

Report 25.145

Confirmed Public minutes of the Regional Transport Committee meeting on Tuesday 1 April 2025

Taumata Kōrero – Council Chamber, Greater Wellington Regional Council 100 Cuba Street, Te Aro, Wellington, at 10am

Members Present

Councillor Staples (Chair)

Councillor Ponter (Deputy Chair)

Mayor Baker

Mayor Caffell

Deputy Mayor Cretney

Councillor Edwards

David Gordon

Mayor Guppy

Councillor Halliday (from 10.19am)

Councillor Pannett

Emma Speight

Councillor Woodcock

Greater Wellington Regional Council

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Porirua City Council

Masterton District Council

Carterton District Council

Hutt City Council

KiwiRail

Upper Hutt City Council

Kāpiti Coast District Council

Wellington City Council

NZ Transport Agency – Waka Kotahi

South Wairarapa District Council

Mayors Baker and Caffell, Deputy Mayor Cretney and Councillor Woodcock participated at this meeting remotely via Microsoft Teams and counted for the purpose of quorum in accordance with clause 25A of Schedule 7 to the Local Government Act 2002.

Karakia timatanga

The Committee Chair opened the meeting with a karakia timatanga.

Public Business

1 Apologies

Moved: Mayor Guppy / Cr Ponter

That the Committee accepts the apologies for absence from Mayors Holborow and Mark.

The motion was carried.

2 Declarations of conflicts of interest

There were no declarations of conflicts of interest.

3 Public participation

There was no public participation.

4 Confirmation of the Public minutes of the Regional Transport Committee meeting on 26 November 2024 – Report 24.624

Moved: Cr Edwards / Emma Speight

That the Committee confirms the Public minutes of the Regional Transport Committee meeting on 26 November 2024 – Report 24.624.

The motion was carried.

5 Draft Submission on Land Transport Management (Time of Use Charging) Amendment Bill – Report 25.111

Catherine Knight, Principal Strategic Advisor, spoke to the report.

Moved: Cr Pannett / Cr Edwards

That the Committee:

- Approves the submission developed on behalf of the Regional Transport Committee responding to the Land Transport Management (Time of Use Charging) Amendment Bill, including any changes or additions agreed by the Committee.
- 2 Authorises the Committee Chair to make minor editorial changes for the purpose of finalising the submission.

The motion was carried.

Noted: Emma Speight abstained from voting on the above motion and requested that her abstention be recorded.

6 NZ Transport Agency – Waka Kotahi Update – April 2025 – Report 25.122 [For Information]

Emma Speight, Director, Regional Relationships, spoke to the report.

Councillor Halliday arrived at the meeting at 10.19am, during the above item.

7 KiwiRail Update - April 2025 - Report 25.121 [For Information]

David Gordon, Chief Capital Planning and Asset Development Officer, spoke to the report.

8 Progress Report on Significant and Committed Activities in the Wellington Regional Land Transport Plan Mid-Term Review 2024 - Report 25.112 [For Information]

Rose Wunrow, Strategic Advisor, spoke to the report.

Karakia whakamutunga

The Committee Chair closed the meeting with a karakia whakamutunga.

The public meeting closed at 11.17am.

Councillor A Staples

Chair Milally

Date: 24 June 2025.