

Hon Eugenie Sage Diary Summary

1 - 30 November 2019

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This table shows scheduled meetings held by the Minister relating to ministerial business, which have been recorded in the Minister's diary. It does not include meetings that relate to the Minister's personal, party political, or parliamentary/constituency roles (such as time spent in the House of Representatives or at one of its select committees, as these are already matters of public record). Travel logistics are not included. It may include meetings which were in the diary but did not eventuate or were placeholders, and may not include unscheduled meetings. Where the portfolio to which a meeting relates is indicated, please note that it is possible material in another portfolio area could also have been covered during the meeting.

Please also note attendees to a meeting change frequently so this table may not contain an accurate record of all attendees. Matters that may not be included in this proactive release include information that might breach the privacy of a person, relate to decisions still under active consideration by the Minister, or matters of national security, consistent with the grounds under which matters might be withheld from release under the Official Information Act 1982.

Date	Scheduled Time	Meeting	Location	With	Portfolio
1/11/2019	10:00 - 12:00	SPEECH: Community Environment Fund announcement: He Ripo Kau	Oue, Northland	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
4/11/2019	10:00 - 10:45	MEETING: Game Animal Council	Wellington	NZ Game Animal Council	Conservation
4/11/2019	11:15 - 11:45	MEETING: Ministerial meeting	Parliament Buildings	Hon Nash, officials	Conservation
4/11/2019	11:45 - 13:00	MEETING: Weekly meeting with DOC officials	Parliament Buildings	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
4/11/2019	13:00 - 13:30	MEETING: Department of Conservation officials	Parliament Buildings	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
4/11/2019	15:00 - 15:45	MEETING: Weekly meeting with MfE officials	Parliament Buildings	Ministry for the Environment officials	Associate Environment

5/11/2019	09:15 - 09:45	ATTEND: LEG Cabinet Committee	Parliament Buildings	LEG Cabinet Committee members	All
5/11/2019	13:15 - 13:45	MEETING: Accept petition - Niamh Peren - "Thumbs Up"	Parliament Steps	Accepting Thumbs Up petition from Niamh Peren	Associate Environment
5/11/2019	16:30 - 17:00	MEETING: Ministerial meeting	Parliament Buildings	Hon Clark, officials	Land Information
5/11/2019	17:15 - 18:00	ATTEND: Lightning Lab GovTech Demo Day	Wellington	Attending	Conservation
6/11/2019	09:30 - 10:30	MEETING: Weekly meeting with LINZ officials	Parliament Buildings	Land Information officials	Land Information
6/11/2019	10:30 - 11:00	MEETING: DOC officials	Parliament Buildings	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
6/11/2019	11:00 - 11:30	MEETING: Stefan Ranstrand, President & CEO of TOMRA Systems ASA	Parliament Buildings	Stefan Ranstrand, President & CEO of TOMRA Systems ASA, Markus Fraval, Director – Strategy & Business Development, TOMRA Collection Pty Ltd (Aus & NZ), James Newton, Government Affairs Advisor, TOMRA Collection Pty Ltd (Aus & NZ), and MfE officials	Associate Environment
6/11/2019	11:30 - 12:00	MEETING: DOC officials	Parliament Buildings	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
6/11/2019	12:00 - 13:30	ATTEND: DEV Cabinet Committee	Parliament Buildings	DEV Cabinet Committee members	All
7/11/2019	11:30 - 12:00	MEETING: Sam Cox (NZ High Commission, Canberra) and MfE	Adelaide, Australia	Sam Cox (NZ High Commission, Canberra)	Associate Environment
7/11/2019	12:25 - 15:00	ATTEND: Site visit: two sites relating to National Waste Policy Action Plan and COAG Waste Export Bans	Adelaide, Australia	Attending	Associate Environment

7/11/2019	15:30 - 16:30	MEETING: Lunch with Mark Parnell Member of the Legislative Council, Leader of South Australian Greens	Adelaide, Australia	Mark Parnell MLC and staff	Associate Environment
7/11/2019	17:15 - 18:45	MEETING: Adam Faulkner, North Adelaide Waste Management Authority	Adelaide, Australia	Adam Faulkner, North Adelaide Waste Management Authority	Associate Environment
7/11/2019	19:30 - 20:30	MEETING: Melissa Miller and Jodie Bricoult, Loop CE Platform	Adelaide, Australia	Melissa Miller and Jodie Bricoult, Loop CE Platform	Associate Environment
7/11/2019	21:30 - 23:30	ATTEND: Dinner with Ministers	Adelaide, Australia	Environment Ministers	Associate Environment
8/11/2019	10:30 - 17:15	ATTEND: Ninth Meeting of Environment Ministers	Adelaide, Australia	Environment Ministers	Associate Environment
8/11/2019	17:30 - 18:15	MEETING: Hemant Chaudhary, Circular Economy Alliance Australia	Adelaide, Australia	Hemant Chaudhary, Circular Economy Alliance Australia	Associate Environment
8/11/2019	18:30 - 19:30	MEETING: Environment Protection Authority SA and Green Industries SA	Adelaide, Australia	EPA Australia staff, MfE official	Associate Environment
8/11/2019	20:15 - 20:45	MEETING: Sarah Hanson-Young, Senator	Adelaide, Australia	Sarah Hanson-Young, Australian Senator	Political
8/11/2019	21:00 - 23:00	ATTEND: Informal engagement organised by South Australia Greens	Adelaide, Australia	South Australian Green Party members	Political
11/11/2019	10:30 - 12:00	MEETING: Weekly meeting with DOC officials	Parliament Buildings	DOC officials	Conservation
11/11/2019	14:00 - 14:30	MEETING: Stephen Harris, Special Representative Commonwealth Clean Ocean Alliance re Pacific Ocean plastics	Parliament Buildings	Stephen Harris, Special Representative Commonwealth Clean Ocean Alliance	Associate Environment
11/11/2019	15:00 - 15:45	MEETING: Weekly meeting with MfE officials	Parliament Buildings	Ministry for the Environment officials	Associate Environment
11/11/2019	16:00 - 17:00	MEETING: LINZ officials - STEP and cloud storage	Parliament Buildings	Land Information New Zealand officials	Land Information
11/11/2019	17:30 - 18:00	MEETING: Ministerial meeting	Parliament Buildings	Hon Mahuta, officials	Land Information

12/11/2019	08:30 - 09:00	MEETING: Ministerial meeting	Parliament Buildings	Hon Parker, officials	Associate Environment, Land Information
12/11/2019	09:15 - 09:45	ATTEND: LEG Cabinet Committee	Parliament Buildings	LEG Cabinet Committee members	All
12/11/2019	12:15 - 12:30	MEETING: withheld under s9(2)(a) of the OIA, re keynote address at the 2019 ASBS–NZPCN	Parliament Buildings	withheld under s9(2)(a) of the OIA	Conservation
12/11/2019	12:30 - 13:00	MEETING: withheld under s9(2)(f)(iv) of the OIA	Parliament Buildings	withheld under s9(2)(f)(iv) of the OIA	Conservation
12/11/2019	15:30 - 16:00	MEETING: Regular meeting with Government Members of the Environment Select Committee	Parliament Buildings	Government Environments Select Committee members	Conservation
12/11/2019	17:00 - 17:30	ATTEND: MCR Cabinet Committee	Parliament Buildings	MCR Cabinet Committee members	All
13/11/2019	09:00 - 10:00	MEETING: Weekly meeting with LINZ officials	Parliament Buildings	Land Information officials	Land Information
13/11/2019	11:00 - 11:30	ATTEND: DEV Subcommittee	Parliament Buildings	DEV Cabinet subcommittee members	All
13/11/2019	11:30 - 12:30	ATTEND: DEV Cabinet Committee	Parliament Buildings	DEV Cabinet Committee members	All
13/11/2019	15:30 - 16:00	MEETING: Briefing with DOC officials before Meeting with Hon Nash	Parliament Buildings	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
13/11/2019	16:00 - 16:30	MEETING: Ministerial meeting	Parliament Buildings	Hon Nash, officials	Conservation
13/11/2019	17:30 - 19:30	ATTEND: Taste of Pāmu	Parliament Buildings	Attending	All
14/11/2019	07:45 - 08:30	MEETING: DoC officials Treaty team	Parliament Buildings	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
14/11/2019	08:30 - 09:00	MEETING: Hon Parker and Allan Freeth, CEO Environmental Protection Authority	Parliament Buildings	Hon Parker, EPA CEO	Associate Environment
14/11/2019	09:15 - 09:45	ATTEND: ENV Cabinet Committee	Parliament Buildings	ENV Cabinet Committee members	All

14/11/2019	13:30 - 14:00	SPEECH: Keynote: 2019 Local Government Environmental Compliance Conference	Christchurch	Attending	Land Information
14/11/2019	16:00 - 16:30	MEETING: EU Ambassadors	Christchurch	European Union Ambassadors	All
15/11/2019	13:45 - 14:00	MEETING: PHONECALL: DOC official	Phone	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
16/11/2019	09:00 - 10:30	MEETING with Rei Kohere and Riki Rangi Gage (Te Whanau a Apanui and Ngati Porou)	Gisborne	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
16/11/2019	11:00 - 12:00	SPEECH: Te Poho o Rawiri Trust announcement	Auckland	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
16/11/2019	13:00 - 15:45	ATTEND: Te Tapuwae o Rongokako Marine Reserve 20th anniversary celebration	Gisborne	Hosted by Te Tapuwae Marine Reserve	Conservation
18/11/2019	10:00 - 11:30	MEETING: LINZ & DOC officials	Parliament Buildings	Department of Conservation and LINZ officials	Conservation, Land Information
18/11/2019	11:30 - 13:00	MEETING: Weekly meeting with DOC officials	Parliament Buildings	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
18/11/2019	13:30 - 14:00	MEETING: Simon Terry, Sustainability Council re Forestry	Parliament Buildings	Simon Terry	Conservation
18/11/2019	15:00 - 15:45	MEETING: Weekly meeting with MfE officials	Parliament Buildings	Ministry for the Environment officials	Associate Environment
19/11/2019	08:00 - 08:45	MEETING: withheld under section 9(2)(f)(iv) of the OIA	Parliament Buildings	withheld under section 9(2)(f)(iv) of the OIA	withheld under section 9(2)(f)(iv) of the OIA
19/11/2019	09:15 - 09:45	ATTEND: LEG Cabinet Committee	Parliament Buildings	LEG Cabinet Committee members	All
19/11/2019	12:30 - 13:00	MEETING: withheld under s9(2)(f)(iv) of the OIA	Parliament Buildings	withheld under s9(2)(f)(iv) of the OIA	Conservation, Land Information
19/11/2019	13:15 - 13:45	ATTEND: Presentation of a petition Willow-Jean Prime from Hikurangi	Parliament Steps	Attending	Conservation

		School - Amend the Wildlife Act of 1953 to include Indigenous Mud Fish under the protection of the Freshwater Fish Legislation			
19/11/2019	15:30 - 16:00	MEETING: Ministerial meeting	Parliament Buildings	Hon Parker, officials	Associate Environment
19/11/2019	17:00 - 17:30	MEETING: DOC officials	Parliament Buildings	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
20/11/2019	09:00 - 10:00	MEETING: Weekly meeting with LINZ officials	Parliament Buildings	Land Information officials	Land Information
20/11/2019	10:00 - 10:45	MEETING: Ministerial meeting	Parliament Buildings	Hon Parker, methyl bromide industry stakeholders, officials	Conservation
20/11/2019	11:00 - 11:30	ATTEND: DEV Subcommittee	Parliament Buildings	DEV Cabinet subcommittee members	All
20/11/2019	11:30 - 12:30	ATTEND: DEV Cabinet Committee	Parliament Buildings	DEV Cabinet Committee members	All
20/11/2019	12:30 - 13:00	MEETING: Ministerial meeting	Parliament Buildings	Hon O'Connor	Conservation
20/11/2019	15:30 - 16:00	MEETING: Tourism Industry Aotearoa	Parliament Buildings	Tourism Industry Aotearoa, officials	Conservation
20/11/2019	16:15 - 16:45	MEETING: Phil Royal, Chair DOC Risk and Assurance Committee	Parliament Buildings	Phil Royal	Conservation
20/11/2019	17:10 - 17:30	MEETING: PHONECALL: Grant Rosewarne, CEO, New Zealand King Salmon re OIO	Phone	Grant Rosewarne	Land Information
20/11/2019	18:00 - 19:00	ATTEND: Federated Farmers Christmas Cocktail Function	Wellington	Attending	All
21/11/2019	08:15 - 08:30	INTERVIEW: Radio NZ Interview	Phone	Radio New Zealand	All
21/11/2019	08:30 - 09:30	SPEECH: PF2050 announcement	Wellington	Attending. Fletcher Tabuteau and Paul Eagle also attending.	Conservation
21/11/2019	10:30 - 11:00	MEETING: Minister Jones, Mayor Jamie Cleine of Buller District,	Parliament Buildings	Hon Jones, Mayor Cleine, Member for	Conservation

		Member for West Coast-Tasman Damien O'Connor		West Coast-Tasman Damien O'Connor	
21/11/2019	11:15 - 12:15	ATTEND: Predator Free 2050 Ltd Board meeting	Wellington	Attending	Conservation
21/11/2019	12:30 - 13:00	MEETING: Niamh Peren re Thumbs Up	Parliament Buildings	Niamh Peren	Associate Environment
21/11/2019	15:30 - 16:00	MEETING: DOC officials	Parliament Buildings	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
22/11/2019	08:30 - 09:00	SPEECH: LGNZ Rural and Provincial sectors	Wellington	Hosted by Local Government New Zealand	Conservation
23/11/2019	11:00 - 12:00	MEETING: Don Robertson, Guardians of Lake Wanaka	Wanaka	Don Robertson	Conservation
25/11/2019	07:30 - 08:30	SPEECH: Launch with Hon Kelvin Davis of Tiaki Care for New Zealand	Wellington	Hosted by Department of Conservation	Conservation
25/11/2019	09:30 - 11:05	SPEECH: Keynote presentation at the NZ Plant Conservation Network Conference	Wellington	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
25/11/2019	10:30 - 11:00	MEETING: DOC officials	Parliament Buildings	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
25/11/2019	11:00 - 13:00	ATTEND: Cabinet	Parliament Buildings	Cabinet members	Land Information
25/11/2019	11:30 - 12:30	MEETING: Weekly meeting with DOC officials	Parliament Buildings	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
25/11/2019	12:30 - 13:30	MEETING: Weekly meeting with LINZ officials	Parliament Buildings	Land Information officials	Land Information
25/11/2019	14:00 - 15:00	MEETING: Waste Advisory Board	Wellington	Waste Advisory Board	Associate Environment
25/11/2019	15:00 - 15:45	MEETING: Weekly meeting with MfE officials	Parliament Buildings	Ministry for the Environment officials	Associate Environment
25/11/2019	16:00 - 16:30	MEETING: LINZ official	Parliament Buildings	Land Information New Zealand official	Land Information

25/11/2019	16:30 - 17:00	MEETING: LINZ official	Parliament Buildings	Land Information New Zealand official	Land Information
25/11/2019	17:00 - 17:30	MEETING: Lou Sanson, DOC Director-General	Parliament Buildings	Department of Conservation officials	Conservation
26/11/2019	06:50 - 07:20	INTERVIEW: Pre-record: Morning report, RNZ - IB-NPS	Phone	Radio New Zealand	Conservation
26/11/2019	10:30 - 12:00	ATTEND: South Marlborough Landscape Restoration Trust and tour of Leatham	Leatham Conservation Area, Marlborough	Hosted by South Marlborough Restoration Trust	Conservation
26/11/2019	12:30 - 15:00	SPEECH: Reopening of Molesworth Station Homestead	Malborough	Attending	Conservation
27/11/2019	08:30 - 09:45	SPEECH: Launch of Landfill Levy Consultation	Christchurch	Attending	Associate Environment
27/11/2019	10:00 - 11:30	MEETING: High Country Accord re the Crown Pastoral Land reform	Christchurch	High Country Accord Trust	Conservation
27/11/2019	11:30 - 12:00	MEETING: Mike Harding and Susan Walker re Crown Pastoral Lands reform	Christchurch	Mike Harding and Susan Walker	Conservation
27/11/2019	12:40 - 13:00	INTERVIEW: Magic Talk - waste levy announcement	Phone	Magic Talk	Associate Environment
27/11/2019	13:20 - 15:00	SPEECH: Official Opening of Ripapa Island, Banks Peninsula	Ripapa Island, Christchurch	Attending	Conservation
28/11/2019	08:30 - 09:30	MEETING: Kosi Latu, Director General Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP)	Auckland	Kosi Latu, advisors	Conservation
28/11/2019	10:00 - 11:00	MEETING: Alex Rogers, and Ms Moana Tamariki-Pohe, Hauraki Gulf Forum re Hauraki Gulf Marine Park	Auckland	Alex Rogers, Moana and Aden	Conservation
28/11/2019	11:30 - 12:00	MEETING: Al Keating, CEO Coffee Supreme and Nick Morrison, Sustainability Consultant, Go Well Consulting	Auckland	Al Keating and Nick Morrison	Associate Environment

28/11/2019	12:30 - 12:45	INTERVIEW: Dave Hansford at NZ Geographic	Phone	New Zealand Geographic	Conservation
28/11/2019	15:30 - 17:30	SPEECH: Launch of Vector's New Energy Futures Paper on batteries and the circular economy and the launch of the Battery Industry Group	Auckland	Hosted by Vector Limited	Associate Environment
28/11/2019	18:00 - 21:30	SPEECH: NZI Sustainable Business Network Gala Dinner and Awards Ceremony	Auckland	Attending	Conservation
29/11/2019	09:30 - 10:30	MEETING: Cascade Whitebait, Nannette Buchanan and Gary Brow	Hokitika	Nannette Buchanan and Gary Brow	Conservation
29/11/2019	11:30 - 12:30	MEETING: Patrick Phelps, Minerals West Coast	Greymouth	Patrick Phelps	Conservation
29/11/2019	13:30 - 14:30	MEETING: Allan Birchfield, Chair of West Coast Regional Council, and Mike Meehan, CEO of West Coast Regional Council	Greymouth	Allan Birchfield, Department of Conservation official	Conservation
29/11/2019	15:30 - 16:00	ATTEND: Afternoon tea with DOC staff	Hokitika	Department of Conservation staff	Conservation
30/11/2019	09:45 - 12:30	SPEAK: Paparoa Track Opening Event	Blackball	Hosted by Department of Conservation	Conservation