

AGENDA

Orari-Temuka-Opihi-Pareora Water Zone Committee Meeting Monday, 2 May 2022

Date Monday, 2 May 2022

Time 3.15pm

Location Taniwha Gully
Totara Valley

File Reference 1496202

Orari-Temuka-Opihi-Pareora Water Zone Committee

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Orari-Temuka-Opihi-Pareora Water Zone Committee will be held in the Taniwha Gully, Totara Valley, on Monday 2 May 2022, at 3.15pm.

Orari-Temuka-Opihi-Pareora Water Zone Committee Members

Lucy Millar (Chairperson), Suzanne Eddington, John Henry, Cr Anne Munro, Cr Elizabeth McKenzie, Luke Reihana, Glen Smith, Cr Barbara Gilchrist, Cr Tom O'Connor, John Cruden and Bailey Lissington

Quorum – no less than 5 members

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- 7 Chairperson's Report**

8 Confirmation of Minutes

8.1 Minutes of the Orari-Temuka-Opihi-Pareora Water Zone Committee Meeting held on 4 April 2022

Author: Andrew Feary, Governance Advisor

Recommendation

That the Minutes of the Orari-Temuka-Opihi-Pareora Water Zone Committee Meeting held on 4 April 2022 be confirmed as a true and correct record of that meeting and that the Chairperson's electronic signature be attached.

Attachments

- 1. Minutes of the Orari-Temuka-Opihi-Pareora Water Zone Committee Meeting held on 4 April 2022**

MINUTES

Orari-Temuka-Opihi-Pareora Water Zone Committee Meeting Monday, 4 April 2022

**Minutes of Timaru District Council
Orari-Temuka-Opihi-Pareora Water Zone Committee Meeting
Held in the Council Chamber, Council Building, King George Place, Timaru
on Monday, 4 April 2022 at 1pm**

Present: Lucy Millar (Chairperson – via Teams), Suzanne Eddington, Cr Anne Munro, Cr Elizabeth McKenzie (via Teams), Glen Smith (via Teams), Cr Barbara Gilchrist (via Teams), John Cruden (via Teams), Bailey Lissington (via Teams)

In Attendance: Janine Roux (via Teams), Rhys Taylor (via Teams) Lochiel McKellar (Senior Planner, Environment Canterbury), Kate Butterfield (Resource Management Officer II, Environment Canterbury), Jan Finlayson (Federated Mountain Clubs – via Teams)

1 Opening Karakia

Cr Barbara Gilchrist conducted the opening karakia

2 Apologies

Nil

3 Public Forum

Jan Finlayson spoke to the Water Zone Committee regarding the unformed legal road (paper roads); unknown number of paper roads in riparian areas. Potential to refer to Environment Canterbury to assess feasibility of paper road access.

4 Identification of Items of Urgent Business

There were no items of urgent business to be received.

5 Identification of Matters of a Minor Nature

Cr McKenzie raised the Water Zone Committee's nitrate testing regime. This was to be discussed in workshop at the conclusion of the Committee meeting.

6 Declaration of Conflicts of Interest

Cr Barbara Gilchrist declared a conflict as a general item, due to her employment with Ngai Tahu (Te Ana Rock Art). The conflict does not pertain to any specific item in this Water Zone Committees meeting.

7 Chairperson's Report**8 Confirmation of Minutes****8.1 Minutes of the Orari-Temuka-Opihi-Pareora Water Zone Committee Meeting held on 6 December 2021****Resolution 2022/1**

Moved: Barbara Gilchrist

Seconded: Anne Munro

That the Minutes of the Orari-Temuka-Opihi-Pareora Water Zone Committee Meeting held on 6 December 2021 be confirmed as a true and correct record of that meeting and that the Chairperson's electronic signature be attached.

Carried

9 Reports**9.1 Canterbury Water and Land Regional Plan - PC 7**

Lochiel McKellar (Senior Planner, Environment Canterbury) and Kate Butterfield (Resource Management Officer II, Environment Canterbury) spoke to the OTOP Zone Committee on Plan Change 7 (PC7) to the Canterbury Land and Water Regional Plan (CLWRP) and Plan Changer 2 (PC2) to the Waimakariri River Regional Plan (WRRP), and the next steps for implementing these plan changes.

Resolution 2022/2

Moved: Barbara Gilchrist

Seconded: Lucy Millar

That the Committee notes & receives the report

Carried

9.2 Zone Facilitator's Report

Janine Roux, Zone Facilitator, Environment Canterbury provided an update on the Zone Community Representative refresh cycle, CWMS Regional Committee and an update on outstanding actions.

Resolution 2022/3

Moved: Barbara Gilchrist

Seconded: Lucy Millar

That the report be received by the Zone Committee.

Carried

10 Consideration of Urgent Business Items

There were no items of urgent business to be received.

11 Consideration of Minor Nature Matters

There were no matters of minor nature.

12 Exclusion of the Public**Recommendation**

That the public be excluded from the following parts of the proceedings of this meeting on the grounds under section 48 of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 as follows:

General subject of each matter to be considered	Reason for passing this resolution in relation to each matter	Plain English Reason
13.1 - Public Excluded Minutes of the Orari-Temuka-Opihi-Pareora Water Zone Committee Meeting held on 6 September 2021	s7(2)(a) - The withholding of the information is necessary to protect the privacy of natural persons, including that of deceased natural persons	To protect a person's privacy
13.2 - Public Excluded Minutes of the Orari-Temuka-Opihi-Pareora Water Zone Committee Meeting held on 1 November 2021	s7(2)(a) - The withholding of the information is necessary to protect the privacy of natural persons, including that of deceased natural persons	To protect a person's privacy

13 Public Excluded Reports

13.1 Public Excluded Minutes of the Orari-Temuka-Opihi-Pareora Water Zone Committee Meeting held on 6 September 2021

13.2 Public Excluded Minutes of the Orari-Temuka-Opihi-Pareora Water Zone Committee Meeting held on 1 November 2021

14 Readmittance of the Public**Resolution 2022/4**

Moved: Lucy Millar

Seconded: Barbara Gilchrist

That the meeting moves out of Closed Meeting into Open Meeting.

Carried

15 Closure Karakia

Cr Barbara Gilchrist conducted the closing karakia

The Meeting closed at 1.35pm.

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Lucy Millar
Chairperson

9 Reports

9.1 Canterbury Water Management Strategy Action Plan Budget

Author: Janine Roux, Zone Facilitator

Authoriser:

Recommendation

1. That the OTOP Zone Committee recommends to Environment Canterbury that The Burkes Pass Heritage Trust receive \$8,000 from the CWMS Action Plan Budget.
2. That the OTOP Zone Committee recommends to Environment Canterbury that the Men's Shed Trust Geraldine receive \$7,656 from the CWMS Action Plan Budget.
3. That the OTOP Zone Committee recommends to Environment Canterbury that the budget alterations noted in the OTOP CWMS Action Plan Budget _updated April 22 are accepted.

Purpose of Report

- 1 This report is by Janine Roux, Zone Facilitator and follows on from Zone Committee workshops held in November 2021 and April 2022. It provides updated recommendations on the allocation of the CWMS Action Plan Budget for the 2021/2022 financial year. This report outlines projects to the sum of \$44,156.

Discussion

- 2 The CWMS Action Plan Budget was launched in 2021 with the purpose of the funding to allow Zone Committees to focus on implementing their action plan and leverage other funding opportunities to achieve the CWMS priorities.
- 3 Each of the ten water zones in Canterbury has \$50,000 to recommend on projects that relate to their Zone Committee Action Plan 2021 - 2024. The budget is administered, allocated, and monitored by Environment Canterbury.

Attachments

1. CWMS Action Plan Budget - April 2022 [!\[\]\(eb2da236c8e866008a78d7aa69bcc6c9_img.jpg\) !\[\]\(41bd65de259e5aa2d4856c839edd4f76_img.jpg\)](#)

Revised 2021 / 22 CWMS Action Plan Budget (As of 27 April 2022)

What	Action from Action Plan	Priority	Estimate Cost	Status	Progress
Support South Canterbury Catchment Collective - <i>priority determined with SCCC</i>	Support the Catchment Collective South Canterbury Society Incorporated	We engage with the community and raise awareness of the impacts of human activity on land and water	\$10,000	Recommended by Zone Committee (ZC) in Dec 2021 Approved by Environment Canterbury	Draft agreement sent to Catchment Collective for consideration.
Support community planting project and biodiversity projects: -Te Ahi Tarakihi	Protecting, enhancing, and restoring mahinga kai sites.	We commit to protecting, enhancing, and restoring mahinga kai and tuhituhi neherā sites.	\$4,000	Recommended by ZC in Dec 2021 Approved by Environment Canterbury	Project planning is underway with Timaru District Council and Environment Canterbury. Agreement to be written up in May.
Field trip to Taniwha Gully – invitation to catchment groups (March 2022)	Zone committee to attend a session at the Te Ana Maori Rock Art Centre and host a field trip to Taniwha Gully with invited catchment group members.	We commit to protecting, enhancing, and restoring mahinga kai and tuhituhi neherā sites.	\$3,000	Recommended by ZC in Dec 2021 Approved by Environment Canterbury	To be completed – 2 May
Host drinking water road show events (May/June)	Host at least one community session offering on-site indicative private drinking water testing. Include presentation of possible solutions and research on reducing high nutrient levels.	We champion safe and reliable drinking water for the OTOP community.	\$6,000	Recommended by ZC in Dec 2021 Approved by Environment Canterbury	Planning underway – scheduled for 16 May 2022

What	Action from Action Plan	Priority	Estimate Cost	Status	Progress
Te Tiriti Course for members of zone committee and catchment groups – max 18 people for two day (April and June 2022)	Host an annual te tiriti o Waitangi workshop for community members to attend.	We commit to raising awareness of how to engage in a more positive manner with Runanga.	\$5,500 (-\$1,000)	Recommended by ZC in Dec 2021 Approved by Environment Canterbury	Dates confirmed: Monday 13 June and Tuesday 14 June Venue and food costs lower than initially budgeted.
The Burkes Pass Heritage Trust Te kopi-o-te Opihi Revegetation and Loop track. This is a long-term project that will include willow control, fencing and native eco-sourced riparian planting along a segment of the upper Opihi River and wetland restoration of a tributary, adjacent to the Burkes Pass township.	Support the work of Te Kete Tipuranga O Huirapa Ltd of Arowhenua and Burkes Pass Heritage Trust.	We commit to raising awareness of how to engage in a more positive manner with Runanga. We commit to protecting, enhancing, and restoring mahinga kai and tuhituhi neherā sites.	\$8,000	To be recommended.	
Men's Shed Trust Geraldine. Building materials and tools to build traps for local catchment groups for predator control.	Protecting, enhancing, and restoring mahinga kai sites through the control of pests.	We commit to protecting, enhancing, and restoring mahinga kai and tuhituhi neherā sites.	\$7,656	To be recommended.	
Total			\$44,156		

What	Action from Action Plan	Priority	Estimate Cost	Status	Progress
Support community planting project and biodiversity projects: -St Joseph's School Temuka	Protecting, enhancing, and restoring mahinga kai sites.	We commit to protecting, enhancing, and restoring mahinga kai and tuhituhi neherā sites.	\$0 (-\$500)	Recommended by ZC in Dec 2021. Consider for 2022/23 budget if there is still interest.	No further progress
Work with papatipu rūnanga and relevant landowners to host hikoi for the community and cover any consultancy and facilitation costs associated with the above projects.	Work with papatipu rūnanga and relevant landowners to host at least one hikoi for the community. Areas of interest include Waitarakao Washdyke Lagoon, Te Ahi Tarakihi Reserve and Creek, and Milford Lagoon	We commit to raising awareness of how to engage in a more positive manner with Runanga.	\$0 (-\$20,000)	Recommended by ZC in Dec 2021. Consider for 2022/23 budget if there is still interest.	No further progress

9.2 Zone Facilitators Report

Author: Janine Roux, Zone Facilitator

Authoriser:

Recommendation

That the report be received by the Zone Committee.

Purpose of Report

- 1 This report is from Janine Roux, Zone Facilitator, Environment Canterbury. It provides information that may be of interest to the Zone Committee that is not covered elsewhere in the agenda.

Discussion

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- 2 Nothing to report for this period.

Well Water Checks

- 3 The OTOP Water Zone Committee has included an action to hold a targeted event to promote well water testing in its 2021-24 Action Plan.
- 4 The first drinking water testing day is confirmed for Monday 16 May 2022. This date also allows for the Zone Committee to engage with the community prior to the member fresh refresh applications closing.
- 5 Purpose: To raise awareness in the OTOP Zone about private drinking water supplies – quality and risk. To provide information about well water quality results and what to do about them. To encourage uptake of well water testing.
- 6 Problem/challenge: Individual households on private water supplies must arrange and pay for their own well water tests. However, community members have told the zone committee that the importance of testing is not well known or understood.
- 7 Previous work: The Selwyn Waihora Zone Committee held a similar event in 2021. This means some of the material is prepared. The aim is to be able to continue sharing material and feedback with other Water Zone Committees in the future.
- 8 Measuring success: The number of people who attend testing opportunities as well as improved awareness of where and how to test private water supply. Feedback from those who attend testing sessions
- 9 Session times are as follows:
 - i. Morning session to be held in Temuka – Alpine Energy Meeting Room at 10am – 12.30pm.

- ii. The afternoon session will be in Fairlie from 3pm – 5.30pm.

Tiriti o Waitangi Training

- 10 The OTOP Water Zone Committee has included in its 2021-24 Action Plan an action to host an annual te tiriti o Waitangi workshop for community members to attend.
- 11 Purpose: Showing a commitment to raising awareness of how to engage in a more positive manner with Runanga.
- 12 Measuring success: Ensuring the maximum number of people attend the offered training session. Feedback from those who attend the session.
- 13 Two-day training session confirmed for 13th – 14th June 2022. This is open to any catchment group members and Catchment Collective South Canterbury members.

Updated Action List

The Action List below updates the committee on progress on items identified at previous zone committee meetings in 2021 and 2022. Items that have now been completed are not included in this list.

OTOP Zone Committee – April 2022 Action list

Date of meeting	Action	Who	Status
Sept 2021	Follow up whether remedial work has taken place at Rangitata Huts following high E.Coli results in ground water survey	Carlos Rosado / Janine Roux (ECan)	<p>In progress.</p> <p>The reports mentioned are in the last stages of review and should be ready for publication soon.</p> <p>Aiming to have these actions addressed by the end of May (Carlos Rosado).</p>
Sept 2021	Provide map showing Nitrate nitrogen concentration trends with well depth and overlay drinking water protection zones.	Carlos Rosado / Janine Roux (ECan)	
Sept 2021	Circulate the arsenic report to the committee when available.	Carlos Rosado / Janine Roux (ECan)	
Sept 2021	Circulate the cadmium report to the committee when available.	Carlos Rosado / Janine Roux (ECan)	

Attachments

Nil

- 10 Consideration of Urgent Business Items**
- 11 Consideration of Minor Nature Matters**
- 12 Closing Karakia**