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DR CHARLEEN FORBES

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Ratepayer

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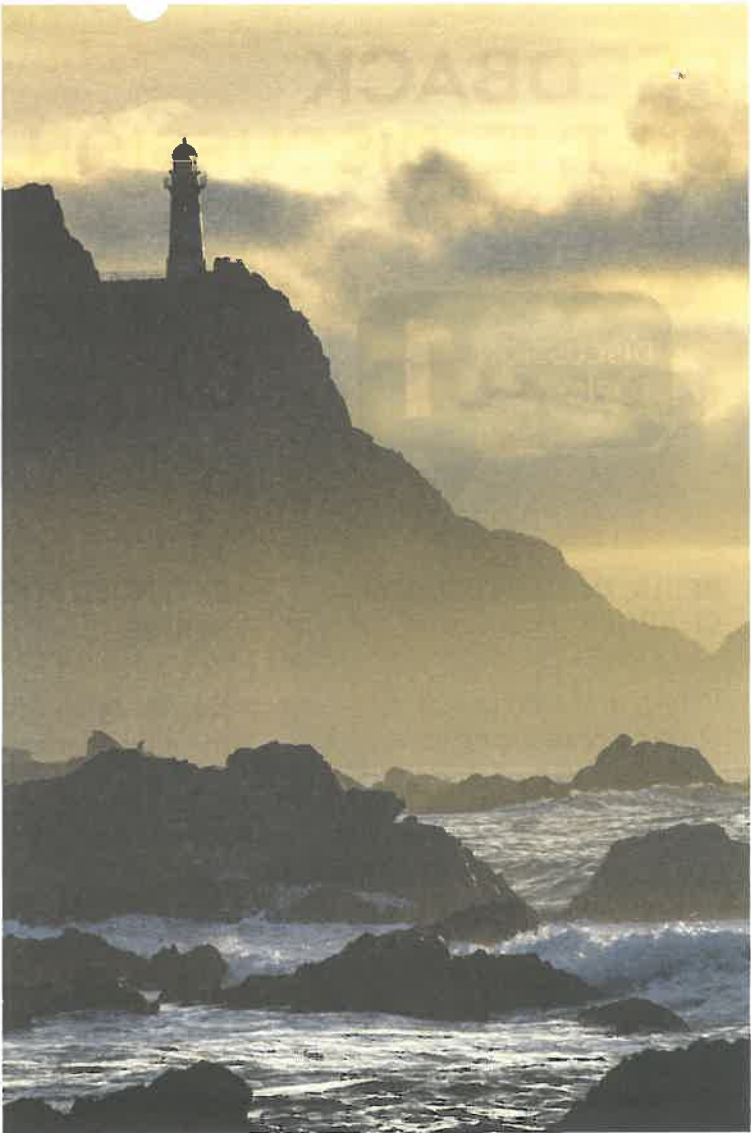


AND, IF YOU HAD TO CHOOSE...

WHICH OF THE FOUR INITIATIVES WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE IMPLEMENTED THE MOST?

Please rank 1 to 4 (1=most; 4=least)

Reduction in library charges	2
Extended pool opening hours	1
Change in funding for housing for seniors	3
Extra footpath maintenance	4
Or none of the above	



FEES AND CHARGES

PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR FEEDBACK ON THE PROPOSED CHANGES TO FEES AND CHARGES

ANY OTHER COMMENTS/PROPOSALS?

DEEPLY CONCERNED ABOUT INCREASE IN DOG REGISTRATION FEES, PARTICULARLY WITH NO CORRESPONDING INCREASE IN DOG AMENITIES. REGISTERED DOGS TEND TO BE BETTER BEHAVED AND MORE SOCIAL-FEES SHOULD BE AS CHEAP AS POSSIBLE. ALSO THERE ARE INCREASING NUMBERS OF AREAS WHERE DOGS ARE NOT ALLOWED. NONE OF THIS SEEMS TO TAKE PLACE WITH INFORMED CONSULTATION



SOUTH WAIRARAPA DISTRICT COUNCIL
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FEEDBACK ON THE 'DISCUSSION TOPICS'

DISCUSSION TOPIC

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DISCUSSION TOPIC

2

EXTENDED POOL OPENING HOURS

Do you agree with extending the pool opening hours?

Yes ☒

No ☐

Do you agree with the proposed new opening hours as set out (page 4):

Yes ☒

No ☐

If no, would like opening hours to be:

Longer ☐

Shorter ☐

DISCUSSION TOPIC

3

CHANGE IN FUNDING OF HOUSING FOR SENIORS

Do you agree with ratepayers contributing to the cost of senior housing?

Yes (if yes move on to topic 4) ☒

No ☐

If no, how do you propose we cover the costs in future?

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DISCUSSION TOPIC

4

EXTRA FOOTPATH MAINTENANCE

Do you agree that more money should be spent on footpath upgrades in our three towns?

Yes ☒

No ☐

Are you prepared to pay increased rates to fund this?

Yes ☐

No ☒

If no, would you agree that a greater or lesser amount should be allocated to footpath maintenance funded from rates?

More ☐

Less (please explain below) ☐



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- ☐
- Option 4
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- ☐

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- No
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- ☐
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- ☒

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- ☒
- No
- ☐

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only if the council
 find funding long-term
 to ensure the deficit
 recovery is not passed on
 to ratepayers in the future.

DISCUSSION
TOPIC

4

EXTRA FOOTPATH MAINTENANCE

Do you agree that more money should be spent on footpath upgrades in our three towns?

- Yes
- ☐
- No
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Are you prepared to pay increased rates to fund this?

- Yes
- ☐
- No
- ☒

If no, would you agree that a greater or lesser amount should be allocated to footpath maintenance funded from rates?

- More
- ☐
- Less
 (please explain below)
- ☒

I Disagree the footpaths in
 general are in a poor condition
 Maintain current level of
 funding. A 2.68% increase
 is too much of a burden on
 ratepayers

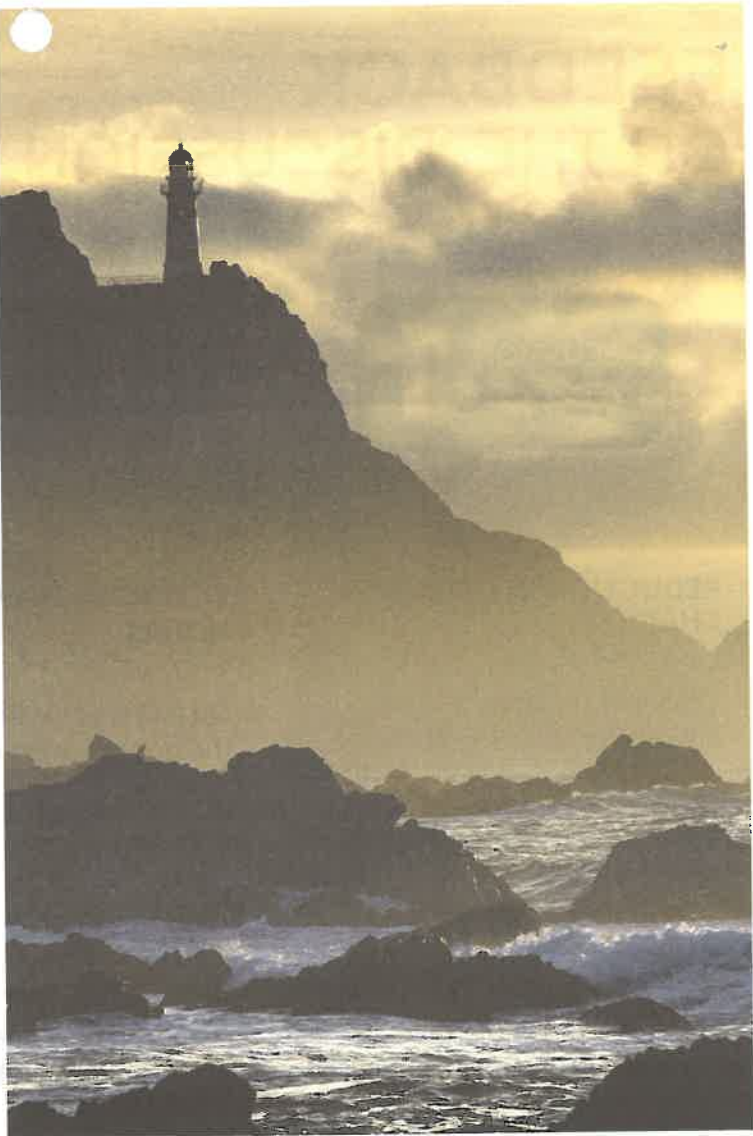


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ANY OTHER COMMENTS/PROPOSALS?

Propose an upgrade of Featherston & Martinborough Transfer Stations, in particular the roading & sheds. The dog pond on the Featherston Transfer Station site in particular is a disgrace with broken corrugated iron walls, no overhead cover & rusting cages. The welfare of animals held in this area is highly questionable.



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You should also look at opening hours. Commuters like myself have to pay to join other libraries as only chance is 10-12 on Saturday



DISCUSSION TOPIC 2

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Main issue is lack of street lighting rather than footpaths - they seem ok.

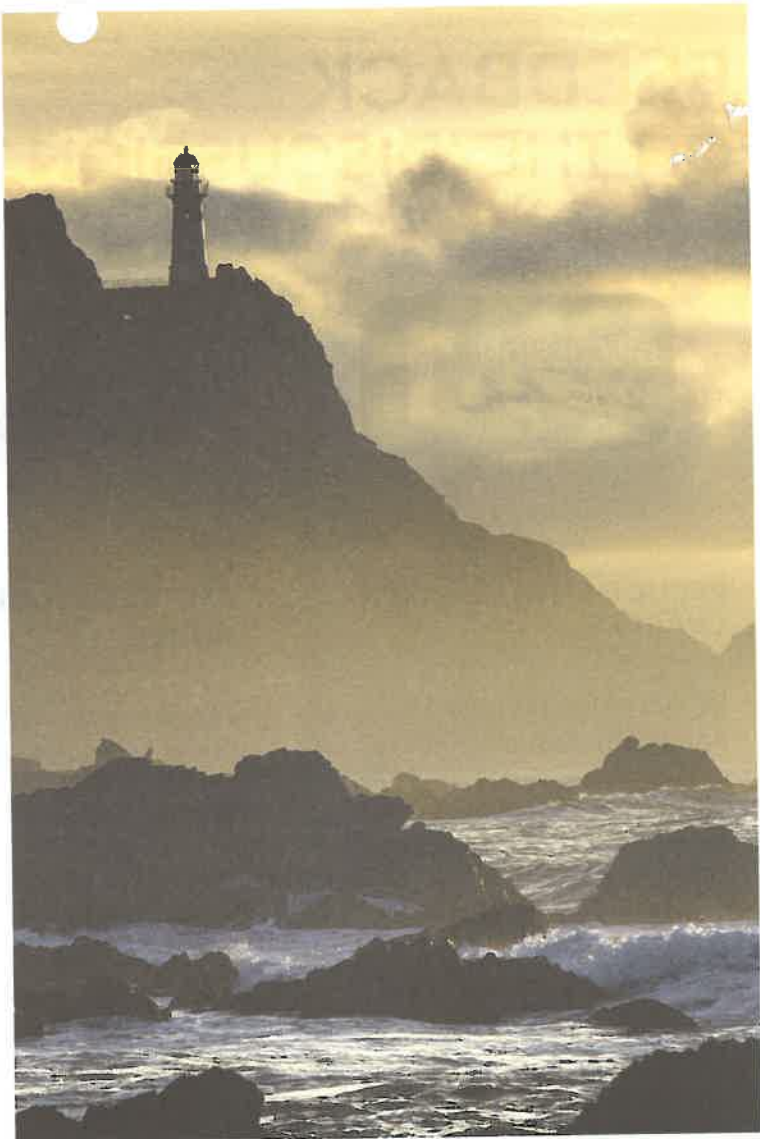


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ANY OTHER COMMENTS/PROPOSALS?

please look into library opening hours. It's so hard for commuters to fit everything in to pre-12pm on Saturdays especially if you also work that day. 1x late night would be great even fortnightly. This reason is why I agree with extending the pool hours.



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No ☐

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More ☐

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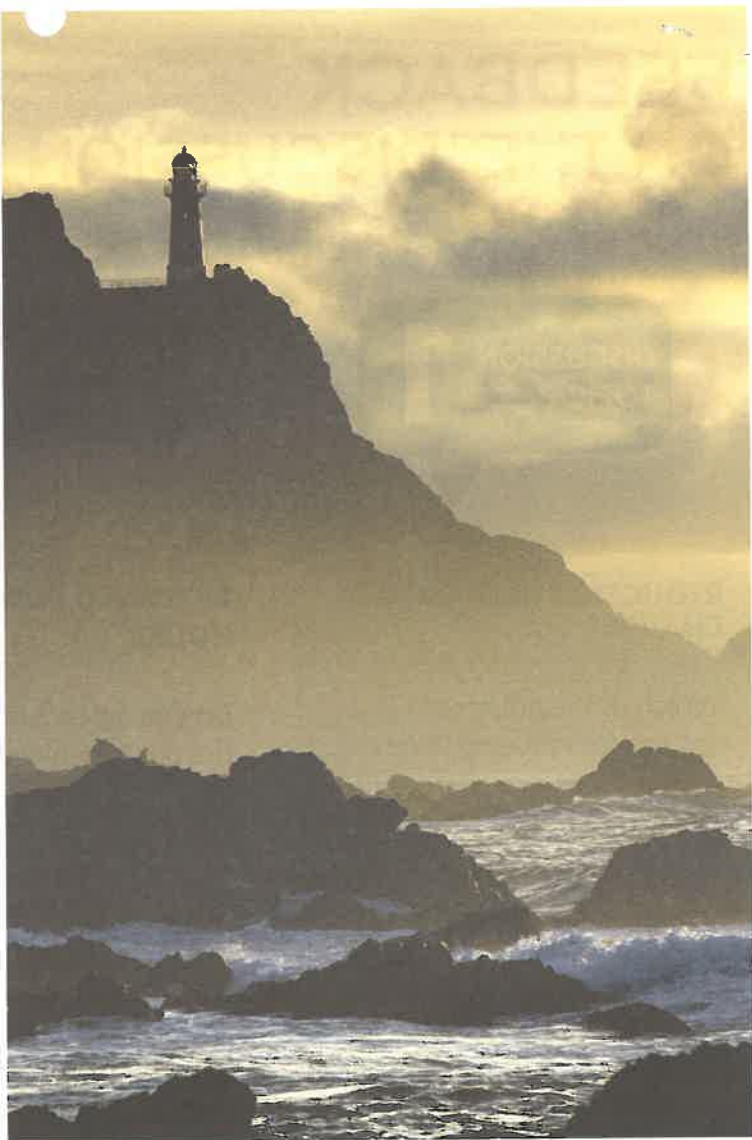


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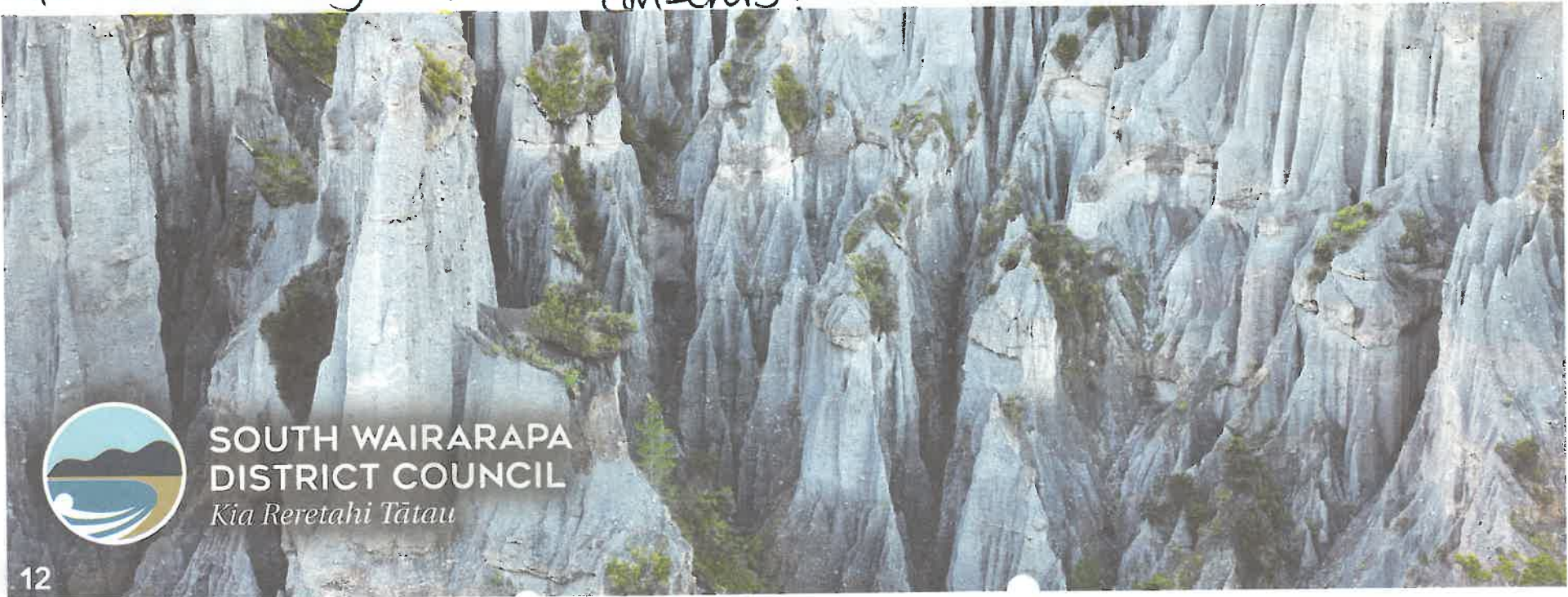
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No FEES on Books!
Words don't mean a Thing - 'to
Be an energetic and United
community - what does That
mean?? Bull shit Talk -

ANY OTHER COMMENTS/PROPOSALS?

Stop Wasting Money!
Concentrate on Important Things:-
Roads, water, Competent
council officials. How much did This
paper cost??? Set up work shops.
Get a Building Inspector to sign off
consenters



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Yes

☐

No

☐

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Yes

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No

☐

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☐

NOT CONCERNED

DO NOT USE

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No

☒

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USER PAYS

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USER PAYS

DISCUSSION TOPIC 4

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Yes

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No

☒

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Yes

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No

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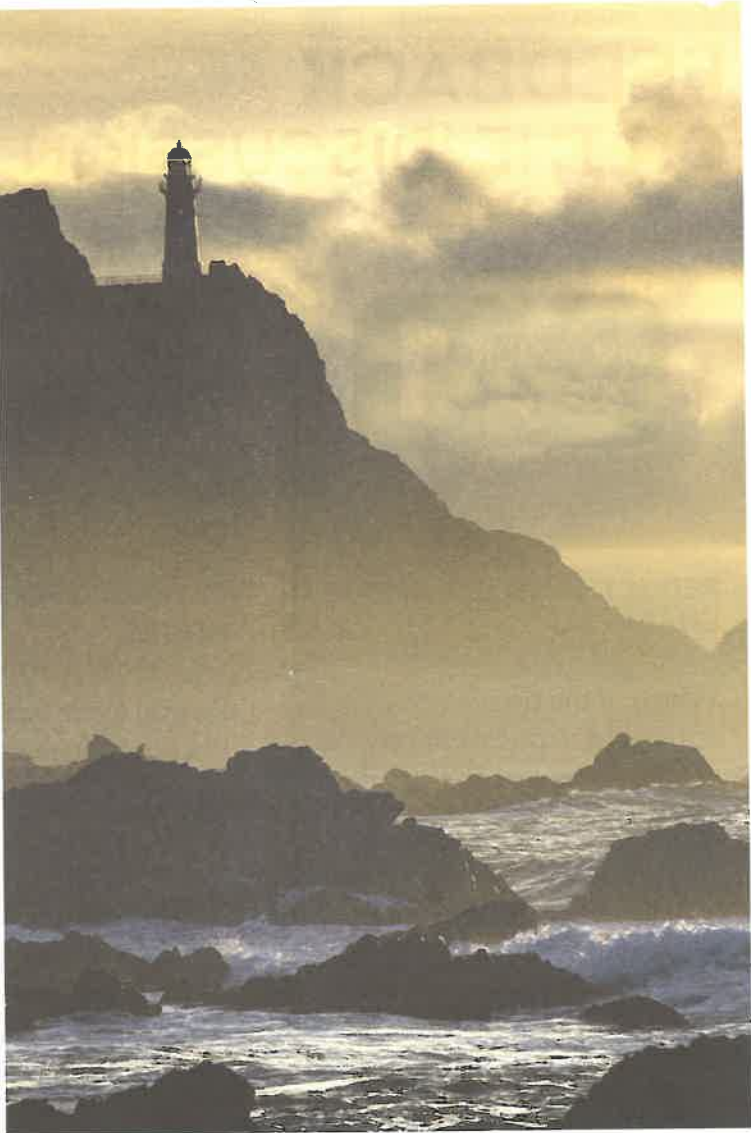
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While I agree on a maintenance Programme
I must voice my concern on increased
Rates

ANY OTHER COMMENTS/PROPOSALS?

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Name Mariana Garner

Postal address

Ratepayer

Urban ☐ Rural ☒ Commerical ☐ Non ratepayer ☐

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Option 4 ☐
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• DVD rental
• Reservation fee

DISCUSSION TOPIC

2

EXTENDED POOL OPENING HOURS

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Yes ☒

No ☐

Do you agree with the proposed new opening hours as set out (page 4):

Yes ☒

No ☐

If no, would like opening hours to be:

Longer ☐

Shorter ☐

DISCUSSION TOPIC

3

CHANGE IN FUNDING OF HOUSING FOR SENIORS

Do you agree with ratepayers contributing to the cost of senior housing?

Yes (if yes move on to topic 4) ☐

No ☒

If no, how do you propose we cover the costs in future?

Reduce payments to councillors

If no, how do we fund the upgrades, including those required to meet new governments standards?

DISCUSSION TOPIC

4

EXTRA FOOTPATH MAINTENANCE

Do you agree that more money should be spent on footpath upgrades in our three towns?

Yes ☒

No ☐

Are you prepared to pay increased rates to fund this?

Yes ☐

No ☒

If no, would you agree that a greater or lesser amount should be allocated to footpath maintenance funded from rates?

More ☐

Less (please explain below) ☐



AND, IF YOU HAD TO CHOOSE...

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Please rank 1 to 4 (1=most; 4=least]

Reduction in library charges

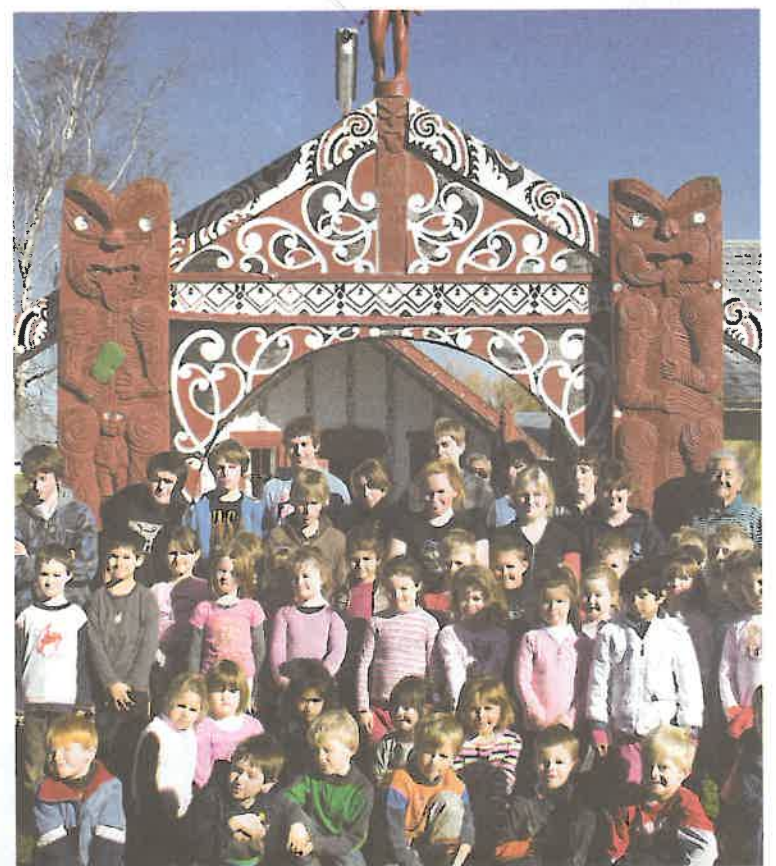
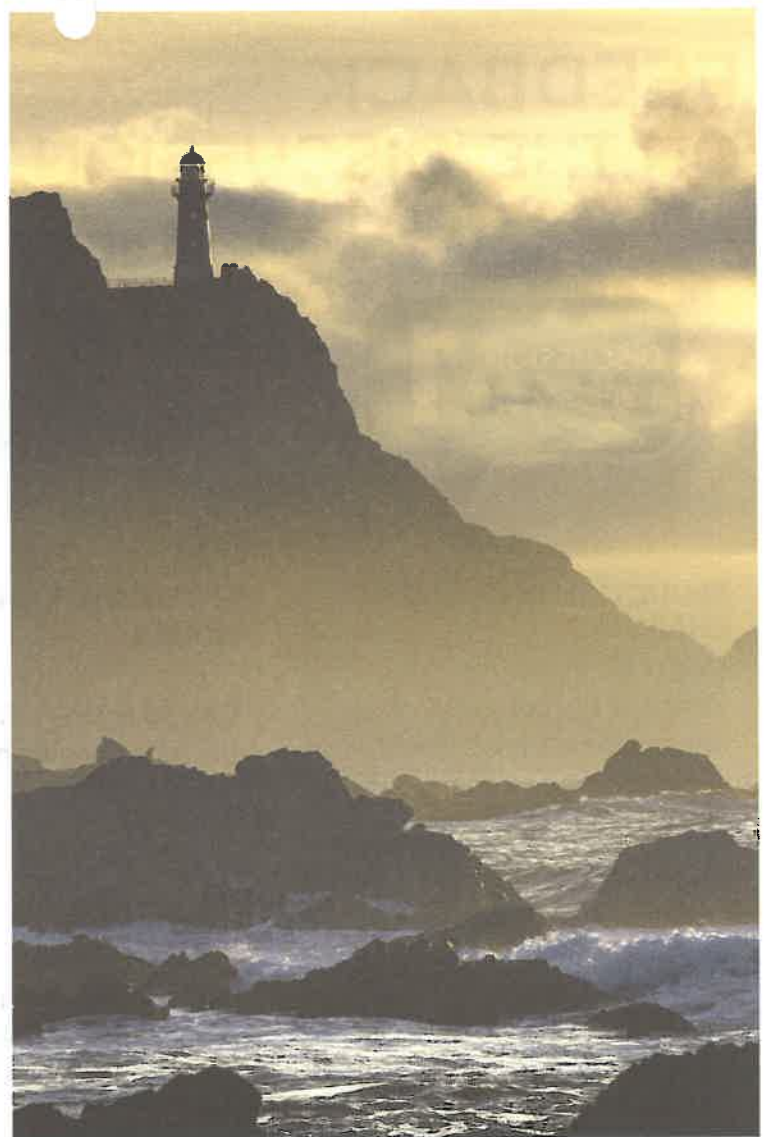
Extended pool opening hours

Change in funding for housing for seniors

Extra footpath maintenance

Or none of the above

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FEES AND CHARGES

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DISCUSSION TOPIC 2

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If no, would like opening hours to be:

Longer ☐

Shorter ☐

DISCUSSION TOPIC 3

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seniors pay

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DISCUSSION TOPIC 4

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More ☐

Less (please explain below) ☐

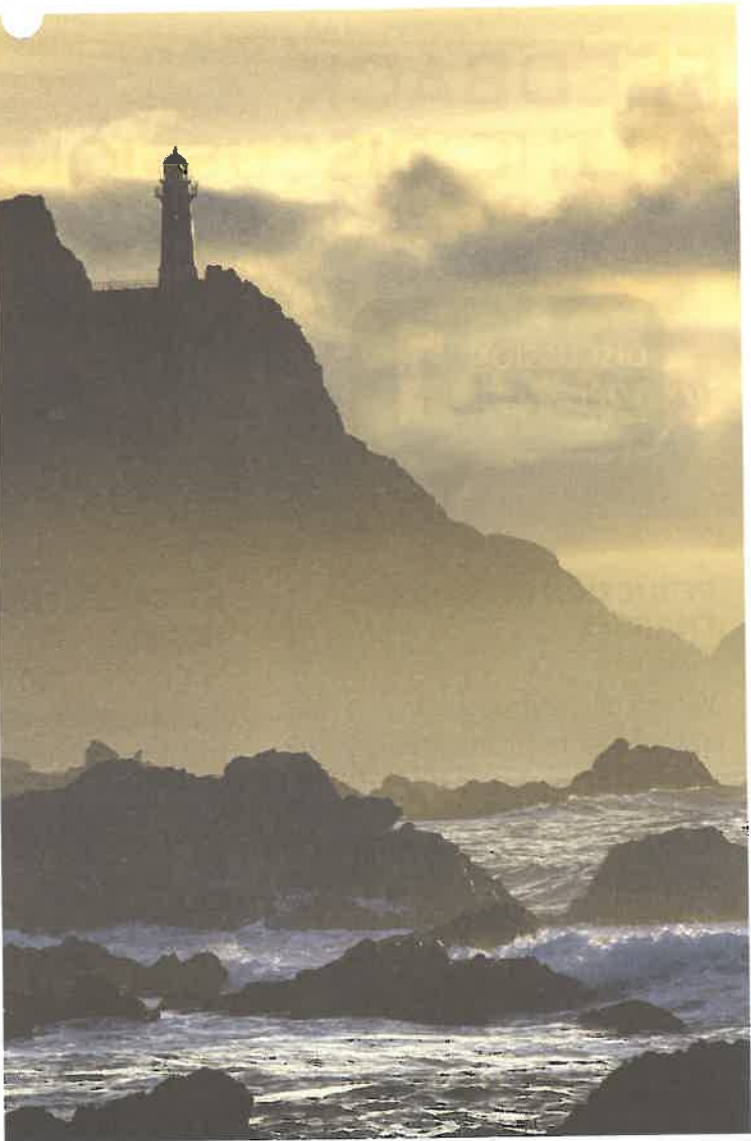


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FEES AND CHARGES

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ANY OTHER COMMENTS/PROPOSALS?

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SOUTH WAIRARAPA DISTRICT COUNCIL
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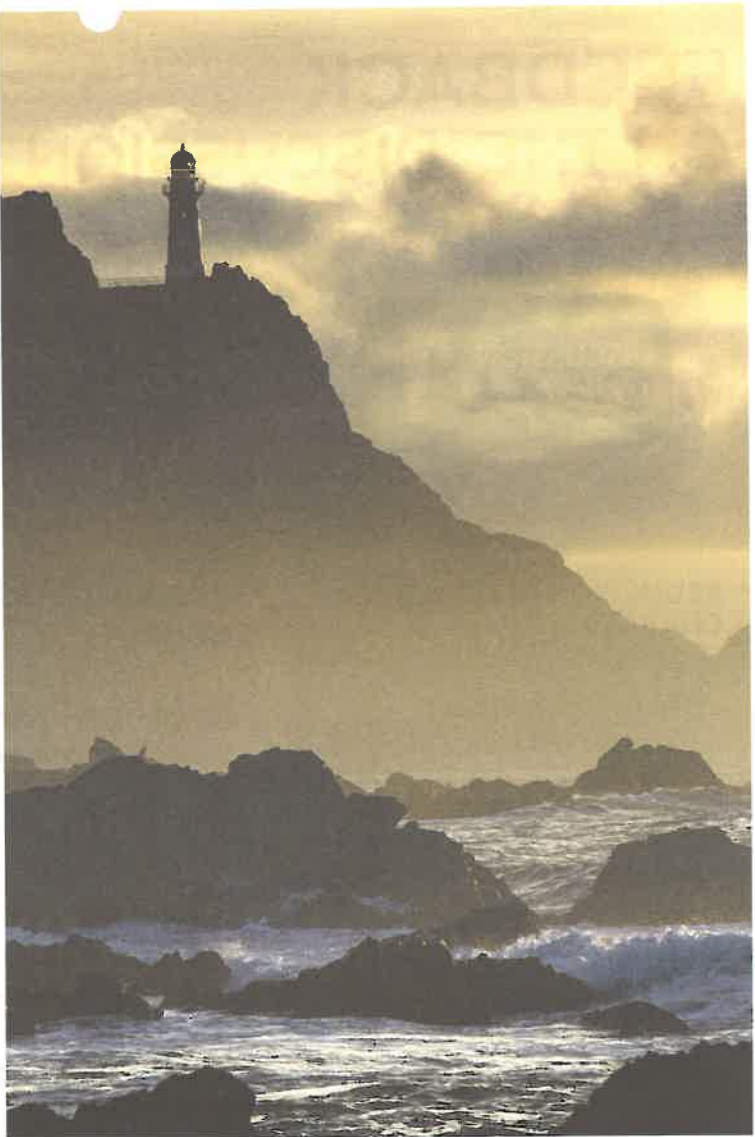
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Raising the rental costs to pensioners is not an acceptable policy option.



ANY OTHER COMMENTS/PROPOSALS?

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MARTIN FREETH

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ONE WEEKEND
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SATURDAY OR
SUNDAY
11am - 7.30pm

DISCUSSION
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More

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(please explain below)

YES TO MORE
ON FOOTPATHS BUT
FIND FUNDING
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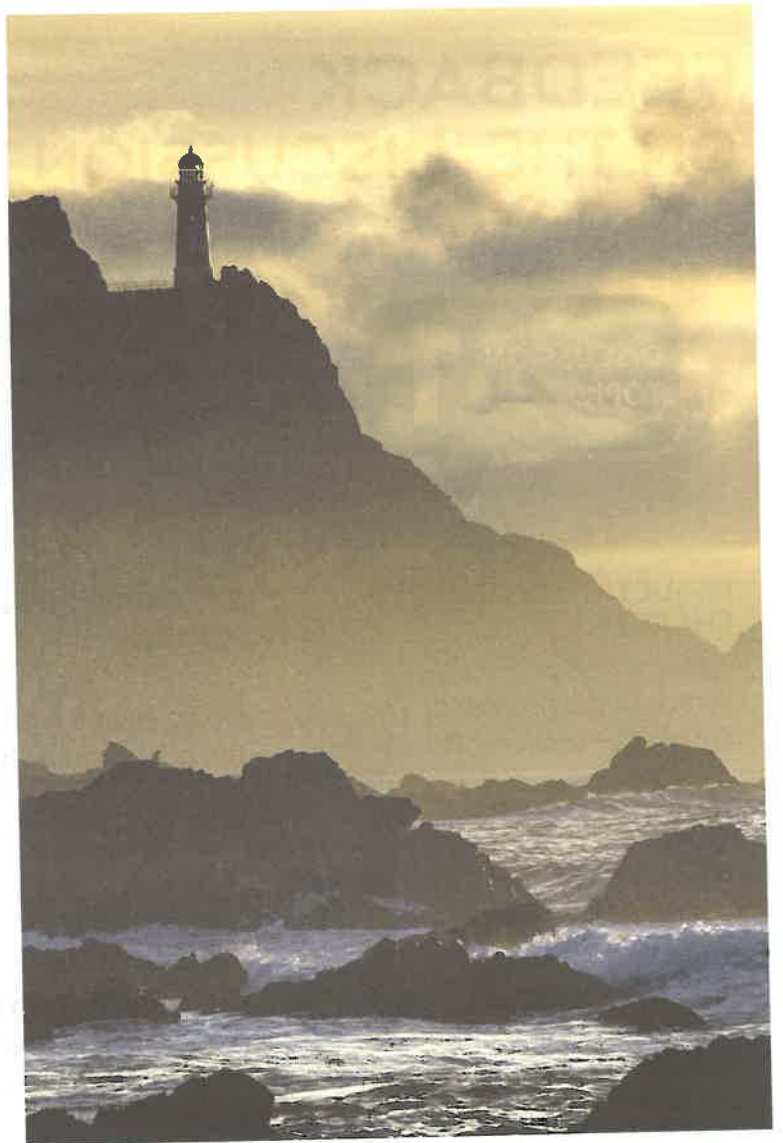
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LIBRARY FEES ARE NOT EXCESSIVE TODAY
- CHARGING ENCOURAGES USERS TO LOOK AFTER BOOKS/ DVDS + TO VALUE THE SERVICE
OTHER FEE INCREASES SEEM REASONABLE

BUT FOR 20% ON BUILDING CONSENT FEES - THESE ARE NOT COST-BASED AND THEY ARE HIGH ENOUGH ALREADY
- KEEPING THEM STABLE IS ONE SMALL THING SWDC COULD DO TO SHOW IT IS SUPPORTIVE OF MANAGED GROWTH

ANY OTHER COMMENTS/PROPOSALS?

PLEASE ADD A 5TH INITIATIVE TO THESE 4 - A 2019-20 PROJECT TO PLAN FOR TOTAL UPGRADE OF MARTINBOROUGH'S WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM IN THE MEDIUM AND LONG TERM - SEE ATTACHMENT HERE



SOUTH WAIRARAPA
DISTRICT COUNCIL
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ANNUAL PLAN CONSULTATION – ATTACHMENT TO THE SWDC FEEDBACK FORM

Martin Freeth 2 May 2019

General Comment

Thanks for this timely opportunity for public input to the SWDC plan for 2019-20. I commend the Council for its willingness to consult in this interim year of the LTP cycle and for the quality of your "Consultation Document". Much effort has gone into the clarity and comprehensiveness of the information provided to ratepayers and residents for this exercise – and into the feedback channels established by the SWDC. This is appreciated. (In future such documents I would, however, suggest less space be devoted to colour photography, and more to background explanation of how the Council's plan for the particular year ahead will help tackle the big long term issues facing us and more financial information of the type usefully provided by the Acting CEO in her workshops presentation). On page 2 of the Consultation Document, the Council invites "feedback on any other activity not included as part of this consultation". Accordingly, I make the submission below. Martinborough's water supply contamination incidents in February and April/May are sufficiently serious for the SWDC to initiate a new project to begin fully addressing this issue during 2019-20. I would rank this initiative above the four set out in the Consultation Document – we are talking about the health of 100s, perhaps thousands, of people *and* also maybe the future success of Martinborough's wine industry!

Initiative for 2019-20: Martinborough's future Water Supply

The SWDC's plan for the coming year should include, as a matter of urgency, a comprehensive initiative in regard to Martinborough's future water supply, bearing in the mind these five points:

1. The Council's decision to chlorinate the supply from 13 May 2019 is only temporary. Hence a further, major decision is pending on a permanent solution to the ensuring the safety and quality of supply. The SWDC needs to ensure it has all the information necessary to make that decision in the best interests of the town and the district over the long-term – and that information must answer all the serious questions raised by the recent incidents including: Where and how did the E.coli contamination occur? How many connections involve back flow to water mains and where are they? How and where is low pressure in the pipes a problem? Do we have leaks and/or ingress in some water mains (as a source of contamination)? Are Herricks bores the right source for the town into the future (given their shallowness and location under a dairy farm)? The Council surely cannot make a permanent decision without full knowledge on our supply system today and its shortcomings.
2. Council officers have acknowledged (in 24 April agenda documents) that chlorination is not, on its own, the longer-term answer to problems with the Martinborough system. Refer to page 11 of the agenda: "The ongoing risk posed by backflow - a residual disinfectant in the network reduces

this risk significantly, and is a further management tool in addition to (*but not a replacement for*) *an actively managed backflow prevention program*". The Council needs to act on its own statement.

3. Martinborough's water system is already recognised as an issue to be addressed in the 2019-20 plan, with the bringing forward of our investment in the manganese plant and the rates-impacting additional opex on water treatment, monitoring and water reading, and related software licences (see the Acting CEO's workshop presentation slides). If all this work is going on in the year ahead, effort should surely be made to ensure it aligns with all Martinborough's water supply needs over the longer term.
4. Local winegrowers will remain extremely important to the prosperity and character of Martinborough, such that their sensitivity to the use of chlorine in water supply needs to be taken fully into account. The winegrowers' concerns are validated by global research – and surely they become another reason for the Council to make sure it considers all future water supply needs and options before any decision that might see the "temporary" chlorination extended to "permanent".
5. The Council has the Lutra report (Technical Report – Martinborough Water Treatment Plant – Incident Review) on the February incident. This document (dated April 2019) sounds serious warnings about the current situation with Martinborough's supply and articulates six post-Havelock North principles for all councils to apply in their management of water supply. Now that the SWDC has this level of technical assessment and recommendation, *how could it not* incorporate actions based on the report in the 2019-20 Annual Plan?

I submit that the Annual Plan include a new project for the thorough technical assessment of the current state of ALL elements in Martinborough's water supply and for the planning of a future system that will meet all needs of the town and of winegrowers safely and with careful regard to all environmental considerations. I further submit that the Council should formally adopt the "Corrective Actions" proposed by Lutra (pages 22-24 of the Report) and commit to arriving at a programme of work for their implementation over the coming three years. It is acknowledged that this project will be longer term than the 2019-20 Plan but that the first-phase technical assessment and plan outline can be incorporated in that plan. Indeed, could the work not be undertaken by Lutra as an extension of the investigation already undertaken since February?

I also submit that funding for this project in the first year be drawn from 1) deferment, if reasonably possible, of some work already scheduled and budgeted for under "Martinborough water supply", and 2) redirection of some of the rates increase proposed in the Council's Consultation Document for library fee reductions, additional footpaths and pool opening hours. Not proceeding with these but allowing for an average rates increase of around 5.2%, in place of the current baseline 4.69%, would surely support the required opex on technical

consultancy to make real headway on Lutra Report-aligned actions during 2019-20.

Final thought: This initiative does not favour Martinborough over Featherston, Greytown and surrounding areas. The other towns already have reliable, safe water supply, and their systems do not contain the problems and risks identified by Council staff and by Lutra in regard to Martinborough. Safe, high quality drinking water is fundamental to the responsibilities of any territorial local body in New Zealand. In this coming year, the SWDC has an opportunity to start ensuring Martinborough can “catch up” with the rest of the district. If anyone is in doubt about the scale of this town’s water supply problems and the urgency of action to address them, I urge they read (and re-read) the Lutra Conclusion (page 24 of the report).

Thank you

Martin Freeth

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South Wairarapa District Council

Annual Plan 2019/20

Grant Application Form

Submit to: ap@swdc.govt.nz before 4 pm, 8 May 2019

1. ORGANISATION DETAILS

Name of organisation:

Wellington Free Ambulance Service Inc.

Physical address:

19 Davis Street,

Thorndon

Wellington 6011

Postal address:

PO Box 601

Wellington 6140

Contact Person:

Laura Golland, Acting Executive Director

Email:

Laura.golland@wfa.org.nz

Phone No (Day):

04 498 9679

Mobile No:

0276221518

Phone No (After hours):

Funding Criteria

Council has approximately \$75,000 available for youth focused projects and \$170,000 available for community grants.

Please select the category that is the project's main focus (mark with an X)

Youth Grant

Community Grant

X

When was the organisation formed and what are its aims and objectives?

Wellington Free Ambulance was founded in 1927, and has been the emergency ambulance service for the Wairarapa since 2012. We are the only free ambulance service in the country. We provide trained paramedics on the road and in homes and operate the central 111 communications centre from our headquarters in Thorndon.

We work with the community, for our community and ensure that everyone in our community has 24/7 access to emergency care.

Total number of members in your organisation?	Not a membership organisation
How many full-time equivalent people work in your organisation?	348
How many volunteers work in your organisation?	123
Date of last AGM?	15 th October 2018
Are you GST registered? Y	GST No: 10-668-689

Officers of organisation

Chair: Ross Martin	Phone No: (email) ross.martin@wfa.org.nz
Secretary: (Chief Exec) Mike Grant	Phone No: 04 498 0984
Treasurer: Executive Director, Corporate Services) Sarah Lewis	Phone No: 04 498 9989

2. PROJECT OVERVIEW**Specific reason for grant application (e.g. upgrade to facilities/purchase of equipment/one-off event):**

This year we are asking again for your support to run our service in the South Wairarapa district. Last year we attended 1,253 jobs in your region. We receive around 75% of our funding from government contracts, and have to fundraise \$4.5 million every year.

We would like to ask for your contribution of \$1 per person in your district which totals \$10,450.

Where and when will the activity/event take place or what is the anticipated completion date of the project (please note funds cannot be allocated retrospectively)?

We are asking for a contribution to our 2019/2020 annual budget, to help with our running costs throughout the financial year.

Why should South Wairarapa District Council (SWDC) support this project/event?

None of us know when we might need urgent medical help, but we do know we need access to the best possible care when the worst happens. Wellington Free Ambulance is here 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year. We are the only providers of emergency healthcare in Wellington and Wairarapa.

Who will benefit from these funds and in what way?

Based on last year's figures we expect to attend over 1,200 call outs for anyone who needs us, be that a child, a parent, family or whānau. Because of the nature of our work, we play a large role in supporting people with serious medical conditions, disabilities and the elderly in our community, as well as responding to life threatening medical emergencies.

Would you like to speak in support of your application at a meeting of the South Wairarapa District Council? Yes/No

Submission hearings will be held on 14 & 15 May 2018 at the Council Chambers, Martinborough

3. FINANCIALS

Funding requirements	
Total cost of project	\$10,450
Your organisation's contribution	N/A
Other outside funding (please supply brief details)	N/A
Amount applied for in this application	\$10,450
Shortfall (please provide brief details of how will balance be found)	N/A

Project income (if applicable), e.g. generated from sales to public	N/A
Is organisation a registered charity?	Yes/No
Have you applied to SWDC for funding before?	Yes/No
If yes, when, for what purpose and how much was granted?	We applied for and were granted \$9,525 last year for the same purpose. The amount has increased this year in line with the latest population statistics available.
Are you GST Registered	Yes/No

Bank account details (required for non GST registered applications only)	
Name of bank:	Westpac
Account name:	Wellington Free Ambulance Service
Account No:	03 0502 0170069 04

4. Declarations


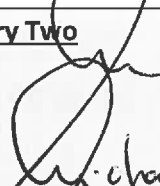
We agree to comply with requests from an officer or councillor from SWDC for additional information in relation to this application.

Statement to comply with the Provisions of the Privacy Act 1993

The personal information above is collected and will be held by SWDC for the purpose of considering your application for financial assistance. You have the right of access to, and correction of, personal information about you, that we hold.

Authorisation

- I certify that the information provided in this application form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.
- I have the authority to make the application on behalf of the organisation.
- I agree that the necessary documentation listed below is attached to this application.
- I confirm that we will complete and return a grant accountability form within two months of the project being completed.
- The organisation will keep receipts and a record of all expenditure for 7 years.
- Any unspent funds will be returned to SWDC.
- All expenditure will be accounted for in the Grant Accountability Form.

<u>Signatory One</u>	<u>Signatory Two</u>
Signed: 	Signed: 
Full name: LAURA COLMANO	Full name: Michael Grant
Designation: ACTING EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, FUNDRAISING + COMMUNICATIONS	Designation: CE
Date: 1/5/19	Date: 1/05/19.

Supporting documentation required for this application	
• Most recent annual accounts including notes and review/audit report.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
• Income and expenditure statement for part year and inaugural minutes (if organisation has been operating for less than 12 months)	<input type="checkbox"/>

TELL US WHAT YOU THINK FEEDBACK FORM

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Name

Ann Rautava

Postal address

Ratepayer

Urban ☒ Rural ☐ Commerical ☐ Non ratepayer ☐

Do you want to speak to your submission? (Leave blank if 'no')

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DOG REGISTRATION FEES WILL CHANGE AS FOLLOWS

Dog Registration		Old Fees \$	New Fees \$
Desexed	Urban	\$75	\$77
	Rural	\$42	\$43
Entire	Urban	\$105	\$108
	Rural	\$64	\$66
Late fees desexed	Urban	\$113	\$115
	Rural	\$63	\$65
Late fees entire	Urban	\$158	\$160
	Rural	\$96	\$98
Other Fees			
Flat fee for up to 10 rural dogs plus \$20 per additional dog		\$210	\$215
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Surrender a dog for euthanasia		\$30	\$35
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Replacement registration tag (if tag lost or damaged)		\$8	\$8



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Housing for seniors	Old Rental \$ per week	New Rental \$ per week	Old Rental \$ per fortnight	New Rental \$ per fortnight
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Featherston				
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Burling (double)	\$98	\$110	\$196	\$220
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FEEDBACK
ON THE 'DISCUSSION TOPICS'

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Which of the proposed options for reducing library services fees and charges do you agree with (see page 3):

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DISCUSSION TOPIC 2

EXTENDED POOL OPENING HOURS

Do you agree with extending the pool opening hours?

- Yes ☒
- No ☐

Do you agree with the proposed new opening hours as set out (page 4):

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- No ☐

If no, would like opening hours to be:

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DISCUSSION TOPIC 3

CHANGE IN FUNDING OF HOUSING FOR SENIORS

Do you agree with ratepayers contributing to the cost of senior housing?

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DISCUSSION TOPIC 4

EXTRA FOOTPATH MAINTENANCE

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- More ☒
- Less (please explain below) ☐

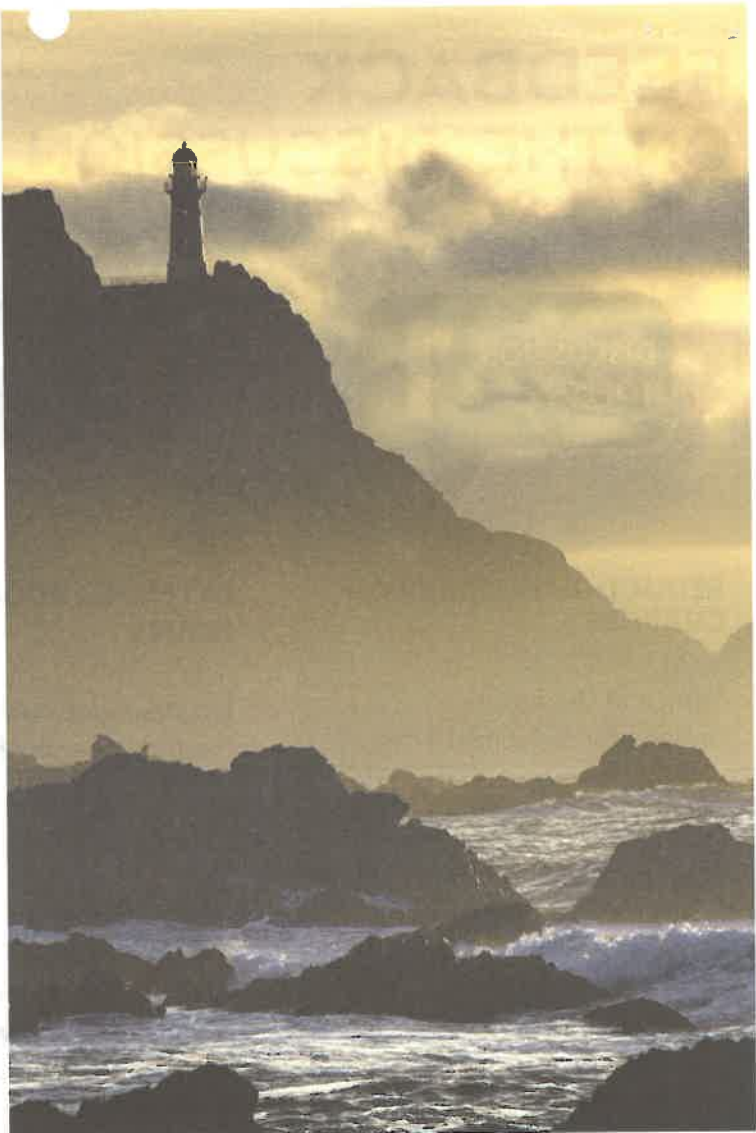


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Or none of the above	<input type="checkbox"/>



FEES AND CHARGES

PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR FEEDBACK ON THE PROPOSED CHANGES TO FEES AND CHARGES

ANY OTHER COMMENTS/PROPOSALS?

We need another park for chuddies to play in, in Greytown.



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Option 4

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DISCUSSION TOPIC2

EXTENDED POOL OPENING HOURS

Do you agree with extending the pool opening hours?

Yes

☒

No

☐

Do you agree with the proposed new opening hours as set out (page 4):

Yes

☒

No

☐

If no, would like opening hours to be:

Longer

☐

Shorter

☐



DISCUSSION TOPIC3

CHANGE IN FUNDING OF HOUSING FOR SENIORS

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No

☐

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DISCUSSION TOPIC4

EXTRA FOOTPATH MAINTENANCE

Do you agree that more money should be spent on footpath upgrades in our three towns?

Yes

☒

No

☐

Are you prepared to pay increased rates to fund this?

Yes

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No

☐

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More

☐

Less

☐

(please explain below)

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AND, IF YOU HAD TO CHOOSE...

WHICH OF THE FOUR INITIATIVES WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE IMPLEMENTED THE MOST?

Please rank 1 to 4 (1=most; 4=least)

- 1

Reduction in library charges

1
- 2

Extended pool opening hours

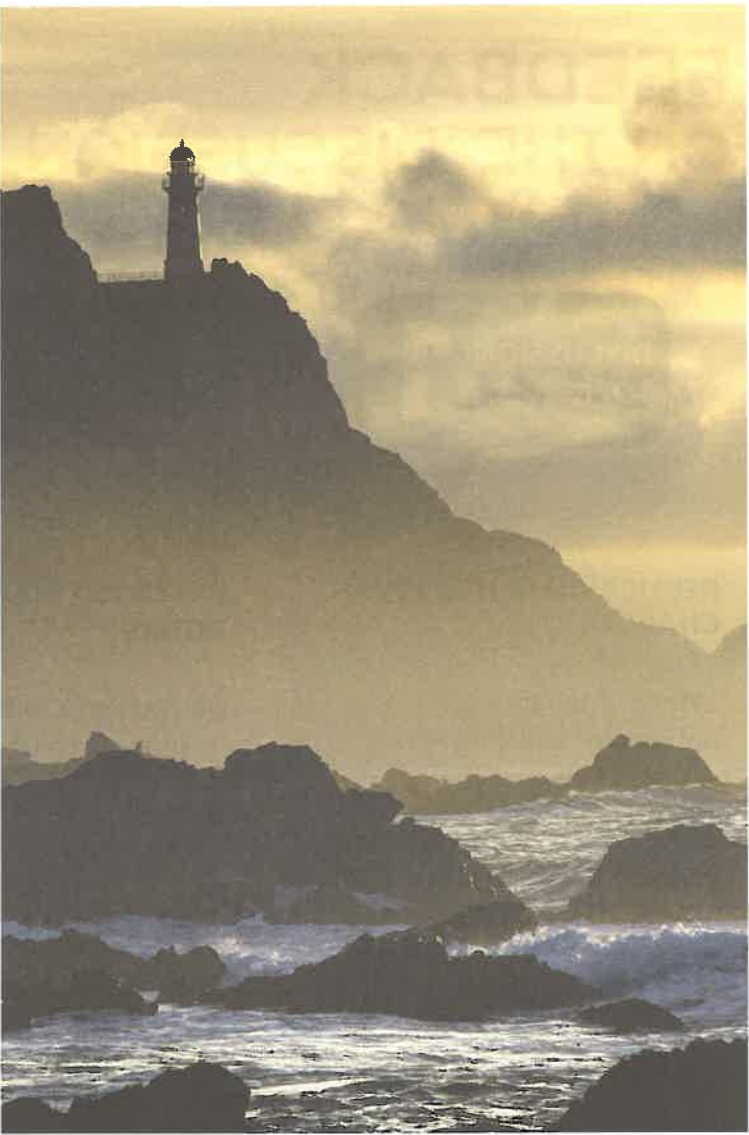
2
- 3

Change in funding for housing for seniors

4
- 4

Extra footpath maintenance

3
- Or none of the above



FEES AND CHARGES

PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR FEEDBACK ON THE PROPOSED CHANGES TO FEES AND CHARGES

None of us like rates increased but all these promote "public good". As the number of elderly increases 1, 3 & 4 of these proposals become more important.

ANY OTHER COMMENTS/PROPOSALS?



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from the extra funds created by new build rates coming on stream.



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more ratepayers coming on stream will help funding

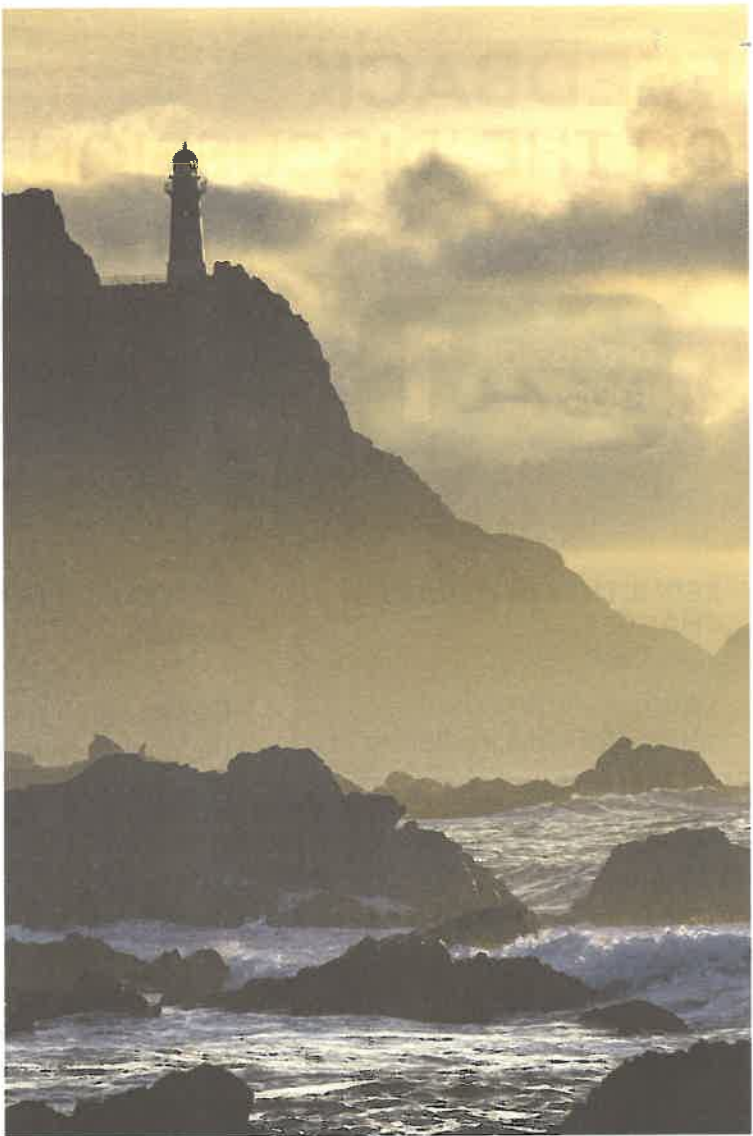


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Extended pool opening hours	<input type="text" value="4"/>
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Or none of the above	<input type="text"/>



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SWDC 2019-20 ANNUAL PLAN SUBMISSION

This submission requests that SWDC in approving this 2019-2020 Annual Plan makes provision for the development of a long-term traffic management plan for Main street Greytown. No such plan exists now. The charm of Greytown is commercially supported as a “destination” for visitors and residents. Unfortunately, this same charm is degraded by an increasing volume of HGV through-traffic.

Context

On page 42 of the draft Annual Plan, SWDC recognises that in order to achieve vibrant and strong communities, SWDC must ensure that *“land transport, in all its forms is safe for the community and that it encourages a sense of pride and belonging.”* At first sight, the commercial heart of Main Street Greytown, appears to be a perfect example of that policy in action. A bustling thriving community enjoying the retail shopping and relaxing in street front cafes and bars. That is until a livestock truck and trailer rolls down the street. The impact is quick and profound. The odour accompanying such a vehicle lingers for at least 10 seconds after it passes and, easily carries 35 metres back from road frontages in light breezes. In cafes and back-yard BBQ’s taste buds which might have been savouring a delicate quiche or rosé wine are tainted. And just when diners think it is safe to try another bite or sip, another HGV truck and trailer rolls down the street. If they are lucky, this time it is only a load of logs destined for the Port of Wellington, so noses and palates are only tainted by diesel exhausts.

Statistics from NZTA

NZTA have an intelligent traffic counter buried beneath SH2 just to the north of the intersection with Wood Street. It can differentiate between 14 different categories of vehicle passing above. It is also able to separate northbound traffic data from southbound data. Details I obtained from NZTA in respect of this counter in respect of traffic movements for the week commencing Monday September 10th, 2018 (not a week notable for any major events in the Wairarapa) showed that:

1. Total north and south-bound movements amounted to 66,408 for the week.
2. Class 1, 2 & 3 vehicles (cars/Cars with trailers/Motor-bikes) included in (1) amounted to 58,712
3. Classes 4 (Light trucks and buses) included in (1) amounted to 4,812
4. Classes 5-13 (Heavy trucks including articulated and those with trailers amounted to 2,884
5. A split of (4) shows 1,428 north-bound traffic and 1,456 south-bound for the week

Informal observations that I have made from time to time over the 9 years I have owned the property at 147A Main Street leads me to believe that that except for the local buses and the trucks which provide supplies for the supermarket, more than 95% of all Class 6-13 (HGV) traffic is through traffic bound for destinations to the north or south of Greytown. With a growing population in Masterton and the imminent milling of forests in its hinterland, there is no doubt that the volumes of through-town HGV traffic on Main Street will grow exponentially. Let me be clear however, my concerns are not only about people spluttering when they get a blast of Cow/Sheep Pooh whilst eating Eggs Benedict. My concerns also include the safety of pedestrians (who often randomly cross the road) and, equally importantly, the protection of the essence of what makes Greytown Main Street a unique place for both residents and visitors to meet, eat and imbibe. HGV traffic such as I have described is a threat to the unique character of what makes Greytown a destination in its own right and assisted it deservedly winning the award for The Most Beautiful Small Town in NZ for 2017.

I have looked though the draft SWDC Annual Plan and the actual 2018-2028 Long Term Plan as well for a hint of what plans the SWDC had to curb the HGV traffic volumes and so preserve and foster the special experience residents and visitors enjoy so much when they visit. Alas both reports are silent on the issue. Annual and Long-Term plans are opportunities for us all to put aside personal interests (and maybe even our biases) and think about the Greytown of fifty years hence which our grandchildren and great grandchildren will inherit. If we fail to make plans to deal with the consequences of increased HGV volumes, then we are planning for a disappointing outcome.

Possible Solution?

NZTA indicated to me that an HGV bypass effectively re-routing SH2 away from Main Street, is extremely unlikely. However, they did advise that, conditional upon local community support, a diversion for HGV traffic away from Main Street might be a possibility.

For example, northbound HGV through traffic could travel via West Street from the Challenge petrol station re-joining SH2 at North Street. Some HGV through traffic has already been observed taking this route. I have noticed that Mike Gray (now Councillor Gray) submitted (in response to the SWDC 2017-18 draft Annual Plan), that re-opening South Street to SH2 would relieve northbound traffic congestion.

Southbound HGV traffic could travel via North Street and East Street re-joining SH2 at Papawai Road. Children crossing East Street to the school, would continue to have the security of the pedestrian crossing to do so.

This solution does not see the wholesale removal of all main Street traffic onto East and West Streets. Far from it. Moving just the HGV through traffic off Main Street will still result in a combined 63,524 weekly total of north and southbound motorcycle, car and light truck traffic on Main Street. The splitting of northbound and southbound streams means the residents of East and West Streets would only share a 50% part of the HGV traffic (circa 1,440 vehicles each way/week). By utilising East and West Streets for north/south bound through traffic, no HGVs would cross over SH2 in order to bypass Main Street.

A solution to the growing issue of HGV traffic on Main Street is needed. The current “hands-off” approach by SWDC is both unsafe and undesirable in the context of image which Greytown seeks to present to its residents and visitors alike.

As I will be offshore for the duration that oral submissions may be made in relation to the 2019-20 Annual Plan of the SWDC, it is my wish that Warren Woodgyer present it on my behalf.

Russell Bell



Data Ref:



Greytown traffic
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--Personal Details--

Name: Susie von Pein

Ratepayer: Urban

Do you want to speak to your submission? No

Speaking preference:

Organisation:

--Discussion Topic 1--

Which of the proposed options for reducing library services fees and charges do you agree with (see page 3) :

--Discussion Topic 2--

Do you agree with extending the pool opening hours?

Do you agree with the proposed new opening hours as set out (page 4)?

If no, would you like the opening hours to be:

Comment:

--Discussion Topic 3--

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--Discussion Topic 4--

Do you agree that more money should be spent on footpath upgrades in our three towns?

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(please explain below):

--And, if you had to choose...--

Which of the four initiatives would you like to see implemented the most?

- Reduction in library charges:

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Or none of the above:

--Fees and Charges--

Please provide your feedback on the proposed changes to fees and

charges:

--General--

Any other comments/proposals?

I noticed Kempton St has just got new footpaths. I have been waiting for a footpath for 7 years on the corner of Kempton St and Wood (western boundary). Cars continually drive on the grass causing a mess, mud and disruption.

I would appreciate if you would consider putting a path on the corner.

Do you have a document you want to upload?

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--Personal Details--

Name: Jo Holter

Ratepayer: Urban

Do you want to speak to your submission? No

Speaking preference:

Organisation:

--Discussion Topic 1--

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--And, if you had to choose...--

Which of the four initiatives would you like to see implemented the most?

- Reduction in library charges: 3

- Extended pool opening hours: 4

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--Fees and Charges--

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Any other comments/proposals?

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--Personal Details--

Name: Karen Shaw

Ratepayer: Urban

Do you want to speak to your submission? No

Speaking preference:

Organisation:

--Discussion Topic 1--

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--Fees and Charges--

Please provide your feedback on the proposed changes to fees and charges: I think as we all struggle with increased living costs the challenges faced by seniors in our community are greater than anyone elses, in their lifetimes they have seen the cost of housing increase more than anyone predicted, they grew up believing the pension would be enough, but it isn't. We have a duty of care to the seniors in our communities and I think everyone needs to share the load to make that happen.

--General--

Any other comments/proposals?

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--Personal Details--

Name: Tingay Davidson

Ratepayer: Urban

Do you want to speak to your submission? No

Speaking preference:

Organisation:

--Discussion Topic 1--

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If no, would you like the opening hours to be:

Comment: My personal concern is time for older citizens to swim outside school hours. This proposal seems to cover that.

--Discussion Topic 3--

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(please explain below): I think this may have to be less than proposed. a 2.6 increase on rates seems a lot so this may need to be scaled back without actually stopping maintenance. for example - do two villages on year and two the next, alternating. There are increasing no's of elderly and those on foot -will be especially true in Greytown when the retirement village is built.

--And, if you had to choose...--

Which of the four initiatives would you like to see implemented the most?

- Reduction in library charges: 3

- Extended pool opening hours: 1
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Or none of the above:

--Fees and Charges--

Please provide your feedback on the proposed changes to fees and charges: As on OAP on a restricted income I am of course concerned about rates rises but realise everything costs.

--General--

Any other comments/proposals? Continue pressure on central govt to increase funding to local councils.

Do you have a document you want to upload?

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South Wairarapa District Council

Annual Plan 2019/20

Grant Application Form

Submit to: ap@swdc.govt.nz before 4 pm, 8 May 2019

1. ORGANISATION DETAILS

Name of organisation:

Featherston Junior Football Club Incorporated

Physical address:

Randolph Park,

Underhill Road,

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Nim Grewal

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Funding Criteria

Council has approximately \$75,000 available for youth focused projects and \$170,000 available for community grants.

Please select the category that is the project's main focus (mark with an X)

Youth Grant

X

Community Grant

When was the organisation formed and what are its aims and objectives?

Featherston Junior Football Club has been operating for many, many years, but was only officially incorporated in 2017. (October, 2017)

The Club's aims are to provide a safe environment for kids between the ages of four and 13 years old, to learn and play football / soccer.

Our objectives are to be a gold standard for administration, training, and facilities for a community / amateur sports club in Featherston and eventually the Wairarapa.

The Club is supported in its aims and objectives through our affiliation to NZ Football, and their regional arm, Capital Football.

Total number of members in your organisation?	157
How many full-time equivalent people work in your organisation?	0
How many volunteers work in your organisation?	10
Date of last AGM?	8 th September, 2018
Are you GST registered? Y/N	No
GST No:	

Officers of organisation	
Chair: Nim Grewal	Phone No: 022 0700 200
Secretary: Simon Kelly	Phone No: 021 308 909
Treasurer: Adele Richardson	Phone No: 022 487 6146

2. PROJECT OVERVIEW

Specific reason for grant application (e.g. upgrade to facilities/purchase of equipment/one-off event):

Featherston Junior Football Club does not have enough sets of goal posts or goal nets for our teams.

Without goalposts, we cannot be selected as a venue for the Wairarapa League games, and our teams have to play 'away' all season. This also means we cannot train our players effectively.

The limitation of our basic equipment continues to drive players to other town Clubs, and restricts our ability to grow and support our players.

The goalposts we were using were taken and sold.

As a result of this, we worked with Capital Football and through our affiliation fees two sets of goal posts were purchased last year: Grade 11 / 12 goalposts [5m x 2m] and Grade 9 / 10 goalposts [4m x 2m].

We are using a metal set held together with wires for our second Grade9 / 10 goal posts.

We have four sets of 'pop up' goals [2m x 1m] for our Grades4 – 8 teams as several sets were damaged / broken where they were stored in a shared space.

To cover our minimum requirements for goal posts, we need a second set of Grade 9 / 10 posts and nets, and three more 'pop up' goals for our youngest teams.

The Grade9+ goal posts are in place year round, and we've discussed and agreed this with SWDC.

This allows them to be used by the community at times outside of Club training / games times. The pitches are marked by the Club and are also in place all year around.

Where and when will the activity/event take place or what is the anticipated completion date of the project (please note funds cannot be allocated retrospectively)?

The completion date of the project is 10 weeks from the date the goals are ordered, as they have to be manufactured.

Why should South Wairarapa District Council (SWDC) support this project/event?

Sports are one of the few things that kids can do on a regular basis outside of school.

This engages not only the youth, but the wider community as a whole due to players representing the town Club. The Wairarapa Leagues can only be successful if all of the town Clubs are able to participate.

The goals will be made available for everyone to use, throughout the year. Allowing the use of SWDC parkland to have a more defined use, allowing for the community to have a higher level of enjoyment from the space[s].

Who will benefit from these funds and in what way?

Everyone who wants to play football in the park will benefit.

The public will have dedicated age 9+ pitches marked out and setup for use and enjoyment throughout the year.

The Junior Football Club will benefit from having adequate facilities within which to train our players for years to come.

The Grade9 / 10 teams will benefit as they will be able to play at 'home' during the season.

The Grade4-8 teams will be able to train and play throughout the year, together.

Would you like to speak in support of your application at a meeting of the South Wairarapa District Council? Yes please.

Submission hearings will be held on 14 & 15 May 2018 at the Council Chambers, Martinborough

3. FINANCIALS

Funding requirements	
Total cost of project	\$2,096
Your organisation's contribution	\$377
Other outside funding (please supply brief details)	\$
Amount applied for in this application	\$1,719
Shortfall (please provide brief details of how will balance be found)	\$0
Project income (if applicable), e.g. generated from sales to public	\$0
Is organisation a registered charity?	No
Have you applied to SWDC for funding before?	No
If yes, when, for what purpose and how much was granted?	N/A
Are you GST Registered	No

Bank account details (required for non GST registered applications only)	
Name of bank:	KiwiBank
Account name:	Featherston Junior Football Club Incorporated
Account No:	38-9011-0409689-00

4. Declarations

We agree to comply with requests from an officer or councillor from SWDC for additional information in relation to this application.

Statement to comply with the Provisions of the Privacy Act 1993

The personal information above is collected and will be held by SWDC for the purpose of considering your application for financial assistance. You have the right of access to, and correction of, personal information about you, that we hold.

Authorisation

- I certify that the information provided in this application form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.
- I have the authority to make the application on behalf of the organisation.
- I agree that the necessary documentation listed below is attached to this application.
- I confirm that we will complete and return a grant accountability form within two months of the project being completed.
- The organisation will keep receipts and a record of all expenditure for 7 years.
- Any unspent funds will be returned to SWDC.
- All expenditure will be accounted for in the Grant Accountability Form.

Signatory One

Signed:



Full name: Nirmal Singh Grewal

Designation: Club President

Date: 1/5/2019

Signatory Two

Signed:



Full name: Simon David Kelly

Designation: Club Secretary

Date: 30-04-19

Supporting documentation required for this application

- Most recent annual accounts including notes and review/audit report. ☐
- Income and expenditure statement for part year and inaugural minutes (if organisation has been operating for less than 12 months) ☒

--Personal Details--

Name: Geoffrey Roberts

Ratepayer: Urban

Do you want to speak to your submission? No

Speaking preference:

Organisation:

--Discussion Topic 1--

Which of the proposed options for reducing library services fees and charges do you agree with (see page 3) : Option 1 - Status quo

--Discussion Topic 2--

Do you agree with extending the pool opening hours?

Do you agree with the proposed new opening hours as set out (page 4)?

If no, would you like the opening hours to be:

Comment:

--Discussion Topic 3--

Do you agree with ratepayers contributing to the cost of senior housing? Yes

If no, how do you propose we cover the costs in future?

If no, how do we fund future upgrades required to meet new government standards?

--Discussion Topic 4--

Do you agree that more money should be spent on footpath upgrades in our three towns? Yes

Are you prepared to pay increased rates to fund this? Yes

If no, would you agree that a greater or lesser amount should be allocated to footpath maintenance funded from rates?

(please explain below): Featherston footpaths are mostly either 3rd world standard or non existent. I think there needs to be a study done on making the town more pedestrian and cycling friendly. It is perfectly set up for this being flat and not too spread out. I would say 90% of the population live within walking distance to the town centre and this activity needs to be encouraged.

--And, if you had to choose...--

Which of the four initiatives would you like to see implemented the most?

- Reduction in library charges:
- Extended pool opening hours:
- Change in funding for (subsidising houses for seniors):

- Extra footpath maintenance: 1
Or none of the above:

--Fees and Charges--

Please provide your feedback on the proposed changes to fees and charges:

--General--

Any other comments/proposals?

Here are some other suggestions for improving Featherston:

The town needs more trees on the main street - Oaks seem to do well here, can you plant some more please? I can spot lots of little beds with low lying natives in them that would suit a big tree and there are no overhead lines about so let's do it. You could even put some in the middle of the street as it's wide enough for that.

Fencing off the cherry tree park from SH2 would be great - just carry on that picket fence to Lyon street. would improve it greatly - in fact the other side too from Lyon street to the information centre. No one wants to picnic there if your kids can run out under a log truck.

There is a patch of metal left between the squircle and the skatepark - looks bad and unfinished. Can you please complete this with the exposed aggregate surface around the rest of the town centre as it detracts from its beauty and that of the new war memorial.

As it will probably take years to sell the vacant lot - could you spend a few grand just grassing it in the mean time? It wouldn't cost that much for top soil and seed and then at least people could sit on it.

I wonder about the council reaching out to the owners of the derelict buildings on the main street and coming to some arrangement to the benefit of the town.

Toilets and facilities in Dorset Square are a must - it just doesn't work for young families without them.

The playground needs a bit of a tidy up - the new fence is great but a few of the structures are pretty tired and the borders are shabby. Invest a bit more here please.

The 70kph zones at either end of the town are very bad and need to be dropped to 50. Please work with NZTA to do this before their scheduled review.

Thanks and feel free to get in touch if you want to clarify any of the above.

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<http://www.swdc.govt.nz/node/1240/submission/1326>

--Personal Details--

Name: Julia Parry

Ratepayer: Rural

Do you want to speak to your submission? No

Speaking preference:

Organisation:

--Discussion Topic 1--

Which of the proposed options for reducing library services fees and charges do you agree with (see page 3) : Option 2 -

Removal of: rental for adult fiction, charge for replacement card, overdue fees for youth and children

--Discussion Topic 2--

Do you agree with extending the pool opening hours? Yes

Do you agree with the proposed new opening hours as set out (page 4)? Yes

If no, would you like the opening hours to be: Longer

Comment: It would be good to have one weekday each week in the morning (say, 11 -12) for seniors to swim. Many of us do not want to risk the inadvertent jostling that can accompany a slower swim.

--Discussion Topic 3--

Do you agree with ratepayers contributing to the cost of senior housing? Yes

If no, how do you propose we cover the costs in future?

If no, how do we fund future upgrades required to meet new government standards?

--Discussion Topic 4--

Do you agree that more money should be spent on footpath upgrades in our three towns? Yes

Are you prepared to pay increased rates to fund this? Yes

If no, would you agree that a greater or lesser amount should be allocated to footpath maintenance funded from rates? More (please explain below): My husband is legally blind. He cannot drive, but is mobile and likes to walk the 2 kms into town. It's difficult for him to walk on uneven ground that may be muddy, along state highways with cars zooming past him. He isn't the only person in this category – there are seniors on mobility scooters who can't leave the town precinct because of the absence of footpaths, or poorly-maintained footpaths.

--And, if you had to choose...--

Which of the four initiatives would you like to see implemented

the most?

- Reduction in library charges: 4
- Extended pool opening hours: 1
- Change in funding for (subsidising houses for seniors): 2
- Extra footpath maintenance: 3

Or none of the above:

--Fees and Charges--

Please provide your feedback on the proposed changes to fees and charges: I applaud the council for its initiative in seeking to improve the living conditions of residents.

--General--

Any other comments/proposals? There are places, such as Barr-Brown bush reserve, that are favourite walking spots for people and their dogs. The problem is that the verges get incredibly muddy and slippery in the winter, so it isn't possible to park a car nearby. I, and others, have been bogged down in the mire and needed help to get out. Could the council use a thick layer of bark chips from trees it fells to make a less precarious verge for residents and their cars?

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<http://www.swdc.govt.nz/node/1240/submission/1327>

--Personal Details--

Name: Ray Lilley

Ratepayer: Rural

Do you want to speak to your submission? No

Speaking preference:

Organisation:

--Discussion Topic 1--

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--Discussion Topic 2--

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If no, would you like the opening hours to be:

Comment: charge adults a \$1.00 entry fee or season pass \$20.00. 16 and under free.

--Discussion Topic 3--

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If no, how do you propose we cover the costs in future? see submission

If no, how do we fund future upgrades required to meet new government standards? see submission

--Discussion Topic 4--

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If no, would you agree that a greater or lesser amount should be allocated to footpath maintenance funded from rates? Less (please explain below): centrl town footpaths need to be maintained but no extension is required in our opinion.

--And, if you had to choose...--

Which of the four initiatives would you like to see implemented the most?

- Reduction in library charges: 3
- Extended pool opening hours: 3
- Change in funding for (subsidising houses for seniors): 4
- Extra footpath maintenance: 2

Or none of the above:

--Fees and Charges--

Please provide your feedback on the proposed changes to fees and charges:

"We have an ethical responsibility to look after the most vulnerable elderly in our community."

If we believe the above statement in the SWDC annual planning consultation document, why is the council seeking to impose a third rent increase in three years on the vulnerable elderly currently living in council rental units?

Do we accept it is a community responsibility to look after the vulnerable elderly?

Do we agree they deserve our support to live their lives as independently as possible?

Do we agree their living conditions should not be further degraded, given they occupy units to which they are admitted on the basis of their low income/asset status?

Do we agree that being able to live independent lives for as long as possible is both highly desirable and cost-efficient for the community as a whole?

Then why does the Annual Plan propose a significant increase in rents for the elderly in the units?

Is it because, as the community meeting at the Waihinga Centre was advised, the government has required the council to carry out minor upgrades of the facilities to improve their condition?

In other words, the community is passing the upgrade cost directly back to the already impoverished elderly tenants – tenants who likely have nothing but their superannuation benefits payments from government to meet all their outgoings.

In an inclusive community we would find alternative funding to cover the minor shortfall involved.

It is a neoliberal myth constantly quoted that requires each individual council activity (like pensioner housing) to be fully self-funding and not run at a deficit.

What rationale has been used to justify the proposals that:

cut all charges for fiction book borrowing from the Libraries;

extend the hours and removes all charges from swimming pool users (rather than charge adults a \$1.00 fee or \$20.00 seasonal pass

fee);

greatly extend footpath sealing programmes (\$375,000);

but raise pensioner housing costs for a third time in three years?

According to council officers _ because the rents of SWDC are still slightly lower than the average charged by other councils, and the elderly tenants should pay for government-required upgrades.

The lack of real consideration for the elderly poor exposes SWDC as less than charitable and certainly lacking compassion.

Forcing this third increase on these tenants could mean some may even lose their independence.

The comment that the council "cannot put them (rental prices) up sufficiently to cover all costs without making them unaffordable" accurately displays the uncharitable processes behind this proposal. It simply lacks any sense of community inclusiveness.

"community" The English-language word "community" derives from the Old French *comuneté*, which comes from the Latin *communitas* "community", "public spirit."

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A rate increase above the proposed 0.41% would, I'm sure, meet with a generous response if clearly explained to our mostly public-spirited ratepayers.

Ray Lilley, Martinborough.

--General--

Any other comments/proposals?

I trust the submission document is attached. I copied it above in case it's not. I have also sent it as a separate email.

Ray Lilley 0212222100

Do you have a document you want to upload?

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<http://www.swdc.govt.nz/node/1240/submission/1328>

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--Personal Details--

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Phone: 06 304 9071

Ratepayer: Commercial

Do you want to speak to your submission? Yes

Speaking preference: Wed 29 May

Organisation: Greytown Trust Lands Trust

--Discussion Topic 1--

Which of the proposed options for reducing library services fees and charges do you agree with (see page 3) :

--Discussion Topic 2--

Do you agree with extending the pool opening hours?

Do you agree with the proposed new opening hours as set out (page 4)?

If no, would you like the opening hours to be:

Comment:

--Discussion Topic 3--

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If no, how do we fund future upgrades required to meet new government standards?

--Discussion Topic 4--

Do you agree that more money should be spent on footpath upgrades in our three towns?

Are you prepared to pay increased rates to fund this?

If no, would you agree that a greater or lesser amount should be allocated to footpath maintenance funded from rates?

(please explain below):

--And, if you had to choose...--

Which of the four initiatives would you like to see implemented the most?

- Reduction in library charges:

- Extended pool opening hours:

- Change in funding for (subsidising houses for seniors):

- Extra footpath maintenance:

Or none of the above:

--Fees and Charges--

Please provide your feedback on the proposed changes to fees and charges:

--General--

Any other comments/proposals? See attached written submission
Do you have a document you want to upload?

<http://www.swdc.govt.nz/sites/default/files/webform/SUBMISSION%20-%20Integrated%20Sports%20Hub%20v2.docx>

The results of this submission may be viewed at:

<http://www.swdc.govt.nz/node/1240/submission/1329>

SUBMISSION BY GREYTOWN TRUSTLANDS TRUST TO THE 2019/20 ANNUAL PLAN

An Opportunity to Enhance Sport and Active Recreation in the South Wairarapa District

Trust position

The Board of Greytown Trustlands Trust agrees with the conclusions outlined in the executive summary of the Community Gymnasium Feasibility Study prepared by GLG for the Kuranui Sports Hub Project Working Group, of which South Wairarapa District Council is a member, and supports implementation of the development strategy outlined in Section 11 of the study report.

Furthermore, the Board of Trustees confirms its willingness to play its part in the development of the proposed integrated sports hub (stages 1 and 2) and commit funding in the form of an ongoing subsidy towards the operational cost of running and maintaining such a facility once built. The Board of Trustees wish to emphasise though that this commitment is predicated on the key assumption used in the financial model, set out in section 14.1.2 item 10 of the study report, *“...that the Lands Trust will have income available to be able to underpin the full hub development generated from its sale of land holdings currently occupied by the Bowls Club and the Rugby Club and reinvestment of this capital in commercial property and achieving commercial returns.”*

Benefits to South Wairarapa

Development of an integrated sports hub at Kuranui College represents an opportunity to:

- build on the national trend towards construction of fit for purpose facilities that jointly meet education and community sport and active recreation needs, and help promote a lifelong healthy lifestyle among participants;
- significantly enhance sport and active recreation provision in South Wairarapa by providing additional centralised capacity to meet increased demand for indoor and outdoor sports space arising from projected growth in the resident population;
- promote the rationalisation of current sports facilities throughout South Wairarapa (most of them Council owned), in the process helping to improve utilisation and achieve economies of scale in operating and maintenance costs.

In short, an integrated sports hub would deliver on a number of Council community outcomes – it would assist in the development of active communities and give residents a reason to feel safe and proud to live in South Wairarapa, while establishing a sustainably managed amenity for all residents of the District.

Partnering to turn opportunity into reality

Development of an integrated sports hub represents a once in a lifetime opportunity for five key partners (the Council, Ministry of Education, Greytown Trust Lands, Kuranui College and Greytown Sports & Leisure Society) to work together to achieve similar outcomes. The common thread is that we are all long term intergenerational entities that have to plan not just for the existing population but for the changing needs of future generations ahead of us.

This opportunity to create something special for the District will not present itself again.

The role of the Council and the purpose of this submission

It is noted the terms of reference of the Council’s new Asset and Services Committee refer to:

- its purpose as being among other things to “align Council’s management of assets...to its long term strategic objectives”;
- its role and responsibility as being among other things to “assist the community in the maintenance and improvement of amenities..” and, in relation to the management and utilisation of assets, to develop “..potential implementation strategies for the sporting priorities of SWDC.”

In light of these statements and of the community benefits identified in the feasibility report, the Trust submits the Council should confirm its commitment to partnering with the Trust and others to turn this opportunity into reality and should as a top priority commit to securing occupancy or ownership of the land identified in the report as being ideal as the site for the proposed outdoor sports component (stage 2) of the hub development.

The Board of Trustees understands the current lease of this land expires in October 2019, requiring the Council to commit funding for this purpose in the 2019/20 annual plan.

Please note Trustees would like to make a verbal presentation on this submission at the annual plan hearing.

This submission is made by **Stephanie Luxford and Xavier Watts**. Please count this submission as two separate submissions made by each of us. We are the ratepayers of 61A Watt Street, Featherston. We do not give permission for our address and contact information to be published with our submission.

We support all four initiatives covered in the consultation document (subject to our comments in the main body of our submission below). We would like to see the initiatives implemented in this order:

- 1) Change in funding for housing for seniors
- 2) Extended pool opening hours
- 3) Extra footpath maintenance
- 4) Reduction in library charges

Feedback on the discussion topics

Topic 1: reduction in library charges

We agree that there should no fees for renting adult fiction, children and youth fiction, and DVDs. We also agree that there should be no charge for reserving books. We submit that we prefer option 4, subject to the following comments.

Option 4 supports removing fees for overdue books. While we agree that there may be some benefit to removing the charges for overdue adult and children's books, we disagree with completely removing the charges for overdue books because this seems to remove the incentive for customers to return their library books on time. This could have flow on effects, because if books are not returned to the library by their due dates, other people who have reserved books or could want to borrow the books may not be able to access the books for some time after they otherwise would have had access to the books. Additionally, removing the fees for overdue books provides no incentive for customers who have lost their books to notify the library of this and pay the replacement cost of the lost books.

We submit that overdue book fees should only be removed in certain circumstances. For example, where a person has a general history of compliance with their library book due dates, and has not incurred any overdue fees in the last three months, the system should automatically remove their fees. Where someone has repeated non-compliance, however, overdue fees should continue to be applied. Librarians should also have the ability to exercise discretion to remove overdue fees from a person's account where it is clear they have no ability to pay the fees, or to require them to pay the fees would result in severe hardship. If someone incurs overdue fees for the same book for a certain period of time (say two or three months), the person should be assumed to have lost the book, and should be required to pay the replacement cost of the book.

Topic 2: extended pool opening hours

We agree with extending the pool opening hours. We agree, for the most part, with the proposed new opening hours (see below), although would like to see longer opening hours in the weekend.

We submit however that consideration should be given to changing the proposed swimming pool opening hours on Saturdays and Sundays. It is currently proposed that the swimming pools be open

from 11am to 7.30pm on Saturdays and Sundays. We support funding the increased opening hours through rates collected from South Wairarapa residents.

New Zealand has one of the highest incidence rates of melanoma in the world ([Melanoma NZ, accessed 4 May 2019](#)). The risk of melanoma increases with sun exposure, and experiencing sunburn at any age increases the risk of melanoma in later life. To prevent melanoma, Melanoma New Zealand recommends staying in the shade and protecting one's skin between 10am to 4pm in summer. This is supported by the Cancer Society, which advises that UV radiation levels are particularly high from September to April between 10am and 4pm ([Cancer Society, accessed 4 May 2019](#)).

The currently proposed pool opening hours on Saturdays and Sundays fall, for the most part, within the time New Zealand typically has peak UV radiation levels. Only part of the Featherston pool, for example, is shaded, which means a lot of the pool is still fully exposed to the sun. The pool will only be open for 3.5h outside of these peak UV radiation times - from 4pm to 7.30pm. The council has an obligation to consider the health and safety of South Wairarapa residents. We submit that the pool should be open earlier in the morning (say from 8am), so that people have the opportunity to use the pool before the peak UV radiation hours.

If staffing costs are a concern, the pools could be closed for a few hours during the middle of the day when UV radiation levels are the highest. Possible opening hours could be:

- Morning opening hours: 8am to 12pm
- Afternoon opening hours: 3pm to 7.30pm

If this submission is not accepted, then we submit that there should be an option for residents to apply for access to the pool outside standard opening hours. Residents could provide a deposit to the council in exchange for a key to access the pool, and would use the pool at their own risk. A suggested deposit amount could be \$25 or \$50.

Topic 3: change in funding of housing for seniors

It is important for the elderly to be housed in warm, well-insulated and ventilated houses. We agree that it is important that Council-provided housing for these people continues to be available at affordable prices. We agree with ratepayers contributing to the cost of senior housing.

Topic 4: extra footpath maintenance

We agree that more money should be spent on footpath upgrades in South Wairarapa. We are prepared to pay increased rates to fund this.

Other submissions

Upgrade to pool facilities

The long term plan refers to an intention to complete pool upgrades in 2018/19. We used the Featherston swimming pool when it was open earlier this year. The water was cold, and when we made inquiries we were advised that the system which heats the water was not functioning properly. We did not return to the pool after this occasion, because we were told it was unlikely the council would fix the heating issue this season, and the swimming pool water would continue to be very cold until this heating issue was fixed. We submit that the Featherston pool heating

system should be fixed or replaced as a matter of priority, so that residents are not discouraged from using the pool when it opens later on this year. We note that the Wellington City Council run Thorndon pool, which is an outdoor pool, is heated to 28°C ([Wellington City Council, accessed 4 May 2019](#)).

Infrastructure to prevent flooding

The council needs to invest more in improving, or putting in place, infrastructure to prevent flooding in Featherston.

Martinborough drinking water

We note that the [consultation document](#) refers to the Council's intention to invest in and install a manganese extraction plant in Martinborough. It explains that "removing the manganese delivers a variety of benefits and allows for potential chlorination of Martinborough's water in the future". We submit that drinking water, whether in Martinborough or any other part of the South Wairarapa district, should only be chlorinated if this is absolutely necessary, and where the benefits of chlorination can be shown through solid evidence to far outweigh the costs of chlorination. In addition, we submit that before decisions on chlorination are made, consultation must be undertaken with all affected residents.

Workshop dates

We note that a number of workshops were held regarding the annual plan. These workshops were all on weekdays. Considering the growth experienced in the South Wairarapa region of residents who commute to Wellington for work, we submit that there should be at least one workshop held on a weekend so that commuters are provided with a better opportunity to attend, learn more about the issues being consulted on, and provide their feedback. While we appreciate that the preference for council staff is likely for workshops held during the week, most professionals are expected to work reasonable overtime, which may include overtime after work and in some instances work on the weekend. It is not unreasonable to expect council staff to spend a few hours on the weekend, on the rare occasion something is released by the council for consultation with residents, to meet with and discuss issues with residents.

If the Council has any questions on our submission we are happy to speak at the hearing on 30 or 31 May. If this is the case, please notify us at least 3 working days in advance so that we can make arrangements to be available. Otherwise, we do not wish to speak to our submission.

Regards

Stephanie Luxford (Watts) and Xavier Watts

SUBMISSION

I am writing this submission on behalf of Greytown Bowling Club. Also affected, are Greytown Rugby Club, Early Years Childcare and Cobblestones.

We are grateful to Greytown Trustlands Trust for our establishment and the perpetual leases we have in place.

These leases provide Greytown with sporting and educational properties which provide green space within the town boundaries. They have relieved SWDC of the obligation to provide the same within the Council Rating Structure.

As perpetual leases, should the land in question have a residential rating structure?

Up until three years ago the Trust bulk funded the Club with an annual grant which effectively paid back the rates and a small amount of extras.

Annual rental was a percentage of land value – 2 1/2 % then rose to 5%. The 95% is quoted as being a donation to the Club in dollar terms of \$24,000 to the Club. The Rugby Club is quoted as \$47,000.

This is inventive accounting and upsetting other Trust beneficiaries as the Clubs appear to be getting the lions share of funding. We get suspect land remission – they get cash.

There is no way recreational land can fund these charges, so why use them? With the three-yearly revaluation due next year, would SWDC consider re-categorising the land as Historical Recreational.

It requires protecting as green space and burgeoning rent and rates would put the Bowling Club in jeopardy of continuing after being on site since 1898.

If we lose a Bowling Club in the Wairarapa, the Centre would become part of Hutt Valley or Palmerston North.

Land values have created the problems. The Trust has been a great positive for the Greytown community at large, but SWDC has a part to play at this stage.

Brian Phillips

BRIAN PHILLIPS

President Greytown Bowling Club

30 April 2019



South Wairarapa District Council

Annual Plan 2019/20

Grant Application Form

Submit to: ap@swdc.govt.nz before 4 pm, 8 May 2019

1. ORGANISATION DETAILS

Name of organisation:

Community Networks Wairarapa Incorporated

Physical address: C/- 71 Watt Street, Featherston 5710

Postal address: C/- 71 Watt Street, Featherston 5710

Contact Person:

Kara Pennington

Phone No (Day): use mobile

Email:

kara@wcn.org.nz

Mobile No:

022 586 9528

Phone No (After hours): use mobile

Kara is the best contact for this application; however, she is away from 8 May until 28 May 2019 please contact the following people in Kara's absence

Alternative Contact Person:

Lucy Adlam

Mobile No:

020 4130 8853

Email:

lucy@wcn.org.nz

Role: Coordinator – contact Lucy to arrange submission hearing appointment

Alternative Contact Person:

Judi Rendall

Mobile No:

027 531 1719

Email:

judi@connectingcommunities.org.nz

Role: Chair – contact Judi with any questions about the content of this application

Alternative Contact Person:

Jeremy Logan

Mobile No:

027 433 2215

Email:

jeremy@changeability.org.nz

Role: Treasurer – contact Jeremy with any questions about the content of this application

Funding Criteria

Council has approximately \$75,000 available for youth focused projects and \$170,000 available for community grants.

Please select the category that is the project's main focus (mark with an X)	
Youth Grant	
Community Grant	✓

When was the organisation formed and what are its aims and objectives?

Community Networks Wairarapa Inc. (CNWI) coordinates three local community networks in Masterton, Carterton and South Wairarapa; enabling cross-specialisation networking for those that work in Wairarapa communities both locally and regionally.

Established November 2014, CNWI's constitution sets out a mission to benefit the community by promoting information, training and resources to members enabling them to empower their communities to meet social needs.

CNWI's strategic vision is connected, collaborative, and capable social and community sectors in the Wairarapa.

The Community Networks facilitate and coordinate cross-specialisation bumping spaces (such as meetings, workshops, newsletters, closed Facebook group) where members can connect and converse with other community-facing 'doers' that they wouldn't typically come across in the course of their everyday mahi.

The Community Networks developed from the ground up out of a desire to break down silos and work better together for the benefit Wairarapa communities.

Membership is free and open to anyone interested in community and social wellbeing.

Members hail from the community and social sector - in its broadest sense.

Members are from organisations with a focus on education; youth work; social services; health and disability; community development and resilience; government agencies; local government; church groups; police; and community groups.

Members range from grass-roots voluntary groups to government agencies purchasing outcomes.

Total number of members in your organisation? We have provided a list of many of the organisations who are engaged with the Community Networks, fyi.	280 members, representing 175 member organisations
How many full-time equivalent people work in your organisation?	0.5 FTE permanent 0.375 FTE fixed term (ending 15 Dec 2019) 0.3 FTE fixed term project (ending 19 Oct 2019)
How many volunteers work in your organisation?	9
Date of last AGM?	2 November 2018
Are you GST registered? N	GST No: n/a

Officers of organisation	
Chair: Judi Rendall	Phone No: 027 531 1719
Secretary: Mary August	Phone No: 029 773 0078
Treasurer: Jeremy Logan	Phone No: 027 433 2215

2. PROJECT OVERVIEW

Specific reason for grant application (e.g. upgrade to facilities/purchase of equipment/one-off event):

We request a contribution to sustain the coordination of the South Wairarapa Community Network (e.g. operations funding including wages). Coordination of the South Wairarapa Community Network includes coordinating and facilitating regular opportunities throughout the year for people working in South Wairarapa communities to:

- connect and access peer support;
- build capability through sharing wisdom, information and resources;
- discuss and problem solve common issues;
- identify opportunities for collaboration and cooperation; and
- promote their services/programmes and professional development opportunities.

Our regular forums include facilitating eight open community networking meetings in the South Wairarapa per year, coordinating fortnightly newsletters as a mechanism to share

knowledge and resources, and the active facilitation of closed Facebook group to assist instant local and regional connections and exchange.

Dependent on income, we will also look to increase our capacity to meet the needs of our community network members and wider community. Our aim is to secure enough funding to allow our staff to facilitate collaborative exploration of common issues being raised in our forums.

Our members are looking to CNWI to follow-up on and coordinate work to address issues that are being aired in our forums. For example, we are collaborating with several social service providers on a project to explore concerns voiced in our forums about limited options to refer clients for community-based social work support. We have attached the project outcomes, for your information.

CNWI is uniquely positioned to identify and lead these types of explorations having a helicopter view of what is happening on the ground locally and across the region. We see there is huge potential for CNWI to support better community-wide outcomes by coordinating exploration of common issues and are seeking the resourcing to allow us to do it more consistently.

Where and when will the activity/event take place or what is the anticipated completion date of the project (please note funds cannot be allocated retrospectively)?
This application is to support ongoing operations. Our permanent staff member is located in the South Wairarapa. Our eight annual South Wairarapa Community Network meetings are typically located in Featherston – where the network was initially established.

Why should South Wairarapa District Council (SWDC) support this project/event?

Connections, peer support and sharing of wisdom and resources are critical to achieving community and social wellbeing outcomes in an increasingly complex and dynamic social and community sector landscape. Our work ensures critical broad cross-specialisation connections are maintained and in doing so support community and social sector providers to remain focused on their core work.

Many social service providers delivering in the South Wairarapa are based in Masterton and it is critical to have mechanisms for those working in our communities to exchange information and insights.

Where resourcing allows, we invest time to actively work with social and community sector organisations on activities that address significant issues or opportunities in our communities. Fab Feathy and the Featherston Community-Led Development Partnership

with the Dept of Internal Affairs developed out of the South Wairarapa Community Network.

Another recent example is working with ChangeAbility (a specialist family violence service provider) to make use of the Community Networks' forums to better understand what the broader sector needs to contribute to a community-based response to family violence.

We supported Changeability to survey the three networks. Using the feedback from the survey we then worked with ChangeAbility to design a series of short workshops which were delivered in Community Network forums, including the South Wairarapa, to refresh knowledge of and increase confidence in screening and intervening/supporting people affected by family violence.

To address an issue such as family violence we need to work together as a community – specialist providers alone cannot solve the issue. As non-specialists we need to understand what the small things are that we can do that will make a difference and have confidence doing them. CNWI provides the mechanism for the ongoing responsive development of that understanding and confidence.

Who will benefit from these funds and in what way?

The community benefits from social and community providers being connected and well-integrated. Those that benefit directly are the people who are working in our South Wairarapa communities – they benefit through being able to connect with a broad cross-specialisation local and regional network which can support their work through peer support and collegial exchange.

Would you like to speak in support of your application at a meeting of the South Wairarapa District Council? Yes

We do wish to speak in support, however, Kara our South Wairarapa based staff member will be away from 10 May until 28 May.

Please contact Lucy Adlam, Coordinator who will arrange for a Board member to attend the submission hearing.

Submission hearings will be held on 14 & 15 May 2018 at the Council Chambers, Martinborough

3. FINANCIALS

Funding requirements	
Total cost of project	\$81,000.00
Your organisation's contribution	\$78,500.00
Other outside funding (please supply brief details) We plan to apply for funding from several sources. Please refer to the Budget we have supplied with this application for detailed breakdown.	\$63,500.00
Amount applied for in this application	\$2,500.00
Shortfall (please provide brief details of how will balance be found) Our Budget is based on sustaining staffing to 1 FTE across the Wairarapa region. We require around 0.25 FTE to coordinate the South Wairarapa Community Network. We adjust our staffing levels according to the funding we receive – this avoids shortfalls.	\$0
Project income (if applicable), e.g. generated from sales to public	\$15,000 (Fee for Service to provide networking services)
Is organisation a registered charity?	Yes
Have you applied to SWDC for funding before?	Yes
If yes, when, for what purpose and how much was granted?	To sustain coordination of a South Wairarapa Community Network as one of three local community networks – facilitating connections locally and regionally. Grant application was declined.
Are you GST Registered	No

Bank account details (required for non GST registered applications only)

Name of bank: Westpac Bank

Account name:	Community Networks Wairarapa Incorporated
Account No:	03-0687-0022491-000

4. Declarations

We agree to comply with requests from an officer or councillor from SWDC for additional information in relation to this application.

Statement to comply with the Provisions of the Privacy Act 1993

The personal information above is collected and will be held by SWDC for the purpose of considering your application for financial assistance. You have the right of access to, and correction of, personal information about you, that we hold.

Authorisation

- I certify that the information provided in this application form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.
- I have the authority to make the application on behalf of the organisation.
- I agree that the necessary documentation listed below is attached to this application.
- I confirm that we will complete and return a grant accountability form within two months of the project being completed.
- The organisation will keep receipts and a record of all expenditure for 7 years.
- Any unspent funds will be returned to SWDC.
- All expenditure will be accounted for in the Grant Accountability Form.

Signatory One

Signed:



Full name: Kara Pennington

Designation: Manager

Date: 30 April 2019

Signatory Two

Signed:



Full name: Judi Rendall

Designation: Chair

Date: 30 April 2019

Supporting documentation required for this application	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Most recent annual accounts including notes and review/audit report. 	<input type="radio"/>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Income and expenditure statement for part year and inaugural minutes (if organisation has been operating for less than 12 months) 	<input type="radio"/>

South Wairarapa District Council 2019/20 Annual Plan Grant Application

Conditions of Grant:

Residential eligibility:

- Organisations, Charitable Trusts and Incorporated Societies must currently operate within South Wairarapa or have a broader Wairarapa-wide benefit.

Application forms:

- Will be accepted either in electronic or hard copy form.
- A separate application must be made for each project or event.

Annual grant:

- All applications are considered by the South Wairarapa District Council and awarded at their discretion and on the merits of each project for the greater wellbeing of the South Wairarapa community.
- There is no maximum amount for any one grant, however, the SWDC's resources are limited and funding support is not guaranteed on an on-going basis.
- Applicants will need to re-apply each year for consideration of funding to continue.
- There is a 12-month time limit for uplifting the funds from the date of notification of approval.
- After 12 months, if funds have not been uplifted the grant will be rescinded and a new application must be completed and submitted for consideration.
- Unused funds must be returned to SWDC.

Supporting material:

- Organisations are required to provide copies of their most recent annual report and financial statements that have either been audited or reviewed by a suitably qualified person.
- Within two months of completion of the project or event, applicants are required to send to the SWDC a completed Grant Accountability form.

Payments:

- GST registered applicants must provide a tax invoice to enable the grant to be paid
- Grants will be paid directly into the applicant organisation's designated bank account.
- SWDC may request receipted accounts as evidence of payment in advance of release of this grant.

Please return the completed by 4.00 pm on Wednesday 8 May 2018 to:

South Wairarapa District Council
PO Box 6
Martinborough 5741
Or email: ap@swdc.govt.nz

COMMUNITY NETWORKS WAIRARAPA – YTD forum engagement Jul 2018 to April 2019

Wairarapa Community Network meetings – 8 meetings per year in each of the three local community networks (total of 24 meetings annually)

No. of **organisations** represented at least one meeting across the region this financial year as at April 2019: **107**.

No. of **individuals** attended at least one meeting this financial year as at April: **125**.

Organisations who have sent a representative to a Community Network meeting YTD

ACC	DHB - Social Work
Age Concern	DHB Board Consumer Representative
Akina	Digital Seniors
Athletics Featherston	Dress for Success
Carterton District Council	Emerge Aotearoa
Carterton Farmers Market	Extinction Rebellion
Carterton Food Bank	Fab Feathy
Carterton Information Centre	Family Works
Carterton Medical Centre	Featherston - Older People's Concern Project to develop Aged Care Facility
Carterton School	Featherston Assembly of God
CCS Disability Action	Featherston Community Board
ChangeAbility	Featherston Community Centre
Citizens Advice Bureau	Featherston ECE/OSCAR
Community Alcohol Action Group	Featherston Expo
Community Budgeting Trust	Featherston Information Centre
Community Kitchen	Featherston Knitters
Community Networks	Featherston Meals on Wheels
Community Patrol Carterton	Featherston Medical Centre
Community-based Psychologist	Featherston Toy Library
Connecting Communities - Community Development	Gain Momentum
Connecting Communities - Social Services	Greytown Community Board
Crisis Pregnancy Support	Greytown Sport & Leisure Society
Dept of Internal Affairs	Health & Disability Advocacy Service
DHB - Disability	Idea Services

Immigration New Zealand, MBIE	Red Cross
Inland Revenue	Regional Public Health
Intergenerational Playgroup	Resilient Carterton
Interested community member x3	Rotary - Carterton
Kahui Ako - Carterton & Sth Wairarapa Community of Learning	Salvation Army
Learning Disabilities Association	SANDS
Lifeline	Seasons for Growth
Lions - Carterton	St Mark's Church
Literacy Wairarapa	Strengthening Families
Little Bundles	Timebank
Masterton District Council	Tu Ora Compass Health (PHO)
Masterton Family Education & Support Centre	Victim Support
Masterton Food Bank	Volunteering Wairarapa
Masterton Library	Wairarapa Community Centre
Ministry of Youth Development	Wairarapa Free Budgeting
MOSAIC (Male Survivors of Sexual Abuse)	Wairarapa Green Dollars
Neighbourhood Support - Carterton	Wairarapa MP's Office, Parliamentary Services
Neighbourhood Support - Masterton; weconnect (CALD)	Wairarapa REAP
Neighbourhood Support - South Wairarapa	Wairarapa Safer Community Trust
Nikau Foundation	Wairarapa Whanau Trust
Oasis Network	Wairarapa Women's Centre
Open Home Foundation	Waiwaste
Oranga Tamariki	Wellington COGS LDC
Pathways	Work & Income, MSD
Plunket	WREMO (Wgtn Regional Emergency Mgmt Office)
Police Carterton & Featherston	Zero Waste



Example AGENDA TOPICS (2018-2019 Financial year as at March 2019)

- Project looking into provision of and need for community-based social work in the Wairarapa
- First year progress & learnings from on Featherston's Community-led Development Partnership with Dept of Internal Affairs
- Crisis Pregnancy Support Service (service objectives, provision, referrals etc)
- Digital Seniors Wairarapa (service objectives, provision, referrals etc)
- Settlement Support Unit, Immigration New Zealand - Provision in Wairarapa Region, Masterton to become Refugee Settlement Community
- Wairarapa Children's Day collaborative event
- Violence Prevention Mini-Workshop Series:
 - What to do when you witness violence
 - How to deescalate a potentially violent situation
 - The signs of family violence - what to watch for
 - Best practice screening for family violence
- CCS Disability Action Wairarapa Services (objectives, provision, referrals etc)
- Input into the development of a combined Wairarapa District Council's Positive Ageing Strategy
- Haumanu House Community Garden Development
- Nikau Foundation – overview of Community Foundation funding model and advice on seeking funding through the Foundation
- Roll-out of new primary health care model throughout Wairarapa from early 2019; what you and your service users need to know
- Ministry of Youth Development work in Wairarapa – including new funding streams
- New priorities for Wellington Region Community Lottery Committee and advice on how to make a good application
- Community Alcohol Action Group – campaign to reduce alcohol harm
- Establishing Waiwaste Carterton
- Carterton's Community-Led Development Partnership with Dept of Internal Affairs - Establishing Ka Pai Carterton Committee
- Emergency Community Hub – objectives, operations, exercises
- Christmas Period Support – accessibility to services over holiday period
- Whānau Resilience collaboration – Kia Tūtahi Wairarapa – Standing Together Wairarapa
- Top tips for working with and valuing volunteers
- Little Bundles (service objectives, provision, referrals etc)

- Community Response to Family Violence Survey – visibility, effectiveness
- Useful Inland Revenue tools when working with people in the community (e.g. working for families)
- ‘We Matter’ mental health focussed collaborative event
- Featherston Expo
- Project to develop housing for elderly in Featherston
- Suicide prevention:
 - An overview on what signs to look out for.
 - Three easy steps to ask the hard question – “have you considered taking your life”
 - What to do if someone is considering suicide.
- Seasons for Growth (service objectives, provision, referrals etc.)
- Family Works (service objectives, provision, referrals etc.)
- Youth Volunteering Programme – wanting mentors/buddies
- COGS 2019 – changes and advice clinics
- Social Enterprise model – what is it? Is it an option for your organisation?

Wairarapa Community Network mailchimp newsletter

Individual subscribers list as at 8 April 2019: **278**

No. of **organisations** represented on subscriber list as at 11 March ‘19: **175**.

Analysis indicates **76%** of those who open our newsletter **are not** also **attending meetings** (demonstrating value in the channel/forum as it reaches a wider audience in addition to network meeting attendees).

Wairarapa Community Network closed Facebook group

Facebook group (as at 15 April 2019)

- 275 members (up from 177 members in Jul 2018)
- 218 ‘active’ members (up from 185 in Nov 2018)
- 209 posts, comments and reactions in last 28 days (of which 72 were posts) (up from 117 in Nov 2018)

As with the newsletter subscribers our analysis demonstrates that the Facebook group draws in an expanded audience over and above the newsletter and meetings.

Annual Plan submission - Dean di Bona

Library Charges.

I would like to see option 4 implemented as if you are going to make a service free, you should make the whole service free.

I propose that this be paid for not with a rates increase but a shift in the staffing of the libraries. It was indicated at the workshop that assistant librarians make up a significant number of the personnel employed by the SWDC. I would like to see volunteer positions be opened up that can help run the libraries and as paid staff leave they are replaced by volunteers. Naturally there would always be a librarians position. Organisations such as the Mens shed have shown that there is an underlying desire by older people to want to contribute to the community. I believe this desire to help would be also prevalent for the libraries. This would also contribute to the councils developing strategy for the older person. With volunteers in the library system, they will bring talents that will allow the libraries over time to develop their relevance to older people in respect of activities they offer. Thus the council provides the infrastructure and basic library services and the community develops the extra 'programs' for the library. You only have to look at Greytown school that has services groups like Rotary / Lions who come and read to the children in the school. Much more can be done with volunteers.

There could also be donation boxes in each library for people who do want to contribute for the services the libraries provide once they are free.

Extended Pool hours

I would like to see the pool hours extended. There should be more work on how to decrease the overall cost of running the pools, more cost effective staffing options, such as teaming volunteers with paid staff and / or allowing food services to be sold at the pools.

There could also be donation boxes at each pool for people who do want to contribute for the upkeep of the pools now that they are free.

Funding for housing for Seniors

Over the entire consultation document, rates and service increases appear to be around the 2~4% mark give or take. For pensioner housing you are proposing an increase of approximately 20%. This is a disproportionate increase and should not be implemented. Pensioner housing increases should be linked to the rates increase. On one hand you are saying people cant afford 50 cents to borrow a library book, but on the other hand you want to increase rents by approximately 20%.

Funding for the government mandated improvements should be taken from within the council budget. This is a necessary core requirement of providing these services. The first place to

start looking for this funding is the Community and youth grants. These grants, although important, should be decreased this year to allow the above services to be implemented. Other ways of paying for the pensioner flat improvements is to borrow the monies such as you do for capital works. I would argue that the recent refurbishments and new government requirements are capital expenses and should be paid over many years through debt rather than a rate increase now. Paul Crimp in previous workshops identified that we are in a good position with debt and thus we should be able to easily carry this minor increase.

The best option is to get out of providing pensioner housing, it is not and should not be a council core business. The flats would be put into a housing trust, the chair would be a senior representative from the council, such as a group general manager or deputy mayor. Trustees would be found within the community. Council would make a set contribution every year that does not increase with inflation so over the next few decades the council is removed for the funding equation. As a non council trust, new funding opportunities from exterior charitable trusts, such as trust house etc could be called upon to provide grants, grants which the council currently can't apply for.

Footpaths

Last year I watched large areas of footpaths being refurbished in Martinborough in Kitchener st. I was amazed at the time how much was being replaced and just how good the existing footpath was. I wondered why we were replacing a footpath that was still very functional, few to no cracks, no potholes etc. The new footpath was much wider, which seemed a real overkill given the numbers that walk along it at any one time. A better way forward may be to utilise each wards councillors to consult with community boards and the general community as to which footpaths need refurbishment or new ones constructed. I would like to see Esther St have a footpath installed, much development work has occurred there, contributions paid and still no footpath. People from the Claremont motels have to walk on the road. It may have been more prudent to not have done the Kitchener St footpaths and constructed new ones in Esther St. Why was the Kitchener St footpaths widened. Was that money wisely spent. I would rather see any footpath crossing that hasn't been upgraded first to take mobility scooters. I believe we can target this money better and do not need to have a rates increase for extra spending at this stage. We can revisit this situation in a year when the rate increase is below the rate of inflation.

Roading

Much was made at the workshop as to the state of our rural roads and the requirements for repairs due to tourists and logging. Both of these activities are important to the area and should be encouraged. The ratepayers present at the workshop also had good points about the lack of maintenance in areas and the poor quality being provided by the current contractor. It is great that we are getting the ability to see electronically what is occurring but nothing stops metal with mud in it being used better than inspections.

As a level E council we are part of a group of councils nationwide that have large rural road networks and long tourist drives being supported by small rate payer bases incapable of carrying out the required maintenance on our rates. We should work with other similar councils to lobby both central government ministries and our local MPs to ensure we receive some funding from the diesel miles collected by central government every year as well as attempt to receive some tourism funding to support roads, freeing up our much needed funds to support non tourist rural roads that are being neglected.

Fees and Charges

All other fee increases proposed not discussed above, I agree with.

Town Square

With the improvements to the Martinborough town square, it would be good to improve the accessibility for traders to operate from the town square. The one way road system around the square offers its unique challenges that needs remedying for traders to be able trade there. It would be good if there were vendor only spaces on either side of the square to encourage more use of the square for traders and as a result more public use of the square.

The Workshop Discussions

The workshop discussion brought out a lot of comments on customer service. Previously I have raised the need for council members to inspect the work of contractors. I utilised the Martinborough transfer station over the last weekend and was appalled at the condition of the metal recycling and paint area. It is hard for vehicle to turn around and the recycling area is encroaching out of its area. It is no good to hear senior members of staff complain that they can't get out of the office as they have to answer emails and OIA requests. That was the type of complaint I would expect to hear from a team leader not a senior manager. As hard as it may be, the councils first priority is to conduct its core business, which include supervising contractors, not abdicating its responsibilities through contracting. If OIA requests are taking up so much time, maybe a better procedure is required for answering them, can the new communications position or similar person, coordinate them, refer requestees to the FAQ pages. I would suggest a new procedure could include the shielding of staff from constant phone calls that are unproductive, could be answered by others and people referred to the correct area of the website where appropriate. It sounds like the status quo is untenable and a better procedure is a required across all council departments.

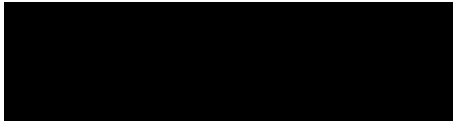
I would like to see a moderator appointed at future workshops to help make the meeting flow better, all points of view heard, the objectives of the meeting achieved. I don't believe we were able to have a good discussion on the 4 discussion topics in Martinborough due to people taking any chance they could to discuss their concerns with council.

Sign off by councillors

It is always good to be able to discuss submissions with councillors and receive their comments and feedback. What i did find, along with some other respected members of the community, was that the enthusiasm and vigor displayed by the councillors in wanting to progress the council was completely lost when a response was received, having been written by bureaucrats, that simply ignored the intent of the submission, gave statements of fact to deflect and ignore the submission. It would be good that each submission made to council, that is to receive a response, be co-signed by a councillor to ensure the intent of the councillors desire is achieved. This is a good example of councillors providing prudent oversight to the consultation process, otherwise why are you doing it!

Personal Details:

Dean di Bona



Urban Ratepayer

If the reserve day of Fri 31 May for deliberations is used, I would like to make a verbal submission.



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**SOUTH WAIRARAPA
DISTRICT COUNCIL**
Kia Reretahi Tātau

South Wairarapa District Council

Annual Plan 2019/20

Grant Application Form

Submit to: ap@swdc.govt.nz before 4 pm, 8 May 2019

1. ORGANISATION DETAILS

Name of organisation:

The Waihinga Charitable Trust

Physical address:

C/O Secretary Catherine de Groot , 39 Dublin Street West, Martinborough, 5711

Postal address:

PO Box 173, Martinborough

Contact Person:

Charlotte Harding

Phone No (Day):

021949049

Email:

nzclottier@hotmail.com

Mobile No:

021949049

Phone No (After hours):

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Funding Criteria

Council has approximately \$75,000 available for youth focused projects and \$170,000 available for community grants.

Please select the category that is the project's main focus (mark with an X)

Youth Grant

X

Community Grant

When was the organisation formed and what are its aims and objectives?

Should the trend continue, basketball will become the top New Zealand secondary schools sport by 2020.

Further to that, the Basketball court area is part of a multi-use area proposed Waihinga Centre Stage 2 design. The court will act as a 'stage' for outdoor events such as fairs, fundraisers, dramatic performances and sporting events.

Who will benefit from these funds and in what way?

Those who will benefit include local youth and those visiting the park from other regions in the Wairarapa and further afield. Please see above.

Would you like to speak in support of your application at a meeting of the South Wairarapa District Council? Yes/No

Submission hearings will be held on 14 & 15 May 2018 at the Council Chambers, Martinborough

3. FINANCIALS

Funding requirements	
Total cost of project	\$400,000
Your organisation's contribution	\$66,000
Other outside funding (please supply brief details)	\$200 Pain Farm Estate \$200,000 \$30,000 ECCT grant
Amount applied for in this application	\$10,000
Shortfall (please provide brief details of how will balance be found)	\$94,000 We have ongoing fundraising activities planned.
Project income (if applicable), e.g. generated from sales to public	\$ none
Is organisation a registered charity?	Yes

Have you applied to SWDC for funding before?	Yes
If yes, when, for what purpose and how much was granted?	Pain Farm Estate \$200,000
Are you GST Registered	No

Bank account details (required for non GST registered applications only)	
Name of bank:	ANZ
Account name:	Waihinga Charitable Trust
Account No:	01 0671 039153 00

4. Declarations

We agree to comply with requests from an officer or councillor from SWDC for additional information in relation to this application.

Statement to comply with the Provisions of the Privacy Act 1993

The personal information above is collected and will be held by SWDC for the purpose of considering your application for financial assistance. You have the right of access to, and correction of, personal information about you, that we hold.

Authorisation

- I certify that the information provided in this application form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.
- I have the authority to make the application on behalf of the organisation.
- I agree that the necessary documentation listed below is attached to this application.
- I confirm that we will complete and return a grant accountability form within two months of the project being completed.
- The organisation will keep receipts and a record of all expenditure for 7 years.
- Any unspent funds will be returned to SWDC.
- All expenditure will be accounted for in the Grant Accountability Form.

Signatory One	Signatory Two
Signed: 	Signed: C. Harolds
Full name: Catharine Anne de Groot	Full name: CHARLOTTE JAYNE HAROLDS
Designation: Trustee WCT	Designation: Fundraiser
Date: 6 May 2016 .	Date: 6.5.19

Supporting documentation required for this application	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Most recent annual accounts including notes and review/audit report. 	<input type="radio"/>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Income and expenditure statement for part year and inaugural minutes (if organisation has been operating for less than 12 months) 	<input type="radio"/>

FEEDBACK ON THE 'DISCUSSION TOPICS'

DISCUSSION TOPIC

2

REDUCTION IN LIBRARY CHARGES

Which of the proposed options for reducing library services fees and charges do you agree with (see page 3):

Option 1
Status quo ☒

Option 2
Removal of: ☐

- rental for adult fiction
- charge for replacement card
- overdue fees for children & youth

Option 3
(Council's preferred option) ☐

- Removal of:
- rental for adult fiction
 - charge for replacement card
 - overdue fees for adult
 - overdue fees for children & youth

Option 4 ☐

- Removal of:
- rental for adult fiction
 - charge for replacement card
 - overdue fees for adult
 - overdue fees for children & youth
 - DVD rental
 - Reservation fee

You have done the survey which would support any other option. It's a dirt cheap service as it is and "seemingly" supported and you



EXTENDED POOL OPENING HOURS

Do you agree with extending the pool opening hours?

Yes ☒

No ☐

Do you agree with the proposed new opening hours as set out (page 4):

Yes ☐

No ☒

If no, would like opening hours to be:

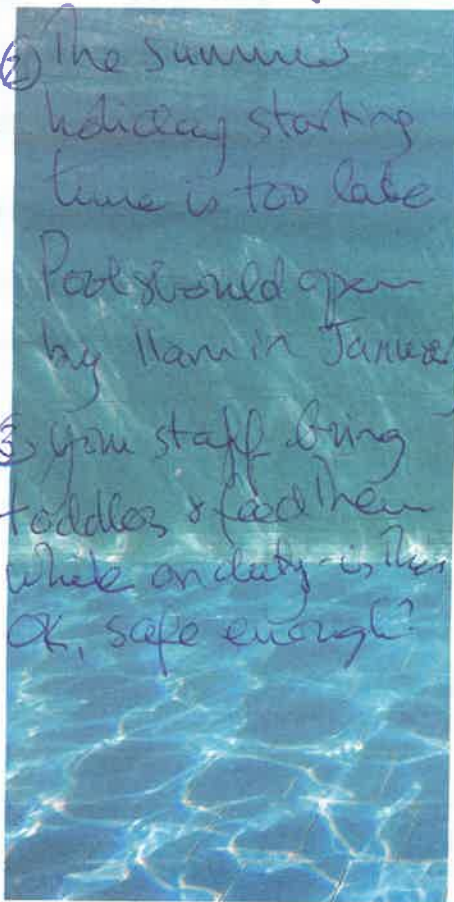
Longer ☒

Shorter ☐

① There should be a paid entry option (2 hours) ditto/or couple of days a week ahead of free opening and in school holidays

② The summer holiday starting time is too late Pool should open by 11am in January

③ You staff bring toddlers & feed them while on duty - is that OK, safe enough?



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TOPIC

3

CHANGE IN FUNDING OF HOUSING FOR SENIORS

Do you agree with ratepayers contributing to the cost of senior housing?

Yes (if yes move on to topic 4) ☐

No ☒

If no, how do you propose we cover the costs in future?
Central govt taxes.

If no, how do we fund the upgrades, including those required to meet new governments standards?

ditto/or and there's been a long lead in to heat pumps & insulation. With only 7 units eg in Geytown how about a Lions etc project?



DISCUSSION TOPIC

4

EXTRA FOOTPATH MAINTENANCE

Do you agree that more money should be spent on footpath upgrades in our three towns?

Yes ☒

No ☐

Are you prepared to pay increased rates to fund this?

Yes ☒

No ☐

If no, would you agree that a greater or lesser amount should be allocated to footpath maintenance funded from rates?

More ☐

Less (please explain below) ☐

But really, less fills from the Community Boards (a little notice on layst??) & more budget in the basics

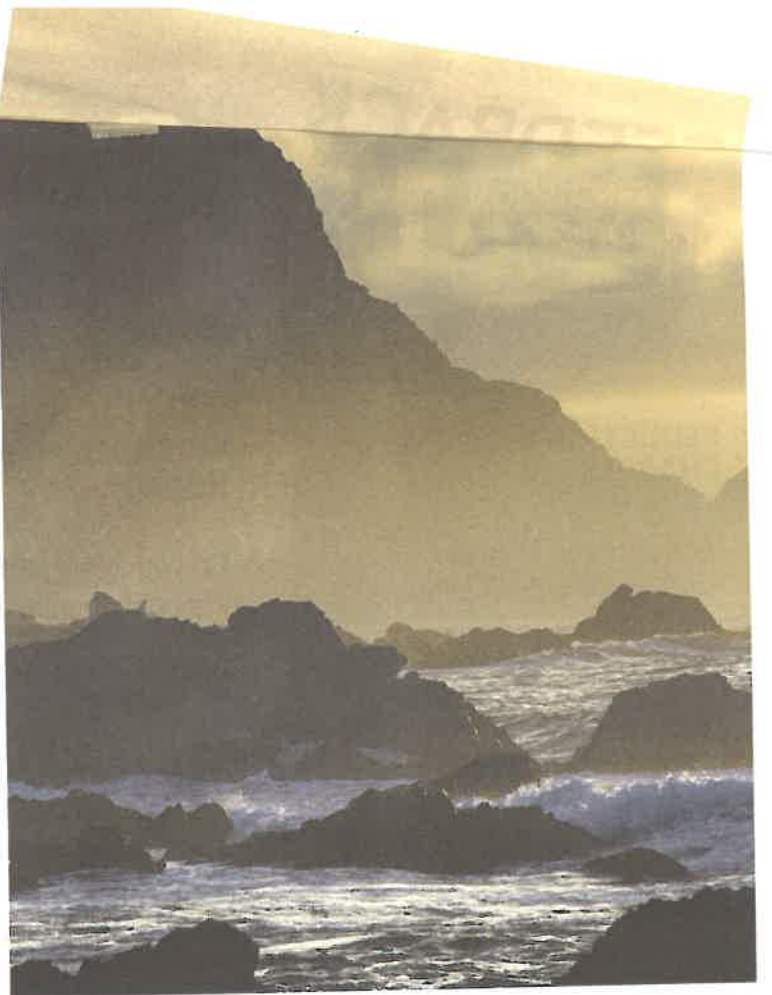


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can't make funding decisions on assumptions.

WHICH OF THE FOUR INITIATIVES WOULD YOU LIKE
SEE IMPLEMENTED THE MOST?
Please rank 1 to 4 (1=most; 4=least)

- Reduction in library charges ☐
- Extended pool opening hours ☐
- Change in funding for housing for seniors ☐
- Extra footpath maintenance ☒
- Or none of the above ☐



FEES AND CHARGES

PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR FEEDBACK ON THE PROPOSED
CHANGES TO FEES AND CHARGES

← As over page - you need to consider
a paid entry time in summer holidays
to the Greytown pool. It was over subscribed
(people turned away) so a 2 hour evening
opening in Jan. is one way to accommodate
increased usage, esp. on weekends but

ANY OTHER COMMENTS/PROPOSALS? preferably
daily in January.

← Sell Council housing to Masterton
Trust that runs social housing in
Masterton? Look at other options.



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