

**Civil Defence Emergency Management
Group Meeting
Tuesday 3 December 2024 at 11:30am - 1:00pm**

**AGENDA
SUPPLEMENTARY**



Civil Defence Emergency Management Group Meeting Supplementary Agenda

Meeting to be held in the Council Chamber
36 Water Street, Whangārei
on Tuesday 3 December 2024, commencing at 11:30am - 1:00pm

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**TITLE: Receipt of Supplementary Report: Membership and
 Appointments – Northland CDEM Group**

From: Graeme MacDonald

Executive summary

Subsequent to the collation of item 7.3 in the agenda, an additional recommendation was submitted by Whangarei District Council for an additional appointment

Recommendation

That as permitted under section 46A(7) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 the following supplementary report be received:

- Membership and Appointments – Northland CDEM Group

TITLE: **Membership and Appointments - CDEM Group**

From: Graeme MacDonald, Emergency Manager

Authorised by Group Manager/s: Louisa Gritt, Group Manager - Community Resilience, on 02 December 2024

Whakarāpopototanga / Executive summary

Subsequent to the collation of item 7.3 in the agenda, an additional recommendation was submitted by Whangarei District Council for the following appointment;

Calvin Thomas as a Local Controller for the Whangarei District Council in accordance with Section 27(1) of the Civil Defence Emergency Management Act 2002.

Ngā mahi tūtohutia / Recommendation

1. That the report 'Membership and Appointments - CDEM Group' by Graeme MacDonald, Emergency Manager and dated 2 December 2024, be received.
 2. That the CDEM Group appoints Calvin Thomas as a Local Controller for the Whangarei District Council in accordance with Section 27(1) of the Civil Defence Emergency Management Act 2002.
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Background/Tuhinga

The Whangarei District Council have asked that Calvin Thomas be appointed as a Local Controller pursuant to Section 27 (1) of the Civil Defence Emergency Management Act 2002. The WDC have provided the following information to support the appointment.

Calvin Thomas will be contracted to be a CDEM Local Controller for the Whangarei District Council. Calvin is an experienced manager and people leader who has held senior roles within both Local Government & utilities industry. He has also previously been an approved Northland Group Controller and Whangarei District Council Local Controller from mid-2022 to mid-2024.

Calvin was an active WDC Local Controller during Cyclone Gabrielle response in 2023 and was back up WDC Local Controller during the recent Regional Power outage in June 2024.

He has been an active attendee and participant in Regional Controller forums, training and workshops and has significant previous experience in strategic management of Electrical and Rooding network significant incident response. He is the current lead representative for Northland Waste in Northlands Lifelines Group.

Attachments/Ngā tapirihanga

Nil
