



# Minutes

of the

## Judicial Committee

# Hearing

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| Date  | 18 November 2015                               |
| Venue | Council Chamber<br>515 Mackay Street<br>Thames |

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| <b>Present</b>             |                                     |
| MK McLean JP (Chairperson) | PA Brljevich<br>LA Fox<br>D Connors |

**In Attendance**  
Graham McDermott  
Erin Berry

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| <b>Meeting Commenced</b> | 15:30 |
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# **1 Meeting Conduct**

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## **1.1 Apologies**

All members were present.

## **1.2 Conflict of Interest**

No conflicts of interest were declared.

## 2 Hearing of Submissions

### 2.1 Hearing of Submissions to the Proposed Maritime Facilities Bylaw

The Judicial Committee was presented with the submissions received to the proposed Maritime Facilities Bylaw 2015 for the hearing of submitters. The purpose of the hearing is to give submitters an opportunity to present their submission verbally and answer any questions from elected members.

|                                      | Key Points  | Questions/Committee Response  |
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| Carl Jensen<br>(Thames Sailing Club) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Spoke to tabled submission</li><li>• Concerned with the environmental and social impacts of tourists, and the effects these may have on local activities such as fishing</li><li>• Noted that the cost of compliance should not fall on ratepayers</li><li>• Suggested a provision to the bylaw which acknowledges non-commercial use rights</li><li>• Suggested that the sentence "under the provisions of this bylaw" be added to section 25(1)a of the bylaw</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Committee noted that clarification would be sought regarding whether the Sailing club building at Tararu was Council or DoC owned land.</li></ul> |

#### Resolved

That the Thames-Coromandel District Council:

1. Receives the 'Hearing of submissions to the proposed Maritime Facilities Bylaw 2015' report, dated 10 November 2015.
2. Receives the submissions made to the proposed Maritime Facilities Bylaw 2015.

**Moved/seconded by:** McLean/Connors

**Meeting Closed at 15:38**

The foregoing Minutes were certified as being a true and correct record of the meeting of the Judicial Committee held on 18 November 2015.

Chairperson \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_