CHRISTCHURCH CITY COUNCIL

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE GREATER CHRISTCHURCH URBAN DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY IMPLEMENTATION COMMITTEE

Held in the Committee Room No 2, Civic Office, 53 Hereford Street, Christchurch on Monday 30 August 2010 at 1pm.

PRESENT:	Bill Wasley (Chairperson), Mayors Kelvin Coe and Ron Keating (until 3.10 pm), Councillors David Ayers, Dan Gordon (from 1.55 pm), Malcolm Lyall, Lindsay Phelps, Sue Wells, Chrissie Williams, and Commissioner Rex Williams.

APOLOGIES: Apologies for absence were received and accepted from Mayor Bob Parker, Commissioner Tom Lambie, and Councillor Helen Broughton. An apology for lateness was received and accepted from Councillor Dan Gordon.

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	lt w	as resolved that:	
	1.	The monthly report of the Independent chair and Implementation Manager be received.	
	2.	UDSIMG report to the UDSIC in February 2011 with a proposal to hold a conference and undertake an awareness programme on the UDS.	
	3.	UDSIC request the Independent Chair and the Implementation Manager to act on matters of UDS importance during the election break, in liaison with Chief Executives and report to UDSIC in 2011 on any significant activity.	
	4.	UDSIC request the Independent Chair and the Implementation Manager to brief incoming councils on the UDS as part of the normal induction process following the local government elections in October 2010.	
	5.	The next meeting of the UDSIC be held in February 2011 at a venue to be advised.	James Caygil
4.	UP	DATE ON PLAN CHANGES WITHIN THE UDS AREA	
	pro	th Tallentire provided an overview of the proposed Plan Changes being cessed by the UDS Partner authorities, both those lodged by the private anisations and those promulgated by the Council's themselves.	
	In t	he discussion that followed, comment was made in respect to:	
		How could the "what if" situation be dealt with.The affect of the new Environment Canterbury legislation.	
	lt w	as resolved that:	
	1.	The information on Plan Change matters within the UDS Sub-region be received.	
	2.	The two matters raised by members be considered at the February meeting.	James Caygil
5.	UD	S ACTION PLAN UPDATE	
	In s	peaking to the report, James Caygill advised:	
		Appendix I of the Action Plan has yet to be completed.Significant work had been done to reach the current point.	
		It was suggested by members that:	
		 The process had been a good one. There was still some gaps in the "achievements". Transport had been well gone over. 6.15 Arts Culture & Heritage – this needs to be amended to contain information on the Arts. 6.21 Transport – the University is doing its own Campus Master Plan which will impact on "Transport". This can be contained in 6.19.2 Key Activity Centres or 6.10 Education. 	
		 6.25 Central Government Engagement and Commitment Actions – in light of current government direction these actions might need to be clarified and then amended if need be. 	

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 There is a direct link with the Christchurch City Council's Strategy – Housing Section and Water Resource Section, which need to be spelt out for the City Council. 	
It was resolved that the report on the UDS Action Plan Update be recommended for adoption by thy Partner Councils.	James Caygil
6. 2010 UDS MONITORING UPDATE	
Simon Markham in conjunction with his written report, presented a Power-Point presentation of the key findings of 2010 Monitoring Update, which focuses on recent changes in the Greater Christchurch settlement patterns covering:	
 More recent patterns of change Employment Long Term Issues/Implementation 	
The Chairman concluded by commenting that it was timely to acknowledge the work carried out.	
It was resolved that:	
1. The report be received.	
2. The Committee notes the recent changes observed and updated projections and the conclusions from them that the growth model underpinning the UDS and PC1 represent a prudent basis to continue implementation.	
7. CHRISTCHURCH Motorways RoNS NETWORK PLAN	
Steve Higgs provided a Power-Point presentation in conjunction with his Memorandum covering:	
National Plan Maps	
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It was **resolved** that the Presentation be received.

8. ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

- The Chairman in closing the meeting acknowledged the work of the UDSIC Member and staff, both past and present.
- The quality of advice and the collaborative work into the RPCS1 continues on, as does its consuming of resources.
- There were a few challenges ahead, such as the Resource Management Act review, but one of the strengths had been having this form of mechanism in place to deal with them.
- He wished those members standing for re election, his best wishes.

The meeting concluded at 3.55 pm.