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Minutes of the Meeting of the Parks and Forests Hearing Subcommittee held in the Council Chamber, Regional Council Centre, 142 Wakefield Street, Wellington on Wednesday, 20 June 2007 at 12.58 pm

Present

Councillors Laidlaw (Chairperson), Aitken, Baber, Buchanan, Long and Shields.

Officers Present

Crisp, McGregor, Reay, Shaw, Marriott, Scott, and Waititi.

Public Business

Procedural Items

LCS01 Apologies

There were no apologies.

LCS02 **Public Participation**

No members of the public wished to participate in the preliminary part of the meeting.

LCS03 Parks & Forests Hearing Subcommittee: Hearing Process

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Resolved

(Cr Laidlaw/Cr Shields)

That the Subcommittee:

- 1. Receives the report and **notes** its contents.
- 2. Endorses the process outlined in this paper for hearing and considering the submissions on the draft Battle Hill Farm Forest Management Plan in accordance with the Subcommittee's terms of reference.
- 3. Receives all submissions on the draft Battle Hill Farm Forest Management Plan.
- 4. Hears the submitters in support of their submissions.
- 5. Considers all written submissions.

LCS04 Battle Hill Farm Forest Park draft management plan (submission analysis)

Report 07.369 File: PK/10/02/04

Resolved (Cr Laidlaw/Cr Shields)

That the Subcommittee:

- 1. Receives the report and notes its contents.
- 2. Considers the attached submissions on the draft Battle Hill Farm Forest Park Management Plan.
- 3. Instruct Officers on how it wishes to proceed with finalising the draft Battle Hill Farm Forest Park Management Plan.

LCS05 Draft Battle Hill Farm Forest Park Management Plan – Hearing of submissions

Tabled

New Zealand Historic Places Trust Submission on Battle Hill Management Plan. Statement of Evidence of Penelope Jane Marjorie Laurenson.

Penelope Laurenson (supplementary to submission 006).

The following submissions were heard:

	Sub	Organisation	Time
	No.		
1	003	Lynette Wharfe and Mike Conroy, Pauatahanui Residents Assn	1.02 pm
2	006	Penelope Laurenson, NZ Historic Places Trust	1.19
3	007	Chris Horne, Wellington Botanical Society	1.30
4	008	Chris Horne	1.42
5	009	Chris Drayton, Renewable Energy Systems, New Zealand	1.44
6	010	Grant Purdie, Cross Country Vehicle Club, Wellington	1.56
7	016	Kris Ericksen, Wellington Hang Gliding and Paragliding Club	2.09-2.18 pm

Noted

The Subcommittee agreed to give all written submissions preliminary consideration, then revisit in greater detail at a later time.

Other Matters

LCS06 Questions

There were no questions.

LCS07 General

There were no matters of general business.

The meeting was adjourned between 2.30 pm and 2.44 pm for afternoon tea, and closed at 3.10 pm.

COUNCILLOR C.R. LAIDLAW Chairperson

Date: