

Te Awa Kairangi / Hutt River Valley Subcommittee (A subcommittee of the Environment Committee)

1 Purposes

- 1.1 Oversee development, implementation and review of floodplain management plans (FMPs) for the Te Awa Kairangi / Hutt River floodplain
- 1.2 Consider potential arrangements for a catchment-based governance approach for the Hutt Valley, and recommend to Council (as appropriate).

2 Specific responsibilities

- 2.1 Oversee the development and review of FMPs for the Te Awa Kairangi / Hutt River floodplain, for consideration of those FMPs by the Environment Committee.
- 2.2 Oversee the public involvement process during development or review of FMPs for the Te Awa Kairangi / Hutt River floodplain.
- 2.3 Review and monitor periodically the effectiveness of implementation and delivery of:
 - a Riverlink
 - b FMPs for the Te Awa Kairangi / Hutt River floodplain.

3 Members

- 3.1 Four Councillors.
- 3.2 Six members, appointed by Council, as follows:
 - a Two elected members of Hutt City Council, nominated by that council
 - b Two elected members of Upper Hutt City Council, nominated by that council
 - c Two members, appointed for each person's skills, attributes, or knowledge that will assist the work of the Subcommittee, being:
 - i One member, nominated by the Port Nicholson Block Settlement Trust
 - ii One member, nominated by the Toa Rangatira Trust.
- 3.3 Such other members, appointed by the Environment Committee (on the Subcommittee's nomination) for each person's skills, attributes, or knowledge that will assist the work of the Subcommittee.

4 Chair

Council appoints the Chair from the four Councillor members.

5 Quorum

Two Councillors, one Hutt City Council member, and one Upper Hutt City Council member.

6 Voting entitlement

- 6.1 All members have equal speaking and voting rights.
- 6.2 The Chair has a deliberative vote; and, in the case of an equality of votes, has a casting vote.

7 Servicing and Standing Orders

- 7.1 The Subcommittee is serviced by Greater Wellington.
- 7.2 Council's Standing Orders apply to the Subcommittee, with no provision for alternate members.

8 Remuneration and expenses

- 8.1 Elected members' remuneration and expenses are met by the council they represent.
- 8.2 Non-elected members (who are not otherwise remunerated) may claim Greater Wellington's standard daily meeting attendance allowances and expenses.

9 Meeting frequency and dissolution

- 9.1 The Subcommittee meets as required.
- 9.2 The Subcommittee may recommend its dissolution to the Environment Committee.