

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

Date: Wednesday 27 March 2024
Time: 10:00 am
Meeting Room: Council Chambers
Venue: 126-148 Oxford St
Levin

Community Wellbeing Committee

OPEN AGENDA

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Councillors
Members

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Karakia

Whakataka te hau ki te uru	Cease the winds from the west
Whakataka te hau ki te tonga	Cease the winds from the south
Kia mākinakina ki uta	Let the breeze blow over the land
Kia mātaratara ki tai	Let the breeze blow over the ocean
E hī ake ana te atakura	Let the red-tipped dawn come with a sharpened air.
He tio, he huka, he hau hū	A touch of frost, a promise of a glorious day.
Tīhei mauri ora!	

1 Apologies

2 Public Participation

Notification of a request to speak is required by 12 noon on the day before the meeting by phoning 06 366 0999 or emailing public.participation@horowhenua.govt.nz.

3 Late Items

To consider, and if thought fit, to pass a resolution to permit the Council to consider any further items which do not appear on the Agenda of this meeting and/or the meeting to be held with the public excluded.

Such resolution is required to be made pursuant to Section 46A(7) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987, and the Chairperson must advise:

- (i) The reason why the item was not on the Agenda, and
- (ii) The reason why the discussion of this item cannot be delayed until a subsequent meeting.

4 Declarations of Interest

Members are reminded of their obligation to declare any conflicts of interest they might have in respect of the items on this Agenda.

5 Confirmation of Minutes

5.1 Meeting minutes Community Wellbeing Committee, 13 December 2023

Recommendations

That the meeting minutes of Community Wellbeing Committee, 13 December 2023 be accepted as a true and correct record.

6.1 Community Wellbeing Network Report

File No.: 24/158

1. Purpose

- 1.1 To give an update and overview on the current Community Wellbeing network committees' activities and actions.

2. Recommendation

- 2.1 That Report 24/158 Community Wellbeing Network Report 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. Our Communities

Horowhenua Youth Services Network

- 3.1 The Horowhenua Youth Services Network has met twice since the last Community Wellbeing Report.
- 3.2 From the meeting held on 22 February 2024, the following updates were provided:
- 'What are our youth's greatest needs?' In this brain storming session, a large list of issues were captured and will be collated for the next meeting.
 - Youth Week planning: The services will support Youth Space with 'Space Jam' which will include Kāpiti and Palmerston North Youth Spaces. The Space Jam events will include basketball, a concert and a dance.
 - Upcoming events: Dream Big Expo – led by youth for youth searching for alternate/ non-traditional career pathways, Future Pathways Expo for careers and training and InZone, career-seeking support.
- 3.3 From the meeting held on 14 March 2024, the following updates were provided:
- Selection of the top three priorities for 2024 from the brainstorm of ideas that took place in the previous meeting. These are:
 - **What gets you out of bed?** Motivate, encourage, uplift, inspire and support our youth. Invite speakers that are successful in a range of areas and careers, who are seen as role models. Champions who have done it hard, overcome challenges, are relatable and capture our youth audience.
 - **Safe Spaces** – Continue to support, connect and advocate. There are very few places where youth can go and feel safe.
 - **Mau Rakau** - is a traditional Māori martial art that is open to all. We have applied for funding from Sport Manawatū to run a weekly class after school for youth.

Horowhenua Older Person's Network

- 3.4 An Older Person's Network meeting was held on 15 February 2024. The main points are below:
- Small community groups are struggling with these economic times. Paying rent, administration costs, huge health needs from the community and being visible in the community are some of the areas that have become an issue.
 - Levin Hearing Association is no longer a branch but continues to support the wider community from their base at Uniting Church.
 - Continued issues with the pedestrian crossings – the timing is not long enough for the older people to get across the road safely.

- Organisations want to be able to contact each other. Would like a directory for sharing information with each other so they can refer their clients.
- Libraries have invited the groups to advertise there through a display/noticeboard.
- Looking at the possibility of having an Older Person Health Expo.

Horowhenua Access and Inclusion Network

- 3.5 The Access and Inclusion network has met once since the last Community Wellbeing report.
- 3.6 From the meeting held on 13 February 2024, the following updates were provided:
- Companion Card is in the final testing stage. A couple of people have been asked to trial the process to see if we have it right or if there are tweaks that need to be made.
 - The all- terrain mobility aids have been available for the public since December 2023. The wheelchairs have been booked four times within that timeframe.
 - The group is looking at the priorities for 2024. What is the purpose of the Access and Inclusion network? Engaging people with disabilities and Enabling Good Lives.

Education Horowhenua

- 3.7 The Access and Inclusion network has met once since the last Community Wellbeing report.
- 3.8 From the meeting held on 13 February 2024, the following updates were provided:
- Many students are dealing with trauma in their lives. This covers a large range of issues from not having food at home to being displaced. This is an area of concern and focus within the education sector. The network is exploring funding options for professional development for teachers on trauma.
 - Kahui Ako to present Te Tomokanga to the Community Wellbeing Committee at the May hui.

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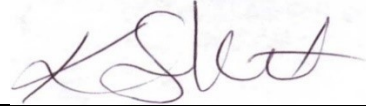
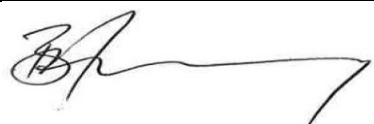

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Confirmation of statutory compliance

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

- containing sufficient information about the options and their benefits and costs, bearing in mind the significance of the decisions; and,
- 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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6.2 Community Wellbeing Strategy - Approach and Timeline

File No.: 24/169

1. Purpose

- 1.1 To provide the Committee with an update on the approach and timeline to update the Community Wellbeing Strategy – Ngā Hapori Kia Kaha and seek any input from Committee Members on the process proposed.

2. Recommendation

- 2.1 That Report 24/169 Community Wellbeing Strategy - Approach and Timeline 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. Background/Previous Council Decisions

- 3.1 The Community Wellbeing Strategy – Ngā Hapori Kia Kaha (the Strategy) was originally adopted in 2021 and is due to be reviewed this year.
- 3.2 The purpose of the strategy is to help our community thrive together by focusing on real outcomes and collective efforts over the next three years.
- 3.3 Council Officers have started the process of reviewing the Strategy which will therefore ensure the Strategy is adopted by Council by 30 June 2024.

4. Issues for Consideration

- 4.1 Council Officers intend to engage with the community by way of our community networks, understanding feedback we've received through Council's existing engagement channels and the workshop at the Community Wellbeing Committee at this meeting (27 March 2024).
- 4.2 The alignment between the purpose of the Community Wellbeing Committee and the Strategy are closely aligned and it is therefore appropriate to utilise the information gained from the workshop as part of our engagement for the review of the Strategy.
- 4.3 Council Officers welcome any advice, knowledge or guidance on current community priorities and matters that will enhance the process in reviewing the Strategy. This includes any appropriate discussion outside of the Committee meeting.

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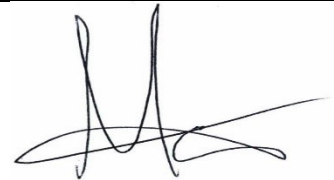

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