RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE HEARING COMMISSIONERS ON PROPOSED DISTRICT PLAN CHANGE 32 (RENEWABLE ENERGY) AND PLAN CHANGE 33 (RIDGELINES AND HILLTOPS AND RURAL AREA)

Report of District Plan 32 and 33 Hearings Panel – Euan McQueen, Chairman, Panel of Commissioners.

Moved Councillor Wade-Brown, seconded Councillor McKinnon, the substantive motion as amended.

Euan McQueen, Chair of the District Plan Changes 32 and 33 Hearing Panel was present to introduce the recommendations contained in the Commissioners report. He thanked the submitters, Council Officers and fellow Hearing Panellists for the work which went into getting the plan change to this point. During debate on the matter, Councillors involved with the hearings endorsed Mr McQueen’s comments.

The substantive motion as amended was put:


Voting against: Nil.

Majority Vote: 12:0

The substantive motion as amended was declared CARRIED.

RESOLVED:

THAT Council:

1. Receive the information.
2. Agree to confirm the recommendations of the Hearings Commissioners in respect of Proposed District Plan Changes 32 and 33 as detailed in the Commissioners report dated 18 April 2005 attached to these minutes as appendix 2, except for the correction set out in recommendation 3.
3. Agree that the rule numbers in the second quote on page 33 of the recommendations be changed from ‘5.3.9.8 and 5.3.9.9’ to ‘5.3.9.7’.