

CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT

TO: Environment & Planning Committee

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I would like to commend the Environment & Planning Committee for the effort that everyone has given to constructively working on, and concluding, the various agenda items.

We are working to make as much of the TRMP operative, rather than its current proposed status, utilising the appeal resolution process.

We have spent considerable time and effort endeavouring to find an acceptable solution to the issue of rural-residential growth conflicting with some existing rural activities, e.g recreational motorbike riding.

We are planning for residential growth in Richmond, Motueka and Golden Bay and commercial growth in Richmond.

We have several deliberations to undergo in order to conclude some of the current variations to the TRMP.

I hope I have not exhausted you before we start today's meeting and I look forward to continuing to engage constructively as we seek to plan our Tasman community.

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Richard Kempthorne Chair, Resource Management Policy Committee