

5. DEPUTATIONS BY APPOINTMENT

5.1 FORESHORE LAND AT REDCLIFFS

Murray Snowdon and Les Batcheler, representing the Christchurch Estuary Association, addressed the Board in support of the staff report on the Redcliffs Foreshore issue. Murray Snowdon focused on the history of public access along the Redcliffs foreshore area. Les Batcheler focused on the Estuary Association's desire to see the preservation in perpetuity of public access.

The Board's decision in relation to this matter is recorded in clause 1 of this report.

5.2 FORESHORE LAND AT REDCLIFFS

Alex Drysdale, representing the Avon/Heathcote Estuary Ihutai Trust, was scheduled to speak about the above issue but was unable to attend. The following statement was conveyed to the Board in his absence:

"The Avon/Heathcote Estuary Ihutai Trust supports the proposed actions recommended in the staff report. If the applicants are successful with their adverse possession claim it would compromise four goals and nine targets of the Ihutai Management Plan."

The Board's decision in relation to this matter is recorded in clause 1 of this report.

5.3 FORESHORE LAND AT REDCLIFFS

Kit Mouat, representing RG & C Romeril, addressed the Board about his client's claim for adverse possession of part of the Redcliffs foreshore. He addressed specific points in the staff report and provided an alternative view to staff on the issues raised in the report.

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5.4 CHRISTCHURCH COMMUNITY GARDENS

Ross Paterson, Christchurch Community Gardens Association, addressed the Board about community gardens in Christchurch. He updated the board on recent and upcoming activities of the city's community gardens and explained the ways in which community gardens meet the city's Community Outcomes. He thanked the Board for its support of community gardens in the ward and hoped for a continuation of that support.

The Board **decided**:

1. To request that Council Property staff report back on whether there is any available Council land for the Charleston Community Garden to relocate to.
2. To request that the Community Engagement Team work with the Charleston Community Garden to explore co-location options with other community gardens.

5.5 FERRYMEAD RESERVE

Phillip Wright addressed the Board regarding the operation of the tram at Ferrymead. He provided a summary of the history of the site and the operation of the tram and he expressed concerns about a perceived violation of previous agreements.

The Board **decided** to request that staff report back on the current operations of the Tramway Society at Ferrymead.

5.6 ENGLEFIELD NEIGHBOURHOOD COMMITTEE

Irinka Britnell addressed the Board regarding the consultation on the Elm Grove/Armagh Street/Hanmer Street project. She expressed concerns about the short timeframe for the consultation and highlighted concerns with the options put forward by staff.

The Board informed Irinka Britnell that staff have indicated that new options for the project are currently being developed and there will be further consultation on this project.