## Regional Coastal Environment Plan Appeals Subcommittee

## **NOTICE IS GIVEN**

that the next meeting of the **Regional Coastal** Environment Plan Appeals Subcommittee will be held in Waikareao Room, Bay of Plenty Regional Council offices First Ave, Level 1, 87 First Avenue, Tauranga on:

Monday, 20 November 2017 commencing at 1.30 pm.

Mary-Anne Macleod Chief Executive 13 November 2017



# Regional Coastal Environment Plan Appeals Subcommittee Terms of Reference

## **Delegated Function**

The Regional Coastal Environment Plan Appeals Subcommittee, was established by the Regional Direction and Delivery Committee on 20 August 2015, for the purpose of guiding the resolution of Environment Court appeals on the Proposed Bay of Plenty Regional Coastal Environment Plan.

## Membership

Three councillors.

## Quorum

In accordance with Council standing order 10.2, the quorum at a meeting of the subcommittee is not fewer than two members of the subcommittee.

## Term of the Committee

For the duration of Environment Court Appeals on the Proposed Bay of Plenty Regional Coastal Environment Plan, unless discharged earlier by the Regional Direction and Delivery Committee.

## **Meeting frequency**

As required.

## **Specific Responsibilities and Delegated Authority**

The Regional Coastal Environment Plan Appeals Subcommittee is delegated the power of authority to guide the resolution of Environment Court appeals on the Proposed Bay of Plenty Regional Coastal Environment Plan.

#### Note:

Council has delegated the authority to resolve appeals to regional plans to the Chief Executive. She has, in turn, delegated her authority to the General Manager Strategy and Science, Regional Integrated Planning Manager and Senior Planner, to negotiate and resolve appeals in a manner that is consistent with direction received from the Subcommittee.

# Membership

| Chairperson:        | P Thompson |
|---------------------|------------|
| Deputy Chairperson: | J Nees     |
| Committee Advisor:  | R Garrett  |

Recommendations in reports are not to be construed as Council policy until adopted by Council.

# Agenda

## 1 Apologies

## 2 General Business and Tabled Items

Items not on the agenda for the meeting require a resolution under section 46A of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 stating the reasons why the item was not on the agenda and why it cannot be delayed until a subsequent meeting.

## 3 Public Forum

## **4** Declarations of Conflicts of Interests

## **5** Previous Minutes

5.1 Regional Coastal Environment Plan Appeals Subcommittee minutes -30 August 2017

## 6 Public Excluded Section

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#### Resolution to exclude the public

THAT the public be excluded from the following parts of the proceedings of this meeting.

The general subject of each matter to be considered while the public is excluded, the reason for passing this resolution in relation to each matter, and the specific grounds under section 48(1) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 for the passing of this resolution are as follows:

#### 6.1 Public Excluded Regional Coastal Environment Plan Appeals Subcommittee minutes - 30 August 2017

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#### Grounds

That the public conduct of the whole or relevant part of the proceedings of the meeting would be likely to result in the disclosure of information for which good reason for withholding would exist.

#### Reason

That the public conduct of the whole or the relevant part of the proceedings of the meeting would be likely to result in the disclosure of information where the withholding of the information is necessary to maintain legal professional privilege.

#### 6.2 Regional Coastal Environment Plan Appeals Update - November 2017 21

#### Grounds

That the public conduct of the whole or the relevant part of the proceedings of the meeting would be likely to result in the disclosure of information for which good reason for withholding would exist.

#### Reason

That the public conduct of the whole or the relevant part of the proceedings of the meeting would be likely to result in the disclosure of information where the withholding of the information is necessary to maintain legal professional privilege.

APPENDIX 1 - Final High Court decision on declaration appeal - fishing controls and the RMA 27

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APPENDIX 2 - Crown Law - Submissions on behalf of Attorney-General in support of application for leave to bring civil appeal

# 7 Confidential business to be transferred into the open

- 8 Readmit the public
- 9 Consideration of General Business

## **Previous Minutes**

Minutes of the Regional Coastal Environment Plan Appeals Subcommittee Meeting held in Wairoa Room, Bay of Plenty Regional Council, First Avenue, Tauranga on Wednesday, 30 August 2017 commencing at 9.30 a.m.

| Chairman:        | J Nees  |
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| Deputy Chairman: | Nil   |
| Councillors:     | J Cronin  |
| In Attendance:   | D Phizacklea (Regional Integrated Planning Manager), J Noble<br>(Senior Planner), D Llewell (In-house Legal), M Hill (Legal<br>Counsel, Cooney Lees Morgan), M Stensness (Committee<br>Advisor) |
| Apologies:       | Cr P Thompson   |

## 1. **Apologies**

#### Resolved

That the Regional Coastal Environment Plan Appeals Subcommittee:

1 Accepts the apology tendered by Councillor Thompson for the meeting.

Nees/Cronin CARRIED

## 2. **Deputy Chair to preside**

In the absence of Chair P Thompson, Deputy Chair J Nees assumed the Chair position.

## 3. Tabled Items

#### Resolved

That the Regional Coastal Environment Plan Appeals Subcommittee under its delegated authority:

1 Receives and considers Table Document 1, Memorandum to the Environmental Court on the interim Iwi Resource Management decision as part of Public Excluded Agenda Item 2.1.3.

## 4. **Declaration of conflicts of interest**

No conflicts of interest were declared

### 5. **Previous Minutes**

## 5.1 Regional Coastal Environment Plan Appeals Subcommittee minutes - 27 June 2017

#### Resolved

That the Regional Coastal Environment Plan Appeals Subcommittee under its delegated authority:

1 Confirms the minutes of the Regional Coastal Environment Plan Appeals Subcommittee meeting held on 27 June 2017

> Nees/Cronin CARRIED

## 6 **Public Excluded Section**

#### Resolved

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| General Subject of Matter to be Considered   | Reason for passing this resolution in relation to this matter  | Grounds under Section 48(1)<br>LGOIMA 1987 for passing<br>this resolution   |
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| 6.1 Public Excluded Regional<br>Coastal Environment Plan<br>Appeals Subcommittee<br>minutes - 27 June 2017 | To prevent the disclosure<br>or use of official<br>information for improper<br>gain or improper<br>advantage.              | That the public conduct of<br>the whole or the relevant<br>part of the proceedings of<br>the meeting would be likely<br>to result in the disclosure of<br>information for which good<br>reason for withholding<br>would exist |
| 6.2 Regional Coastal<br>Environment Plan Appeals<br>Update – July-August 2017                              | To prevent the disclosure<br>or use of official<br>information for improper<br>gain or improper<br>advantage and necessary | That the public conduct of<br>the whole or the relevant<br>part of the proceedings of<br>the meeting would be likely<br>to result in the disclosure of  |

| 5 | information for which good<br>reason for withholding<br>would exist |
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## The meeting closed at 11.45