

Agenda

Customer Advisory Panel

When: 2:00pm – 4:00pm, Friday, 22 January 2021

Where: “Orion bus tour” departing 565 Wairakei Road

Attendees: **Cherie Tirikatene**, CEO SEED New Zealand; **Simon Templeton**, CEO Age Concern; **Caroline Shone**, CEO Community Energy Action; **Janetta Skiba**, Director of Nursing / Education Coordinator at Rural Canterbury; **Matthew Mark**, CEO/City Missioner at Christchurch City Mission; **Elizabeth Soal**, Irrigation NZ; **Geoff Ball**, Managing Director, Hagley Windows and Doors; **Simon Templeton**, CEO Age Concern; **Michaela Blacklock**, GM, Canterbury Employers’ Chamber of Commerce; **Abigail Field**, UC Electrical Engineering student
Orion: **David Freeman-Greene**, Network Interim Chief Executive; **Steve Macdonald**, GM Infrastructure; **Linda McGregor**, External Engagement Lead; **Dave Brannigan**, Network Manager

Apologies: **Danny Wilson**, Head of Operations & Commercial at Meridian; **Pat McEvedy**, Selwyn farmer; **Michelle Sharp**, Unicef; **Bebe Frayle**, Burwood and Coastal Community Board

Objective: To give Panel members the chance to see what’s “behind the fence”: into key elements of Orion’s infrastructure that play an important role in delivering power to our community.

When	Where	What you’ll see
2:00pm	Arrive at Orion HQ: 565 Wairakei Road: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Put on safety gear – provided Introducing Abigail Field our new Panel member 	Welcome and bus
2:10pm	Board the bus and depart on tour	Overview of our tour
2:20pm (40mins)	Arrive Hawthorden zone substation, 143 Hawthornden Road, Avonhead: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> See project in progress: installation and commissioning of the 66kV ‘T-off’ to feed Hawthornden ZS from the ‘Northern Loop’ to add capacity and resilience to this growing area 	Steve Macdonald will explain the work involved, and why it is being undertaken
3pm (40mins)	Depart Hawthornden, travel to Papanui Zone substation, 133 Harris Crescent: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Examine kiosk Key substation equipment Alternative operational site 	Steve Macdonald will open the doors to a behind the scenes look at transformers, circuit breakers and other heavy duty equipment that keeps the power on
3:50pm (10mins)	Depart Papanui Zone substation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Back on the bus! 	Chat
4pm on	Arrive Terra Viva for refreshments	Chat