

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF KOITIATA RESIDENTS HELD IN THE
COMMUNITY HALL ON SATURDAY, 13TH MARCH 1993 AT 2.00 PM.

Present: 22 ratepayers and residents

Apologies: J. van Loo, K. Breden, Mrs. N. Fraser, Mrs. Price, Mr. & Mrs. Waitai.

The Chairman explained that this meeting was being held solely for the purpose of considering the suggestions of projects brought forward by residents and could be paid for by fund held in reserve by the Rangitikei District Council.

On the last Annual Meeting held on the 21st Oct 1992 this Committee was instructed to come up with suggestions.

On 17th Dec. 1993 a circular was sent to all residents calling for suggestions and closing date was 15th Febr. 1993, by then 5 (Five) suggestions were received, this meeting was held to choose one of the five.

The persons who brought forward the suggestions were given time to explain their plans.

Plans: Plan 1 and 2 (Mr. R. Sargeant)

Plan 2 was replacing plan 1 with a lean to of 2 meters to the hall which would give the Fire Brigade still access to the watertank and would consist of two rooms with raised floors at a cost of approx. \$80 per square meter.

Plan 3 and 4 (Mr. E. Ramsdale)

Plan 3 a lean to of approx 16 feet with a provision of a walkway between firestation and hall.

Plan 4 to completely build in the space between the firestation and the existing hall.

Plan 5 (Mrs Eustace)

To level floor in existing hall and cover with lino, Mrs. Eustace explained that this could also be done at a later date when money is available, an other alternative to get the floor resurfaced with concrete.

Discussions were held re access for the Fire Brigade to the watertank and it was suggested that because of the large run off another watertank could be installed beyond the firestation.

The Chairman called than for the voting to take place by way of writing the plan number on the paper supplied.

Result of the vote was:

3 votes for plan no. 2

16 votes for plan no. 4

3 votes abstained.

Plan number 4 was then chosen by a majority of 13 votes.

It was decided that voluntary labour could be used to further cut costs, it was suggested that Mr. I Perry might be willing to supervise any work to be done by the Community.

The Secretary was instructed to contact the R.D.C. re plans etc. and to call a further residents meeting when plans etc are ready.

The meeting closed at 2.45 PM. *B.T. Attwell*