# TAWA COMMUNITY BOARD 12 DECEMBER 2013



**REPORT 13** 

# APPOINTMENTS/ROLES RELATING TO EXTERNAL GROUPS

## 1. Purpose of Report

Members of the Tawa Community Board are appointed to various bodies and external organisations and/or have roles relating to them.

This report recommends the appointment of members to those roles for the 2013/2016 triennium.

### 2. Recommendations

Officers recommend that the Tawa Community Board:

- 1. Receive the information.
- 2. Agree to appoint one member of the Tawa Community Board as a member of the Spicer Landfill Community Liaison Group.
- 3. Agree to appoint one member of the Tawa Community Board as a representative on Camp Elsdon or reappoint David Darroch as the Board's representative on Camp Elsdon.
- 4. Agree to appoint one member of the Tawa Community Board as the Board's primary liaison person and an alternate with Friends of Tawa Bush Reserves.
- 5. Agree that the member appointed to Spicer Landfill Community Liaison Group and the member appointed to Camp Elsdon report back to the Tawa Community Board on a six-monthly basis.

## 3. Background

### 3.1 Camp Elsdon

Camp Elsdon provides low cost accommodation for youth in a bush environment close to the cities of Porirua and Wellington. It is organised through school, churches, sports and community groups. Tawa Community Board is one of the core members of Camp Elsdon and the Council should continue to have representation through the Board. During the 2010/2013 triennium former Board member David Darroch was the Boards representative. Mr Darroch reported back to the Board on the activities of Camp Elsdon.

## 3.2 Spicer Landfill Community Liaison Group

As a requirement of Spicer Landfill's resource consent, a community liaison group was established. Wellington City Council is a minority shareholder of Spicer Landfill. The Community Liaison Group meets approximately once a year.

#### 3.3 Friends of Tawa Bush Reserves

The Friends of Tawa Bush Reserves is a local community group formed to promote and enhance the conservation and long term preservation of bush reserves situated in the Tawa Basin and to liaise with the Wellington City Council to achieve these aims.

## 4. Conclusion

It is recommended that the Board adopt the recommendations.

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