

## Record of Meeting: Youth Council

Venue Committee Room 2, 101 Wakefield Street, Wellington  
 When 4-5.30 pm, 7 March 2012

### Present

Members: James Wall-Manning, Ben Ogilvie, Zoe Doole, Jack Marshall, Duncan Armstrong, Morgan Watkins, Brydon Sundgren, Cameron Oldfield, Lily Simmons-Donaldson, Roma Simmons-Donaldson, Devon Robinson, Bing-Ying Lou, Therese Kyne, Edgardo Reyes.

Councillor: Cr Simon Marsh

Officers: Simon Wright, Rekha Jatav

## Minutes

### 1. Opening

James and Zoe welcomed the group.

### 2. Apologies

Apologies were received from May Palemia, Stevenson Pule, Ani-Piki Tuari, Brittany Trilford, Ruth Corkill and Zared Wall-Manning.

### 3 What's on top /

With quite a few members at their first meeting, members introduced themselves and said where they studied and/or worked.

### 4. Previous minutes and matters arising

James moved the minutes as true and correct. Cameron seconded the motion and it was passed.

### 5. General Business

#### 'What the Council does' session for Wellington Mission for Youth

A working group to progress this session for Wellington Mission for Youth was formed. It comprises Ben, Zoe, Bing, Devon, Therese, Edgardo, Lily and Roma. Therese will chair the working group.

#### Induction: 'What the Council does'

YC members played a 'what the Council does' game. It was noted that WCC provides a lot of services. Future induction sessions and materials will be on:

- how WCC works (processes, structure, etc)
- the purpose of advisory groups, why they were set up, what the other ones are, the function of YC, some of its achievements, key success factors
- the WCC policy process
- how WCC portfolios map to the WCC strategies.

At the end of the meeting, Cr Marsh awarded chocolate fish and certificates to the team who identified the most WCC services, and to individuals who identified the most

obscure service and a service that most people think WCC provides when it does not.

### **Bus review**

Greater Wellington Regional Councillors Daran Ponter and Paul Bruce explained the context for the bus review, the logic behind the proposal, pointed out some of the issues and took questions from YC members.

A working group will develop the YC's submission was formed. It comprises Ben, Zoe, Bing, Brydon and Jack.

### **7. Closing**

The meeting formally closed at 5:30 pm.

The next meeting is on 21 March 2012 in Committee Room 2.

### **Action Summary**

1. Ben, Zoe, Bing, Devon, Therese, Edgardo, Lily and Roma to plan an educational session for Wellington Mission for Youth.
2. Ben, Zoe, Bing, Brydon and Jack to make a YC submission on the Bus Review.