2023 Agenda Item 6.2

The report was received [TCB2309/02 refers] and the following discussion was held:

- An extensive discussion for the upcoming 2024 ANZAC Day commemorations in Taupiri took place with the following points noted:
 - i. It was noted that ANZAC Day preparations have been undertaken by Ms Lovell for the last 6 years and additional support from both the Board and the Discretionary Fund is needed.
 - ii. It was noted that Council provide support for ANZAC Day activities in the form of Traffic Management and the wreaths and flower arrangements.

- iii. Is the Community Board in favour of continuing the ANZAC Day activities in Taupiri or investigate the possibility of a separate committee for ANZAC?
- iv. It was emphasised that this is just a discussion point at this stage to gauge Community interest and members will provide feedback at the next meeting

ACTION Community Board members to consider the annual Taupiri ANZAC Day commemorations and discuss at the next meeting.

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Taupiri Netball Courts

- It was noted that the Blueprint report refers to upgrades of sports facilities, which includes the Netball and Rugby facilities.
- Communication with East Waikato Netball is ongoing and the plan is to get together with them and in time, join in with the Rugby Club

<u>Taupiri Rugby Club – changing room facilities</u>

• It was advised that initial conversations have taken place and in principal, WDC are happy to provide some support. It was noted that The Taupiri Rugby Club is not Council owned so at this stage, the scene has been set for further conversation.

Mayor Community Awards

 It was noted that the nomination from the Taupiri Community Board was submitted however no receipt of the nomination has been received.

ACTION: Mayors office to confirm that the nomination from the Taupiri Community Board was received.

Chairperson's Report

Agenda Item 6.3

- It was noted that nets are going up at the netball courts in the next couple of weeks • and the Board are just waiting on Council to install the lines in the next couple of weeks.
- There was discussion regarding a possible Christmas Function for the Community Board in conjunction with the Ngaaruawaahia Community Board and Cr Turner will liaise with the Deputy Chair to discuss further.

ACTION: Cr Turner to liaise with Mrs Diane Firth (Ngaaruawaahia Community Board) to contact the Taupiri Chairperson to discuss a joint Christmas function..

Community Board Members' Report

Agenda Item 6.4

Of note were the works/upgrades at the school and it was advised that numbers at the school are only one (1) child away from 100, a new milestone!.

<u>Councillor's Reports</u> Agenda Item 6.5

Cr Turner provided the Board with an overview of the different activities and events that she has attended over the last six weeks and noted the report from Cr Gibb with the details. Some highlights of the events attended include:

- Meeting with Maaori constituents in Tamahere and a visit to Big City Farm.
- Awards ceremony at the Waikato District Alliance in recognition of the work during Cyclone Gabrielle.
- Confirmed as the Council representative for the Te Nehenehenui Joint Management Agreement (formerly Ngaati Maniapoto).
- The Waikato Raupatu River Trust Waikato District Council Joint Management Agreement meeting.

Waikato District Council Senior Leadership Update

Agenda Item 6.6

- An update was given on the status of the LTP and noted that it is moving to part B, new proposals and financial discussions.
- It is anticipated that next week at the Sustainability & Wellbeing Committee there will be a revised Blueprint for Councillors to endorse.
- An update on recruitment across Council was provided along with the new Executive Leadership Team appointments.

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PROJECTS Agenda Item 7

<u>Community Planting and Maintenance</u> Agenda Item 7.1

• There were no updates.

<u>Taupiri Structure Plan</u> Agenda Item 7.2

• There were no updates.

<u>Taupiri School Update</u> Agenda Item 7.3 • There were no updates.

<u>Emergency Procedures – Civil Defence</u> Agenda Item 7.4

• There were no updates.

<u>Halls</u> Agenda Item 7.5

• There were no updates.

The meeting was closed with a Karakia.

There being no further business the meeting was declared closed at 7.23pm.

Minutes approved and confirmed this day of 2023.

Ms J Morley CHAIRPERSON



To Report title	Taupiri Community Board Works, Actions & Issues Report: Status of Items September 2023
Date:	30 October 2023
Report Author:	Jim Ebenhoh, Planning and Policy Manager
Authorised by:	Will Gauntlett, Acting General Manager Community Growth

1. Purpose of the report Te Take moo te puurongo

To provide an update on issues arising from the previous meeting and works underway.

2. Staff recommendations Tuutohu-aa-kaimahi

That the Works and Issues report from the General Manager Community Growth be received.

3. Attachments Ngaa taapirihanga

Attachment 1: Taupiri Community Board's Works and Issues Report – September 2023

Taupiri Community Board's Works and Issues Report – September 2023

	Actions	To Action	Update/Response
1	Community Plan (Community Plan booklet is an ongoing process)	Taupiri Community Board	October 2023:
2	WEL Green Boxes / Chorus Building – Mural Painting Mural painting will be started, weather permitting, end of September or early October 2023.	Taupiri Community Board	October 2023:
3	Proposal for Walkway and Cycle Track In Taupiri Bank accounts for this project are now open and a Project Manager is all that is required now to make it the project happen.	Howard Lovell, TCB Member	October 2023:
4	Emergency Procedures	The Chair, TCB	October 2023:
5	Picnic Tables September 2023: Mrs D Lovell to check in with recipients to ensure they have all been received.	Mrs D Lovell	October 2023:

	Actions	To Action	Update/Resp	onse
6	 Ngaruawahia, Hopuhopu & Taupiri Structure Plan / Ngaruawahia Town Centre Plan Update September 2023: The Planning and Policy Manager to update the Board at the next meeting to confirm: Who is the team/reference group responsible for proposed projects? Who are the Key Stakeholders who provide input in the decisions? 	Jim Ebenhoh, Planning and Policy Manager Fletcher Bell, Strategic Planner	October 2023: The role of <i>N.H.T. Working Gro</i> sounding board, providing fee related ideas and key docume communicate any pitfalls they project process. Feedback car refined to ensure the process inclusive, representative, and community's best.	edback on project- ents, and / may foresee in the n be discussed and followed is
	• What are the channels for communications and when will community members be advised?		Structure Plan Working Group Members Organisation Group Members Fletcher Bell Waikato District Council Elsa Snyders Waikato District Council Porsha Wharakura Waikato Tainui Rangatira Simon Tuurangawaewae Marae Tineka Wymer Ngaati Tamainupoo Trust Tutukino George Taupiri Marae Kahurimu Flavell Waikato Tainui Greg Wiechern Ngaaruawaahia Community Board	Role/Designation Working Group Chair Working Group Co-Chair Hopuhopu – Waikato Tainui Ngaaruawaahia & Hopuhopu Ngaaruawaahia & Hopuhopu Taupiri Marae Project Advisor - Taiao Ngaruawahia Community Board Member
			Dianne Firth Ngaaruawaahia Community Board Dorothy Lovell Taupiri Community Board Janet Gibb Waikato District Council Eugene Patterson Waikato District Council Tilly Turner Waikato District Council	Ngaruawahia Community Board Deputy Chair Taupiri Community Board Member Ngaaruawaahia-New Castle Ward Councillor Nagaruawaahia-New Castle Ward Councillor Tai Runga Takawaa Maaori Ward Councillor

Actions	To Action	Update/Response
		Key Stake Holders:HapuuIwiReference GroupStaffGeneral PublicConsultants (Provide technical advice which helpsinform decisions)CouncillorsNote: Any number of stakeholders may beinvolved at any given time, this is largelydepending on what stage the project is at.Communication Channels:Waikato District Council Facebook pageCommunity Board Facebook pagePublic workshopsOnline surveysSchool newslettersPhysical flyersPhysical lettersEmails to Reference GroupEmails to Hapuu and IwiEmails to key stakeholdersWord of mouth

	Actions	To Action	Update/Response
			Note: Any number of communication channels may be used at any given time, this is largely depending on what stage the project is at. The community has access to the public website where we put all our public information for viewing. Certain Stake holders are advised of additional information as needed.
7	Roading SignsSeptember 2023:The Transport Operations Team Leader to proceed with the installation of speed-counters in Te Putu Street.The Transport Operations Team Leader to investigate the possibility of moving the School Sign on Te Putu Street and liaise with NZTA on a new location.The Transport Operations Team Leader to investigate the uiting for the school Sign on Te Putu Street and liaise	Attinder Singh, Transport Operations Team Leader	October 2023: This has been added to transport speed counting programme of 2023-2024 and will be completed and updated in system. School/pedestrian crossing signs need to be installed at a certain distance and location. However, the team will trim the vegetation in front of sign for better visibility (see 'further information' for additional comments relating to school sign). This has been added to transport speed counting programme of 2022 2024 and will be completed
8	possibility of installing a speed sign in Murphy Lane.	Attinder Singh (WDC Roading Team)	 programme of 2023-2024 and will be completed and updated in system. August 2023: Huntly Revocation – Waka Kotahi require iwi approval to close out the project so that the road (Gt South Road from Fisher Road in the north to

	Actions	To Action	Update/Response
			the Taupiri Interchange) can be vested and Waikato District Council can implement the approved programme of works. The only project in Taupiri relates to threshold treatments outside the urupa on what is currently SH1 (Gt South Road).
			October 2023:
			No further updates at this stage. Awaiting Waka Kotahi action as per above.
9	Footpaths/Road signs/Lighting/Tunnels	Jim Ebenhoh,	October 2023:
	September 2023: The Planning & Policy Manager to discuss the current parking issues in Button with the Council Monitoring Team Leader and determine the best solution moving forward	Planning and Policy Manager Tanya O'Shannessey Monitoring Team Leader	Jim Ebenhoh discussed with Monitoring / Compliance team and raised a service request (COM0223/24); this is now likely to be included in upcoming parking patrols. Any further updates to be provided at meeting(s).
10	Discretionary Fund Report	Taupiri Community	October 2023:
	September 2023:	Board	
	Community Board members to consider the annual Taupiri ANZAC Day commemorations and discuss at the next meeting.		
11	Taupiri netball courts	The Chair, TCB	October 2023:
12	Taupiri Rugby Club – changing room facilities	ТСВ	October 2023:

	Actions	To Action	Update/Response
13	Mayor Community AwardsMayor's office to confirm that the nomination from the TaupiriCommunity Board was received.		October 2023: Nomination was received. Mayoral awards have been held, this action will be considered closed.
14	Chairperson's Report September 2023: Cr Turner to liaise with Mrs D Firth (Ngaaruawaahia Community Board) to contact the Taupiri Board Chairperson to discuss a joint Christmas function.	Cr Turner	October 2023:

Further Information:

If you have noticed a problem in our district that requires our attention (roading, waters, animals, litter etc.), or have questions regarding one of our services (refuse, recycling, billing etc.) you can log a request via our online Report it tool.
 Please do NOT contact the Contractor directly.

<u>Report it here</u>

Further Information: Moving School Sign on Te Putu Street

MOTSAM (Waka Kotahi NZTA traffic signs and markings):

Comment: MOTSAM (Waka Kotahi NZTA standard – Manual of Traffic Signs and Markings) suggests no installation required as it is a 50km/hr area ... but cost to supply and install 2 x PW31 signs on a timber post = \$390.00

Policy: A PW-31 sign consists of a CHILDREN symbol displayed on a standard PW diamond sign plate.

PW-31 signs should be erected where in the opinion of the controlling authority, roadway conditions and the likely presence of considerable numbers of pedestrians under 16 years of age create a hazard. In particular where children often congregate on sections of road without footpaths or where recreation reserves provided with special facilities for children abut the road in areas not subject to a 50 km/h speed restriction.

No sign other than a supplementary sign SCHOOL may be attached to a PW-31 sign or its support.

Sign Size: Refer to Fig. 6.1 for detailed size requirements.

Location: The sign should be located where approaching drivers have an uninterrupted view of it over a distance of at least 120 m in rural areas and at least 60 m in urban areas.

The sign should be erected in advance of the hazard area by not less than the distance shown in the following table:

C	perating Speed	Distance
	50 km/h	65 m
	70 km/h	100 m
	90 km/h	140 m
	100 km/h	160 m



The symbol shall be oriented such that the pedestrians appear to be walking towards the roadway; eg where the sign is installed on the right hand side of the road, the symbol must be reversed.

Project Updates (as of 12 October 2023)

Taupiri water infrastructure upgrades

The water supply and firefighting capabilities for both the Taupiri township and the eastern development zone will be enhanced by replacing, upsizing, and relocating the supply main, removing pipeline from private properties and reducing the number of rail crossings risks. An additional 1250 meters of pipeline will be installed, complete with a rail crossing and a direct connection to the planned eastern development.



Planning has also gone into the construction of a new booster pump station along the pipeline route, which will significantly improve supply pressures and flow for the Taupiri community.

<u>Update</u>

The replacement pipeline has been successfully installed using a combination of methods, including open-cut, horizontal directional drilling, and chain trenching technology.

The second of two planned night shutdowns scheduled for mid-October will complete the final connection of the new pipeline and will bring Taupiri's new transmission main into service.

Work to prepare foundations for the pump and control building is underway after receiving all necessary consents for our new Water Pump Station. Concrete trucks are scheduled to arrive at the end of the month to continue the construction process.



То	Taupiri Community Board		
Report title	Discretionary Fund Report to 10 October 2023		
Date:	30 October 2023		
Report Author:	Jen Schimanski Support Accountant		
Authorised by:	Alison Diaz, Chief Financial Officer		

1. Purpose of the report Te Take moo te puurongo

The purpose of this report is to update the Taupiri Community Board on the Discretionary fund spend to date, commitments and balance as at 10 October 2023.

2. Staff recommendations Tuutohu-aa-kaimahi

That the Taupiri Community Board receives the report.

3. Attachments Ngaa taapirihanga

Attachment 1 – Discretionary Fund report to 10 October 2023.

TAUPIRI COMMUNITY BOARD DISCRETIONARY FUND REPORT 2023	/24 (July 2023 - June 2024)	
As at Date: 10-Oct-2023		
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2023/24 Annual Plan		1,624.00
Carry forward from 2022/23		3,489.00
Total Funding		5,113.00
Income		
Total Income		
Expenditure		excl GST
Total Expenditure		
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Net Funding Remaining (Excluding commitments)		5,113.00
Commitments	Amount Amou including GST excluding G	evel CST
Total Commitments		-

Net Funding Remaining (Including commitments)

5,113.00



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Report title | Councillor's Report

1. Purpose of the report Te Take moo te puurongo

To provide an update on Tai Runga Takiwa Maori o Waikato Councillor Tilly Turner activities in September - October 2023.

2. Executive summary Whakaraapopototanga matua

Council Meetings:

27/09/23	Extraordinary Council
9/10/23	Council Meeting
24/10/23	Council Meeting

Sub-Committee Meetings:

13/09/23	LGNZ 17 Recommendations Discussion
18/09/23	Taupiri Community Board
19/09/23	Pre-Chamber Chat Breakfast
19/09/23	Update Chamber Chat
19/09/23	Debriefing on Food Collective
20/09/23	Sustainable Wellbeing Committee
27/ 09/23	Infrastructure Committee
28/09/23	Raglan Raw Arts Meeting – Creative Community Scheme
30/09/23	Cherry Blossom invitation -clashed with tribal meeting.
3/10/23	Policy and Regulatory Committee
9/10/23	Performance & Strategy
10/10/23	Creative Communities Scheme planning day.
11/10/23	Meeting new Staff Elizabeth Hughes
12/10/23	Creative Communities Schemes
18/10/23	Raglan Community Board
19/10/23	Raglan Raw Cocktail Reception
24/10/23	Performance & Strategy

24/10/23	Development Agreement	
25/10/23	Double Citizenship Ceremony	
27/10/23	Alliance Breakfast	
27/10/23	Te Kowhai Sports Park Site Visit	
30/10/23	Taupiri Community Board	

Workshops/other:

12/09/23 `	Freedom Camping Bylaws
13 /09/23	Workshop LTP ?AMP
13/09/23	Te Maruata Te Ahuru Mowai Zoom
15/09/23	Wellbeing Economy – Doughnut Economics in Practice Zoom
22/09/23	WOW Wearable Arts Awards - Wellington
30/09/23	Waikato Tainui Structure Plan
9/10/23	LTP Workshop – Revenue & Finance Policy
10/10/23	LTP Workshop
11/10/23	LTP Workshop
16/10/23	Freedom Camping Bylaw
16/10/23	Road Services Contract Review Workshop
18/10/23	LTP Workshop

Maori Community:

3/10/23	National Maori Women's Welfare League Conference Rotorua 6 days
8/10/23	Waahi Poukai – Raahui Pookeka, Huntly
14/10/23	Nga Marae Toopu -Whakakitenga, Hopuhopu
19/10/23	Waahi Tapu Hui – Waikato Tainui Papakainga Development
25/10/23	Hui Waikato Tainui, Ngai Taahu and Council

3. Staff recommendations Tuutohu-aa-kaimahi

THAT the report from Cr Tilly Turner for October 2023 be received.

4. Attachments

Ngaa taapirihanga

There are no attachments.

Date:	Tuesday, 24 October 2023
Report Author: Tilly Turner, Tai Runga Takiwa Maori o Waikato Councillor	