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South Wairarapa District Council PO Box 6 Martinborough 5741 Attn: Councillors

Dear Councillors

A Dog Park for Greytown

Expressions have been conveyed to our Club for the establishment of a safe Dog Walk Park for members of our community and their canine friends to securely exercise and enjoy our outdoors.

We have recently had the successful establishment of the Trailway and the Lions Walkway to complement our beautiful streets, but all require a dog to be leashed.

It has been suggested that Collier Reserve in West Street could make a perfect facility. It appears reasonably well fenced to both sides and the rear, needing only the erection of a frontage.

In past years the Volunteer Fire Brigade regular practiced here, but recent observations suggest this no longer is the case.

Our Club would be very interested in supporting such a development. If Council could consider some financial input we certainly could provide people power to erect a suitable fence along West Street.

This could provide a very appreciative and we suspect well supported facility.

We look forward to an opportunity to meet with Council representatives and discuss such a proposal in the near future.

Yours sincerely

Bruce Farley Secretary

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Greytown Skate Park

At a recent Lions Club meeting our members discussed the on-going expressions of interest from our community for the establishment of a Skate Park for our youth.

We fully recognise that this development has been severely discussed over recent years and was shelved for a variety of reasons; specifically but not limited to, determining a suitable location and possibly frustrations from those driving it.

Our Club had formally supported such a facility and had funds tagged toward it. We have since put those funds into the Memorial Park playground development, a very successful project the we were pleased to contribute to.

However, in support again of our community and our youth we remain hopeful this facility can again be considered. We wish to tender our support and desire to be involved in its development. We would of course be prepared to assist financially from our Youth Fund. All three of our neighbouring towns have such facilities and we feel our kids should be supported similarly.

We also offer that as our town has continued to develop over recent years, a suitable site may very well have arisen by circumstances. We refer to the Council owned land, currently a public car park, adjacent to the Working Men's Club car park, opposite the new FreshChoice Supermarket, and on the north east corner of Hastwell & West Streets. The whole area would not be required and much of the parking could be retained.

We offer this area is reasonably well lit, has very few homes to be adversely effected, and most importantly has a very high volume of public activity (thanks to FreshChoice) which will provide the important selfmonitoring aspects that previous site suggestions may have lacked.

We look forward to an opportunity to meet with Council representatives and discuss our proposal in the near future.

Yours sincerely

Secretary





