



Agenda
Council Meeting
including Hearing of Submissions to
the Oparure Road Speed Limit Change

Tuesday 24 March 2026
9.00am

Council Chambers
Queen Street
TE KUITI

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NOTICE OF MEETING

A MEETING OF THE WAITOMO DISTRICT COUNCIL IS TO BE HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, QUEEN STREET, TE KUITI ON TUESDAY 24 MARCH 2026 COMMENCING AT 9.00AM

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Mayor John Robertson
Councillor Dan Tasker
Councillor Isaiah Wallace

Deputy Mayor Eady Manawaiti
Councillor Allan Goddard

Councillor Olivia Buckley
Councillor Janette Osborne

MICHELLE HIGGIE
MANAGER – GOVERNANCE SUPPORT

ORDER PAPER

Items of Business

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1. Karakia Tuwhera
2. Apologies
3. Hearing Schedule – Oparure Road Speed Limit Change

Time Allocated	Submission No	Submitter Name
9.00am	16	Marama Henare-Waho (Apology received)
9.10am	30	Jahmin Waikato
9.20am	34	Mr & Mrs J & S Barlow
9.30am	35	Ross Herewini
9.40am	55	Libby & Pete Chandler (Spellbound Ltd)
9.50am	66	Ata Te Kanawa
10.00am	75	Raymond Cribb
10.10 am	79	Denise Marshall (Te Wharekura o Maniapoto)
10.20am	50	Benjamin Murray (Graymont)

File One

4.	Hearing of Submissions for 2026 Consultation on Oparure Road Speed Limit Change	1
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17.	Adoption of the Consultation Document and the Supporting Information for the 2026-27 Draft Annual Plan	To be circulated under separate cover
	<u>Separate Enclosures:</u>	
1	Draft Consultation Document Annual Plan 2026-27	
2	Supporting Information:	
	(a) Prospective Statement of Funding Sources	
	(b) Prospective Whole of Council Funding Impact Statement	
	(c) Summary Prospective Financial Statements	
	(d) Financial Reporting and Prudence Benchmarks	
	(e) Rating examples	
	(f) Draft Revenue and Financing Policy 2026	
	(g) Draft Significance and Engagement Policy 2026	
	(h) Draft Policy on Appointment of Directors to Council Controlled Organisations 2026	
3	Proposed Fees and Charges Schedule 2026-2027	
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4. Verbal Briefing - CLM	-
5. Consideration of Public Excluded Items for the purpose of making information public following Council’s decision taking	-
6. Resolution to Re-Open Meeting to the Public	-
22. Public Excluded Items to be made public following Council’s decision taking	-
23. Karakia Whakamutunga	

PLEASE NOTE

1. The business papers attached to this Order Paper set out recommendations and suggested resolutions only. Those recommendations and suggested resolutions **DO NOT** represent Council policy until such time as they might be adopted by Council resolution.
2. This Order Paper may be subject to amendment either by the addition or withdrawal of items contained therein.
3. This Meeting will be **webcast** in real time to the Waitomo District Council website and will also be available for viewing on demand as soon as reasonably practicable following the meeting.