

Oratia District Ratepayers' and Residents' Association Inc.
Committee Meeting
Small Hall
569 West Coast Rd
Oratia

7.30pm Tuesday August 14th 2012

AGENDA

1. Open and welcome
2. Apologies
3. Confirmation of the minutes of the previous meeting.
4. Brief discussion: Meeting procedure
5. Matters arising from the minutes.
6. Local Board update (if applicable)
7. Correspondence.
8. Treasurer's Report
9. General Business

Motion:

"That the committee contract Kirsten Sach of Kirsten Sach Landscape Design Ltd to draw up, at an estimated cost of \$1,500, a planting plan for the gardens in the Settlers' Hall/Small Hall premises."

Moved: Penny Sparks; Seconded:

Motion:

"That the committee write to the Auckland Council's Complaints and Issue Management Team to express:

- (a) our deep concern at the lack of formal and proper consultation with the Oratia R&R regarding the Settlers' Hall bathroom refurbishment, and
- (b) our expectation of formal, proper and thorough community consultation prior to any Council or CCO action in Oratia."

Moved: Gary Henderson; Seconded:

Motion:

"That the committee write to Auckland Transport expressing our concerns about the 'Drive to the conditions' sign on West Coast Rd. In particular:

(a) The sign has been graffitied and needs some remedial work.

(b) The large sign and the spread of gravel beneath it give the road the appearance of a wide, high-speed route.

We wish to discuss other possibilities suggested by the UK Rural Roads and Lanes Handbook. For example:

(c) ensuring signage is reflective of the Oratia rural village, and

(d) replanting the berm so that the road border is grassy, not gravel."

Moved: Penny Sparks; Seconded:

10. General Discussion and Updates

11. Close

Next meeting

7.30pm Tuesday 11th September 2012

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