



	<p>(responses passed to Craig for analysis). <u>Noted</u> continuing concerns regarding the draft Planning Guidelines (discussed under item 6). <u>Noted</u> acceptance by SNZ review team of comments on several submissions on DZ4404. <u>Noted</u> that call for further investment in the web-site has been passed to Peter Bailey to present to the Executive. <u>Noted</u> that request for time for a working group presentation to the Forum on 23 April 2010 was unsuccessful.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Craig /Hayden</p>	
3. Work-plan for next twelve months	<p><u>Noted</u> that the current regulatory focus on vehicle emissions as the source of stormwater contamination from road run-off was not addressing significant sources of contaminants, while imposing an extra cost on roading projects. <u>Agreed</u> that there is a clear need for robust and credible guidance for a wider audience than has been reached to date, particularly regional councils and TA planners. <u>Agreed</u> that the group has data that could provide such guidance. <u>Agreed</u> to review the current FAQ series and material already assembled for the Stormwater Standard as a basis for developing better guidance. <u>Agreed</u> to seek presentation time at the regional council's forum and to investigate other presentation opportunities.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Ross/Jon</p>	<b>Craig/Wayne</b>
4. Web-site development	<p><u>Noted</u> that the FAQs have been extensively reviewed and continue to be developed.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Balt/Nicci</p>	<b>Wayne</b>
5. Report from NZTA on new erosion and sediment control standard.	<p><u>Received</u> a report from Craig. <u>Noted</u> the drafting is nearly completed for a national standard that will meet all regional council criteria and will operate beside the Stormwater Standard, with the release for feedback from the industry through a series of two-day workshops in as many regions as possible expected from late August.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Balt/Dale</p>	
6. Development of Guidelines for Stormwater Treatment for Planners by MoT and MfE	<p><u>Received</u> a report from Hamish (under item 2). <u>Noted</u> that there has been little progress on the draft Guidelines since the meeting of the group on 5 November as a result of a lack of resources, but concerns regarding the robustness of the draft have been noted and there will be a thorough internal review before the draft is released for peer review or technical edit, with this internal review being within three to six months. <u>Agreed</u> that guidelines are needed, but the present draft might be inadequate. Nicci to continue to liaise.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Balt/Craig</p>	<b>Nicci/Hamish</b>

7. Stormwater Seminars	<p><u>Received</u> a report from Hayden. <u>Noted</u> ARC is expecting about 250 practitioners to attend the 21 July seminars on the state of the environment, climate change, LID and associated issues. <u>Noted</u> ARC is still working on the review of technical papers, assessing floating vegetative treatment in ponds in a three-year study, use of crushed mussel-shells in sand filters, and planning a study to define and characterise the “first flush” in road run-off.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Craig/Dale</p>	
8. Research	<p><u>Received</u> a report on the progress of the NIWA project to evaluate innovative stormwater treatment devices. <u>Noted</u> that the study protocols are finalised and the potential devices and sites have been identified.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Balt/Nicci</p>	
9. Web-site use	<p><u>Received</u> a report on the web-site. <u>Noted</u> that the group’s pages and resource were continuing to receive a significant share of the visits to the RCAF web-site. <u>Agreed</u> on the need to keep the web-site current.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Balt/Dale</p>	
10. General business	<p><u>Received</u> a report from Craig and Nicci on the NZIHT ‘Paving the way for greener roads’ conference and from Hayden and Craig on ‘Stormwater 2010’. <u>Noted</u> that, while the ‘greener roads’ conference offered new issues and solutions, the Stormwater 2010 conference seemed to offer nothing new.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Craig/Nicci</p>	
11. Next meeting	<p><u>Agreed</u> that next meeting should be called about the end of August.</p>	<b>Wayne</b>
	<b>Meeting concluded at 4:45.</b>	