

FW: Update - Opawe Road

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Associations: 4195 - Access to Ruahine Forest Park. Alternative access to Opawe Road [3348]

See below.

From: Wendy Thompson

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Council officers have been considering the submissions received on the proposed road stopping and considering the issues and alternative options raised by various submitters. This work is ongoing.

At the same time, as outlined in Council's acknowledgement letter, Council's reporting officer, Ryan O'Leary from The Property Group, has been contacting as many submitters as possible to discuss their submission and the issues they have raised. These meetings are ongoing and further time is required to enable these to proceed, and potential issues explored by officers. The outcomes of any discussions with submitters will be recorded in the reporting officers report to the Hearing Committee.

Given that follow up with submitters is ongoing, a hearing date is yet to be set down. Council officers are also having to manage the availability of the Hearings Committee around elections scheduled for October.

It is therefore likely that a hearing date will now be after the Council elections.

We will keep you advised of progress.

In the meantime, please contact Ryan O'Leary if you wish to meet with him prior to the hearing being scheduled. His contact details are below:

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Kind regards

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