



## PITCAIRN ISLAND PUBLIC MEETING NOTES

Held at the Public Hall

Commencing at 10.00pm 14<sup>TH</sup> March 2019

**Present:**

Mayor Shawn Christian, Deputy Mayor Charlene Warren-Peu, Cr Kevin Young, Cr Michele Christian and Temp Cr Lea Brown, Island Secretary Heather Menzies and Administrator Nick Kennedy.

Andrew Christian, Bill Crow, Brenda Christian, Mike Lupton-Christian, Michele Christian, Melva Evans, Nadine Christian, Dr Ian Lawson, Jay Warren, Steve Christian, Meralda Warren, Kerry Young, Dave Brown, Mike Warren, Vaine Warren-Peu, Randy Christian, Jayden Warren-Peu, Kevin Young, Kimiora Warren-Peu.

**Apologies:** Cr L Jaques, Cr Sue O'Keefe

**Welcome:** The Mayor and Administrator welcomed the community to the meeting.

Henderson Island Reconnoitre Visit March 29 <sup>th</sup> or 30 <sup>th</sup>	<p>The Administrator advised that a series of reconnoitre visits to all islands will be undertaken by the Bravo Supporter These will take place over the next months with the first being a visit to Henderson Island scheduled for 30<sup>th</sup> March, with the Deputy Governor.</p> <p>He advised that anyone who is interested in joining the reconnoitre visits should contact him to register interest.</p> <p>It was asked whether pensioners, will be able to join the reconnoitre visits and this was confirmed.</p> <p>With regard to the ship's maiden voyage it was asked whether all the cargo will get unloaded in good time, given the ship will going to Henderson Island for a day. It was confirmed the intention was to get everything unloaded before departing for Henderson.</p> <p>There was general discussion about the reconnoitre visits and whether there is the possibility that the first one will be pushed out should weather conditions be unfavourable.</p> <p>The administrator advised that a letter is in development to outline agreed protocols for local engagement with Bravo Supporter and Crew.</p> <p>The Nationality of the Captain and Crew was noted.</p>
Henderson Island Expedition Update	Dates for the Henderson Plastics expedition were discussed. It was noted that expedition participant biographies will be posted on the notice board and feedback for the community will be established.
Bravo Supporter Update	The Administrator outlined progress with the bravo supporter

	<p>And noted that the ship will travel to Mangareva before coming to Pitcairn in order to pick-up the Deputy Governor and the SDA pastor and his wife.</p> <p>There was some discussion about the MOU with French Polynesia and opening trade with French Polynesia. Additionally, risks to the MOU were also discussed.</p> <p>There were discussions about weight restrictions for passengers' baggage – which will be clarified. Information about, protocols for crew members, importing animals, unloading cargo and the like were also discussed.</p> <p><u>ACTION:</u> The Administrator and Mayor will clarify MOU requirements and risk management and report back to the community.</p>
Renewable Energy Project & EDF 11 Focal Sector Funding	<p>The Mayor Reported the first tranche of EDF 11 Focal Sector Funding of Euros 1 Million has been received by PIO. Also Renewable Energy of Euro's 480,000 from EDF 11 Regional has been confirmed by the EU.</p> <p>It was noted this confirmation will enable the island to progress its renewable energy plans.</p> <p>It was noted that the increased freight capacity of the Bravo Supporter will enable EDF project materials to be delivered with far greater efficiency. This will greatly assist output delivery.</p>
GPI Gift Policy Consultation: Clarifications & Suggestions for Disposal.	<p>There was general discussion about the policy and its intention. It was agreed that the amended policy will be advertised on the public notice boards. It was agreed that a public auction will be held, in the not too distant future, to distribute products not suitable for long term storage etc.</p> <p><u>ACTION</u> Council will revise the Gift Policy following community feedback and post on the public noticeboard before approval.</p>
<b>BREXIT DEVELOPMENTS</b>	<p>There was general discussion about Brexit developments and pending deadlines.</p>

Meeting Closed: 11.00am  
Date of Next Regular Council Meeting: TBC  
Dates of Next workshop: TBC



Mayor Shawn Christian: *[Signature]*

Date: 9 / 5 / 2019