# WestpacTrust Stadium Governance Structure

Committee Terms of Reference

# Board

- 1. Approve overall policy.
- 2. Approve contracts.
- 3. Approve any variations to contracts.
- 4. Approve annual budget.
- 5. Approve any variation in the operational budget over \$10,000.00.
- 6. Monitor performance.

# **Operations** Committee

The prime objective of the Operations Committee is to successfully oversee, on behalf of the Trust Board, the transition of the Regional Stadium project into a fully operational facility in accordance with the needs of users and spectators and the Business Objectives of the Trust.

The Operations Committee will oversee the day-to-day running of the development stage of the project on behalf of the Board of Trustees.

In doing this, it will:

- Prepare a detailed Master Plan and critical path of all tasks required to be completed prior to opening to ensure objective is completed.
- Act as the central liaison point for sub-committee chairs to ensure that their activities are co-ordinated.
- Where there is an overlap in the responsibilities of any sub-committees, ensure there is adequate communication between the groups and clarity in the decision-making process.
- Act as a final arbiter in cases of disagreement between sub-committees.
- Ensure that sub-committees are meeting their objectives and remain within their financial delegations.
- Recommend policy, budget or contract variations to the board.

### Delegations

- 1. Final approval of capital expenditure already in budget up to \$500,000.00 or as delegated by the Board.
- 2. Discretion to spend \$5,000.00 per month in additional to Chief Executive discretion to cover extraordinary items. This must be reported to the board for endorsement.

### **Chief Executive Delegations**

The Chief Executive has discretion of \$5,000.00 per month to cover extraordinary operational items.

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# Finance and Risk Management Sub-Committee

The role of the sub-committee is to work with the operations Committee and CEO to ensure that the project is delivered according to the budget and that financial risk is minimised. Specifically, the sub-committee will:

- Regularly update risk assessments and sensitivity analyses.
- Monitor cash flow and budget for the balance of the construction period and for the first year of operation.
- Establish on going financial accounting systems and integrate with other operating systems.
- Integrate the resource demands of other committees.
- Manage banking arrangements.
- Meet Wellington Regional Council and Wellington City Council financial reporting requirements.
- Complete leasing of tenancy space

#### Budget

25,000.00 25,000.00
10,000.00
\$60,000.00

## Opportunity

Sponsorships of computers	Compaq or
and software	Workflow Solutions

# Venue Sub-Committee

The role of the sub-committee is to ensure that the Stadium is ready to operate efficiently with a capacity crowd of 34,500 by 3 1 December 1999.

Specifically the sub-committee will develop or complete the following:

- Membership services, including the completion of seat allocation.
- Ticketing, including joint ticketing with TranzRail.
- Traffic management and parking on the site, on port land and in the general vicinity of the stadium.
- Noise control.
- Waste disposal.
- Telecommunications.
- Security.
- Ushers and general operational staff.
- Medical services.
- Turf protection.
- Merchandising.
- Museum and retail shop.
- Replay screen operation.
- Interface with caterers.
- Stadium smart card.
- Basin Reserve issues.

### **Budget Allowance**

Machinery Port Entry, Bus Parking Property consultant	150,000.00 200,000.00 25,000.00
Other	50,000.00
Legal	37,000.00
	\$462,000.00

# **Opportunities**

- Ticketek offered to pay for Turnstiles in return for the Ticketing contract. Turnstiles are not included in the design because they would slow down the people flows.
- The Port company have agreed to offer car parking for 500 cars, subject to satisfactory financial arrangement.
- 20/20 Vision has an interactive museum proposal. We are supporting their discussion with a potential investor. This could include operation of the Stadium shop.
- Eptpos NZ are investigating the establishment of a Stadium smart card in conjunction with Wellington City Council, WestpacTrust and Visa.

# Sales and Marketing Sub-Committee

The role of the sub-committee is to manage the fund raising programme by the instigation and delivery of initiatives that will ensure targets are met.

Specifically, this will include:

- Delivery of the membership sales programme.
- Delivery of the corporate box sales programme
- Maximisation of the sale of sponsorship signage and other naming rights properties in the stadium.
- Facilitation of the above by developing and managing the marketing and public relations programmes for the stadium covering communications with
  - > Members
  - ➢ Box holders
  - ➤ S takeholders
  - ▶ User groups
  - ▶ General public

### **Financial Targets**

#### Sales

• 2500 memberships		\$30m			
	490 700 500				
• 68 corporate boxes		\$12.9m			
Signage Total \$4.424m					
BY	<ul><li>31 December 1999</li><li>31 March 2000</li><li>30 June 2000</li><li>31 December 2000</li></ul>	1.328 0.663 0.663 1.770 \$4.424m			
Other Fund Raising	Total \$3.000m				
BY	<ul> <li>31 December 1999</li> <li>31 March 2000</li> <li>30 June 2000</li> <li>31 December 2000</li> </ul>	0.900m 0.450m <u>1.200m</u> \$3.000m			

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## **Budget Allowance**

Fund Raising/Signage		
	Consultant (3 to 4 months) David Panckhurst Marketing	40,000.00 12,000.00 100,000.00
Communications		152,000.00
Legal	Consultants Marketing	115,000.00 195,000.00 19,000.00
		\$48.1,000.00

# **Opportunities**

Working with WestpacTrust/Fletchers.

Use of membership/boxes to enhance values to achieve sales targets in signage and other fund raising.

# **Programme Sub-Committee**

The role of the sub-committee is to secure an opening-year programme and to target the organisers of major conferences and exhibitions that have a long lead time, which will optimise the use of the stadium to enhance revenue flows and ensure that the public of the region have a full and varied event schedule.

Specifically the sub-committee will:

- Arrange the opening event.
- Book four concerts in the period between opening day and March/April 2000 and ensure concerts do not compete in the same markets.
- Obtain additional sporting events, including rugby and cricket, rugby league and Australian Rules.
- Establish pricing polices for concert and exhibitions.
- Secure bookings for the first year for exhibitions, conferences, product launches and private hire.
- Manage 'soft' openings.
- Produce promotional material for the ongoing marketing of the stadium as a venue.

#### **Financial Targets**

• Six concerts - Jan - N	n to April lov to <b>Dec</b>	4 2	\$75,000.00 per event
• Opening event (3	30,000 @ \$7p	h)	\$210,000.00
• Australian Rules			\$42,000.00
• Rugby			\$442,000.00
• Cricket			\$42 1 ,000.00
• Rugby League			\$77,000.00
• Exhibition/Trade	Shows		5 @ \$10,000 each
• Private hire			\$240,000.00
<b>Budget Allowances</b>			
Op	ening event b	oudget	150,000.00
WF	RC and WCC	sponsorship	50,000.00
Ste	wart McPher	son consultancy cost	20,000.00
Leg	gal		4,000.00
Opportunities			\$224.000.00

• Sponsorship – Opening event

• Caterers are responsible for marketing hospitality facilities for private functions, conferences and trade exhibitions.

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# User Groups Sub-Committee

The role of the sub-committee is to work with rugby and cricket to ensure contractual and other identified operating needs are satisfied.

Specifically the sub-committee will:

- Undertake the review of the operating agreements with rugby and cricket in accordance with the processes set out in the agreement.
- Work with other sports to identify and resolve any operational issues.
- Establish procedures for corporate hosting in Stadium.
- Deal with organisational issues around major concerts in conjunction with concert promoters.
- Appoint Turf Manager.
- Establish a process of booking events that meets the needs of all parties.

### Budget

Legal

\$5,000.00



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