Wellington City Youth Council

Te Rūnanga Taiohi o te Kaunihera o Pōneke

Minutes of the meeting of Wednesday 21 April 2021

Time 2:15pm – 4:30pm

Venue Ngake – Room 16.09, Tahiwi, 113 The Terrace, Wellington

Members present

Chair Ella Flavell (Acting Chair)

Members Ella Flavell (Deputy Chair), Raihaan Dalwai, Shelly Liang, Tim Rutherford, Tony

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Staff Clare Lundon (Senior Engagement Specialist), Felixe Lang (Engagement

Specialist)

Minutes

1. Meeting Procedures

2:15pm

1.1. Apologies were received from:

• Anastasia, Brad, Jackson, John, Laura, and Tony for absence.

2. Discussion 2:15pm

2.1. Southern Landfill Trip

The Youth Council was hosted at the Southern Landfill by Rob Hon (Waste Operations Engineer).

Youth Councillors were given a Health and Safety briefing and provided with high vis vest and protective glasses before heading out on the tour of the landfill. The tour took the Youth Council to the Tip Shop, Tip Face, Composting Area, Storage Area and other important spaces at the Landfill.

Rob explained the different processes required to keep our environment and our people safe. Youth Council also learnt about the tension between waste minimisation and the treatment of sludge.

Ella recorded a video on the 'reducing sewage sludge and waste' decision the Council is asking the community to submit on in the Long-term Plan.

The meeting closed at 4:30pm.