



**SOUTH WAIRARAPA
DISTRICT COUNCIL**

Kia Reretahi Tātau

South Wairarapa District Council

2026 Featherston Community Board By-election

PRELIMINARY RESULT

The preliminary result for the South Wairarapa District Council by-election that closed at midday on Friday, 5 June 2026 is:

Featherston Community Board (1 vacancy)	Votes Received
BALDWIN, Joanna	469
BLEAKLEY, Claire	176
DOBBIE, Jessica	135
COLTMAN, Karen	70
INFORMAL	4
BLANK VOTING PAPERS	2

The voter return is currently 31.41%, being 856 votes.

There are 13 special votes yet to be processed.

The final result, incorporating the remaining special votes is expected to be available by 4.00pm, Monday 8 June 2026.

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