

Committee: Council

Date: 27 August 2015

Report Name: Recommendation from Civil
Defence and Emergency
Management Subcommittee -
Appointment of Hamilton City
Controller

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1. Background

2. Mr Olly Te Ua, Alternate Controller, has left the organisation. Mr Blair Bowcott, Executive Director Special Projects, remains Hamilton City Controller and Mr Kelvin Powell, City Safe Unit Manager, is nominated for appointment as the second controller for Council. Mr Powell is an ideal candidate for the role and comes from a senior police background, has a good understanding of the Co-ordinated Incident Management System structure and has the capacity to manage an emergency event.
3. Mr Powell's succession to the role is subject to a process which is managed by the Waikato Civil Defence and Emergency Management Group Office and includes interview and evaluation. The process begins with a formal approval of Council.
4. The recommendation of the Civil Defence and Emergency Management Committee meeting held on 26 August 2015 is presented by the Subcommittee Chairperson, Councillor Leo Tooman. The 26 August 2015 Subcommittee agenda is available via the following link:

<http://www.hamilton.govt.nz/our-council/meetings-and-minutes/Pages/default.aspx>

5. Recommendation from Civil Defence and Emergency Management Subcommittee

That Mr Kelvin Powell is endorsed as a second Hamilton City Controller in order to begin the formal appointment process.

6. Attachments

7. There are no attachments for this report.