

# Tabled Information - Reference <sup>Sub/68</sup> 010/13PT(b)

## **Familiarity of Town Belt Management Plan Hearings Subcommittee with prior TBMP**

Having read a proportion of the prior oral submissions to this subcommittee, I am concerned that certain submissions are treating this consultation as a "green field" exercise. The Town Belt is already defined in the prior TBMP and has disclosed that the original area in 1841 had been reduced by one-third from 625 ha to 420 ha by 1873. The then provincial Governor vested that land in trust to The Mayor Councillors and Citizens of the City of Wellington (who with their Successors are hereinafter termed the "Corporation")

As a subcommittee your attention is drawn to Subpart 1 - Planning and decision making, of the Local Government Act 2002 and its amendments, reprinted as at 1 July 2011, particularly sections 77, 78, 80, 81 and 82. Quotes are therefore made accordingly from those sections:

77(2) This section is subject to section 79.

78(1) A local authority must, in the course of its decision making, give consideration to the views and preferences of persons likely to be affected by, or to have an interest in, the matter.

79(2)(a) In making judgements under subsection (1) a local authority must have regard to the principles set out in section 14.

81(1)(a) A local authority must establish and maintain processes to provide opportunities for Maori to contribute to the decision making process of the local authority.

82(1) Consultations that a local authority undertakes in relation to any decision or other matter must be in accordance with principles (a) that persons who will or may be affected, with reasonable access to relevant information in a matter and format appropriate to the preferences and needs of those persons; and (d) that persons who wish to have their views considered must be provided with a reasonable opportunity to present those views in a manner and format that is appropriate to the preferences and needs of those persons.

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- Community:** Vogelmorn Kingston Progressive Association 1967-85  
Ward meetings in Brooklyn, Island Bay and Newtown until their termination in 2000.  
Vogelmorn Kingston Residents Association, Secretary 2003-  
Federation of Wellington Progressive & Residents Associations  
Secretary 2005-06, Executive Committee 2006-
- Business:** Shell Oil 1951-77 National Marketing Services Manager  
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- Sports:** Wellington Representative in different grades: Tennis, Squash,  
Table-tennis, Badminton, Rugby, Indoor basketball  
Gymnast, Gym Instructor – Jenkins Gym 1956-66  
Competitive swimming from 9 years of age  
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Federation of Maori Authorities Foundation Member  
Export Institute of NZ – Wellington President, 1988-89  
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