

Cabinet Social Wellbeing Committee

Minute of Decision

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Oral Item: Social Sector Recovery Plan for Building Resilience for Community and/or lwi Organisations: Extending the Geographical Coverage of the Agreed Funding

Portfolio Social Development and Employment

On 2 August 2023, the Cabinet Social Wellbeing Committee:

- noted that in June 2023, the Cabinet Extreme Weather Recovery Committee approved the Social Sector Recovery Plan (the Plan) and agreed to draw down a first tranche of \$20.65 million from the *All-of-Government Response Social Sector Recovery Plan tagged operating contingency* (the tagged contingency) to support the Plan's implementation [EWR-23-MIN-0051];
- 2 **noted** that actions agreed under the Plan are intended to support regional priorities within the regional recovery plans, which were under development at the time the Plan was agreed;
- **noted** that \$8.5 million of the agreed draw down was to fund support for building resilience for community and/or iwi organisations in Hawkes Bay, Auckland and Tairāwhiti;
- 4 **noted** that other regions have identified the need for support to build resilience for community and/or iwi organisations in their regional recovery plans;
- agreed to extend the geographical coverage of funding for building resilience for community and/or iwi organisations to any region affected by the North Island extreme weather events.

Rachel Clarke Committee Secretary

Present:

Hon Carmel Sepuloni (Chair) Hon Kelvin Davis Hon Dr Megan Woods Hon Jan Tinetti Hon Willie Jackson Hon Peeni Henare Hon Ginny Andersen Hon Barbara Edmonds Hon Willow-Jean Prime

Officials present from:

Office of the Prime Minister Office of the Chair Officials Committee for SWC

Hon Rino Tirikatene