

Waste Advisory Board Meeting Minutes

Tuesday 21st May 2024

10.00am – 11.00am

Online

Chair: Darren Patterson

Members: Sue Coutts
Jacqui Forbes
Gael Ogilvie
Don Chittock
David Howie

Apologies: None

Ministry Staff: Renee Gordon, Policy Analyst (Waste Advisory Board Secretariat),

Round table

Darren - will re stand for position on the WAB also has a new job as Programme Development Lead – Sustainability Assurance

Teina – no updates.

Gael – new technical advisory board for the EPA might be relevant

Don – will put his name back in for the WAB

David- has spent some time working in Australia with sister companies and some waste work in the US.

Denise – Board for Waiheke resources trust – will need to declare a conflict of interest.

Jacqui – Name back in for the WAB – interested in what is happening with the Right to Repair Bill

Sue – Will put her hand back in for the WAB

Ministers letter for information

Australia – David has some experience in Australia. Don and Jacqui will be involved in this research.

Product Stewardship/Australis - Sue and Darren

Circularity index - Sue to do something on circularity index know more about the Scotland case study. Teina is also keen And Gael to help if needed

Lighter touch report to reporting to TA – have the experience to just report back.

Hazardous waste – approach MfE landfill David asked for some data from our team. MfE to report back/provide information. Soil discussion point – Don and Dave

Timeframes

Hazardous waste becoming a present issue – 1 priority

TA lighter touch – can do this with hazardous waste in one meeting (Darren)

Australia/product stewardship 3rd and emissions reduction plan

Circularity 4th – Sue happy to write up not much background information required.

12th June 9.30am till midday. Reports prepared by the 7th.

Renee - Get information from the BIM that was sent to the Minister for information relevant to the WAB.