

LCA Chairman's Report 31st August 2023

It's been a busy month with LCA work. Rick and myself have had involvement in several projects.

We met with AT Engineers Alan Wallace and Bernard Pang on the 4th of August along with Colin and Lyndon, explained some of our concerns on the state of roading then Lyndon kindly took us on a short tour of what he considered the worst roads handiest to Wellsford.

It was a very worthwhile meeting and the result being further similar meetings on a regular basis, hopefully 6 to 8 weekly

We've been assisting with arrangements for the Candidates Meeting scheduled for 6th Sept in conjunction with Wellsford Plus. Some expense has been incurred with advertising this event

Rick has circulated invitations for membership of LCA extensively, this has involved discussions also with Tim's input

I've attended the Recent RLB meeting at Kumeu along with Lance and Bill Foster from NAG and Glen Ashton from RCV where we were supporting NAG's proposal of boundary changes in order to get more rural representation.

Michael Marris has continued with his investigation on Tomarata Aquifer concerns and will meet early October to discuss

This last Tuesday I was invited to present our concerns and proposals on rural roading to the AT board meeting in the city. I accompanied by Bill Foster, Glen Ashton and Colin all of whom I'd involved with the presentation.

It went well and we struck a good response from Chairman Wayne Donnelly a former Engineer with RDC along with Franklin Cr Andy Baker, Greg Sayers was supportive also but otherwise involved that day.

Our 3 groups are working well together each with their own strengths and abilities.

Again some expense has been incurred with printing and handouts for the meeting