

Wellington Airport Board Appoints New Chair

On 12 November, Tim Brown announced his retirement from Morrison & Co and Infratil, the majority shareholder in Wellington International Airport Limited (WIA).

Mr Brown will remain on the Wellington Airport Board but step down as Chair from 29 November. The new Chair will be recently re-appointed Director Peter Coman. Mr Coman is responsible for social infrastructure and property opportunities at Morrison & Co. He previously sat on the Airport board between 2011 and 2017, and was reappointed in June 2021.

Mr Brown has been Chair of Wellington Airport since 2013, and a Director since 1999. Wellington Airport thanks him for many years of enthusiastic and thoughtful service which has led the Airport through decades of change following its part-privatisation and growth into New Zealand's most vibrant international airport. More recently, he has supported Management and the Airport team through the recent challenges of Covid-19, while positioning for future growth and a return of international travel.

Mr Coman's long experience with Wellington Airport, along with Mr Brown's ongoing contribution to the Board will be highly valued and will provide continuity through the coming months as the Airport continues its recovery. Mr Brown will remain on the Audit and Risk Committee (ARC) and has been appointed ARC Chair.

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