

AUDIT AND RISK SUBCOMMITTEE AGENDA

WEDNESDAY **19 SEPTEMBER 2018**

1:00 pm Council Chamber Level 2, Philip Laing House, 144 Rattray Street, Dunedin

Membership

Mr David Benham (Chairperson) Cr Stephen Woodhead (ORC Chairperson)

Cr Gretchen Robertson (ORC Deputy Chairperson)

Cr Doug Brown (Chair Finance and Corporate Committee)

Cr Trevor Kempton

Cr Michael Laws

Disclaimer

Please note that there is an embargo on agenda items until 1:00 pm on Monday 17 September 2018. Reports and recommendations contained in this agenda are not to be considered as Council policy until adopted.

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1. APOLOGIES

Cr Michael Laws

2. LEAVE OF ABSENCE

3. ATTENDANCE

Mr Brett Tomkin (Deloitte)
Brett Hawkins (Deloitte)

4. CONFIRMATION OF AGENDA

Note: Any additions must be approved by resolution with an explanation as to why they cannot be delayed until a future meeting.

5. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

Members are reminded of the need to stand aside from decision-making when a conflict arises between their role as an elected representative and any private or other external interest they might have.

6. PUBLIC FORUM

7. PRESENTATIONS

8. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

Recommendation

That the minutes of the (public portion of the) meeting held on 20 June 2018 be received and confirmed as a true and accurate record.

Attachments

1. Minutes of 20 June 2018 Audit & Risk meeting [8.1.1]

Minutes of a meeting of the Audit and Risk Subcommittee held in the Wakatipu Room at Otago Regional Council on Wednesday 20 June 2018, commencing at 1:00pm

Membership

Mr David Benham (Chairperson)
Cr Stephen Woodhead (ORC Chairperson)

Cr Gretchen Robertson (ORC Deputy Chairperson)

Cr Doug Brown (Chair Finance and Corporate Committee)

Cr Trevor Kempton Cr Michael Laws

Welcome

Mr Benham welcomed Councillors and members of staff to the meeting.

1. APOLOGIES

Cr Stephen Woodhead Cr Michael Laws

Moved Mr Benham Seconded Cr Robertson

CARRIED

2. LEAVE OF ABSENCE

The leave of absence for Cr Trevor Kempton was noted

3. ATTENDANCE

Ms Sarah Gardner (ORC Chief Executive)
Mr Nick Donnelly (ORC Director Corporate Services)
Mr Stuart Lanham (ORC Manager Finance)
Justine Macdonald (Minute taker)

4. CONFIRMATION OF AGENDA

The agenda was confirmed as tabled.

5. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

No conflicts of interest were advised.

6. PUBLIC FORUM

No public forum was held.

7. PRESENTATIONS

No presentations were held.

8. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

Resolution

That the minutes of the (public portion of the) meeting held on 8 March 2018 be received and confirmed as a true and accurate record.

Moved Cr Robertson Seconded Cr Brown

CARRIED

9. ACTIONS Status report on the resolutions of the Audit and Risk Subcommittee. No outstanding actions were noted.

10. MATTERS FOR COUNCIL DECISION

10.1 Annual Report Timetable and Matters Under Consideration

The purpose of this report was to inform the Audit and Risk Subcommittee of the proposed timetable for completion of the Annual Report and to advise specific matters under consideration.

The cost of the valuation of Council's shareholding in Port Otago Limited was discussed. Agreed the cost was reasonable and there was a need for Council to obtain an annual valuation of shareholding value every year.

Resolution

That this report is received and noted.

Moved Mr Benham Seconded Cr Robertson

CARRIED

10.2 Insurance Renewals

Mr Donnelly advised Council staff are working with Council's insurance brokers to finalise renewal of Council's insurance cover for the period from 1 July 2018 to 30 June 2019. The report also highlighted the residual liability that remains through Council's prior membership in Riskpool.

It was noted that although the market pricing for insurance has increased and an increase in premium is expected, ORC has no significant asset changes to consider.

Resolution

That this report is received and noted.

Moved Cr Brown Seconded Cr Robertson

CARRIED

11 MATTERS FOR NOTING

11.1 Risk Report – February 2018

The report provided an updated risk report as at February 2018. There were no new risks added from the last report (October 2017), however some key residual risk ratings have changed.

Key changes as noted in the report were discussed. Mr Donnelly noted the report is a work in progress and the real benefit will be when the risks are moved assigned to managers who can then better influence and manage the risks that sit in their area of the business.

It was suggested that Risk 766 flood protection failure and Risk 725 port dividend should be review as the consequence rating may be higher than indicated.

Resolution

That this report is received and noted.

Moved Cr Robertson Seconded Mr Benham

CARRIED

12 NOTICES OF MOTION

No Notices of Motion were advised.

13 RESOLUTION TO EXCLUDE THE PUBLIC

Resolution

That the public be excluded from the following parts of the proceedings of this meeting, namely:

10.1 Deloitte Audit Plan

Section 7 (2)(c)(ii)

Protect information which is subject to an obligation of confidence or which any person has been or could be compelled to provide under the authority of any enactment, where the making available of the information -

(ii) would be likely otherwise to damage the public interest.

10.2 Managed Fund – March 2018 Report

Section 7 (2) (h)

Enable any local authority holding the information to carry out, without prejudice or disadvantage, commercial activities;

10.3 Investment Manager Tender Process

Section 7 (2)(c)(ii)

Protect information which is subject to an obligation of confidence or which any person has been or could be compelled to provide under the authority of any enactment, where the making available of the information -

(ii) would be likely otherwise to damage the public interest.

Section 7 (2) (h)

Enable any local authority holding the information to carry out, without prejudice or disadvantage, commercial activities;

10.4 Health & Safety Report

Section 7(2)(f)(ii)

To maintain the effective conduct of public affairs through—the protection of such members, officers, employees, and persons from improper pressure or harassment.

Also moved that ORC staff be permitted to remain at this meeting, after the public has been excluded, because of their knowledge of the matters to be discussed. This knowledge will be of assistance in relation to the matters to be discussed, and relevant to that matters because of their expertise.

Moved

Seconded Cr Robertson CARRIED Mr D Benham

The meeting moved into public excluded session at 1.30pm.

Resolution

That the meeting resume in public session.

Moved

Seconded Mr Benham
CARRIED Cr Robertson

The meeting resumed in public session at 1.57pm.

14 CLOSURE

The meeting was declared closed at 1.57pm.

Chairperson

9. ACTIONS

10. MATTERS FOR COUNCIL DECISION

11. MATTERS FOR NOTING

11.1. Risk Report - June 2018

Prepared for: Audit and Risk Sub-Committee

Activity: Governance Report

Prepared by: Nick Donnelly, Director Corporate Services

Date: 10 September 2018

1. Précis

The Terms of Reference for the Audit and Risk Subcommittee include responsibility in relation to risk including:

- Ensuring that the risks facing ORC are identified and the potential impacts are assessed.
- Ensuring that the identified risks are managed, and necessary controls are built into business processes.

A Risk Management Strategy was adopted by the Audit and Risk Subcommittee in September 2016. Based on that, a risk report has been developed and is required to be updated on a 4-monthly basis. The latest Risk Report, being the update as at June 2018, is attached to this report for consideration by the Audit and Risk Subcommittee.

2. Risk Update

The risk reporting process requires risks to be reviewed and updated on a 4-monthly cycle at the end of February, June, and October. The latest review is at the end of June 2018 and has been undertaken by the Director of Corporate Services. There were no new risks added, however some risk ratings for the existing risks have been reviewed and amended.

Key changes to note are:

- The number of highest ranking residual risks has increased from 12 at February 2018 to 14 at June 2018. These are risks that score a rating of 10 or greater on the 5x5 risk matrix.
- Following discussion at the June 2018 Audit and Risk Subcommittee meeting the ratings for Risk 725 Port dividend and Risk 766 Flood protection failure were increased.
- Risk 725 Port dividend increased from a likelihood of possible to likely and the rating score increased from 10 to 15.
- Risk 766 Flood protection failure increased from a likelihood of rare to possible and the rating score increased from 5 to 10.
- Other changes to the highest ranked risks were:
- Risk 688 Services not provided within budget increased from 3 to 12 as a result
 of the number and size of variances in the final 2017/18 financials. A
 considerable amount of work is being undertaken to ensure activity budgets are
 better managed going forward but there remains a higher residual risk until
 these changes are bedded in.

- Risk 704 Failure to meet environmental targets has increased 4 to 10 as a result of increased risk around the minimum flow and deemed permit activity.
- Risk 690 Political risk was decreased from 16 to 8 as there is less likelihood of this now the government is established, and central government policies are becoming clearer.

The resulting draft risk report includes three sections:

- a. Heat map and risk level overview this is shown for both inherent and residual risk.
- b. Summary of the highest ranking residual risks this gives detail on the risks that have the highest residual risk ratings. Note the numerical score and movement from the previous reporting period have been added to this report.
- c. Summary of all risks by risk category reputational, financial, operational and knowledge/systems risk.

The next risk report update is due at the end of October 2018 and following that February 2019 and this update will be reported to the March 2019 meeting of the Audit and Risk Subcommittee. It is still intended that by that point the risks will have been assigned to the wider management level responsible for those activities.

3. Recommendation

a. That this report and the attached Risk Report – June 2018 are received and noted.

Endorsed by: Nick Donnelly

Director Corporate Services

Attachments

1. Risk Report - June 2018 [11.1.1]



RISK REPORT – HEAT MAP AND RISK LEVEL OVERVIEW





RISK REPORT – SUMMARY OF HIGHEST RANKING RESIDUAL RISKS

| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / Recommendations | Residual Consequence | Residual Likelihood | Residual Risk Status | Score | Mvt |
|--|---|-------------|------------|----------------|-----------------------|---|-------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|-------|-----|
| Business continuity planning inadequate / not developed 697 | Impacts Council's ability to deliver services in an unexpected event. | Severe | Likely | R | Corporate Services | BCP is being reviewed and revised. CDEM and IT plans are well established and in place but core ORC activity plan needs to be completed. BCP review has been assigned to CD and is underway. No change to risk profile at this stage. | Severe | Likely | T | 15 | - |
| Port dividend is below expected 725 | Commercial returns are dependant on Port performance. The dividend significantly subsidises general rates therefore there will be a need for higher general rates to cover the shortfall. | Severe | Likely | R | Corporate Services | Independent Board appointed and SCI in place to define acceptable levels of dividends. Diversified revenue streams have been developed including property and geographical sources. | Severe | Likely | • | 15 | +5 |
| Services not provided within budget 688 | Council only has budget and authority to provide services within budget. Services that require more resources than budget may limit service level or require unsustainable levels of funding. | Major | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Financial processes including budget setting are robust but subject to significant assumptions and are often set significantly in advance of actual service delivery. Reserves are maintained to allow for contingencies. | Major | Likely | r | 12 | +9 |
| Undefined or unclear strategic vision 691 | May lead to unnecessary or ineffective work being undertaken and outcomes not being expected or desired. | Major | Possible | R | CE Office | Strategic plan is updated as part of the LTP process. Strategic plan review was not fully completed and this should be reviewed early in next LTP cycle. | Major | Likely | r | 12 | - |



| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk | Owner | Comments / | Residual | Residual | Residual | Score | Mvt |
|---|---|-------------|------------|--------|---|--|-------------|------------|----------------|-------|-----|
| mok Description | I III SK OVER NEW | Consequence | Linciniou | Status | Guine | Recommendations | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | 300.0 | |
| Change in central government service delivery requirements 709 | Could impose a change to strategic direction which alters services provided accordingly. | Major | Likely | R | Policy Planning and Resource Management | Central government requirement change is inherent in Council's environment. Need to remain aware of developments in the political environment ie pending elections and maintain strong relationships across the sector. Change of government has increased the likelihood of this risk | Major | Likely | r | 12 | - |
| Economic downturn / recession 722 | Council's revenue streams could decrease which in turn impacts ability to charge and/or collect revenue. That in turn could impact Council's ability to deliver its services. | Severe | Likely | R | Corporate Services | Revenue and funding policies are in place and reserves are maintained for specific events and general contingency. | Major | Likely | r | 12 | - |
| Delays in finalising legislation 757 | Particularly regarding RMA, LGA and LTMA. Increased time adds uncertainty while legislation is being finalised and unacceptable delays may occur during this period. | Major | Often | R | Policy Planning and Resource Management | Monitor legislative development processes, submissions to the Crown, collaboration with other Councils, develop and maintain relationships with stakeholders. | Major | Likely | r | 12 | - |
| Changes in legislation 758 | Particularly regarding RMA, LGA and LTMA. Change creates uncertainty while being enacted and the process for implementing change increases cost and / or likelihood of not delivering core services. | Major | Often | R | Policy Planning and Resource Management | Monitor legislative development processes, submissions to the Crown, collaboration with other Councils, develop and maintain relationships with stakeholders. | Major | Likely | r | 12 | - |
| Failure to meet environmental targets 704 | Environmental sustainability is a fundamental expectation of Council activity which is delivered via strategic, long term and annual plans. | Severe | Possible | R | Policy Planning and Resource Management | Ongoing review of service delivery including 4 month reviews and annual report process. | Severe | Possible | r | 10 | +6 |



| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / Recommendations | Residual Consequence | Residual Likelihood | Residual Risk Status | Score | Mvt |
|---|--|-------------|------------|----------------|---|--|-------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|-------|-----|
| Air or water pollution 708 | Significant pollution could result in long term environmental damage which impacts residents and takes unplanned and expensive corrective action. | Severe | Likely | R | Environmental Monitoring and Operations | Pollution hotline operating 24/7 and long term state of the environment and compliance monitoring is in place. | Severe | Possible | r | 10 | - |
| Natural disaster response failure 740 | CDEM is unable to respond to an event and fails to meet its statutory obligations. | Severe | Likely | R | CE Office | CDEM review undertaken and Emergency Management Otago has been established. | Severe | Possible | r | 10 | - |
| Failure of project 762 | Inefficient use of public funds and non delivery of expected services. | Severe | Likely | R | Engineering Hazards and Science | Required actions defined and monitored monthly. | Severe | Possible | r | 10 | - |
| Flood protection failure 766 | Failure of flood protection structures during flooding causing danger to the public and significant damage to property and Council assets. | Severe | Likely | R | Engineering Hazards and Science | Infrastructure strategy, asset management plans, insurance in place. | Severe | Possible | r | 10 | +5 |
| IT system / software obsolescence 772 | Impacts the ability to deliver services, may add time / cost to service delivery or prevent service delivery completely. Legacy systems are major area of risk including environmental data and ticketing. | Severe | Likely | R | Corporate Services | IT strategy in place (requires review and update). Ticketing system is being replaced and environmental data system is being reviewed. | Severe | Possible | r | 10 | - |



RISK REPORT – SUMMARY OF ALL RISKS BY CATEGORY

1. Reputational Risks

| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / Recommendations | Residual Consequence | Residual Likelihood | Residual Risk Status |
|--|---|-------------|------------|-------------|---|---|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Changes in services provided 687 | Change to strategic direction which alters services provided accordingly. Changes may be a decision of Council and/or forced upon Council by external forces including Central Government. | Major | Often | R | Policy Planning and Resource Management | Council's strategic plan and LTP guide and set long term direction and service provision. Significant changes should only be considered within that cycle. Significance and engagement policy requires consultation on significant changes in direction and service delivery. | Moderate | Possible | r |
| Services not provided within budget 688 | Council only has budget and authority to provide services within budget. Services that require more resources than budget may limit service level or require unsustainable levels of funding. | Major | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Financial processes including budget setting are robust but subject to significant assumptions and are often set significantly in advance of actual service delivery. Reserves are maintained to allow for contingencies. | Major | Likely | r |
| Change in ability to supply services 689 | Services may not be supplied due to unexpected events or insufficient resources ie staff, contractors or funding. | Major | Possible | R | Environmental Monitoring and Operations | Ensure business continuity plans are in place, retention of key personnel and robust contractual agreements are in place. Funding is considered in annual plans and LTP's. | Moderate | Rare | r |



| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / | Residual | Residual | Residual Risk |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------|------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|-------------|------------|---------------|
| | | | | | | Recommendations | Consequence | Likelihood | Status |
| Political change | Political change may occur | Major | Often | R | Policy Planning | Political risk is inherent in | Major | Possible | r |
| 690 | at central government | | | | and Resource | Council's environment. | | | |
| | and/or local level. | | | | Management | Need to remain aware of | | | |
| | | | | | | developments in the | | | |
| | | | | | | political environment ie | | | |
| | | | | | | pending elections and | | | |
| | | | | | | maintain strong | | | |
| | | | | | | relationships across the | | | |
| | | | | | | sector. Change of | | | |
| | | | | | | government has increased | | | |
| | | | | | | the likelihood of this risk | | | |
| Undefined or unclear | May lead to unnecessary | Major | Possible | R | CE Office | Strategic plan is updated | Major | Likely | r |
| strategic vision | or ineffective work being | | | | | as part of the LTP process. | | | |
| 691 | undertaken and outcomes | | | | | Strategic plan review was | | | |
| | not being expected or | | | | | not fully completed and | | | |
| | desired. | | | | | this should be reviewed | | | |
| | | | | | | early in next LTP cycle. | | | |
| Inaccurate forecasting | Forecasting involves risk | Moderate | Likely | R | Corporate | Forecasting involves | Moderate | Possible | r |
| 692 | around accuracy of | | | 1 | Services | significant judgement | | | |
| | assumptions and extended | | | | | particularly around | | | |
| | timeframes. At a strategic | | | | | assumptions used. Robust | | | |
| | level errors can lead to | | | | | LTP process with adequate | | | |
| | incorrect or poor decision | | | | | time for preparation and | | | |
| | making. | | | | | decision making. | | | |
| Unethical business | As a spender of public | Moderate | Rare | R | Corporate | Considered in staff policies | Minor | Rare | r |
| practices | funds ORC has an | | | | Services | ie code of conduct, fraud, | | | |
| 693 | obligation to spend those | | | | | sensitive expenditure and | | | |
| | funds ethically. | | | | | contract tender processes | | | |
| | , | | | | | can include quality criteria | | | |
| | | | | | | ie local suppliers. | | | |
| Incomplete or inaccurate | May lead to an inability to | Major | Possible | R | CE Office | Robust LTP process with | Moderate | Likely | r |
| resource planning | deliver services. | , | | | | adequate time for | | , | |
| 694 | | | | | | preparation and decision | | | |
| | | | | | | making. | | | |
| Poor organisational design | Organisation design and | Moderate | Possible | R | CE Office | Reviewed as part of | Minor | Possible | |
| / inappropriate reporting | reporting lines need to | | | | | strategic / LTP / annual | | | r |
| lines | align to services to be | | | | | plan processes and | | | |
| 695 | delivered. If they don't | | | | | amended as required. | | | |
| | there is a risk that service | | | | | | | | |
| | delivery will be impacted. | | | | | | | | |



| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / Recommendations | Residual Consequence | Residual Likelihood | Residual Risk Status |
|--|---|-------------|------------|-------------|---------------------------|---|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Strategic plan / long term plan not implemented 696 | Stakeholders fundamental expectation is delivery of strategic / long term plans. | Major | Possible | R | CE Office | Ongoing review of service delivery including 4 month reviews and annual report process. | Major | Rare | r |
| Business continuity planning inadequate / not developed 697 | Impacts Council's ability to deliver services in an unexpected event. | Severe | Likely | R | Corporate Services | BCP is being reviewed and revised. CDEM and IT plans are well established and in place but core ORC activity plan needs to be completed. BCP review has been assigned to CD and is underway. No change to risk profile at this stage. | Severe | Likely | r |
| Stakeholders not identified 698 | Key requirement to setting strategic direction is understanding who stakeholders are and what their requirements are. Failure to do so may lead to unnecessary or ineffective work being undertaken and outcomes not being expected or desired. | Moderate | Possible | R | Stakeholder Engagement | Stakeholders (and requirements) are well defined and considered/consulted on regularly. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Poor / deteriorating stakeholder relationships 699 | Includes TLA's and key government agencies. May impact the ability to provide co governed or co funded activity. There may also be competing or conflicting interests. | Major | Possible | R | Stakeholder Engagement | Ensure ongoing communication and involvement in decision processes where possible and appropriate. | Major | Rare | r |
| Expectations of stakeholders not understood 700 | Failure to do so may lead to unnecessary or ineffective work being undertaken and outcomes not being expected or desired. | Major | Possible | R | Stakeholder Engagement | Ensure ongoing communication and involvement in decision processes where possible and appropriate. | Moderate | Rare | r |



| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / Recommendations | Residual Consequence | Residual Likelihood | Residual Risk Status |
|--|---|-------------|------------|-------------|---|--|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Poor community relationships 701 | May lead to inability to determine required activity and/or the ability to undertake activity if community input is required. | Moderate | Possible | R | Stakeholder Engagement | Ensure ongoing communication and involvement in decision processes where possible and appropriate. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Negative press coverage 702 | Includes hostile and/or inaccurate coverage. May impact service delivery if negative view has to be dealt with prior to activity being undertaken. | Moderate | Frequent | R | Stakeholder Engagement | Work proactively with media to ensure they are accurately and correctly informed. | Inconsequent ial | Frequent | r |
| Ineffective communication strategy / plans 703 | The community and/or stakeholders may be misinformed or unaware of Council activity or information. | Moderate | Possible | R | Stakeholder Engagement | Development and ongoing review of communications strategy / plan. | Minor | Rare | r |
| Failure to meet environmental targets 704 | Environmental sustainability is a fundamental expectation of Council activity which is delivered via strategic, long term and annual plans. | Severe | Possible | R | Policy Planning and Resource Management | Ongoing review of service delivery including 4 month reviews and annual report process. | Severe | Possible | r |
| Failure to assess and understand environmental impact of organisational activities 705 | Unnecessary or ineffective work could be undertaken resulting in unexpected / undesired outcomes. Impacts could also prove unsustainable for Council or ratepayers. | Severe | Possible | R | Policy Planning and Resource Management | Considered and consulted on as part of strategic / long term and annual plan setting process. | Major | Rare | r |
| Damage to or development of protected sensitive natural habitats 706 | Damage may occur protected areas that are privately held or those directly under ORC's control. | Severe | Possible | R | Environmental Monitoring and Operations | Areas are defined and ongoing work plans are in place to monitor and undertake enforcement processes when necessary. | Major | Rare | r |



| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / Recommendations | Residual Consequence | Residual Likelihood | Residual Risk Status |
|---|---|-------------|------------|-------------|---|--|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Breach of environmental protection legislation 707 | Significant breaches may lead to environmental damage and the inability to achieve targets. | Severe | Possible | R | Environmental Monitoring and Operations | Legislative compliance (internal and external) is defined and ongoing work plans are in place to monitor and undertake enforcement processes when necessary. | Major | Rare | r |
| Air or water pollution 708 | Significant pollution could result in long term environmental damage which impacts residents and takes unplanned and expensive corrective action. | Severe | Likely | R | Environmental Monitoring and Operations | Pollution hotline operating 24/7 and long term state of the environment and compliance monitoring is in place. | Severe | Possible | r |
| Change in central government service delivery requirements 709 | Could impose a change to strategic direction which alters services provided accordingly. | Major | Likely | R | Policy Planning and Resource Management | Central government requirement change is inherent in Council's environment. Need to remain aware of developments in the political environment ie pending elections and maintain strong relationships across the sector. Change of government has increased the likelihood of this risk | Major | Likely | r |



2. Financial Risks

| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / Recommendations | Residual Consequence | Residual Likelihood | Residual Risk Status |
|---|---|-------------|------------|-------------|---------------------------------------|--|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Capital assets not maintained / deterioration 710 | Could lead to asset failure and / or significant unplanned capital expenditure to correct. | Major | Likely | R | Engineering Hazards and Science | Infrastructure strategy and asset management plans in place. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Non payment of rates / fees and charges and collections targets not being met 711 | Includes the revenue impacts from legal challenge or other inability to charge and collect under Section 36. Potential impact to cashflow and the ability to fund activity. | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Collection rates are historically high and current levels of funds held minimise short term cashflow risk. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Unauthorised or irregular expenditure 712 | Potential impact to cashflow and the ability to fund activity. | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Fraud Policy, Treasury Management Policy, SIPO, internal accounting controls and delegations. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Wasteful or unproductive expenditure 713 | Potential impact to cashflow and the ability to fund activity. | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Fraud Policy, Treasury Management Policy, SIPO, internal accounting controls and delegations. | Moderate | Possible | r |
| Over / under spending budget allocations 714 | Over spending due to increased scope and/or costs that may become unsustainable going forward and under spend may result in services not being delivered. | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Ongoing monitoring to detailed job code level with management, executive and Council reviews in place. | Moderate | Possible | r |
| Inaccurate revenue forecasting 715 | Potential impact to cashflow and the ability to fund activity. | Moderate | Likely | R | Corporate Services | Revenue forecasts are reviewed as part of the annual plan process. | Moderate | Possible | r |
| Inaccurate expenditure forecasting 716 | Potential impact to cashflow and the ability to fund activity. | Moderate | Often | R | Corporate Services | Spend is managed to budget and major variances managed via reserves in the short term and recovered over subsequent periods. | Moderate | Likely | r |



| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / | Residual | Residual | Residual Risk |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|------------|-------------|-----------|----------------------------|-------------|------------|---------------|
| | 1 | | - " | | | Recommendations | Consequence | Likelihood | Status |
| Financial reporting | Could lead to delays in | Minor | Possible | R | Corporate | Processes and timelines | Minor | Rare | r |
| requirements not | producing statutory | | | | Services | are well defined and | | | |
| understood | reports ie Annual Report | | | | | understood. Audit and Risk | | | |
| 717 | or LTP. | | | | | Committees reviews these | | | |
| | | | | | _ | prior to commencement. | | _ | |
| Reporting deadlines not | Requirements to report | Minor | Possible | R | Corporate | Dates are well understood | Minor | Rare | r |
| met | exist under LGA for LTP, | | | | Services | and timetables are based | | | |
| 718 | Annual Plan and Annual | | | | | around these dates to | | | |
| | Report. | | | | | ensure deadlines are met. | | | |
| Errors / omissions in | Depending on materiality | Minor | Possible | R | Corporate | Audit and Risk Committee | Minor | Rare | r |
| financial statements | restatement could be | | | | Services | reviews both the process | | | |
| 719 | required which would | | | | | and the financial | | | |
| | potentially adds both time | | | | | statements including | | | |
| | and cost to the process. | | | | | meeting with the external | | | |
| | | | | | | auditors in June and | | | |
| | | | | | | September. | | | |
| Reporting not in correct | Depending on materiality | Minor | Possible | R | Corporate | Audit and Risk Committee | Minor | Rare | r |
| format | restatement could be | | | | Services | reviews both the process | | | |
| 720 | required which would | | | | | and the financial | | | |
| | potentially adds both time | | | | | statements including | | | |
| | and cost to the process. | | | | | meeting with the external | | | |
| | | | | | | auditors in June and | | | |
| | | | | | | September. | | | |
| Fraud | Loss of Council funds due | Major | Possible | R | Corporate | Fraud Policy, Treasury | Major | Rare | r |
| 721 | to misappropriation by a | | | | Services | Management Policy, SIPO, | | | |
| | staff member or members. | | | | | internal accounting | | | |
| | | | | | | controls and delegations. | | | |
| Economic downturn / | Council's revenue streams | Severe | Likely | R | Corporate | Revenue and funding | Major | Likely | r |
| recession | could decrease which in | | | • | Services | policies are in place and | | | |
| 722 | turn impacts ability to | | | | | reserves are maintained | | | |
| | charge and/or collect | | | | | for specific events and | | | |
| | revenue. That in turn could | | | | | general contingency. | | | |
| | impact Council's ability to | | | | | | | | |
| | deliver its services. | | | | | | | | |



| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / Recommendations | Residual Consequence | Residual Likelihood | Residual Risk Status |
|---|--|-------------|------------|-------------|-----------------------|---|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Government funding not approved / available 723 | Funding (largely from NZTA for transport activities) is unavailable which impacts Council's ability to deliver services. | Major | Likely | R | Corporate Services | Ensure business case process is followed, approvals are obtained in advance and maintain close working relationships. Reserves are maintained and offer management in the short term. | Major | Rare | r |
| Investment fund returns less than expected 724 | That interest rates reduce and returns are lower than budgeted. Investment returns are used to subsidise general rates therefore there will be a need for higher general rates to cover the shortfall. | Major | Likely | R | Corporate Services | Treasury Management Policy and SIPO in place, multi bank scheme used to spread funds. Investment returns are budgeted on current returns and reviewed annually. | Major | Possible | r |
| Port dividend is below expected 725 | Commercial returns are dependant on Port performance. The dividend significantly subsidises general rates therefore there will be a need for higher general rates to cover the shortfall. | Severe | Likely | R | Corporate Services | Independent Board appointed and SCI in place to define acceptable levels of dividends. Diversified revenue streams have been developed including property and geographical sources. | Severe | Likely | T |
| Actions taken exceeding delegated authority 1289 | Could lead to legal challenge regarding Councils action and / or fraud. | Major | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Fraud Policy, Treasury Management Policy, SIPO, internal accounting controls and delegations. | Major | Rare | r |



3. Operational Risks

| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / Recommendations | Residual Consequence | Residual Likelihood | Residual Risk Status |
|--|--|-------------|------------|-------------|-----------|--|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Absenteeism 726 | Impacts productivity and the ability to deliver services. | Minor | Possible | R | CE Office | HR leave policies and procedures in place. | Minor | Rare | r |
| Inability to attract and retain staff / staff turnover 727 | Impacts productivity and the ability to deliver services. | Moderate | Likely | R | CE Office | Recruitment process includes market assessment of remuneration. Other factors are more subjective and are monitored during recruitment. | Moderate | Possible | r |
| Poor service provided by staff 728 | Impacts productivity and the ability to deliver services. | Moderate | Possible | R | CE Office | Complaints process in place and management structures ensure ongoing review of service quality. | Moderate | Possible | r |
| Strikes and workplace unrest 729 | Impacts productivity and the ability to deliver services. | Minor | Rare | R | CE Office | Small number of union members reduces impact of strike action. | Minor | Rare | r |
| Wrongful termination 730 | Could lead to legal challenge involving time and cost to resolve. Could impact on productivity, culture and brand. | Moderate | Possible | R | CE Office | HR oversees all performance management and change management actions to ensure legal requirements are complied with and subsequent challenge is minimised. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Uncompetitive remuneration 731 | Unable to recruit and/or retain suitable staff which impacts ability to deliver services. | Moderate | Possible | R | CE Office | Annual salary review process includes comparative market data. Remuneration strategy being developed | Moderate | Possible | r |
| Job roles / accountabilities unclear 732 | Impacts productivity and the ability to deliver services. | Moderate | Possible | R | CE Office | Position descriptions being reviewed and updated. Financial delegations reviewed, updated and being included in PD's. | Moderate | Possible | r |



| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / | Residual | Residual | Residual Risk |
|---|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|---|--|-------------|------------|---------------|
| Misk Description | NISK OVERVIEW | Consequence | Likeiiiiood | Nisk Status | Owner | Recommendations | Consequence | Likelihood | Status |
| Workplace injury / death 733 | Covers all health and safety associated risk where worst case scenario may result in death of staff, contractors and the public in the workplace. | Severe | Likely | R | CE Office | Health and Safety plans and processes in place lead by H&S Business Partner. Specific workplace risks are assessed by the H&S BP and relevant ops staff/managers and action plans developed to mitigate or manage those risks. | Severe | Rare | r |
| Pandemic and infectious disease outbreak 734 | Impacts productivity and the ability to deliver services. | Severe | Rare | R | CE Office | Policy and procedure to be developed in line with Min of Health guidelines. | Severe | Rare | r |
| Sexual harassment / violence 735 | Potential to impact productivity, reputation and service delivery. | Moderate | Possible | R | CE Office | HR code of conduct in place and instances will be deemed serious misconduct which may result in dismissal. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Asset / equipment obsolescence 736 | Could lead to failure or inability to deliver services if required equipment is not available when required. | Major | Possible | R | Policy Planning and Resource Management | Infrastructure strategy and asset management plans in place. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Unauthorised use / misuse of fleet vehicles 737 | Adds costs to fleet management costs that should not be ratepayer funded and may impact service delivery if vehicles are not available for legitimate work use. | Minor | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Vehicles Use Policy and Smartrak system in place. Vehicle agreements being developed to ensure accountability. | Minor | Possible | r |
| Failure to maintain assets / equipment 738 | Could lead to failure or inability to deliver services if required equipment is not available when required. | Severe | Possible | R | Engineering Hazards and Science | Infrastructure strategy and asset management plans in place. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Theft 739 | Theft of Council assets by members of the public. | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Internal controls include physical asset stocktakes as part of year end accounting procedures. Material mobile assets are fitted with Smartrak GPS tracking. | Moderate | Rare | r |



| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / | Residual | Residual | Residual Risk |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|-------------|------------|-------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------------|------------|---------------|
| | | | | | | Recommendations | Consequence | Likelihood | Status |
| Natural disaster response | CDEM is unable to respond | Severe | Likely | R | CE Office | CDEM review undertaken | Severe | Possible | r |
| failure | to an event and fails to | | | | | and Emergency | | | |
| 740 | meet its statutory | | | | | Management Otago has | | | |
| | obligations. | | | | | been established. | | | |
| Underinsurance / assets | Risk that assets are not | Major | Likely | R | Corporate | Insurance cover is review | Major | Possible | r |
| not insured | fully replaceable in the | | | | Services | annually by staff and Audit | | | |
| 741 | event of loss. | | | | | and Risk Committee. | | | |
| Power failure | Leads to the inability to | Minor | Often | R | Corporate | Infrastructure strategy and | Minor | Likely | r |
| 742 | deliver services, | | | | Services | asset management plans | | | |
| | particularly core functions. | | | | | in place. | | | |
| Terrorist attack / bomb | Key infrastructure may be | Severe | Rare | R | Corporate | Procurement policy and | Severe | Rare | r |
| threat | targeted and / or Council | | | 1 | Services | guidelines in place. Being | | | |
| 743 | staff. | | | | | updated and an electronic | | | |
| | | | | | | procurement system | | | |
| | | | | | | implemented. | | | |
| Tender evaluation | Poor tender planning can | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate | Procurement policy and | Moderate | Possible | r |
| requirements not defined | lead to overpayment for | | | 1 | Services | guidelines in place. Being | | | |
| 744 | goods and services or | | | | | updated and an electronic | | | |
| | unnecessary expenditure. | | | | | procurement system | | | |
| | | | | | | implemented. | | | |
| Overpayment for goods | Inefficient use of public | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate | Procurement policy and | Minor | Possible | r |
| and services | funds. | | | 10 | Services | guidelines in place. Being | | | |
| 745 | | | | | | updated and an electronic | | | |
| | | | | | | procurement system | | | |
| | | | | | | implemented. | | | |
| Failure to comply with | Could lead to challenge of | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate | Procurement policy and | Minor | Possible | r |
| procurement legislation / | tender award adding | | | 10 | Services | guidelines in place. Being | | | |
| processes | additional time and cost to | | | | | updated and an electronic | | | |
| 746 | service delivery. | | | | | procurement system | | | |
| | | | | | | implemented. | | | |
| Conflicts of interest in | Council may not receive | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate | Conflict of Interest Policy | Moderate | Rare | r |
| tender award process | the best value for money | | | | Services | being introduced as part of | | | |
| 747 | and the process itself may | | | | | procurement work | | | |
| | be subject to challenge. | | | | | currently underway. | | | |
| | May lead to retendering | | | | | | | | |
| | which adds time and cost | | | | | | | | |
| | and may impact service | | | | | | | | |
| | delivery. | | | | | | | | |



| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / | Residual | Residual | Residual Risk |
|---|--|-------------|------------|-------------|-----------------------|--|-------------|------------|---------------|
| | | | | | | Recommendations | Consequence | Likelihood | Status |
| Failure / closure of service provider 748 | Likely to require a change in supplier which adds time and cost and may impact service delivery. | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Procurement policy and guidelines in place. Being updated and an electronic procurement system implemented. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Unethical service provider actions 749 | Harm to Council's reputation through association and may lead to the a change in supplier which adds time and cost and may impact service delivery. | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Procurement policy and guidelines in place. Being updated and an electronic procurement system implemented. | Minor | Rare | r |
| Services not meeting quality requirements 750 | Likely to require a change in supplier which adds time and cost and may impact service delivery. | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Procurement policy and guidelines in place. Being updated and an electronic procurement system implemented. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Non-delivery of goods and services by supplier 751 | Likely to require a change in supplier which adds time and cost and may impact service delivery. | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Procurement policy and guidelines in place. Being updated and an electronic procurement system implemented. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Breach of contract 752 | Likely to require a change in supplier which adds time and cost and may impact service delivery. | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Council aims to use its own standard contracts to ensure Council's interests are the primary objective. Contract reviews are included in contracts and procurement procedures. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Legislative requirements not clear / not understood 753 | Particularly regarding RMA, LGA and LTMA. Could lead to poor/incorrect decisions, ineffective policy and legal challenge. | Major | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Monitor legislative development processes, seek external advice as required. This may increase with the change in government. | Moderate | Likely | r |
| Conflicting requirements of different legislation 754 | Particularly regarding RMA, LGA and LTMA. Could lead to conflicting decisions and policy and additional time and cost as a result of legal challenge. | Major | Likely | R | Corporate Services | Monitor case law and seek independent legal advice for clarification as required. | Moderate | Likely | r |



| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / | Residual | Residual | Residual Risk |
|---|--|-------------|------------|-------------|---|---|-------------|------------|---------------|
| • | | | | | | Recommendations | Consequence | Likelihood | Status |
| Actions taken exceeding mandated authority 755 | Could lead to legal challenge regarding Councils action. | Major | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Monitor legislative development processes, seek external advice as required. | Major | Rare | r |
| Disputed authority between multiple agencies / departments 756 | Impacts on ability to provide co governed or co funded activity. There may also be competing or conflicting interests. | Moderate | Likely | R | Corporate Services | Ensure ongoing communication and involvement in decision processes where possible and appropriate. | Moderate | Possible | r |
| Delays in finalising legislation 757 | Particularly regarding RMA, LGA and LTMA. Increased time adds uncertainty while legislation is being finalised and unacceptable delays may occur during this period. | Major | Often | R | Policy Planning and Resource Management | Monitor legislative development processes, submissions to the Crown, collaboration with other Councils, develop and maintain relationships with stakeholders. | Major | Likely | r |
| Changes in legislation 758 | Particularly regarding RMA, LGA and LTMA. Change creates uncertainty while being enacted and the process for implementing change increases cost and / or likelihood of not delivering core services. | Major | Often | R | Policy Planning and Resource Management | Monitor legislative development processes, submissions to the Crown, collaboration with other Councils, develop and maintain relationships with stakeholders. | Major | Likely | r |
| Poor process design 759 | Impacts the ability to deliver services, may add time / cost to service delivery or prevent service delivery completely. | Moderate | Possible | R | Engineering Hazards and Science | Process reviews ongoing and part of annual and long term plan process. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Poor process integration 760 | Impacts the ability to deliver services, may add time / cost to service delivery or prevent service delivery completely. | Moderate | Possible | R | Engineering Hazards and Science | Process reviews ongoing and part of annual and long term plan process. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Project budget over-runs 761 | Inefficient use of public funds and potential rates increases. | Moderate | Often | R | Engineering Hazards and Science | Required actions defined and monitored monthly. | Moderate | Possible | r |
| Failure of project 762 | Inefficient use of public funds and non delivery of expected services. | Severe | Likely | R | Engineering Hazards and Science | Required actions defined and monitored monthly. | Severe | Possible | r |



| Council | | | | | | | | | |
|--|--|-------------|------------|-------------|---|---|-------------|------------|---------------|
| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / | Residual | Residual | Residual Risk |
| | | | | | | Recommendations | Consequence | Likelihood | Status |
| Project scope not defined 763 | Could lead to required services not being provided ie Lindsay Creek flood protection. Corrective action may be expensive. Inefficient use of public funds and non delivery of expected services. | Severe | Likely | R | Engineering Hazards and Science | Defined and reviewed as part of annual and long term plan processes. | Moderate | Possible | r |
| Harbour navigation incident 764 | Navigation incident could include a ship running aground, ships colliding or sinking. | Severe | Likely | R | Environmental Monitoring and Operations | Maintenance of navigation aids / lights (currently contracted to Port Otago). Harbour Safety currently being reviewed and insurance in place for harbour incidents. | Severe | Rare | r |
| Large scale oil spill 765 | Potential environmental damage could occur as a result. | Severe | Likely | R | Environmental Monitoring and Operations | Incident response plan in plan, staff appointed and trained. | Severe | Rare | r |
| Flood protection failure 766 | Failure of flood protection structures during flooding causing danger to the public and significant damage to property and Council assets. | Severe | Likely | R | Engineering Hazards and Science | Infrastructure strategy, asset management plans, insurance in place. | Severe | Possible | r |
| Conflicts of interest in regulatory process 1288 | Council process itself may be subject to challenge. May lead to legal challenge which adds time and cost and may impact service delivery. | Major | Possible | R | Policy Planning and Resource Management | Conflict of Interest Policy being introduced as part of procurement work currently underway. | Moderate | Rare | r |



4. Knowledge and System Risks

| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / Recommendations | Residual Consequence | Residual Likelihood | Residual Risk Status |
|---|--|-------------|------------|-------------|-----------------------|---|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Inadequate system security 767 | Potential system failures caused by hacking, viruses or other security failures | Major | Possible | R | Corporate Services | IT BCP, virus software, firewalls, system process and password protection in place. Cyber security review being undertaken. | Moderate | Possible | r |
| Confidential information not adequately protected 768 | Breach of privacy and potential for legal action as a result. | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate Services | IT BCP, virus software, firewalls, system process and password protection in place. Increasing risk. Cyber review is being undertaken. | Moderate | Possible | r |
| IT systems not integrated 769 | Impacts the ability to deliver services, may add time / cost to service delivery or prevent service delivery completely. | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Process reviews ongoing and part of annual and long term plan process. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Network failure or unavailability 770 | Impacts the ability to deliver services, may add time / cost to service delivery or prevent service delivery completely. | Major | Likely | R | Corporate Services | IT BCP, virus software , firewalls, system process and password protection in place. | Major | Possible | r |
| IT security breach or failure 771 | Unauthorised system access. Impacts the ability to deliver services, may add time / cost to service delivery or prevent service delivery completely. | Major | Likely | R | Corporate Services | IT BCP, virus software , firewalls, system process and password protection in place. | Major | Possible | r |
| IT system / software obsolescence 772 | Impacts the ability to deliver services, may add time / cost to service delivery or prevent service delivery completely. Legacy systems are major area of risk including environmental data and ticketing. | Severe | Likely | R | Corporate Services | IT strategy in place (requires review and update). Ticketing system is being replaced and environmental data system is being reviewed. | Severe | Possible | r |



| Risk Description | Risk Overview | Consequence | Likelihood | Risk Status | Owner | Comments / Recommendations | Residual Consequence | Residual Likelihood | Residual Risk Status |
|---|--|-------------|------------|-------------|-----------------------|--|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Ineffective IT disaster recovery plan 773 | Impacts the ability to deliver services, may add time / cost to service delivery or prevent service delivery completely. | Severe | Likely | R | Corporate Services | IT BCP developed, hardware hosted offsite with major service provider. | Major | Possible | r |
| IT solution does not support business requirements 774 | Includes poor choice of software / IT solution. Impacts the ability to deliver services, may add time / cost to service delivery or prevent service delivery completely. | Major | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Process reviews ongoing and part of annual and long term plan process. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| IT systems not scalable 775 | Cannot meet increased capacity requirements. Impacts the ability to deliver services, may add time / cost to service delivery or prevent service delivery completely. | Moderate | Possible | R | Corporate Services | Process reviews ongoing and part of annual and long term plan process. | Moderate | Rare | r |
| Loss of data / information 776 | Impacts the ability to deliver services, may add time / cost to service delivery or prevent service delivery completely. | Major | Likely | R | Corporate Services | IT BCP, virus software , firewalls, system process and password protection in place. | Moderate | Possible | r |

11.2. Treasury Report - June 2018

Prepared for: Audit and Risk Sub-Committee

Activity: Governance Report

Prepared by: Stuart Latham, Finance Manager

Date: 13 September 2018

1. Précis

Short term investments held by the Council are in the form of term deposits held with banking institutions, and managed on the Council's behalf by a separate investment arm of the BNZ under a multi-bank arrangement.

Council also has a Managed Fund portfolio, externally managed by the Bank of New Zealand.

This report provides information on the management and performance of the Council's short term deposits and the managed fund, for the twelve months ended 30 June 2018.

2. Short Term Investments

2.1 General Comments

The day-to-day working capital cash requirement of the Council, including forecasting cash movements in the short term based on forecast revenues and expenditure, is managed by finance staff.

Council's cash-flow in terms of receipts and payments fluctuates significantly during the year, particularly with significant revenue streams such as rates and dividends coming in at particular times, and large payments such as GST output tax collected on rates income, becoming payable at one time.

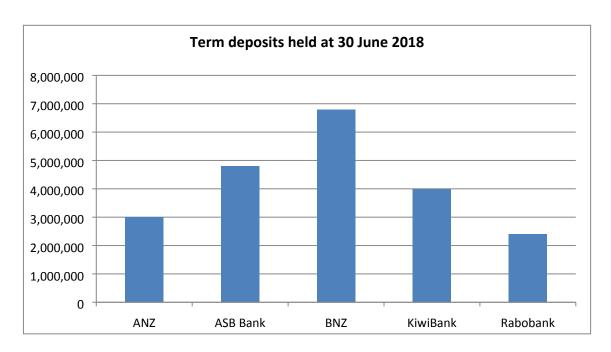
Funds surplus to immediate cash requirements are deposited into the term deposit portfolio. The BNZ seeks competitive quotes from participating banks for new deposits and places new funds accordingly, based on the quotes received and other factors to ensure the portfolio is maintained within agreed parameters.

BNZ provides monthly reports on the composition and performance of the term deposit portfolio.

2.2 Portfolio Composition

The amount held on term deposit at 30 June 2018 was \$21,000,000 comprising 18 individual deposits – ranging from \$300,000 to \$3,000,000 each.

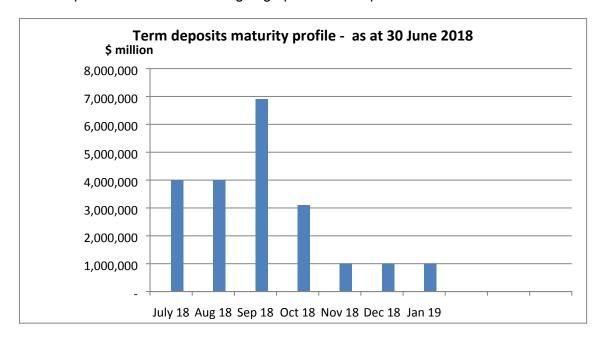
The following chart shows the total amount held with each institution at 30 June 2018.



2.3 Term Deposits – Maturity Profile

The maturity profile chart below shows the spread of maturity dates of the deposits.

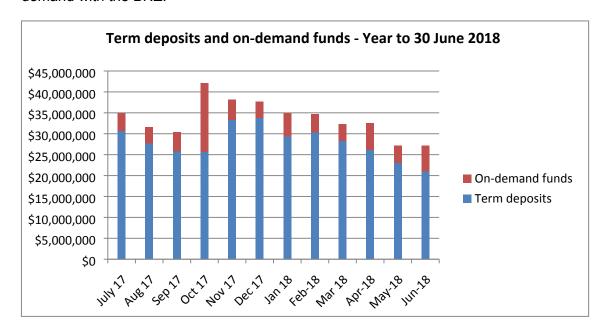
The arrangement with the BNZ ensures that sufficient amounts mature on a monthly basis to provide funds to meet ongoing operational requirements.



2.4 Term Deposits and On-Call Funds

A sufficient amount of funds is held on-demand to meet operational day-to-day requirements of the Council. The timing of term deposit transactions and significant cash transactions necessarily results in fluctuations in both the term deposit element of total funds held and the amount held on-demand.

The chart below shows the amount held at the end of each month during the twelve months to 30 June 2018, identifying the term deposit amount and the amount held ondemand with the BNZ.



The significant amount of on-demand funds held at 31 October 2017 was due to a large amount of rate receipts being received leading up to the due date of 31 October and being placed on term deposit in early November.

2.5 Interest Earned and Interest Rates

Interest earned on bank balances and term deposits during the twelve months to 30 June 2018 amounted to \$1,069,000.

The following graph shows the monthly and year-to-date weighted average interest rates earned on term deposits during the year.



The graph shows that the monthly rates increased from 3.69% in July 2017 to 3.75% in October 2017, and then declined to 3.54% in June 2018.

The monthly fluctuations are reflected in the year-to-date line which shows the rate peaking in October 2017, and then declining over the remainder of the year.

The Official Cash Rate set by the Reserve Bank began the year at 1.75% and remained at that level throughout the twelve-month period to 30 June 2018.

3. Managed Fund Portfolio

The Council's managed fund comprises a portfolio of financial instruments managed externally by the Bank of New Zealand. The BNZ provides quarterly reports on the performance and composition of the fund.

The following information is summarised from the BNZ portfolio review for the quarterly report to June 2018.

3.1 Portfolio Performance

The BNZ portfolio report refers to returns achieved net of portfolio management fees charged to the fund.

The returns for the quarter amounted to \$950,473, or 4.76%, before tax, and 4.67% after tax.

It is noted that in regular financial reporting to Council during the year, the net after tax gain is reported within the revenue sections of the report, with the portfolio management fee being included within expenditure.

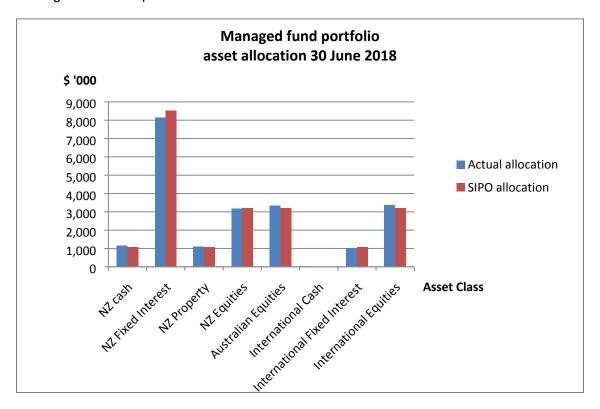
3.2 Portfolio Summary

The following table, extracted from the BNZ report, shows the valuation of the fund by asset class as at 30 June 2018 and the percentage of each asset class held. The table compares the percentage of each asset class held with the asset allocation percentage specified in the Statement of Investment Policies and Objectives (SIPO).

The variance columns show the actual variances from the SIPO allocation – in terms of the percentage and the effect on the valuation.

| ı | Managed Fun | d Portfo | olio Summary | | | | | | |
|------------------------------|-------------|----------|--------------|--------|-----------|----------|--|--|--|
| As at 30 June 2018 | | | | | | | | | |
| | Actual | | | | | Variance | | | |
| | Allocation | on | Allocatio | on | over / (u | nder) | | | |
| Asset class | Amount \$ | % | Amount \$ | % | Amount \$ | % | | | |
| NZ cash | 1,172,055 | 5.50 | 1,065,537 | 5.00 | 106,518 | 0.50 | | | |
| NZ Fixed Interest | 8,151,718 | 38.25 | 8,524,294 | 40.00 | (372,576) | (1.75) | | | |
| NZ Property | 1,093,745 | 5.13 | 1,065,537 | 5.00 | 28,208 | 0.13 | | | |
| NZ Equities | 3,182,475 | 14.93 | 3,196,610 | 15.00 | (14,135) | (0.07) | | | |
| Australian Equities | 3,332,079 | 15.63 | 3,196,610 | 15.00 | 135,469 | 0.63 | | | |
| International Cash | 1,173 | 0.01 | - | 0.00 | 1,173 | 0.01 | | | |
| International Fixed Interest | 1,011,449 | 4.75 | 1,065,537 | 5.00 | (54,088) | (0.25) | | | |
| International Equities | 3,366,041 | 15.80 | 3,196,610 | 15.00 | 169,431 | 0.80 | | | |
| | 21,310,735 | 100.00 | 21,310,735 | 100.00 | | | | | |

The following chart graphically represents the actual asset allocation within the managed fund compared with the allocation set out in the SIPO.



Recommendation

That the report be received.

Endorsed by: Nick Donnelly

Director Corporate Services

Attachments

Nil

12. RESOLUTION TO EXCLUDE THE PUBLIC

That the public be excluded from the following parts of the proceedings of this meeting, namely:

- Item 2.1 Annual Report and Audit Management Letter
- Item 2.2 Long Term Plan Audit Management Letter
- Item 2.3 Investment Management Tender shortlist selection
- Item 2.4 BNZ Managed Fund Report
- Item 2.5 Health & Safety Report

The general subject of each matter to be considered while the public is excluded, the reason for passing this resolution in relation to each matter, and the specific grounds under section 48(1) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 for the passing of this resolution are as follows:

| General subject of each matter to be considered | Reason for passing this resolution in relation to each matter | Ground(s) under section 48(1) for the passing of this resolution |
|--|--|--|
| Annual Report and Audit Management Letter Long Term Plan Audit Management Letter; | protect information which is subject to an obligation of confidence or which any person has been or could be compelled to provide under the authority of any enactment, where the making available of the information—(i) would be likely to prejudice the supply of similar information, or information from the same source, and it is in the public interest that such information should continue to be supplied | Section 48(1)(a); Section 7(2)(b)(ii) 7(2)(c)(i) 7(2)(f)(ii) 7(2)(h) 7(2)(i) |
| Investment Management Tender Shortlist Selection; | To protect information where the making available of the information—would be likely unreasonably to prejudice the commercial position of the person who supplied or who is the subject of the information – Section 7(2)(b)(ii) | |
| | To enable any local authority holding the information to carry on, without prejudice or disadvantage, negotiations (including commercial and industrial negotiations) – Section 7(2)(i) | |
| | To enable any local authority holding the information to carry out, without prejudice or disadvantage, commercial activities – Section 7(2)(h) | |
| | To protect information where the making available of the information—would be likely unreasonably to prejudice the commercial position of the person who | |

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supplied or who is the subject of the information – Section 7(2)(b)(ii)

To enable any local authority holding the information to carry out, without prejudice or disadvantage, commercial activities – Section 7(2)(h)

Section 7(2)(c)(i)

protect information which is subject to an obligation of confidence or which any person has been or could be compelled to provide under the authority of any enactment, where the making available of the information— (i) would be likely to prejudice the supply of similar information, or information from the same source, and it is in the public interest that such information should continue to be supplied; or

Section 7(2)(c)(i)

protect information which is subject to an obligation of confidence or which any person has been or could be compelled to provide under the authority of any enactment, where the making available of the information— (i) would be likely to prejudice the supply of similar information, or information from the same source, and it is in the public interest that such information should continue to be supplied; or

Health & Safety Report

Section (2)(f)(ii)
maintain the effective conduct of public
affairs through—
the protection of such members,
officers, employees, and persons from
improper pressure or harassment; or

This resolution is made in reliance on section 48(1)(a) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 and the particular interest or interests protected by section 6 or section 7 of that Act or section 6 or section 9 of the Official Information Act 1982, as the case may require, which would be prejudiced by the holding of the whole or the relevant part of the proceedings of the meeting in public are as follows:

Annual Report and Audit Management Letter;

Long Term Plan Audit Management Letter;

Investment Management Tender Shortlist Selection;

BNZ Managed Fund Report - June 2018.

Health & Safety Report

I also move that staff be permitted to remain at this meeting, after the public has been excluded, because of their knowledge of n relation to the matter to be discussed.

To protect information where the making available of the information—would be likely unreasonably to prejudice the commercial position of the person who supplied or who is the subject of the information — Section 7(2)(b)(ii) To enable any local authority holding the information to carry out, without prejudice or disadvantage, commercial activities — Section 7(2)(b) To enable any local authority holding the information to carry on, without prejudice or disadvantage, negotiations (including commercial and industrial negotiations) — Section 7(2)(i)

13. NOTICES OF MOTION

14. CLOSURE