

NZAIA '07 Conference Provisional Programme

(Subject to ongoing updating)

Thursday 29 November

8.45 am Registration

9.20 am Mihi and opening

9.30 am **Keynote Presentation**

Jenny Dixon (University of Auckland)

Planning for and managing impacts of urban growth – a strategic approach

10.30 am

Break

11.00 am **1. Impacts of urban growth: national and regional perspectives**

Jamie Newell (Monitoring and Evaluation Research Associates, Wellington)

Population ...some characteristics and drivers of urban growth impacts

Alan Johnson (Strategic Policy Advisor, Auckland Regional Council)

Managing Auckland's growth in a long-term sustainability framework

Ken Tremaine (Ken Tremaine Consulting, Auckland)

The Greater Christchurch Urban Development Strategy

12.30 pm

Lunch

1.30 pm **2. Impact assessment and urban transport**

David Mead (Hill Young Cooper, Auckland)

The impacts of urban intensification

Mike Foster (Zomac Planning Solutions, Auckland)

Identifying and mitigating the impacts of new motorways

Barry Mein (Mein Consulting, Auckland)

Potential impacts of better public transport

3.00 pm

Break

3.30 pm **3. Assessing impacts of growth on health, housing and employment**

Jennifer Lamm (Auckland Regional Public Health Service)

An HIA framework for assessing urban growth

Philippa Howden-Chapman (Dept of Public Health, Wellington School of Medicine)

Impacts of major housing developments on the human environment

Fotu Fisi'iahi (Ha'amonga-a-Maui Development Consultancy)

A Pacific Islands perspective on urban growth and employment

Posters session

5.00 pm

Case studies, techniques, research (open to posters on all aspects of IA). Section for student posters with prize.

5.30 pm

NZAIA AGM – all welcome to discuss the future of NZAIA – with drinks

7.00 pm

Conference Dinner, Sahaa Restaurant, Newmarket

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9.00 am **4. Social and cultural impacts of urban growth**

Ngai Whatua speaker *Cultural impacts of urban growth - on coastal and inland waters*

Paul Spoonley (Massey University, Auckland) *The impact of new settlers on urban society*

Charles Crothers (Auckland University of Technology) *The impacts of urban growth on provision of social services*

10.30 am *Break*

11.00 am **5. Consultation and community partnerships**

David Haigh (Grafton Residents Association) *Community impacts of urban intensification in Newmarket and Parnell*

Bevan Woodward (Chair of Cycle Action) *Community partnerships in managing impacts*

Gail Tipa (Dunedin, Maori perspective) *Community involvement in monitoring and managing stream habitats*

12.30 pm *Lunch*

1.30 pm **6. Monitoring and evaluating low-impact urban futures**

Penny Hulse (Deputy Mayor, Waitakere City Council) *Evaluating impacts of the eco-city approach*

Kay Saville Smith (CRESA, Wellington) *Monitoring and evaluation for management of urban change and liveable cities*

Michelle Thompson-Fawcett and Richard Morgan (University of Otago) *Impact assessment and the future of Australasian cities*

3.00 pm *Break*

3.30 pm ***Indaba*** (Open space discussion)

2-3 topics identified by participants during the conference

5.00 pm Conference Close