

Confirmed Public minutes of the Regional Transport Committee meeting on Tuesday 10 February 2026

Taumata Kōrero – Council Chamber, Greater Wellington Regional Council
100 Cuba Street, Te Aro, Wellington at 10.02am

Members Present

Councillor Penny Gaylor (Chair)	Greater Wellington Regional Council
Councillor Daran Ponter (Deputy Chair)	Greater Wellington Regional Council
Deputy Mayor Craig Bowyer	Masterton District Council
Mayor Steve Cretney	Carterton District Council
Councillor Simon Edwards	Hutt City Council
Deputy Mayor Martin Halliday	Kāpiti Coast District Council
Councillor Ross Leggett	Porirua City Council
Andy Lyon	KiwiRail
Councillor Tony Randle	Wellington City Council
Emma Speight	New Zealand Transport Agency
Mayor Fran Wilde (from 10.08am)	South Wairarapa District Council
Mayor Peri Zee	Upper Hutt City Council

Mayor Peri Zee and Councillor Ross Leggett participated at this meeting remotely via Microsoft Teams and counted for the purpose of quorum in accordance with clause 25A of Schedule 7 to the Local Government Act 2002.

Karakia timatanga

The Committee Chair opened the meeting with a karakia timatanga. The Chair invited members of the Committee to introduce themselves.

Public Business

1 Apologies

Moved: Cr Gaylor / Cr Edwards

That the Committee accepts the apology for absence from Mayors Baker and Johnson and Councillor Botica.

The motion was **carried**.

2 Declarations of conflicts of interest

There were no declarations of conflicts of interest.

3 Public participation

Fred McDonald spoke about his concerns regarding public transport, the roading network, SuperGold Card hours of applicability for public transport, and Wellington Regional Stadium.

Noted: Mayor Wilde arrived at the meeting at 10.08am during the commencement of public participation.

4 Annual Monitoring Report Financial Year 2024/25 on the Wellington Regional Land Transport Plan 2021– Report 26.1 [For Information]

Vij Kooyela, Manager Wellington Transport Analytics Unit, spoke to the report.

5 NZ Transport Agency Waka Kotahi 2026 Council Induction – Report 26.42 [For Information]

Emma Speight, Director, Regional Relationships, spoke to the report.

6 Proposed Public Engagement and Consultation Approach for Regional Land Transport Plan 2027– Report 26.8

Emma Hope, Senior Strategic Advisor, spoke to the report.

Moved: Cr Gaylor / Cr Randle

That the Regional Transport Committee agrees to the proposed public engagement and consultation approach for Regional Land Transport Plan 2027 (Attachment 1).

The motion was **carried**.

Karakia whakamutunga

The Committee Chair closed the meeting with a karakia whakamutunga.

The meeting closed at 11.22am.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'P Gaylor', written in a cursive style.

Councillor P Gaylor

Chair

Date:

31 March 2026