

Board Meeting Minutes Thursday February 16th, 2023, at 9:15am Sandfield. Level 1 Boardroom. 130 Ponsonby Road.

Item	Notes	Action
Apologies/ Present.	Present: Bruce Copeland, Richard Naish, Sarah Wickenden, Nick Nielson, Viv Rosenberg Brad Plamus, April Taylor, Alex Bonham (Part). Apologies, Felicity O'Driscoll, Genevieve Sage. Diva Giles, Gigi van Kuijk. Meeting started at 9:19 am.	
Minutes & Matters arising: Dec 15th, 2022.	The Minutes passed unanimously as true & correct. There were no matters arising.	1 st BC 2 nd AT.
WLB Report	 The Board noted the following: No further update on how AC will allocate the security funding from Central Government or the process to apply for those funds. Budget cuts at AC will mean the WLB budget will be cut by 50%. Consultation on AC's proposed Budget cuts will go out to consultation in March 2023 	
NZ Police Presentation – Sergeant Nell Hendrix	 The Board thanked Sergeant Nell Hendrix for her information and noted the following: Call 111 in emergencies. Importance of reporting all incidents to 105 line to log into the Police System. Importance of CCTV footage to track offenders. Offer to chair a 'coffee with a cop' event. Request a 'dark area' review from Auckland Council. Circulate links to helpful crime prevention advice for members. 	1st BC Unanimous Action BP & VR

Security Working Group – Report Back & discussion – Brad.	 The Board decided to end the current security trial at the end of March 2023. It was agreed to collate an information pack for members including: Emergency Police number Logging incidences on Police 105 number Links to NZ Police sites offering crime prevention advice. Setting up an event with Sergeant Nell Hendrix. Encouraging members to make use of 'call out' service offered by their security company. The installation of CCTV cameras along the street to be considered. 	Unanimous. Action VR
Future Ponsonby Working Group – Report Back & discussion – Rich/Bruce	The Board clarified that the Future Ponsonby Strategic Plan and the PBA's new 5-year Strategic plan are separate projects with different timeframes and outcomes. It was agreed that the research for 'Future Ponsonby' needs to be more closely defined and include members opinions. The working group will meet with Cam Perkins and report back at next month's Board meeting.	Action BC, BP, RN & VR
Promotions & Events Working Group – Report Back & discussion - Sarah.	The Board approved the recommendation to support the 'Her' Festival in April 2023 and reallocate some budget from EDLP 2023 towards it. The Board agreed that at least 50 members are required for EDLP 2023. An email requesting 'registrations of interest' to be sent prior to confirming the event.	1st BC 2nd SW
General Business	Next Board Meeting set for Thursday March 16th, 2023, at Sandfield Offices 3/130 Ponsonby Road.	

Meeting Closed at 10.44 am.

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