
MINUTES
of the
**JOINT NELSON TASMAN REGIONAL TRANSPORT
COMMITTEE MEETING**
Komiti Te Kawenga Rohe o Nelson Tasman
held
8.08am, Friday, 15 September 2023
at
**Tasman Council Chamber, 189 Queen Street, Richmond
and via Zoom**

Present: **Tasman District Council:** Deputy Mayor S Bryant (Chair) and Councillor B Dowler

Nelson City Council: Mayor N Smith (Deputy Chair), Deputy Mayor R O'Neill-Stevens and alternate Councillor J Hodgson

Waka Kotahi Representative: Ms E Speight

In Attendance: **Tasman District Council:**
Strategic Planning Manager (D Fletcher), Senior Infrastructure Planning Advisor – Transportation, (B Rice), Community Policy Advisor (N Lindsay), Transportation Planning Advisor (J Murray), Team Leader – Democracy Services (E Stephenson) and Democracy Services Advisor (K McLean)

Nelson City Council (via Zoom): Group Manager Infrastructure (A Louverdis) and Transport Manager (D Bryant)

1 OPENING, WELCOME

The Chair invited Tasman District Council Strategic Planning Manager, Dwayne Fletcher, to open the meeting with a karakia.

2 APOLOGIES AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Nelson City Councillor M Courtney subsequently tendered his apology.

3 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Nil

4 PUBLIC FORUM

Nil

5 REPORTS

5.1 Nelson Tasman joint submission on the Government Policy Statement for Land Transport (2024)

Tasman District Council Community Policy Advisor, Neil Lindsay, presented the report, noting that the submission had been workshopped and that the draft submission had been circulated.

Nelson City Council Mayor N Smith requested that the minutes record that the draft submission had been circulated to Nelson City Councillors and that Councillors Sanson and Stallard had indicated that they were not supportive of the priority that was given to the Hope Bypass, however, that the members of the Joint Nelson Tasman Regional Transport Committee felt that the submission reflected the workshop feedback and were happy to proceed.

Discussion took place on the draft submission.

It was agreed to add the following points to the submission:

- Support for hypothecation of traffic infringement fee revenue to road safety activities
- Support for the Road to Zero 2030 target of a 40% reduction in road accident deaths and serious injuries but noting there were mixed views on the Road to Zero activity classification.

An additional clause 3 was added to delegate authority to the Chair to finalise the submission with the agreed additions.

The final submission is attached to the minutes and is available on Council's website in the Minutes Attachments Document.

Moved Mayor Smith/Deputy Mayor Bryant NTRTC23-09-1

That the Joint Nelson Tasman Regional Transport Committee

- 1. receives the Nelson Tasman joint submission on the Government Policy Statement for Land Transport (2024) report; and**
- 2. approves the joint submission from Nelson City Council and Tasman District Council to the Ministry of Transport on the Government Policy Statement for Land Transport (2024) with the additions agreed at the meeting; and**
- 3. delegates authority to the Chair of the Joint Regional Transport Committee to make any final amendments to the submission prior to it being submitted.**

CARRIED

Nelson City Council Deputy Mayor R O'Neill-Stevens requested that his vote against the motion be recorded.

Attachment 1 Final joint submission to the Ministry of Transport on the Government Policy Statement for Land Transport (2024)

5 CONFIDENTIAL SESSION

Nil

The meeting concluded at 8.39am.

Confirmed as a correct record of proceedings by resolution on Enter date .

NTRTC23-10-2

That the minutes of the Extraordinary Joint Nelson Tasman Regional Transport Committee meeting held on Friday, 15 September 2023, be confirmed as a true and correct record of the meeting.