

ORGANISATION	TOLAGA BAY	DATE	23/03/2018	NOTES TAKEN BY	Edwina Ashwell
MEMBERS (25)	Mayor Meng Foon, Councillor Pat Seymour, Councillor Meredith Akuhata-Brown, Nick Zaman (GDC), Andrew White (GDC), David Wilson (GDC), Heather Kohn (GDC), Eddie Ashwell (GDC), E.B Marino, R.J Kutia-Ngata, Kahu Brown, Piwi Brown, Bernadine Kaa, Jamie Kernohan, Tamai Gray, Leanne Kuru, Ricky Kuru, Faye Mary Ward, Linda Tatara, Heni Tamihana, Hiku Atkins, Derek Loisel, Anne McGuire, Karla Kohatu, Gene Van Der Zanden.				

ACTION REQUIRED**1. SPEED LIMITS**

Resident: At the last meeting we asked about speed limits into the township, the 50km is right on the marae corner. Staff indicated that would be a discussion with NZTA, did this happen? Consider the transfer station, kids in homes, marae... this stuff needs to happen.
Response: We will see where these are currently at.

Refer to T.Roads for a response.

2. WASTE MINIMISATION

Resident: Is there any chance of building a recycle/reuse building where people can leave things they no longer need for others to pick up from?
Response: This would be a great project to submit to the LTP, there is funding through the waste minimisation scheme that could be used to build a shed.

No action required, resident encouraged to submit to the LTP.

3. FLOODING

Resident: I live down Manukau St, it floods when it rains, still waiting for the culvert, I've lost metres of my section. Lots of people have come and taken photos. (Adjacent to the paddock). The culvert where the logging trucks drive along, is only 2 inches thick, the culverts moved from the road. I'm getting sick of it, have been requesting assistance with this for years.
Response: Discussion followed, David to follow up with T.Roads.

Refer to T.Roads for a response.

4. MAORI LAND

Resident: Noxious weed is all over dormant Maori land, why don't they get targeted by enforcement? We get notified for all kinds of weeds.
Response: Often those properties have no governance and it's difficult to find who is responsible for the property. Discussion followed.

No action required.

5. ANAURA BAY TOILET:

Resident: It's in the wrong place, we asked them to be placed in the same place where the portaloos were placed every other year. There is nowhere to park once the campers get there. Discussion followed.
Response: Toilets were there as part of a package, we want to develop it as the arrival space, this is the only land that council owns, other than the road reserve.
Resident, the incorporation agreed to offer up land and move the fence.
Response: I'm not aware of that level of information, will need to look into that.

Refer to Parks and Reserve for response.

Resident: Who is responsible for the pollution of our beaches and our coastline? Who is responsible for the public health issues? People are going to the toilet all the way along the beach, who is responsible for that? You should have put that toilet further down.

Response: The freedom camping area is DOC land, that's why we couldn't build there.

Resident: This will soon be changed in the settlement, can we have a discussion about getting toilets where we need them most, which is there. Discussion followed.

Resident: We invite you to attend our monthly marae committee meetings to discuss these issues, first Sunday of every month.

6. ANAURA BAY

Resident: Where do we fit in, we aren't Toko or Tolaga, why does mail go there?

No action required.

Response: Anaaura is still in Uawa/Tawhiti. GDC is not responsible for mail deliveries.

7. RIVER SAFETY

Resident: Who sets the speed limit on the river?

Response: GDC maritime safety bylaw.

Resident: Who is responsible for the signage about the ski lanes etc? We are waiting for an accident to happen on the river, especially the jet skis.

No action required

Response: GDC, there is currently signage there, but we can review.

8. WATER

Resident: Water at Titirangi, we purchased a truck for \$100k now we just need the water. I have a resource consent to claim that water on behalf of Aitanga a Hauiti... in the meantime its costing heaps of money, and we are still not guaranteed to take the water. It's on our land but we don't own the water.

No action required

Response: The water ownership issue is currently unclear as to who owns water. We can't charge for water, this is decided by central govt, we work with what we are told too.

9. BEACH

Resident: How do you govern the speed on the beach?

Response: It's the same as a road, enforced by Police.

No action required

Resident: Signage?

Response: Only the road, NZTA do their own.

10. KAIUA ROAD

Resident: Kaiua Rd, is GDC cutting back on costing as to why there is little to no mowing of the verges?

Refer to T.Roads for a response.

Response: At this stage yes, priority is clearing roads.

Resident: Visibility of our kids is a safety issue, once a month would be sufficient.

11. SPORTS HALL

Resident: Do you lease council land?

Resident encouraged to submit to the LTP

Response: Yes, depends what for.

Resident: Is there an opportunity to get a sports hall?

Response: We can supply the land, but the community would need to fundraise and look at community grants. We will consider a strong business case.

12. BROADBAND

Resident: Broadband, What's behind different parts of the community getting fibre?

Mayor to respond

Mayor: I will contact Jo Seddon and find out.

13. GARAGE

Resident: We have been seriously been thinking about shutting the garage, no support for the laundry, or the businesses here. We need more support. Why isn't someone helping me to get it done? 36 car parks for a resource consent is ridiculous, and I have been saying this for over three years?! I need help.

Refer to Resource Consents.

Response: We will refer this matter to our Resource Consents team to see how we can help in this instance.
