

YOUTH COUNCIL
STANDING COMMITTEE

Monday 19 September 2022

commencing at 6.30 pm

Council Chambers

1 Rosebank Terrace

BALCLUTHA

CLUTHA DISTRICT COUNCIL

YOUTH COUNCIL

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Youth Council will be held in the Council Chambers, 1 Rosebank Terrace, Balclutha, on Monday 19 September 2022 commencing at 6.30 pm, preceded with a workshop at 5.00pm.

Steve Hill
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Committee Members

Mirissa Burgess	Caitlin McDonald
Yui Nakajima	Isabella Jenks
Lawrence Area School Vacancy	Lawrence Area School vacancy
Brayden Ferguson	Ryan Williams
Tokomairiro High School Vacancy	Lucious Mann
Telford Vacancy	Telford vacancy
Lilly Paterson	Nancy Antill
Councillor Ken Payne	Councillor Gaynor Finch

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Item for CONFIRMATION

Report	Confirmation of Minutes
Meeting Date	19 September 2022
Item Number	1
Prepared By	Lilly Paterson - Corporate Services Administrator
File Reference	703734

REPORT SUMMARY

Attached are the minutes of the meeting of the Youth Council held on 8 August 2022 for confirmation.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the Youth Council confirms as a true and correct record the minutes of the meeting held 8 August 2022.

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Minutes of the meeting of Youth Council of the Clutha District Council held in the Council Chambers, 1 Rosebank Terrace, Balclutha, on Monday 8 August 2022 commencing at 6.33 pm.

Present Youth Councillor Ryan Williams (Chairperson), Youth Councillors Nancy Antill, Brayden Ferguson, Lucious Mann (via zoom), Yui Nakajima (via zoom), Lilly Paterson and Councillor Gaynor Finch.

In Attendance His Worship the Mayor Bryan Cadogan, Steve Hill (Chief Executive), Jean Proctor (Community Support & Development Advisor), and Lilly Paterson (Corporate Services Administrator).

Apologies Youth Councillors Mirissa Burgess, Isabella Jenks, Caitlin McDonald and Councillor Ken Payne.

Moved Youth Councillors Finch/Antill and Resolved:

“That the apologies be sustained.”

URGENT BUSINESS

There was no urgent business.

PUBLIC FORUM

There was no public forum.

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

The minutes of a meeting of the Youth Council held on 27 June 2022 were presented for confirmation.

Moved Youth Councillors Paterson/Antill and Resolved:

“That the Youth Council confirms as a true and correct record the minutes of the meeting held 27 June 2022.”

2. METHAMPHETAMINE AWARENESS CAMPAIGN REPORT

For the benefit of new Youth Councillors, this report provides the history and status of the Clutha District Youth Council Methamphetamine Awareness Campaign as included in the Community Development Work Program.

- Jean Proctor (Community Support & Development Advisor) confirmed that the AMPED 4 LIFE community awareness talks would be going ahead, with three community talks and one school talk in October

Moved Youth Councillors Antill/Mann and Resolved:

“That the Youth Council receives the Methamphetamine Awareness Campaign report.”

3. QUIZ NIGHT 2022 REPORT

The report advises of the Youth Council’s planned Quiz Night.

- Jean Proctor (Community Support & Development Advisor) confirmed that Youth Councillor Lilly Paterson in her role at council will be the contact person for registrations/entries, due to Jean being away over this period.

Moved Youth Councillors Paterson/Mann and Resolved:

“That Youth Council receives the Quiz night 2022 report.”

“That Youth Council plans for 2022 in relation to this event.”

4. BALCLUTHA BRIDGE PARK

The Community Support and Development Advisor submitted a report outlining details of the Balclutha Bridge destination park project.

Moved Youth Councillors Antill/Mann and Resolved:

“That Youth Council receives the Balclutha Bridge Park Project report.”

“That Youth Council plan with Balclutha Rotary to move this project forward.”

5. THE RIPPLE EFFECT PROPOSAL 2022

The Community Support and Development Advisor submitted a report introducing The Ripple Effect 2022 proposal.

Moved Youth Councillors Antill/Ferguson and Resolved:

“That Youth Council receives the Ripple Effect Proposal report.”

6. ITEM 8 IN AGENDA RUNNING ORDER: CACTUS PROGRAMME

The Community Support and Development Advisor submitted a report introducing the Cactus Programme.

- Craig Gordon, Ginny Young (Of Sport Clutha) and two Balclutha Police reps were present at the meeting to report to Youth Council with what they envision. The Youth

Council agreed that they would support this project and are to discuss further how it may fit into the current Diversity Item in respect to wellbeing.

Moved Youth Councillors Finch/Paterson and Resolved

“That the Youth Council receives the Cactus Programme report.”

“That the Youth Council, following on from Craig Gordons presentation, discuss and decide any further involvement in the project.”

7. ITEM 6 IN AGENDA RUNNING ORDER: CANCER AND RAISING AWARENESS

The Community Support and Development Advisor submitted a report introducing The Cancer Awareness proposal.

Moved Youth Councillors Paterson/Antill and Resolved

“That the Youth Council receives The Cancer and Raising Awareness report.”

“That the Youth Council discuss and decide on any further involvement and planning.”

8. ITEM 7 IN AGENDA RUNNING ORDER: ISSUES IMPACTING ON CLUTHA DISTRICT YOUTH AND COMMUNITY

The Community Support and Development Adviosr submitted the report.

- In the pre meeting workshop Youth Councillors decided that they would design a Clutha Oath and Pledge, that had a distinctive ribbon/logo to go with it.
- Along with this the Youth Council decided they would promote the new oath, logo and ribbon by having a float in the Balclutha Santa Parade to be held on December the 3rd.

Moved Youth Councillors Paterson/Ferguson and Resolved

“That the Youth Council receives the Issues impacting on youth and community report.”

“That the Youth Council, following on from the topic specific workshop, discuss further involvement in the project.”

9. ASPIRING LEADERS FORUM 2022

The Clutha District Council supported delegates Lilly Paterson and Nancy Antill of the Clutha District to attend the Aspiring Leaders forum held in Wellington from the 30 June to the 3 July 2022.

- Both Nancy and Lilly gave a report to Youth Council on their time at the Aspiring Leaders Forum. Both had very positive experiences. Thanking Council and the Otago Community Trust for the opportunity to go.

Moved Youth Councillors Mann/Finch and Resolved

“That the Youth Council receives the Aspiring Leaders Forum 2022 report.”

10. YOUTH COUNCIL MEMBERS UPDATE

Members of the Youth Council are asked to give a verbal report to the meeting.

- Discussion was held around Youth Council along with the Clutha District Council communications creating a webpage linked to the CDC website opposed to a Facebook page. Everyone was in support.

11. YOUTH COUNCIL MEETING DATES 2022

The report outlines the meeting dates for the Youth Council meetings in 2022.

Moved Youth Councillors Antill/Mann and Resolved

“That the Youth Council receives the Youth Council Meeting Dates 2022 report.”

The meeting closed at 7.54 pm.

Confirmed

Ryan Williams

CHAIRPERSON

Youth Council

Item for INFORMATION

Report	Methamphetamine Awareness Campaign Report
Meeting Date	19 September 2022
Item Number	2
Prepared By	Jean Proctor – Community Support and Development Advisor
File Reference	750120

REPORT SUMMARY

For the benefit of new Youth Councillors, this report provides the history and status of the Clutha District Youth Council Methamphetamine Awareness Campaign as included in the Community Development Work Program.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Youth Council receives the Methamphetamine Awareness Campaign report.

REPORT

1. Background

2022

Planning for the AMPED 4 LIFE community awareness talks are well underway for the week of 17 October to 21 October 2022.

“NOT EVEN ONCE” billboards have been designed and are being printed. They will be installed the week prior to the Methamphetamine Awareness talks.

They will be installed and alternated in the sign frames used by the Council Road Safety campaign. This will be in Lawrence, Owaka, Tapanui, Kaitangata, Milton and Balclutha.

Current known cost for this is \$5,223 for the design and printing of the signs.

In addition, there will be a cost to have them set up in the frames at each location.

Available funding for the project is \$7,000 included in the Long Term Plan 2021/2031 and \$268.00 raised from the raffle held last year.

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Item for DECISION

Report	Quiz Night 2022 Report
Meeting Date	19 September 2022
Item Number	3
Prepared By	Jean Proctor – Community Support and Development Advisor
File Reference	750121

REPORT SUMMARY

The report advises of the Youth Council's planned Quiz Night.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1. That Youth Council received the Quiz Night 2022 Report.**
- 2. That Youth Council finalises plans for 2022 in relation to this event.**

REPORT

1 Background

1.1 Event:

The report advises of the Youth Council's planned Quiz Night.

The Quiz Night to be held to raise funds in support of the Methamphetamine Awareness Campaign, Billboard project will be held on Friday the 23rd of September 2022.

A significant number of items for prizes were donated for the quiz as well as for the cancelled Youth Week event, some of the items were used late 2021 for a raffle which raised \$268.00 to go towards the Billboard project.

Quiz Night details to be decided at this meeting are:

Coordinator for the event – as Jean will be away on leave from the 16th September to the 3rd of October, it is suggested that Lilly Paterson in her Council role be the contact for registrations/entries.

Confirmed attendees on the night so far:

- Lilly, Ryan, Brayden, Mirissa, Caitlin, Yui, Izzy, Gaynor & Ken

Food:

- SOTC will cater on the night, 50 savouries and 2 loaves worth of sandwiches, to be brought out at 8pm. Youth Council is to provide chips for tables.

Drinks:

- SOTC have a liquor licence for drinks/refreshments to be purchased by attendees, not provided by us as organisers

Raffles:

- Please bring all raffle prizes that you have collected to the Youth Council Meeting on the 19th
- Lilly and Jean sorted through the prizes and there is a good assortment
- Reminder that the raffles are drawn at random, and winners pick what they want no 1st, 2nd, 3rd format.
- Buy an answer is \$2 – teams are only allowed to buy 1 answer per round.

Promotion:

- Please promote the quiz in your schools, on Facebook etc share it round as much as you can, as it is your job as youth councillors to bring in teams!
- We have already had a generous donation from one of Lilly's Aspiring leader facilitators who had seen her post on Facebook

Jobs:

- Registration table & scorers – Ryan, Mirissa, Caitlin & Gaynor
- Raffles – Brayden & Ken
- Food top ups/clearing tables/runners – Yui & Izzy
- Event co-ordinator – Lilly (help/oversee everything)

Remember winning quiz teams are 1st \$100, 2nd \$50, 3rd \$50. (Donated by the Clutha Youth Community Fund.

CLUTHA YOUTH COUNCIL QUIZ NIGHT

7pm Friday 23rd September 2022
South Otago Town & Country Club

Maximum 5 people in a team—Cost \$5 per person

1st prize—\$100.00

2nd prize—\$50.00, 3rd prize—\$50.00

Prize money—donated by Clutha Youth Community
Venue—donated by South Otago Town & Country Club
Quiz Master—Bruce Graham

There will be raffles on sale
and the option of purchasing answers should you need.

Register your team with your Youth Councillor or to
Jean Proctor — jean.proctor@cluthadc.govt.nz
Or phone Clutha District Council 0800 801 350



Quiz proceeds go towards the
Youth Council

"Not Even Once"
Methamphetamine Awareness
Campaign

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Item for DECISION

Report	The Ripple Effect 2022
Meeting Date	19 September 2022
Item Number	4
Prepared By	Jean Proctor – Community Support and Development Advisor
File Reference	750127

REPORT SUMMARY

The Community Support and Development Officer submitted a report introducing The Ripple Effect 2022 proposal.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1. That the Youth Council receives The Ripple Effect 2022 report.**

REPORT

Clutha District Council Road Safety Coordinator Rachel Harrison has met with Youth Council members to plan the project and delivery.

Updated plan and time frame is:

1. September: contact people to interview and coordinate this process.
2. October: complete interview and begin editing.
3. November: Organise an event to launch the project.

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Item for DECISION

Report	Cancer and Raising Awareness
Meeting Date	19 September 2022
Item Number	5
Prepared By	Jean Proctor – Community Support and Development Advisor
File Reference	750128

REPORT SUMMARY

The Community Support and Development Officer submitted a report about the Youth Council submission to Smokefree 2025

RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1. That the Youth Council receives The Cancer and Raising Awareness report.**
- 2. That the Youth Council discuss and decide on any further involvement and planning.**

REPORT

Linda Buxton of the Cancer Society led a workshop prior to the last meeting as a foundation for the Youth Council Smokefree 2025 Submission to government.

Lilly Paterson and Linda edited the workshop notes to use to compile the submission which was submitted on behalf of the Youth Council by Jean Proctor, Community Support and Development advisor.

Clutha District Youth Council

Smokefree 2025 Submission



On the 8 August Clutha District Youth Council workshopped the topics of a Smokefree New Zealand by 2025, in relation to Smokefree Environments and Regulated Products (smoked tobacco) Amendment Bill.

Comments and suggestions:

Making tobacco products less addictive:

Reducing nicotine to very low levels will mean that if someone tries smoking, they will be much less likely to get "hooked"

It will also make it much easier for people to stop smoking and become smokefree. The Nicotine is the part of tobacco that makes it incredibly addictive and takes people autonomy away

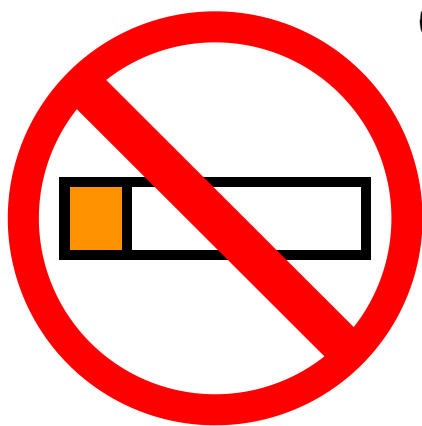
This is a truly game-changing measure. of all the proposed strategies in this Bill, low nicotine will have the largest impact on reducing deaths from cancer and will prevent young people from becoming addicted

Reducing the level of nicotine in cigarettes will help people become and stay Smokefree.

Lowering the levels of nicotine in cigarettes makes them less addictive, which makes them easier to quit.



When young people experiment with smoking, it won't turn into a lifelong addiction.

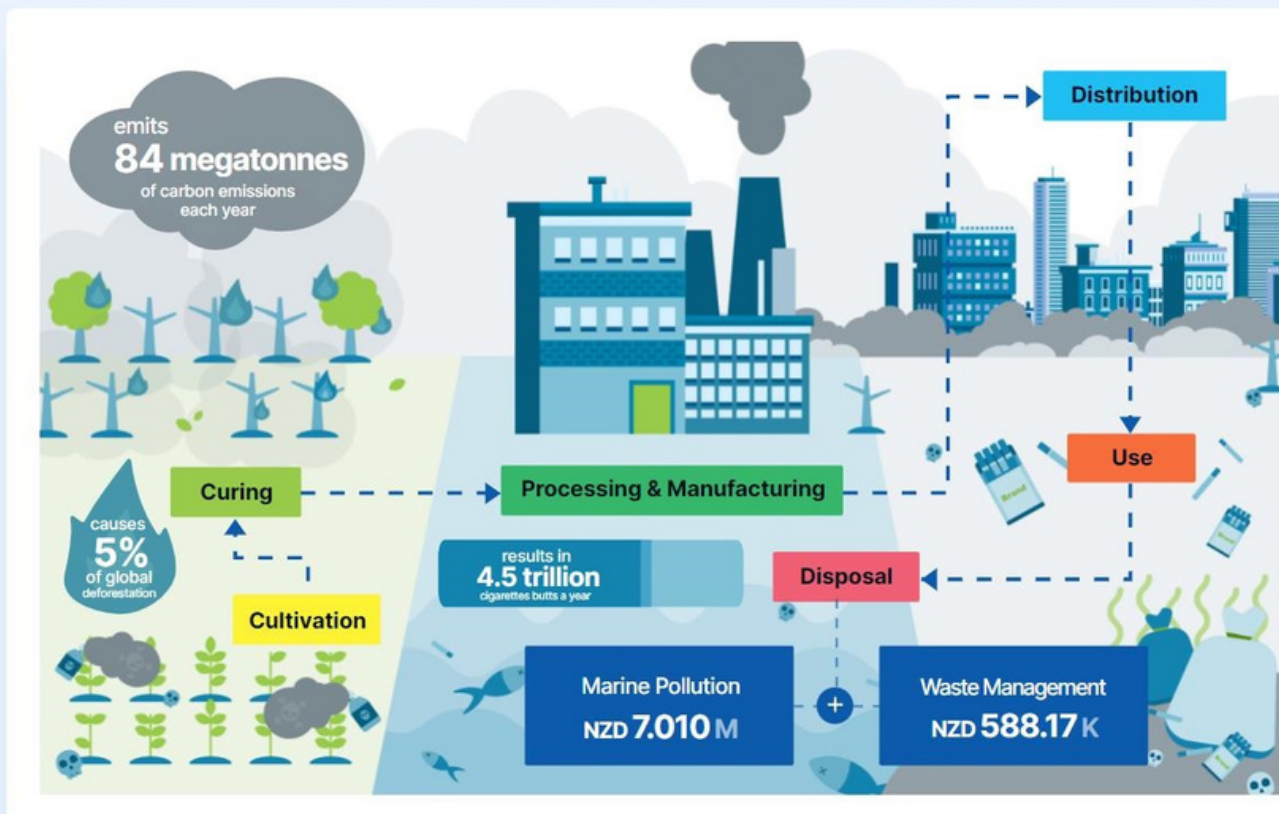


Evidence has shown that nicotine levels of 0.4mg or less is the optimal level for reducing addictiveness, and there is little evidence it will lead to compensatory smoking when nicotine levels are below 0.4mg.

Young people may still experiment with tobacco, but if they choose to stop they will not have a nicotine addiction, so stopping will be their choice

Click here to find out more about tobacco waste and the environment <https://tobacoplastics.ggtc.world/>

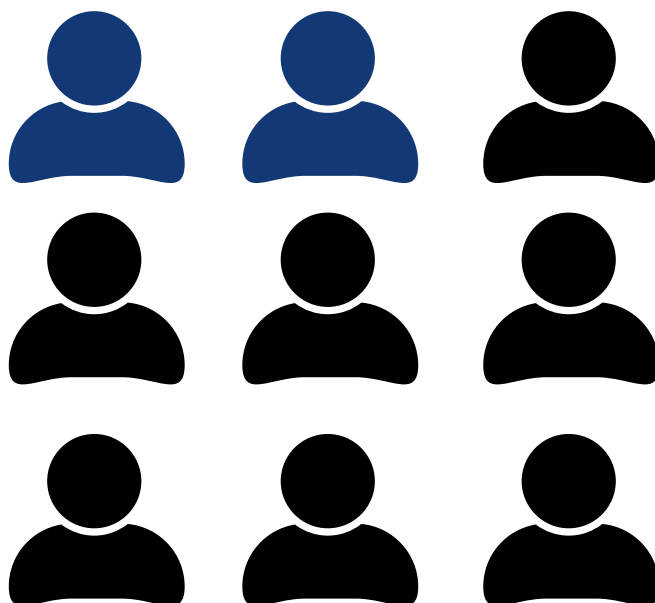
How should tobacco companies pay for their pollution in New Zealand?



Impact of removing tobacco from dairies:

We are asking for a reduction in the number of places selling tobacco. Tobacco is not a normal product. When used as directed it kills up to two thirds of its customers. Recommending tobacco is removed from dairies is an important part of reaching our Smokefree goal. The tobacco industry has worked hard to convince dairy owners of the importance tobacco has in their shops.

16% of the adult population in New Zealand smoke



Here is real evidence that tobacco in New Zealand is not as important to dairy owners as the tobacco industry makes out

Two independent and reviewed pieces of research about tobacco sales in dairies:

a. Robertson et. al (2019) found 14% of transactions contained tobacco and of that 14%

They were mostly only buying tobacco. Only 5% of all transactions included tobacco and an additional product.

This means 86% of sales were normal items with no tobacco

After excluding the cost of tobacco; the average tobacco + non-tobacco spend was \$5.11 on the non-tobacco items,

Whereas the average non-tobacco items spend was \$6.85.

Robertson, L. et al. (2019). Prevalence and characteristics of tobacco purchases in convenience stores: results of a post purchase intercept survey in Dunedin, New Zealand. *Tobacco control*, 28(6), 696-700.

SMOKING CAUSES

40%

OF STROKES IN PEOPLE AGED UNDER 65

b. Marsh et al. (2020) also found only 14% of transactions contained tobacco

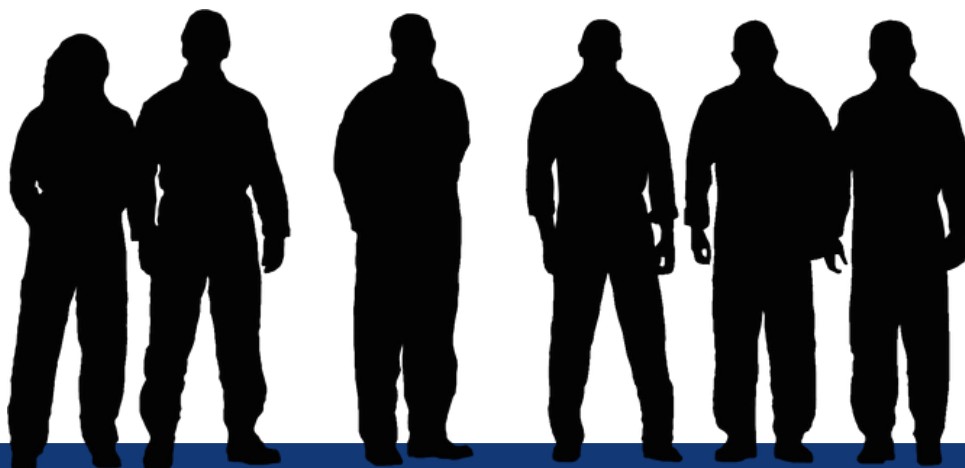
and of that 14% only 6% included both tobacco and other products.

Again 86% of sales were normal items with no tobacco.

After excluding the cost of tobacco, the average tobacco + non-tobacco spend was \$6.99 on the non-tobacco items,

Whereas the average non-tobacco items spend was \$5.07.

Marsh, L., et al. (2020). Is the tobacco 'footfall' argument justified for tobacco purchases in New Zealand convenience stores? *Tobacco Control*.



We need to put people before tobacco industry profit.

New Zealanders should no longer let the tobacco industry target our youth, Māori, Pasifika, and low-income communities through making tobacco readily available like in dairies.

Fewer retail outlets selling tobacco will mean that children are much less likely to start smoking and people who have quit will stay Smokefree.

The number of people smoking in Aotearoa is reducing and dairies have known about NZs goal to reach less than 5% smoking by 2025 for over a decade.

Vaping

Not only is tobacco smoking a problem for New Zealand but so is vaping

In local high schools within our district we have found how difficult it is for school students to go to the toilet due to students vaping

Vaping products are too easy to access. Support vape product sales only in R18 specialist vape stores with the exception in rural areas where some level of access needs to be maintained to support cessation services. Introduce proximity and density limits especially near schools and where young people congregate.

More support for young people who want to quit vaping and more programmes why vaping is not for people who do not smoke. We want a nicotine free generation.



On behalf of the Clutha District Youth Council, thank you for considering our Smokefree 2025 Submission. Lets create a better world for our tamariki to grow up in free from tobacco and vape harm

Youth Council

Item for DECISION

Report	Clutha District Youth Diversity Project
Meeting Date	19 September 2022
Item Number	6
Prepared By	Jean Proctor – Community Support and Development Advisor
File Reference	750129

REPORT SUMMARY

The Community Support and Development Officer submitted the report as being a follow on from the pre meeting workshop discussing the topics of:

1. Employment barriers and challenges within our district for people with disabilities.
2. Employment barriers and challenges within our district for people from the LGBTQ+ community.
3. The culture of acceptance of alcohol within our district.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the Youth Council receives the Issues impacting on youth and community report.
2. That the Youth Council, following on from the topic specific workshop, discuss further involvement in the project.

REPORT

At the workshop prior to the last meeting, members selected priorities on which to move forward on the issues 1 and 2 as detailed in the report summary

The workshop voted and selected the following 3 priorities

1. Create a slogan/oath for people/employers and partners to use.

Key points workshopped and identified being:

- As an employer within the Clutha District
- Inclusive
- Safe Environment
- Dignity
- Respect
- Not objectified by...
- Teamwork
- Empathetic
- Equal opportunities for all, regardless of age, gender, sexuality etc
- Respect and acknowledgement of all individuals
- Valuing everyone for who they are
- Focus on having accessible environments
- Discouraging condescending behaviour/treatment of disabled people
- Focus on fair treatment of everyone

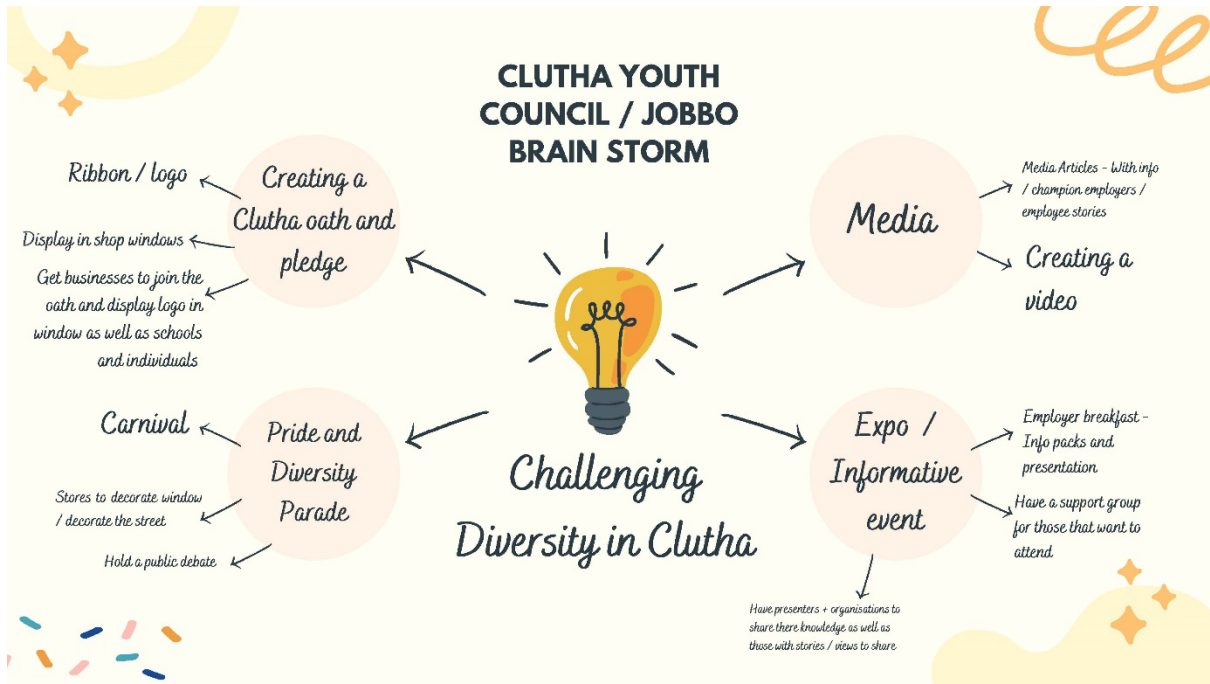
From this the following oath/statement has been developed for use.

*We at **(insert business name)**, an employer within the Clutha District, pledge to provide an inclusive, safe environment of equal opportunities for all.*

We also pledge that this will be delivered with dignity, respect and empathy with a high focus of fair treatment of everyone.

2. To take part in the Clutha Country Christmas Parade to be held on Saturday the 3rd of December, the theme of our float/participation will be diversity. Details to be planned at today's workshop and reported to the meeting.
3. Create an Emblem that easily identifies the purpose of and unifies our Diversity projects. Details to be planned at today's workshop and reported to the meeting.

The third issue - Raising awareness of the impact and issue of alcohol use within the Clutha District is still to be workshopped at a future date.



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Item for INFORMATION

Report	Youth Council Members Update
Meeting Date	19 September 2022
Item Number	7
Prepared By	Jean Proctor – Community Support & Development Advisor
File Reference	750132

REPORT SUMMARY

Members of the Youth Council are asked to give a verbal report to the meeting.

REPORT

1 Background

Reporting to include:

- Any events, programmes, or activities in your local area that Youth Council members might be interested in.
- Any issues or concerns in relation to youth within your community.

Youth Council

Item for INFORMATION

Report	Youth Council Meeting Dates 2022
Meeting Date	19 September 2022
Item Number	8
Prepared By	Lilly Paterson – Corporate Services Administrator
File Reference	750133

REPORT SUMMARY

The report outlines the meeting dates for the Youth Council meetings in 2022.

RECOMMENDATION

1. That the Youth Council receives the Youth Council Meeting Dates 2022 report.

REPORT

1. Background

Listed below are meeting dates and time frames for the 2022 Youth Council Meetings.

Date:	Venue	Hosted by
Monday 21 February	Council Chambers	South Otago High School
Monday 4 April	Council Chambers	Tokomairiro High School
Monday 16 May	Council Chambers	Blue Mountain College
Monday 27 June	Council Chambers	The Catlins Area School
Monday 8 August	Council Chambers	Workplace
Monday 19 September	Council Chambers	South Otago High School
Monday 31 October	Council Chambers	Tokomairiro High School

Please arrive early to the Council Chambers if you are hosting to help set up.

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19 September 2022

APOLOGIES

None at the time of printing this agenda.

PUBLIC FORUM

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