

MASTERTON DISTRICT COUNCIL

COUNCIL AGENDA

REPRESENTATION REVIEW HEARING

WEDNESDAY 13 OCTOBER 2021
10.00 AM

MEMBERSHIP

Her Worship (Chairperson)

Cr G Caffell

Cr D Holmes

Cr G McClymont

Cr T Nelson

Cr C Peterson

Cr B Gare

Cr B Johnson

Cr F Mailman

Cr T Nixon

Cr S Ryan

Notice is given that a meeting of the Masterton District Council will be held at 10.00am on Wednesday 13 October 2021 at Waiata House, 27 Lincoln Rd, Masterton.

**RECOMMENDATIONS IN REPORTS ARE NOT TO BE CONSTRUED AS COUNCIL POLICY UNTIL
ADOPTED**

8 October 2021



AGENDA

1. Karakia
2. Conflicts of Interest (Members to declare conflicts, if any)
3. Apologies

FOR INFORMATION

4. **MASTERTON DISTRICT COUNCIL 2021 REPRESENTATION REVIEW HEARING** (191/21)
Pages 121-124

DAVID HOPMAN – ACTING CHIEF EXECUTIVE

To:	Your Worship and Elected Members
From:	Angela Jane, Manager Strategic Planning
Endorsed by:	David Hopman, Acting Chief Executive
Date:	13 October 2021
Subject:	Masterton District Council 2021 Representation Review Hearing
FOR INFORMATION	
Recommendation:	
That the Council:	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Receives the submissions on Masterton District Council's 2021 Representation Review. 2. Notes that 57 submissions were received. 3. Notes that of those submissions received, 6 submitters requested to be heard. 	

Purpose

The purpose of this report is to provide Council with the submissions received regarding Masterton District Council's 2021 Representation Review and to outline the schedule for those who wish to be heard.

Masterton District Council's 2021 Representation Review

At its meeting held on 30 August 2021 Council approved its initial 2021 Representation Review proposal for public consultation. The proposal included a total of eight councillors plus the mayor with one councillor elected from a Māori ward, four councillors elected from a general ward and three councillors elected 'at large'. The boundaries for the two wards would align with the boundary for the Masterton District. The arrangement would take effect for the 2022 and 2025 local government elections.

Consultation launched on 3 September 2021 and closed on 4 October 2021. The consultation was promoted through radio and newspaper advertising, on the Masterton District Council website and the Masterton District Council Facebook page. Submitters could submit through an online portal, by email, by hard copy submission form or over the telephone.

Due to COVID-19 restrictions in place, face to face engagement with the community was not possible during the consultation period, however a Q&A session with the Mayor was videoed and put on Facebook.

Fifty seven submissions were received and, of those, six submitters requested to be heard by Council. The full set of submissions received is provided under separate cover.

The hearing of submissions is set down for Wednesday 13 October commencing at 10.00am. Due to the current COVID-19 alert level restricting public attendance at Council meetings, submitters will be presenting via zoom, with the elected members present in the Kiwi Room at Waiata House. Copies of their submissions are in the full set of submissions document with the relevant page numbers set out in the Hearing Schedule below.

The hearing procedure is attached for reference (**Attachment 1**).

Council will deliberate and are required to make a decision by Wednesday 10 November 2021 to meet the deadline for public notification of the final proposal by 15 November 2021. Following public notification of the final proposal there will be a period of one month for objections and appeals. If objections and appeals are received these will be forwarded to the Local Government Commission for consideration and determination by 10 April 2022. If no appeals or objections are received, the proposal will become final.

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Hearing Schedule (please note this may be subject to change)

Time	Sub #	Name	Page #
10:05am	11	John Cunningham	13
10:15am	53	John Dalziell	71
10:25am	43	Brent Reid	54
10:35am	50	CCS Disability (Mathew Wills)	62
10.45am	38	James Perr	47
10.55am		TBC	
11.05am		TBC	

Attachment 1:

MASTERTON DISTRICT COUNCIL 2021 REPRESENTATION REVIEW HEARING PROCEDURE

- 1) The Council will hear all submissions.

Members: Mayor Lyn Paterson (Chairperson)
Cr Graham McClymont (Deputy Mayor)
Cr Chris Peterson
Cr Sandy Ryan
Cr Frazer Mailman
Cr David Holmes
Cr Brent Gare
Cr Gary Caffell
Cr Rebecca (Bex) Johnson
Cr Tim Nelson
Cr Tina Nixon

Iwi Representatives: Tiraumaera Te Tau
Ra Smith

- 2) The hearings are to give you an opportunity to expand on your submission or to focus on your key points. You can assume that the elected members have read your submission.
- 3) Each submission will be limited to an address period of 7 minutes with 3 minutes for responding to questions from the elected members. A bell will be rung at 6 minutes and again at 10 minutes.
- 4) The Chairperson has the right, with or without the agreement of the other members, to terminate a submission in progress or to extend the time allowed for any submission.
- 5) The Chairperson, or any member through the Chairperson, may ask questions relevant to the matter being heard. The Chairperson may wish to clarify or correct any matter raised.
- 6) Hearings will be taking place via zoom to comply with the Covid Level 2 indoor restrictions and will also be livestreamed. A zoom link will be emailed to you.
- 7) If your circumstances change and you are unable to make your allocated time, please ring Barbara Wilson on 06 370 6300 or 027 601 6906 as soon as possible.
- 8) If you cannot attend, the Committee will still consider your written submission.