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Committee Catchment Management  
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## Hutt River Advisory Subcommittee – meeting update

### 1. Purpose

To provide a summary of the Hutt River Advisory Subcommittee meeting held on 16 July 2009.

### 2. Significance of the decision

The matters for decision in this report do not trigger the significance policy of the Council or otherwise trigger section 76(3)(b) of the Local Government Act 2002.

### 3. Background

The Hutt River Advisory Subcommittee (HRAS) met on 16 July 2009 to consider three reports.

#### 1. Boulcott/Hutt project: proposed river channel improvements (Report 09.406)

The purpose of the report was to provide an update on progress made with the river channel improvements investigations and to seek Subcommittee endorsement of a channel widening option for further consultation. The report provided details of the options investigated, potential impacts and the preferred option.

At the meeting the Subcommittee received a submission from the Hutt City Rotary Club on the potential impact on the recreational use of the western berm from the proposed river widening.

A consultation plan was prepared and circulated around the Subcommittee on 29 July 2009.

## 2. Boulcott/Hutt project update

This report provided an update on progress made with the detailed design for the stopbank, land entry agreements, designation/consent applications and consultation. A plan of the refined alignment was attached to the report. The report also provided a statement from the two golf clubs advising of the setting up of a working party to consider the potential merging of golfing interests between the two clubs.

## 3. Project Manager's Report ( Report 09.140)

This report provided an update on progress made with all HRFMP projects. Of particular note was the completion of the Strand Park stopbank, granting of consents for the tree removal in the Whirinaki Crescent project and an update on the Mills Street stopbank. Two Mills Street residents were present at the meeting but they did not make any submissions.

## 4. Unconfirmed minutes

The unconfirmed minutes of the sub committee meeting held on 16 July 2009 are contained in Attachment 1.

## 5. Recommendations

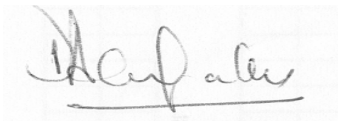
*That the Committee:*

1. *Receives the report.*
2. *Notes the content of the report.*
3. *Endorses the HRAS recommendations.*

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**Attachment 1: Minutes of the Hutt River Advisory Subcommittee meeting held on 16 July 2009**