

Notice is hereby given that an ordinary meeting of the Community Wellbeing Committee will be held on:

Date: Tuesday 13 August 2019
Time: 1.00 pm
Meeting Room: Council Chambers
Venue: Horowhenua District Council
126-148 Oxford Street, Levin

Community Wellbeing Committee

OPEN AGENDA

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and Te Takeretanga o Kura-hau-pō, Bath Street, Levin

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Community Services Report to 13 August 2019

File No.: 19/279

1. Purpose

To present to the Community Wellbeing Committee the Community Services Report 13 August 2019.

2. Recommendation

- 2.1 That Report 19/279 on Community Services Report to 13 August 2019 be received.
- 2.2 That this matter or decision be recognised as not significant in terms of s76 of the Local Government Act 2002.

3. Issues for Consideration

As included in the **attached report**.

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Confirmation of statutory compliance

In accordance with section 76 of the Local Government Act 2002, this report is approved as:

- a. containing sufficient information about the options and their benefits and costs, bearing in mind the significance of the decisions; and,
- b. is based on adequate knowledge about, and adequate consideration of, the views and preferences of affected and interested parties bearing in mind the significance of the decision.

Signatories

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Approved by	Nicki Brady Group Manager - H2040 & Partnership Development	

Community Development Report August 2019

The purpose of this report is to give an update and overview on the current Community Wellbeing Committee activities and provide an update on Community Development Programme activities of the Horowhenua District that directly contribute towards the Community Wellbeing Strategy priority areas.

Council's reporting period occurs from 01 July 2019 – 30 June 2020.

Community Wellbeing Strategy	
Following the Community Wellbeing Committee endorsing the proposed Community Wellbeing Framework to be presented to Council, this took place in the form of a briefing and briefing on Wednesday 07 August 2019.	<p>Upcoming priorities</p> <p>Incorporate the advice and feedback of Council.</p>

COMMUNITY SERVICES ACTIVITIES RELATED TO STRATEGY

Families with Children	
<p>Bruce McIntyre stepped down as Chair of Education Horowhenua. The Forum elected Mark Robinson to be the new Chair moving forward.</p> <p>The scheduled Education Horowhenua meeting for July was cancelled to allow Mr Robinson to better position himself and prepare. The next meeting is scheduled for September 2019.</p>	<p>Priorities for next 2 months:</p> <p>Working with the new Education Horowhenua Chair to ensure he is able to lead the Forum in the best way for him and the Forum members.</p>
Youth	
<p>The Youth Network has met once this reporting year. There is a concern from the Network that Youth Services are disjointed and therefore it was agreed that a mapping exercise needs to take place so everyone knows what each other offer.</p> <p>A number of youth programmes have been organised following the engagements being led by yEP, which highlighted a number of projects and items they wished to see in our community. Including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The 72 Hour Film Festival, which Council partnered with Life to the Max and Muaūpoko Tribal Authority to deliver. 16 teams registered interest in the event, in the end 5 teams delivered finished items on different topical themes. You can check out the wonderful local talent here https://youtu.be/QPoqtu73S4Y Author of the book "Being a True Hero: Understanding and Preventing Suicide in Your Community", Michael Hempseed is coming to Horowhenua on 15 and 16 August 2019 to work with youth workers and teachers, as well as a workshop for young people. This is being hosted at Manawatū College and is being 	<p>Priorities for next 2 months:</p> <p>Mapping Youth Services and making the information available to each other and young people.</p> <p>Following up on external funding for Youth Projects.</p> <p>Provision of the Youth Space.</p>

<p>supported by Council.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> After Council was approached by members in our community to see if we could get <i>Apōpō</i> in Horowhenua, we have managed to secure the programme which will be delivered the evenings of 10 and 11 September 2019. <i>Apōpō</i> is a workshop for young people, parents and people working with young people which is a “cooperative approach for communities to respond to mental health and suicide that has a youth focus”. This is a free workshop being held at Te Takeretanga o Kura-hau-pō from 7pm – 8.30pm both nights. <p>Council have also supported yEP in seeking external funding to improve the functionality of the Youth Space, which better attracts and serves young people and their needs today.</p>	
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Older People	
<p>There has been one Older Persons Network meeting this reporting year.</p> <p>Council is supporting Electra Network following their successful application to Lightning Labs GovTech - Senior Wellness Project. This project is looking at how to make better use of in-home technology to enable better outcomes for seniors, their family, whānau and caregivers. GM Horowhenua 2040 & Partnership Development Nicki Brady has been selected as the Executive Sponsor of the project, with Community Engagement Manager Lacey Winiata on the Advisory Board. It is expected that part of the wider engagement and study will take place within Horowhenua. More information is available on the Lightning Labs here: https://llgovtech.co.nz/programme/</p> <p>You can view the latest <i>ElderBerries</i> magazine here: http://www.horowhenua.govt.nz/Community/Positive-Ageing/Elderberries</p>	<p>Priorities for next 2 months:</p> <p>Organising Age on the Go Expo</p> <p>Advising the Senior Wellness Project</p>
Access and Inclusion	
<p>The first Access and Inclusion meeting for this reporting year will be 13 August 2019.</p> <p>Council hosted a workshop on the Refugee Resettlement which was organised and presented by Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment (MBIE). 37 people attended, from a range of organisations. There were Ministry representatives who facilitated conversations on housing, education and health. The workshop provided an opportunity to understand what Horowhenua already has, what the gaps are and identify potential solutions to the challenges.</p> <p>The next steps will include finding out who the Resettlement Provider will be, and for Council to advocate and support where there are obvious gaps in information and/or support needed.</p>	<p>Priorities for next 2 months:</p> <p>Refugee Resettlement</p>

Arts, Culture & Heritage	
<p>The Vibrant Communities Grant Round 1 opened 01 August 2019. Council held workshops in Foxton, Levin and Shannon to support the community in applying for this and other grant schemes.</p> <p>Council is currently working with the Ōhau and Tokomaru communities on their community art projects, where funds were awarded last financial year.</p> <p>External funding has been sought for a youth-led art project, which would be housed in the Youth Space.</p>	<p>Priorities for next 2 months:</p> <p>Grant Round 1 processing. Supporting applicants and community groups with the process.</p> <p>Working alongside the Ōhau and Tokomaru communities.</p>
Community Development Team	
<p>We welcome Kim Stewart to the team as a Community Development Advisor. Kim is a Foxton Beach local, who has been working as a Kindergarten Head Teacher in Awapuni, Palmerston North. Kim has led a number of projects in Awapuni and has experience working with a number of community groups.</p> <p>Cathryn Pollock returns to the Community Development Team, as the Manager. Over the past two years Cathryn has been in a Project Management position within Council which has built on her existing community development knowledge.</p>	<p>Priorities for next 2 months:</p> <p>Grants and Funding Round 1, Youth Space provision, Community Capacity Building, Community Plans and Youth Wellbeing projects.</p>

COMMUNITY CAPACITY BUILDING

<p>Upcoming Community Capacity Building Workshops include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HDC Community Grants and Funding workshops Foxton 05 August 2019 Shannon 06 August 2019 Levin 08 August 2019 • Michael Hempseed 15 & 16 August 2019; Manawatū College • Level 1 First Aid Course 06 September 2019; Te Awahou Nieuwe-Stroom, Foxton • Apōpō 10 & 11 September 2019; Te Takeretanga o Kura-hau-pō, Levin • Treaty of Waitangi – Dr Bronwyn Campbell Either late September or early October 2019 <p>The Community Development Team are working with Contact Inc. (Jack Allen Hub) to deliver further Community Capacity Building opportunities within the hub; more recently a Funeral Planning workshop was held.</p>	<p>Priorities for next 2 months:</p> <p>Working with our Community to provide workshops that will be helpful</p>
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Other Council Activities

Community Plans	
<p>Council is currently working alongside the communities of Waitārere, Ōhau and Manakau to create a Community Plan for each of these settlements.</p> <p>A Community Plan is the voice of the Community and outlines common goals and aspirations. It will ensure Council knows what the community want to keep, that is special to that community, and that it can support projects that are important.</p> <p>So far, Council has held engagement sessions with Poroutawhao, Manakau and Ōhau Schools, as well as drop-in sessions in these communities as well.</p> <p>A survey is available to complete online or in person and so far we have received excellent uptake.</p> <p>The next steps will be for Officers to collate the information provided through the different avenues, and find themes. They will then report back their findings to the community to see if more work, or feedback is need or whether they can move onto creating a draft Community Plan.</p> <p>The idea is that once the Community Plan is created, Council and the Community will have a clearer understanding as to what the aspirations are and how to achieve these. It will help inform Council processes such as the Long Term Plan and Annual Plan. Council aims to create a Community Plan for all of our communities.</p>	<p>Upcoming priorities</p> <p>Collating feedback and analysing results.</p>
Elections	
<p>Local Body elections are taking place on 12 October 2019. We are currently in the nomination period, where candidates are nominated to stand.</p> <p>Council has a communications plan to encourage people to stand and vote. We are aiming to increase voter turn-out, particularly in the areas that have been previously misrepresented such as the 18-24 year old age bracket.</p> <p>The Pre-Election Report is designed to assist those who are standing know what the current challenges are, but also inform voters to help with their decisions.</p> <p>You can find Horowhenua District Council's Pre-Election Report here - https://www.horowhenua.govt.nz/Council/Your-Council/Elections/2019-Election</p>	<p>Upcoming priorities</p> <p>Encourage people to stand and vote.</p>

Chair's Report August 2019

The purpose of this report is to give an update and overview on the current Community Wellbeing Committee activities which are outside those that are considered Business as Usual activities.

Housing Forum	
<p>As outlined at the May CWC meeting, Council held two community Housing Forums in March 2019, with the purpose “to develop a shared understanding of the housing challenges and opportunities facing Horowhenua and discuss potential solutions to improve housing supply, its affordability and access to social and emergency housing through the district”.</p> <p>Since the last update Council has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• held a forum for developers to share their views• formed a working group of Pasifika ministers and church leaders• engaged with Ministry Housing and Urban Development (MHUD) on the Public Housing Plan• engaged with Ministry Housing and Urban Development (MHUD) on their funding model with community housing providers• engaged with Te Puni Kōkiri on their Housing Network• engaged with Greater Wellington Regional on their growth planning <p>The third Housing Forum is set to occur on 12 August 2019 and will include attendance from the Ministry Housing and Urban Development. A draft housing action plan on a page will be presented, and the actions for each priority area identified by the working groups explored.</p>	<p><i>Upcoming priorities</i></p> <p>Draft Housing Action Plan</p> <p>Coordinate MHUD Visit</p> <p>Ongoing engagement with Te Puni Kōkiri</p>