

# Meeting Minutes #6



<b>Glenorchy Airstrip Consultative Governance Committee Minutes of Meeting</b>	
<b>Where:</b>	QLDC Shotover Street Offices, Queenstown
<b>Time:</b>	11:00am
<b>Date:</b>	Friday 7 June 2019
<b>Who:</b>	Dan Kirkman (QAC), Peter Campbell (Wyuna/BB), Jeannie Galavazi (QLDC), Nick Nicholson (Operators), Robert Bakhuis (GCA)
<b>Apologies:</b>	Councillor Craig Ferguson (QLDC)

## **Meeting opened at 11:09am**

By the Deputy-Chair Dan Kirkman

No complaints received since last meeting.

**Apologies** Councillor Craig Ferguson (QLDC)

**New Committee member: Jay Cameron from WYUNA has stepped down, Peter Campbell is now the new WYUNA representative**

### **ITEM 1: Actions from last meeting/Review of previous minutes**

None

### **ITEM 2: Noise Management Plan**

All changes made from last meeting (Operators) to include QMUG accreditation to the Aircare accreditation, Robert (GCA) to ensure private and recreational operators acknowledged in the plan and not prevented from using the airstrip, and Jay (Wyuna) to include notation that once licences are all agreed a total limit will be placed on use of the airstrip. Changes now made.

**Motion passed** to adopt NMP. Moved Dan Kirkman, Seconded Nick Nicholson.

**Action: JG to put NMP on website and circulate to all operators.**

### **ITEM 3: Airstrip Operations Update**

- Access road complete and in use
- Fencing complete
- Pedestrian easement – gates and been installed in fence to future proof if/when trail is constructed
- Heli operations moved to south end of airstrip. NN states new location is working well
- Rabbit Holes filled in by QLDC

### **ITEM 4: Licences Update**

JG - Itinerant operators being processed. AIMMs monitoring data very valuable in showing who is using the airstrip. It has been difficult to determine numbers without baseline data but as time goes on more information is being

gathered. Other users such as top dressing aviation companies that were not identified in RMP have shown up on recordings  
DK – noted this information is useful to assess trends.

**ITEM 5: RC update**

Resource consents applications are in with QLDC planning team for both NZONE and HELIGY. Both on hold seeking confirmation about compliance with New Zealand Standards for fire fighting – operators may require 2x 45000L tanks each.

NN – such high water requirements because of fuel storage. If there was permanent fuel storage with safety mitigation no tanks would be required.

JG provided update on RMA Designation Appeal. Wyuna Appeal against the Commissioners decision on the Designation Conditions (that supported the conditions the Council had offered up) went to mitigation in May 2019. JG was in attendance. Appeal could not be resolved so the matter will be going to Environment Court.

**ITEM 6: RMP Review update**

Jeannie explained review process:

- 2 months public feedback for input into preparation of draft. In this stage now.
- Then workshop plan with Council – adopt draft plan
- Notify draft seeking formal submissions for 2 months
- Hold public hearing and hear submissions
- Council adopt new plan.

Council had workshop on level of review – all councillors supported that review sought some limited growth to 2016 plan.

JG tabled the survey that is to go out to all Glenorchy residents and operators, and to be put on QLDC website. Other community stakeholders (GCA, Blanket Bay, Sustainable Glenorchy) had opportunity to input into survey questions.

RB, NN, DK – suggested question about who costs should be covered by is removed as it's not feasible for all costs to be recovered by operators (this would require big increase in use). Also to add a rating for how many temporary buildings could be accommodated (1-7).

**Motion** passes to accept changes to survey questions and approve survey for public distribution: **Moved:** Dan Kirkman, Seconded Robert Bakhuis  
**Action – JG to make changes to survey.**

**ITEM 7: Any Other Business**

JG noted Glenorchy Airstrip webpage now live on QLDC website.

JG reminded all Committee members to circulate minutes to the members of the groups they represent.

**Next Meeting**

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This meeting closed at 12.20pm.