



REPORT 1

ORAL HEARINGS - DRAFT BOTANIC GARDENS OF WELLINGTON MANAGEMENT PLAN

1. Purpose of report

To provide a list of submitters making oral submissions in support of their written submissions made on the draft Botanic Gardens of Wellington Management Plan.

2. Recommendations

Officers recommend that the Environment Committee:

1. *Receive the oral submissions.*

3. Background

On 2 October 2013 the Council approved a review of the management plans for the Botanic Gardens of Wellington (the Gardens) and their incorporation of these plans into one document.

The management plans being reviewed are;

- Truby King Park Conservation and Management Plan 1993
- The Combined Management Plan for the Wellington Botanic Garden, Anderson Park and Bolton St Memorial Park 2002, and
- The Otari Native Botanic Garden and Wilton's Bush Reserve Management Plan 2007

The Council approved the draft Botanic Gardens of Wellington Management Plan for consultation on 2 April 2014. Public consultation took place between 8 April and 30 May 2014. 31 written submissions were received. 12 submitters also requested they present an oral submission to the Environment Committee in support of their written submission.

4. Timetable of oral submissions

Time	Name and Organisation	Submission Number	Page
9.20am	Rosamund Averton	8	6
9.25am	Priscilla Williams - President, Friends of the Bolton Street Memorial Park	10	9
9.35am	Cathy Wylie - Otari-Wilton's Bush Trust	14	19
9.45am	Bev Abbott - Wellington Botanical Society	15	27
9.55am	Paula Warren	28	48
10.00am	Sarah and James Soligo	5	55
10.05am	Sloane Bayley - Kelburn Normal School	12	57
10.15am	Barbara Mitcalfe and J Chris Horne	21	62
10.20am	Dr Margaret E Gordon	25	68
10.25am	Eleanor Meecham on behalf of Andy Gow - Cycle Aware Wellington	24	72
10.35am	Morning Tea		
10.45am	Jen Kennemore on behalf of Ann Neill - Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga	27	76
10.55am	Alex Greig - Truby King House and Garden Trust	26	84
11.05am	John Daniels – Historic Places Wellington	17	87

Contact Officer: Mike Oates, Manager Open Space and Recreation Planning