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## Have your say on the Draft Foxton Reserves Management Plan



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# Tell us what you think

#### Take this opportunity to tell us what you think.

The Draft Foxton Reserves Management Plan and submission form can be found online at www.horowhenua. govt.nz/FoxtonRMP or is available at Council's service centres at the Levin Office, Shannon and Foxton Libraries, and at Te Takere

An Open Day is being held outside the front of Foxton Pool on Saturday, 10 June 2017 from 11am

to 2pm for you to come along and have your say.

Consultation closes on Monday 3 July 2017

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### The Draft Foxton Reserves Management Plan will guide Council Officers in looking after the Foxton reserves.

### What is a Reserve Management Plan?

Reserve management plans act as a guide for Council Officers in making day-to-day decisions as well as long term decisions on how Council's reserves are used, managed or developed.

They contain Council's vision for the reserves as well as identifying the objectives, policies and actions needed.

Council is required, under the Reserves Act 1977, to have reserve management plans in place for reserves they manage or control.

## Why is Council reviewing the Foxton Reserve Management Plans?

The reserve management plans for the centrally located Foxton reserves

### Foxton Reserves

The Draft Plan covers centrally located Foxton reserves:

#### 1. Easton Park (including Pataka Park)

Situated right in the centre of Foxton. A sports ground with rugby posts and other facilities.

#### 2. Flax Mill Reserve

Flax Mill Reserve is considered an important civic space for the Foxton community.

#### 3. Foxton River Loop Reserve

Situated along Piriharakeke and the site of the town's old port.

#### 4. Ihakara Gardens

The site of Foxton's oldest cemetery and is one of the few reminders of Te Awahou Village. were adopted in 2000. Since then these reserves have experienced change and so it is important that these plans are reviewed to reflect the current issues or opportunities for these reserve.

We have combined the management plans for the centrally located Foxton reserves into one- Draft Foxton Reserves Management Plan. This is to allow us to take a more holistic approach.

#### Why should you get involved?

Development of reserve management plans provide the opportunity for the community to tell us how they wish to see the Foxton reserves used, managed and developed. Your input into the plan is essential.



#### 5. Seaview Gardens

A historic garden at the south end of Foxton's Main Street, with walkways up to the landmark water tower.

#### 6. Stuart Donnelly Park

A neighbourhood park that features a skate park and swings.

#### 7. Victoria Park

Situated off State Highway 1 and provides a rest area for travellers. Also has a large open sports field and other facilities.

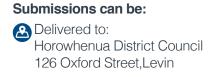
## **Submission Form**

**Foxton Reserves Management Plan** 

#### Horowhenua District Council is currently reviewing its Reserve Management Plans for the following reserves:

- Easton Park (including Pataka Park)
- Flax Mill Reserve
- Foxton River Loop Reserve •
- Ihakara Gardens •
- Seaview Gardens
- Stuart Donnelly Park
- Victoria Park

The Draft Foxton Reserves Management Plan has been prepared for the above reserves and Council is now seeking feedback/ comments in the form of submissions from the public on what they think about the Draft Plan.



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Feedback must be provided to Council by no later than 5:00pm on Monday, 3 July 2017

#### **Contact Details**

Full Name:			
Name of Organisation: (If on behalf of an Orga	anisation)		
Address for Service:			
		Post code:	
Telephone (Day time):	Mobile:		
Email:			

#### Please fill in the sections below

#### Section 1: Draft Combined Foxton Reserves Management Plan

Please tick one or more of the below boxes to confirm which of the Foxton Reserves your comments relate to.

Easton Park		Flax Mill Reserve		Foxton River Loop Reserve	Ihakara Gardens
Seaview Gardens	S	Stuart Donnelly	Park	Victoria Park	

(Continue on a separate sheet if necessary)				
Section 2: Reserve Management Plan Hearing				
Do you wish to attend a Council hearing for the Draft Foxton Reserves Management Plan?	Yes 🗖	No 🗖		
Do you wish to speak in support of your submission at the hearing?	Yes 🗖	No 🗖		
Signature: Dat	Date:			
(Or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter)				
Further Information				

If you require further information about this process then please visit the Council's website www.horowhenua.govt.nz/ FoxtonRMP. If you have any questions then email them to reservemanagementplans@horowhenua.govt.nz or call us on (06) 366 0999 and ask to speak to Caitlin O'Shea.

#### Privacy Act 1993

Please note that any feedback provided is public information. Information on this form including your name and comments may be accessible to the media and public as part of the decision making process. Your contact details will only be used for the purpose of the Reserve Management Plan Review process. The information will be held by the Horowhenua District Council, 126 Oxford Street, Levin. You have the right to access the information and request its correction.