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**10-Year Budget 2021/2031
Papakura Local Board**

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why:

2. Climate change

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The proposed additional investment will mean we do not need to buy any more diesel buses and it will help us replace our diesel buses with electric and hydrogen buses sooner. It will also help us divert more waste from landfill, plant over 2 million more native trees and other initiatives.

What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Support the proposed increased investment

Tell us why:

3. Water quality

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Extending the targeted rate

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Increasing the targeted rate

To start construction on the above major new water quality projects six years earlier (in 2022/2023), and to increase our investment in regional water quality programmes across all of Auckland, we are also proposing to increase this targeted rate annually in line with proposed average increases in general rates.

What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension only

Tell us why:

4. Community investment

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We propose a new approach for community services, such as leasing or shared facilities, that does not rely as much on us building and maintaining physical assets. This will reduce our carbon footprint and lower our costs by partnering with others to deliver services and deliver more community services online.

Over time, we propose to consolidate the number of our community facilities and services (which may result in some facilities being closed) and instead focus on multi-use facilities and online services to provide for our diverse communities.

What is your opinion on this proposal? Do not support

Tell us why:

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Which option do you support?

Support Option 1 – targeted rate of \$238 for each separate dwelling or business on a property for properties located within 500m walking distance of a proposed bus stop

Tell us why:

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

6. Local Boards

Papakura Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I support most priorities

Tell us why

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura?

7. What is important to you?

Do you have feedback on any other issues, including our proposals on housing and growth infrastructure or strategic assets?

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Which option do you support?

Support Option 2 – targeted rate of \$153 for each separate dwelling or business on a property for properties located in the wider Paremoremo and Lucas Heights area of the Upper Harbour Local Board

Tell us why:

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Support

Tell us why: While I support this budget, I would prefer the alternative budget, or a version of that to fast track impact on climate change such as the quicker introduction of a completely electric bus fleet. Higher costs yes, but more proactive and more obvious impact.

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Support the proposed increased investment

Tell us why: As above, I support increased, early investment in climate change initiatives. Lets lead the way, Auckland.

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension and the increase

Tell us why: Absolutely essential.

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Other

Tell us why: I have real concerns about this. True community is not virtual as our experiences with virtual communications during Covid have highlighted. Ultimately it becomes deeply unsatisfying and dehumanising. True community is about people being physically present and together in spaces that allow them to participate in communal activities, bond, connect, share, be kind and grow and develop together. E- communication works for some transactions where efficiency is key, but in most situations, it forecloses opportunities for creativity. I consider the provision of communal spaces for community use to be a core service to be provided by council. Some rationalisation can of course be carried out where facilities are under used, not suitable for purpose, or duplicated. Sharing of facilities can work some of the time if the facility is well planned for flexible use with adequate storage for groups' equipment but it can limit growth of services. Reducing service centres and community facilities so that people have to travel further is very counterproductive- increasing fuel consumption, carbon emissions and costs to families, and to communities by

decreasing affiliation with local community, place and people. In this period of rapid growth of populations in many suburbs we need more facilities, not less. Community facilities should be an absolute priority, and probably need to be purpose built or if leased, suitably renovated to be fit for purpose, and embedded in the natural environment. They need to be developed in a way that maximises community sense of ownership and tino rangatiratanga. The importance of creating attachment to place, and to whenua, cannot be underestimated for its contribution to mental health and prosocial behaviour.

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Which option do you support?

Don't know

Tell us why:

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No

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Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? Other

Tell us why I think these priorities need to be revisited and a fresh vision developed. I am not convinced that the 'vibrant town centre' priority should be such a key priority. It is a chicken and egg question, but I feel the town centre will become more vibrant if people feel invested in their own neighbourhoods, and a sense of pride in their Papakura identity. If they love living local, they will want to shop and do business locally. I think the priority should shift to creating vibrant connected neighbourhoods that are supported by, and will be supportive of, their town centre. Fruit forests, allotments, community gardens, adult 'playgrounds' and a wide range of regular, diverse activations in local neighbourhood parks and communal facilities would all contribute to loving to live local and its spin offs. The Town Centre is a commercial enterprise and businesses should be fully invested in looking at how they can be attractive to locals and outsiders without relying so much on Local Board support at the expense of neighbourhood enrichment.

I would like to see a cessation of spraying herbicides in our parks and greenways. Undergrowth does no harm and adds to biodiversity a healthy eco system, healthier waterways and increased food resilience. people used to enjoy picking puha, but now its all been destroyed.

All run off goes directly into our estuary. The spraying around the estuary has contributed to significantly increased erosion recently. A kind of scorched earth mentality seems to exist. Grass edges can be trimmed successfully with a line trimmer avoiding herbicide runoff and destruction of other plants.

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? A variety of highly accessible and in your face ways to publicise what is on offer throughout the Papakura community. So many people are totally unaware of what is available. Relying on websites and social media is not enough when many residents don't hav

7. What is important to you?

Do you have feedback on any other issues, including our proposals on housing and growth infrastructure or strategic assets?

I think it is irresponsible to add new developments/suburbs or dense housing without provision of infrastructure. so I do not support such limited investment as described. It seems there may need to be some form of targeted rating to support such development or an increase in the overall budget/rates.

Important to me is ensuring Auckland is providing a healthy environment for its citizens

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: People are having to take pay cuts or even losing their jobs and can't afford this

2. Climate change

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Do not support increased investment

Tell us why: Don't change what's not broken

3. Water quality

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Extending the targeted rate

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Increasing the targeted rate

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension only

Tell us why: We don't have surplus income work within existing budget

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We propose a new approach for community services, such as leasing or shared facilities, that does not rely as much on us building and maintaining physical assets. This will reduce our carbon footprint and lower our costs by partnering with others to deliver services and deliver more community services online.

Over time, we propose to consolidate the number of our community facilities and services (which may result in some facilities being closed) and instead focus on multi-use facilities and online services to provide for our diverse communities.

What is your opinion on this proposal? Other

Tell us why: Agree with shared facilities don't close libraries etc it's too far now to get to some facilities. Start using cheaper options with maintenance, unemployed or homeless get community involved in lawns, and rubbish and painting etc stop using over priced maintenance firms

5. Rating policy

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Do you have any comments on any of our proposed changes to rates and fees charges?

Agree to working on these projects but not increasing the rates. Rural/urban properties pay huge rates anyway for facilities they don't have and people are struggling now don't make it worse

The Upper Harbour Local Board are proposing a new bus service between Paremoremo and Albany, funded by a targeted rate.

Which option do you support?

Do not support either option

Tell us why: Why do we pay extra? does this happen everytime you add new stops?? We need to get everyone onto public transport get the buses full not scare people off

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

6. Local Boards

Papakura Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I support most priorities

Tell us why We need to keep town alive.support the public transport with secure park n ride facilities as cannot rely on buses to connect to trains and not always practical or safe to walk to trains due to area or distance involved. Don't worry about the special extra celebrations put money into safety. Stop building houses so close together. Make streets wider so can park and an ambulance or fire truck can get through

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? Safety both in the area itself ,on the roads and on public transport

7. What is important to you?

Do you have feedback on any other issues, including our proposals on housing and growth infrastructure or strategic assets?

Houses are too close we will be slums soon in some new housing areas rubbish is already piling up or being dumped as the inorganic collections too hard to organize or rubbish removal non existent

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Support

Tell us why: While the criteria around what is deemed 'surplus' is definitely concerning, delaying other improvements is not readily acceptable

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Support the proposed increased investment

Tell us why: Climate change is vitally important

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension and the increase

Tell us why: Water improvements shouldn't be sidelined

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Tell us why:

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No further comments

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Which option do you support?

Don't know

Tell us why:

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No

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Tell us why

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: Reduce costs before rate increases

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Other

Tell us why: This is ok but until you get China, India, Russia and the US to stop burning coal nothing we do will change. These countries produce more green house gases in a day than we do in a year.

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension only

Tell us why: Make the developers who build multiple house where there. was only one thus increasing the load but not the infrastructure.

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Do not support

Tell us why: User pays

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Council and vector should pay

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Which option do you support?

Support Option 1 – targeted rate of \$238 for each separate dwelling or business on a property for properties located within 500m walking distance of a proposed bus stop

Tell us why: User pays

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

6. Local Boards

Papakura Local Board

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Tell us why I do it support Maori wards this is racist we do not have Chinese or Indian, or any other race wards .

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? Gangs and violence

7. What is important to you?

Do you have feedback on any other issues, including our proposals on housing and growth infrastructure or strategic assets?

Make developers pay for reading and infrastructure from the profits made from new sub division

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Support

Tell us why:

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Tell us why: Should use smaller buses (minivans) on bus routes that have less demand, and further investigate on-demand buses services.

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Support

Tell us why: Important to have fit for purpose buildings, sell off rundown buildings but those that the council retains should be well maintained and comply with H&S regulations. Developers should be required to contribute more for the infrastructure, they are making fantastic profits out of their developments and aren't being asked to adequately contribute to develop playgrounds, council facilities, roads, water infrastructure etc necessary due to their developments.

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Do you have any comments on any of our proposed changes to rates and fees charges?

Support- a targeted rate of \$10.5 million per year on Vector.

Support- to extend the duration of the City Centre Targeted Rate from 2024/2025 until 2030/2031 to align with the 10-year Budget 2021-2031.

Need to be clear at what point a late book becomes a lost book-in relation to "We are proposing to remove late return fines on library books and other items but will continue to charge lost book replacement fees and fees for rentals."

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Which option do you support?

Support Option 2 – targeted rate of \$153 for each separate dwelling or business on a property for properties located in the wider Paremoremo and Lucas Heights area of the Upper Harbour Local Board

Tell us why:

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

6. Local Boards

Papakura Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I support most priorities

Tell us why 1) I have heard that not everyone wants to celebrate Waitangi Day and that for some it is a day of remembrance, suggest that the board does not have a Waitangi Day event.

2) Loose litter on southern side of Hingaia Road between Hinaiu and Bridgeview roads needs to be addressed (constantly having to log jobs to get loose litter picked up). 3) Would be good to have signage for walkers/cyclists from Pescara Point motorway shared pathway to Papakura Train station using quiet streets and the paths that are around Pahurehure inlet. 4) Need pedestrian lighting for the footpath along the western side of Hinaiu Road from Wawatai up to Fountain Ave. -the street lights are obstructed by the trees and council advise the street lights are to illuminate the road not the footpath. 5) Need a picnic table at Karaka Lake. 6) Should change the 378 Karaka bus route back to its old shorter route and increase the frequency of the service instead. It is poorly used when the service only runs every hour and doesn't go late into the night. It should be a smaller bus on this route (more environmentally friendly) given only a

few people use this service. 7) The board should spend less on safety initiatives and instead request that Police (and Central Government) fund the necessary safety measures to keep the community safe.

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? Central Government should be asked to fund more of the infrastructure costs incurred from the massive development (due to population growth from overseas and the encouragement of developers/speculators) in the board area. Ratepayers should not have to foot the bill in response to central governments decisions to allow a large number of people from abroad to continue to move to NZ (largely Auckland) when there has been a shortage of housing for the last 10 years+ which has contributed to the runaway housing market along with the low interest rates and tax policy (which sees property developers and owners able to make hundreds of thousands of dollars of (in some cases) untaxed profit off property sales).

7. What is important to you?

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Central Government and developers should be required to contribute more in response to the massive growth in the local board which has put pressure on infrastructure. Existing ratepayers should not have to pay for such a large part of this. Central Government should be asked to fund more of the infrastructure costs incurred from the massive development (due to population growth from overseas and the encouragement of developers/speculators) in the board area. Ratepayers should not have to foot the bill in response to central governments decisions to allow a large number of people from abroad to continue to move to NZ (largely Auckland) when there has been a shortage of housing for the last 10 years+ which has contributed to the runaway housing market along with the low interest rates and tax policy (which sees property developers and owners able to make hundreds of thousands of dollars of (in some cases) untaxed profit off property sales). Council now needing to upgrade rural roads to cater for the increased use from these new developments, yet developers aren't having to fairly foot the bill. Need to be clear at what point a late book becomes a lost book-in relation to "We are proposing to remove late return fines on library books and other items but will continue to charge lost book replacement fees and fees for rentals."

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Do not support increased investment

Tell us why: Because to prove a hypothesis in science, you need to preform an experiment, models are not experiments. There are no studies that demonstrably show evidence that the hypothesis of anthropogenic caused earthwarming is occouring except for the heat island effect.

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension only

Tell us why:

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Do not support

Tell us why: Several reasons. Centralisation historically is problematic. Eg Auckland Council.

It sounds as though an extra layer of bureaucracy will be required, which will bring more waste.

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Which option do you support?

Do not support either option

Tell us why:

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No

6. Local Boards

Papakura Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I do not support most priorities

Tell us why

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura?

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Do not support

Tell us why: I struggling to pay my rates as it is!

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Submission on 10 Year Budget

Removal of Farm and Lifestyle Rates Differential in the Urban Rating Area

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Submission

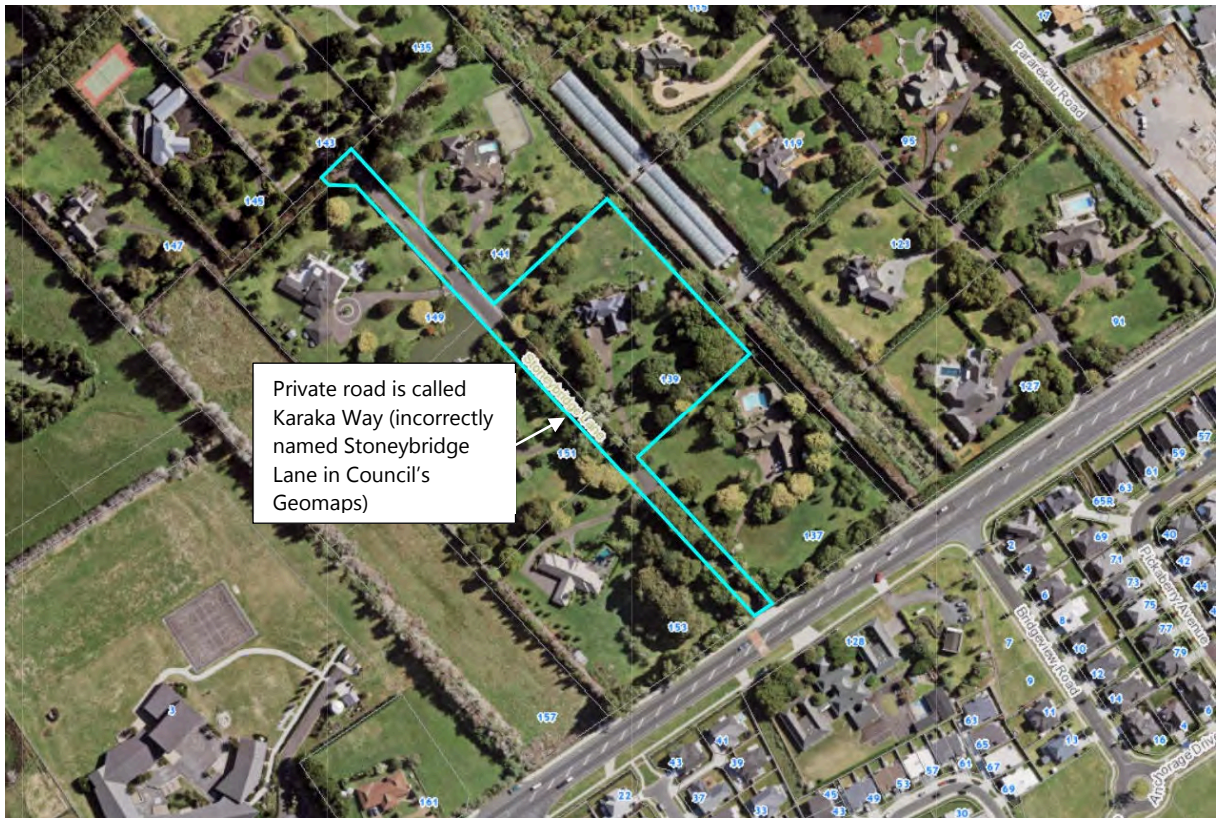
1. We own the above property. The property is held in certificate of title and can be seen in the snips attached.
2. We have received notice of Council's proposal to remove the farm and lifestyle rates differential within the urban rating area.
3. The notice states that the differential is proposed to be removed because farm and lifestyle properties in the urban area have "the same access to council services as their urban rated neighbours".
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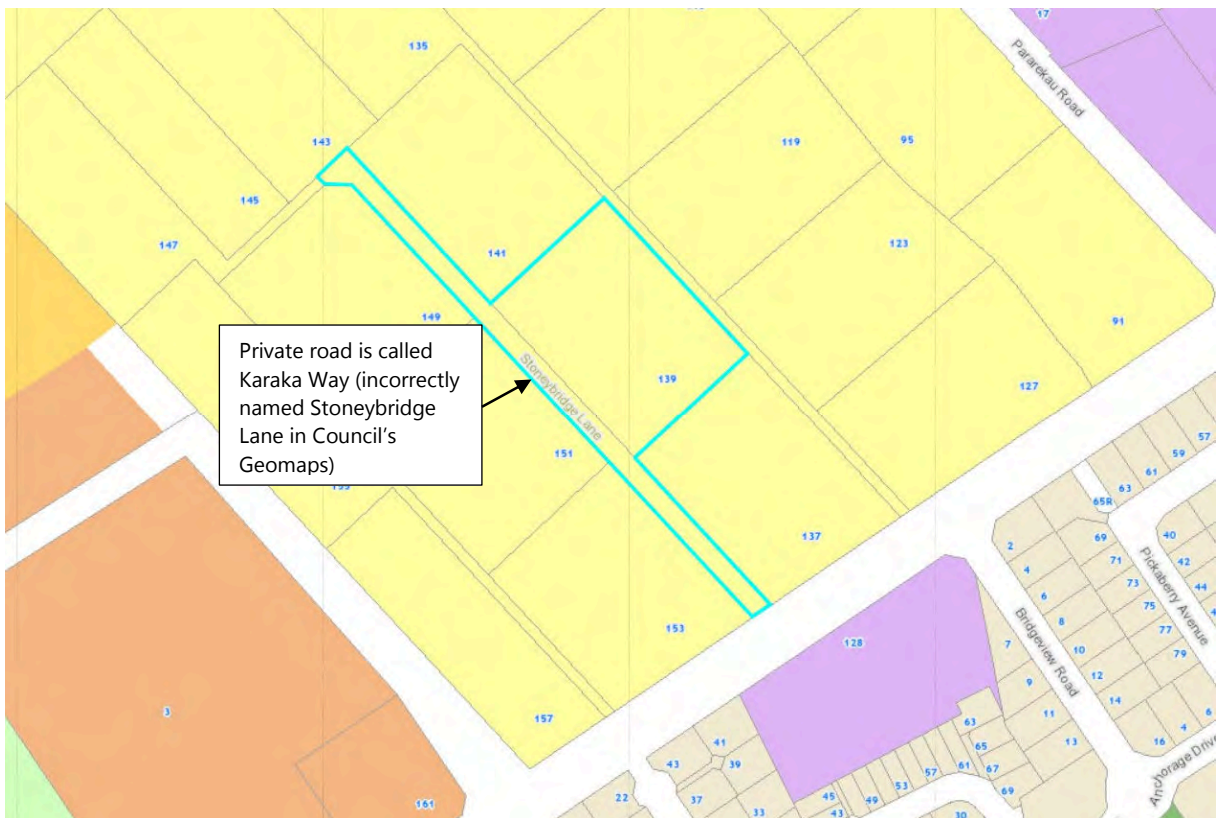
Decision Sought

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Aerial Photograph (Property outlined in Blue)



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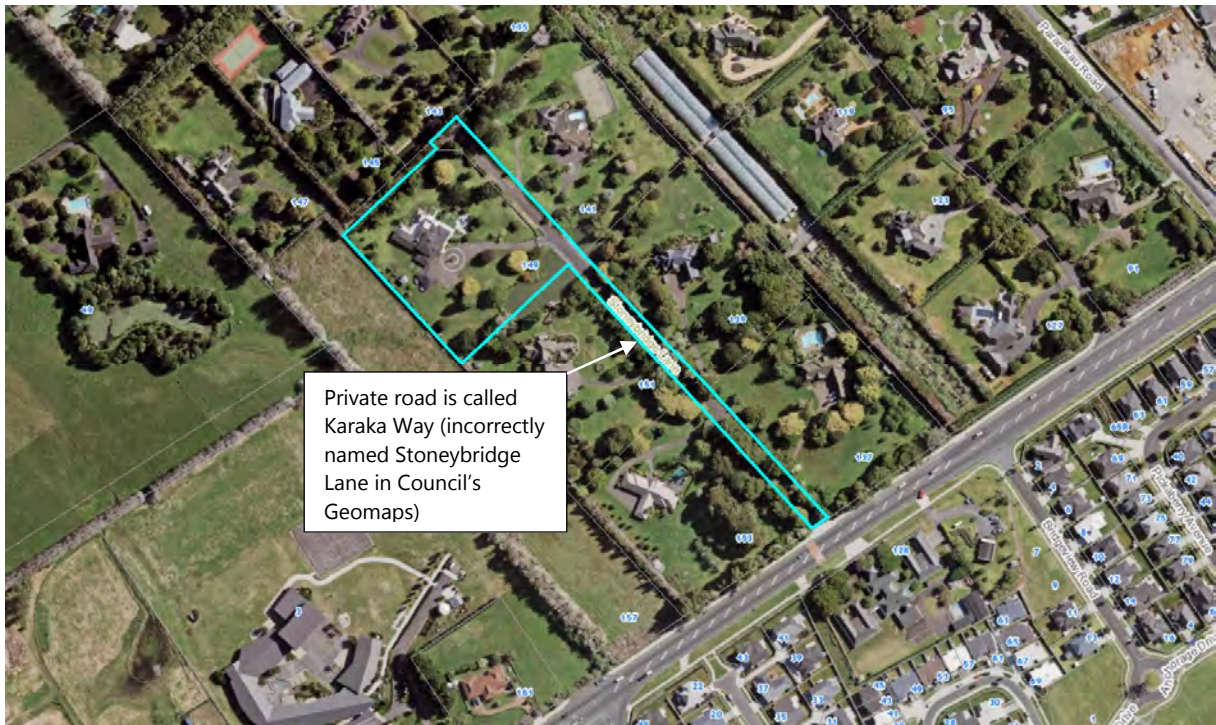
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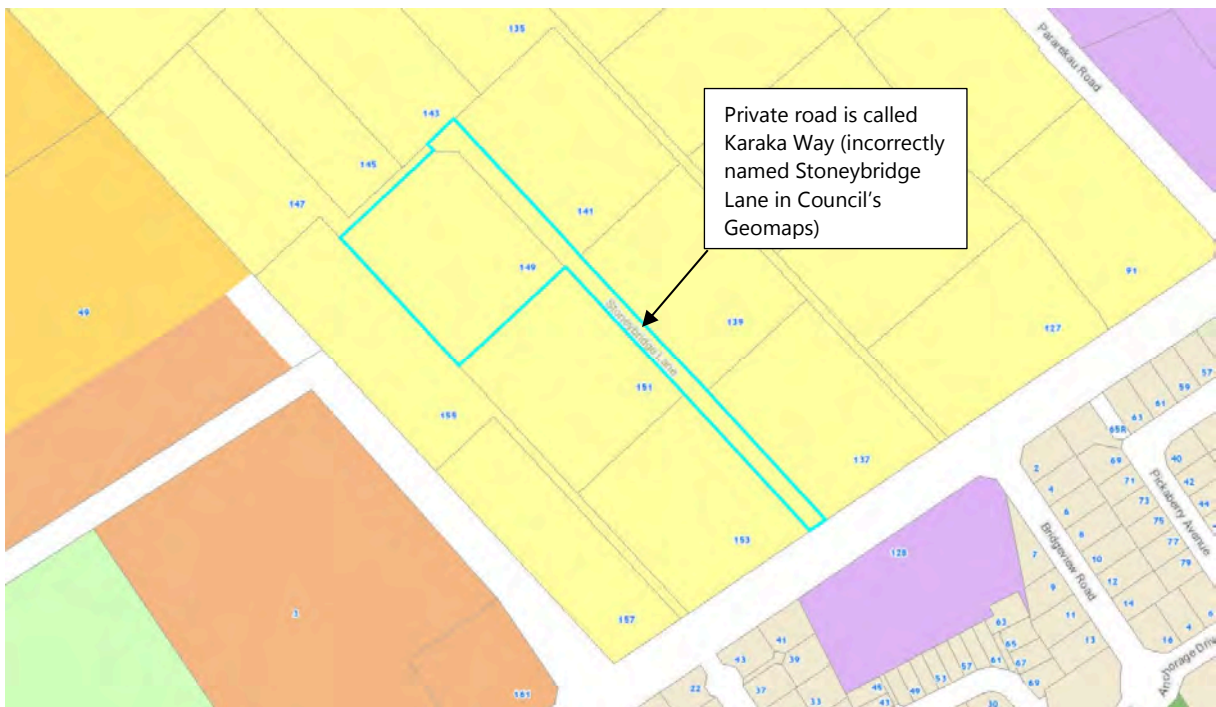
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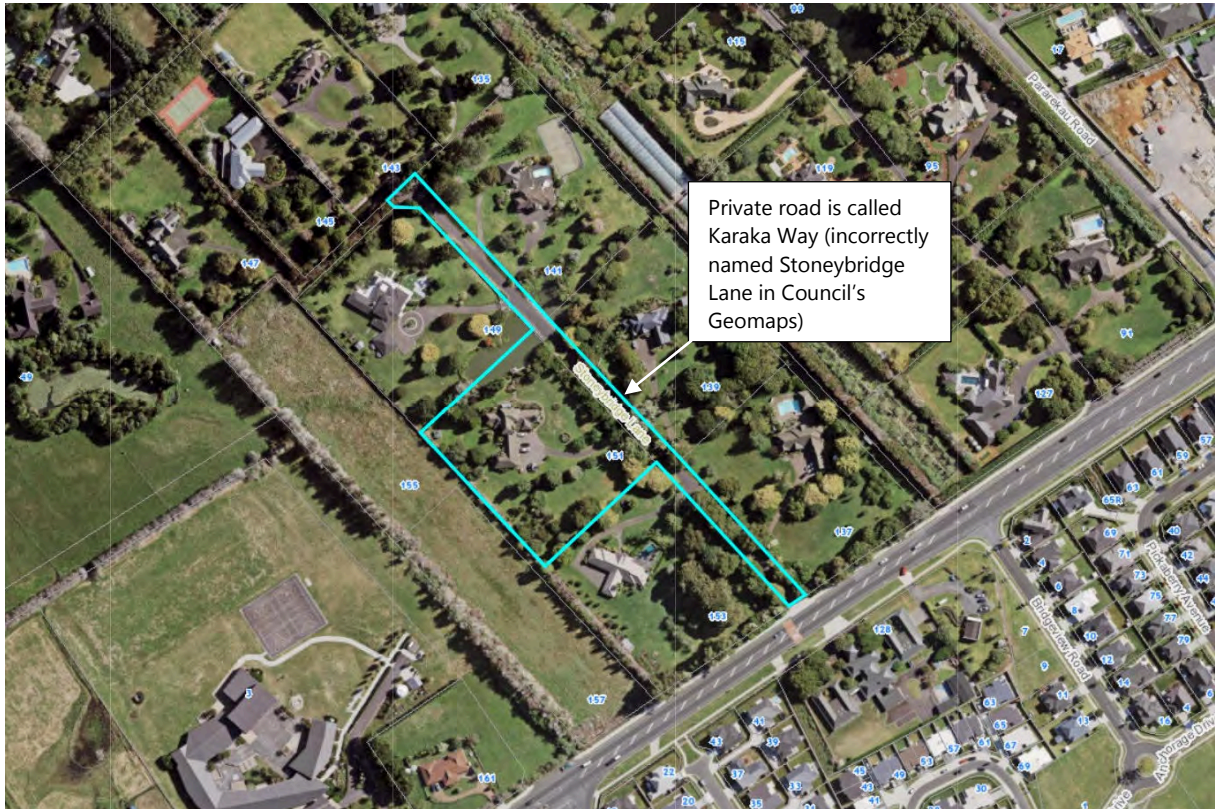
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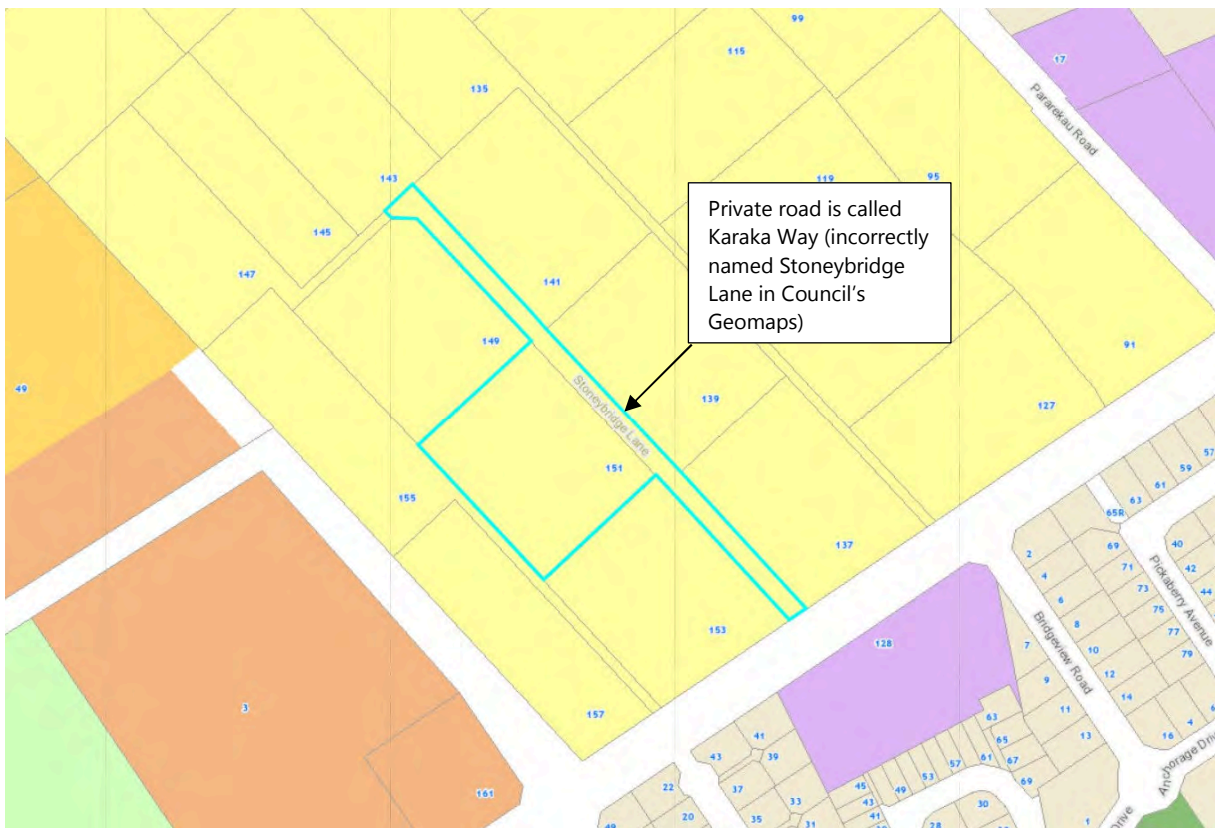
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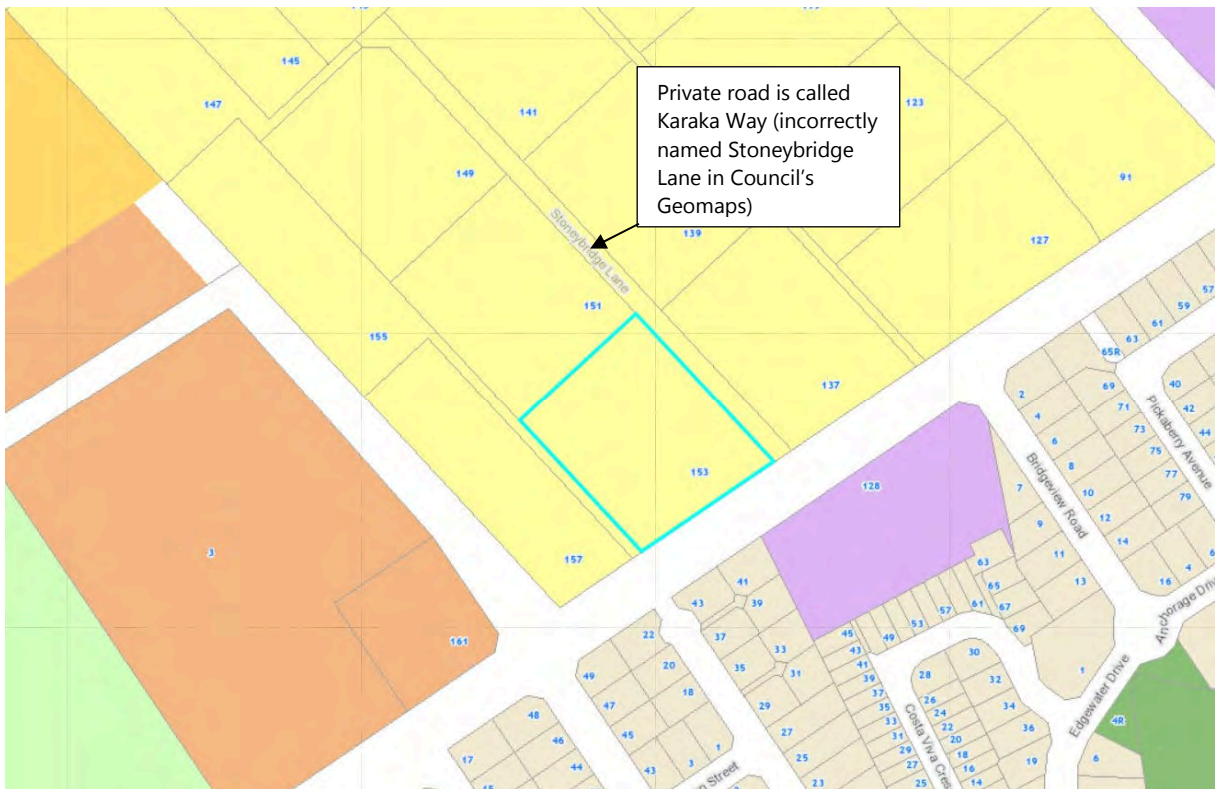
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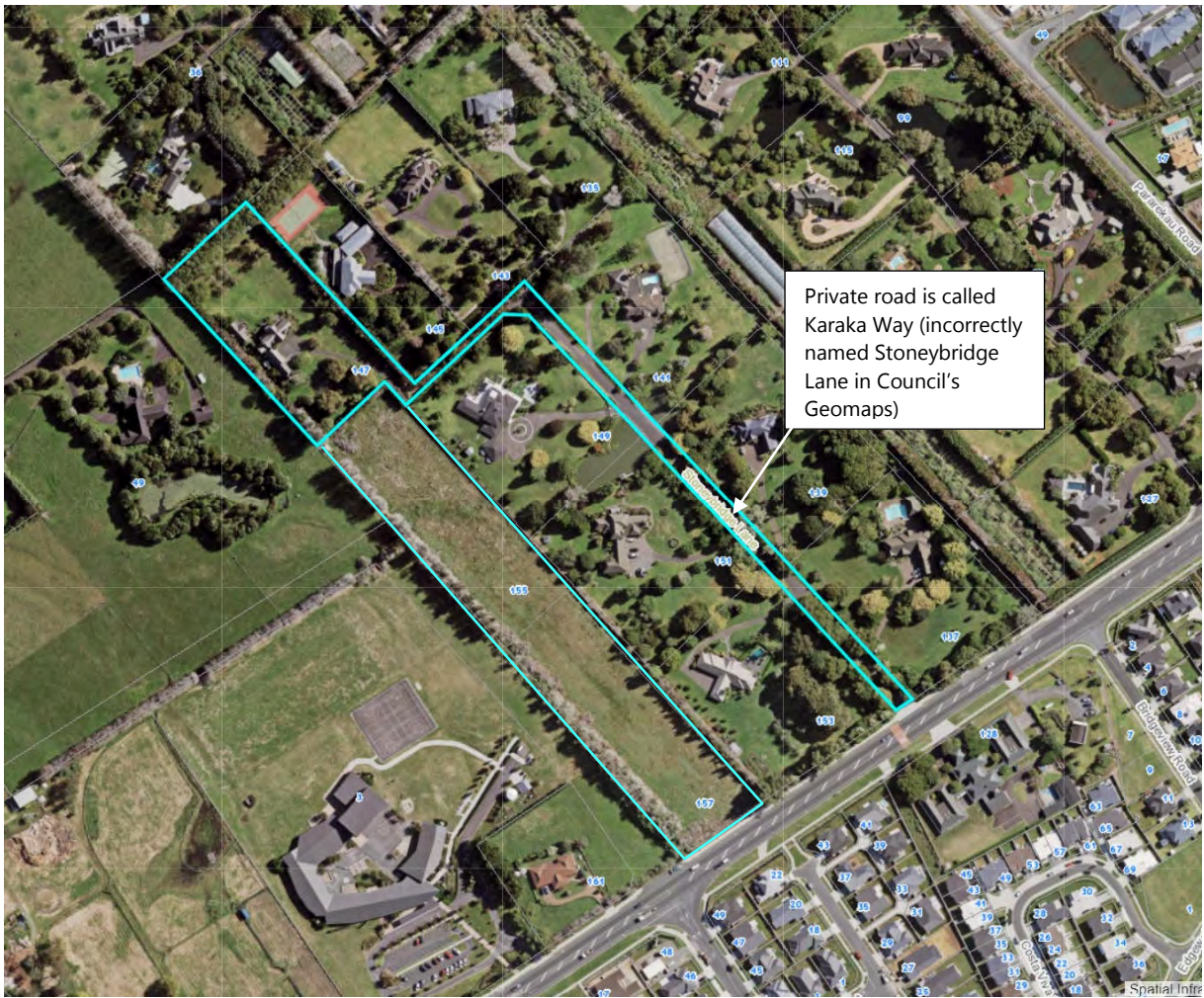
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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Other

Tell us why: Some points are acceptable and some aren't. There is no allowance for restructuring to eliminate the gross wastage I see from AC.

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Other

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3/ Are provided with less services than urban. No sewage. water reticulation, road lighting, footpaths, curb and channeling, surface drainage etc etc.

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Do not support either option

Tell us why: The current transport system is FAT and OUT OF CONTROL! For two years I have seen full sized busses come past my home every 30 min completely empty! Why hasnt some Einstein worked out it would be better in every way to send out a mini van instead of a huge bus belching out diesel fumes????? They are both going to be empty anyway, at least this would be cheaper and better for the planet. FIRE THE HEAD OF AT for not having a brain!!!

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

6. Local Boards

Papakura Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I support most priorities

Tell us why

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? Kaianga Ora changing the demographics of Papakura by overloading and unbalancing our community with lower socioeconomic people.

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: The country is still in the mist of the Covid pandemic. People are still loosing their jobs, and businesses are struggling to survive. Auckland Council should not extend spending/indebtitness and cut their existing outgoings like the rest of New Zealanders until the economy recovers. The 3.5% increase should be the maximum increase for ALL rate payers. No extemptions.

2. Climate change

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Do not support increased investment

Tell us why: Need to cut expenditure to the bone. As NZ's effect on climate change is minimal, we should put New Zealanders first. Priorities need to change in regard to the current massive increases in housing and rent etc, before climate change.

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What is your view on this proposal? Do not support either change

Tell us why: In my opinion the water quality target is not so much a funding issue but more a managerial problem resulting in water rationing this year.

4. Community investment

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Do not support

Tell us why: Should maximize the use of the existing assets and speed up the consolidation of the number of community facilities.

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Our property in Normanby Road, which is now urban zone does not have the same access to the Council services as stated above.

If I was marketing this property I don't think it would be right to advertise that we have the same services as our urban neighbours.

We already are contributing to many offsite contributions such as parks, pools, libraries, regional waste services, food scrap collection, capital investment, plus water quality improvements.

If you compare any of our urban neighbours streets with Normanby Road, it would be noticeable that we just have a rural road with no curb and channeling, no surface drainage, no street lights, no footpath. Our Normanby Road self serviced lifestyle block, does not have sewer or water connections at our boundary. Instead we rely on rain water tanks and for sewer, septic tanks. All of which have to be funded and maintained by us.

Clearly, we shouldn't be charged for maintaining and managing services that we don't have and are currently unavailable.

We have been advertised by Council that we cannot develop our block on its own. A developer would have to purchase several adjoining properties at a time. They are looking for raw land at approximately \$250m2. The houses and improvements would have little or no value to them and would most likely have to be demolished.

The developer would be responsible for all the costs for the roading and site developments necessary to comply with the new urban zoning requirements. When completed and signed off most of these assets are vested (gifted) to the Auckland Council. The rates from the additional sections will in the future create a big financial boost for the Council.

In the meantime the value of our land remains as is. It would be unrealistic for the Council to charge us for services that do not exist but has future benefits for the developer and the Council.

The value of anything has to be what a willing buyer and a willing seller will pay.

I believe the going rate for our land is \$250m2.

Therefore our rate increase in July should be no more than the 3.5 % as previously agreed too.

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Which option do you support?

Don't know

Tell us why:

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

6. Local Boards

Papakura Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I do not support any priorities

Tell us why Still in the middle of a Pandemic.. people are losing their jobs,,, feel that Council should cut the budget to the bone.

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? Infrastructure....particularly water reticulation

7. What is important to you?

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: I do not support cycle ways at this point in time - the number of users is not that significant compared to public transport users. The focus must be on developing public transport infrastructure for the majority by creating underground or overground rail links to all suburbs, connecting city to the airport, north shore etc. Must improve on the slow rail service e.g. Western line 45 minutes to travel 11 km by train from Glen Eden to Britomart is ridiculous. The inner-city connection is an absolute waste of money. People are travelling hours to get to and from the city. Easing

commute times into the city should be the focus; and not when they are already in the city. Council must get better at planning, future proofing, designing and negotiating deals with suppliers. Better train and bus connection will lead to less buses and cars on the road and then focus on making safer cycle ways and walkways. Not everyone cycles in a wet and sometimes very windy climate such as Auckland. Why does the Council have this false sense of security that creating cycle ways will fix the issue? It will not and we'll be exactly at square one with the same and exacerbated issue in 10 years time. Time for the Council to look overseas as Singapore, Hong Kong, Tokyo and London for real solutions.

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Other

Tell us why: Again cycle ways will not mean Kiwis/ Aucklanders will automatically start hopping on a bike to/ from work save the planet. Auckland climate and hilly landscape will not make it feasible for vast majority of people. Electric vehicles will not stop the congestion. Firstly, stop charging people to throw their rubbish - since households who can't afford the sticker get dumped in public spaces and this creates more pollution. Place compacting recycling bins everywhere, so people can separate and dispose of them appropriately. Incentivise public to recycle bottles by having recycling centres that will take them. Partner with recycling operators to use innovative ways to deal with rubbish. Burn rubbish for energy. Look at international examples in Australia, India, Sweden etc. Invest in Infrastructure not band aid type solutions. Introduce initiatives such as encouraging Aucklanders to stay at home/ work from home or study from home at least once a week to ease traffic pollution and human footprint.

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension only

Tell us why: Need to see significant results and value on the money already committed before supporting increase in funding.

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Support

Tell us why:

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Which option do you support?

Support Option 1 – targeted rate of \$238 for each separate dwelling or business on a property for properties located within 500m walking distance of a proposed bus stop

Tell us why:

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

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Albert-Eden Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I support most priorities

Tell us why:

What is your opinion on the Dominion Road Business Association boundary expansion of the Dominion Road BID programme? Do not support

Tell us why There are other areas in Auckland that need attention as a priority

Papakura Local Board

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Tell us why Takanini is a growing community and requires investment

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? Takanini - need investment in more amenities, cultural, commerce, shopping and cinema and environmentally friendly initiatives

7. What is important to you?

Do you have feedback on any other issues, including our proposals on housing and growth infrastructure or strategic assets?

Any investment should be environmentally sound and future proofed

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Support

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Support the proposed increased investment

Tell us why:

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension and the increase

Tell us why:

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Better public transport - train efficiency and appropriate car parking at train station. Papakura train station being an example. No parking after 7am in car park, have to park in residential area. Not ideal for residents and a bit of a walk for commuters.

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: People, especially those on fixed incomes or pension cannot afford it and Auckland Council should instead cut spend on non-core services.

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Tell us why: Again, non-core services, nothing AC do in the next few year will have any material effect on the environment, a few years delay won't matter.

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Do not support

Tell us why: How about stop building new unnecessary services - the new Takanini Hub is a waste of core money. We don't need more libraries, the existing ones are underused.

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Again - not core council services, don't spend. Defer non-essential capital projects.

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Which option do you support?

Don't know

Tell us why:

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No

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Papakura Local Board

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Tell us why Cut non-essential, non- core proposals.

Remove the totally underutilised cycle-way from Great South Rd and add extra vehicle lanes instead with all the extra housing in the area, it's a necessity

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? Better roads for vehicles, not cycles

7. What is important to you?

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Plan roading and infrastructure better - core services, not frilly wishy-washy things. That's what councils and our rates are for.

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: Do not believe COVID had any influence with regard to rate payments

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Support the proposed increased investment

Tell us why:

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What is your view on this proposal? Other

Tell us why: You don't supply my water, so enough said

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Support

Tell us why:

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Re extending the urban rating charges.

My address 14 Towai Road, Karaka R D 1, Papakura

We have

No sewerage

No town water

No street lights

No pavements

No access to shopping or other town services within walking distance

No public transport

No drainage

How dare you even suggest we should pay urban rates. I believe we should request advice from the Ombudsman regarding this ridiculous proposal. Our area will go into protest mode regarding this.

Sincerely

Olive McCaughan.

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Which option do you support?

Tell us why:

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No

6. Local Boards

Papakura Local Board

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Tell us why I have written them above.

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? Fair treatment for all.

7. What is important to you?

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Support

Tell us why:

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Do not support increased investment

Tell us why: With massive population growth Auckland needs a lot more spending on infrastructure and services.

The congested daily commute into the city is costing businesses and commuters dearly.

3. Water quality

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension and the increase

Tell us why: We need to ensure all areas are included.

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Support

Tell us why: Agree with leasing and better utilizing facilities, but there is a need for genuine consultation about any proposed terminations.

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Which option do you support?

Support Option 1 – targeted rate of \$238 for each separate dwelling or business on a property for properties located within 500m walking distance of a proposed bus stop

Tell us why: Fairer to charge those who are more likely to use the service because of proximity.

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

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Tell us why

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? The first two listed.

*Papakura as a vibrant centre

*More park and ride spaces

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Support

Tell us why: It's good to improve the city's infrastructure because there are areas that really needed some undivided attention.

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19 March 2021

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Long Term Plan 2021 - 2031

The Bruce Pulman Park Trust makes this submission to the Auckland Council Long Term Plan in the spirit of the ongoing partnership with Council. This is a unique and strategic relationship in that Council owns the land and The Bruce Pulman Park Trust builds and manages the facilities.

This is a great example of a public/private partnership continuing to work well to enhance both organisations' objectives for the benefit of our community. To date this partnership has provided over \$80million worth of assets in playing fields, open spaces and facilities and provides high-quality sporting & recreation facilities in the south of Auckland based in Papakura.

Pulman Park is uniquely situated to deliver on strategies of Council to enhance the post COVID & beyond life of all our Auckland community - the social wellbeing, health, connectedness and physical activity benefits long term are well documented. More than 1 million people (pre-COVID) visited the park annually which acts as a destination point for our local and regionally diverse community and the Park continues to have increased significant for the wider Pasifika community both within New Zealand and for our Pacific neighbours and partners.

We would like to highlight the importance of venues and what we deliver to the community in providing destinations for connectedness, activity, social cohesion, community leadership opportunities and community wellbeing all of which are signs of a happy, vibrant, forward thinking, healthy & productive society. Venues – facilities, open spaces, playing fields, walking trails, picnic areas, functions etc. are often left out of planning in the sport & recreation area but are critical in enabling our communities, clubs and National Organisations as well as Government to deliver on their projected outcomes. Venues such as Bruce Pulman Park can also be pivotal in cost effective solutions by enabling amalgamations and shared resources as they operate within a partnership model and provide professional management.

We acknowledge with thanks that within the current challenging finances the Council and the Papakura Local Board reconfirmed their commitment of funds to complete the upgrade and rubberisation of the outdoor netball courts. We work with some wonderful Council staff in Parks & Reserves and elected Council & Local Board members and value these relationships along with Aktive Auckland and CLM Community Sport. The Bruce Pulman Park Trust is committed to supporting the aspirations of Council and the Local board to support our communities and keep them active, engaged, connected and aspirational.

We note also that the South is experiencing tremendous growth with Council's recognition of Papakura town centre as a Metropolitan Centre, and Government and Council investing in the Mill Road upgrade with the inclusion of walkways & cycle ways into the new Transport corridor to enhance the community. The continued development for Bruce Pulman Park is part of these future aspirations for our city.

Our key notes for this submission are outlined below:

- Retain (and Increase) the Sport and Recreation Facilities Fund, the Regional Sport and Recreation Facilities Operating Grant and the Sportsfield Development Capacity Fund
- Support reinstating the Local Board Transport Capital Fund to previous levels
- Support Local Board sport and recreation priorities – our submission to the Local Board budget revision August 2020 contained some specific detail
- To understand fully the Council's proposal to moving from an asset-based approach to alternative ways of delivering services and how major venues fit into the picture as venues are a destination and enabler for our communities

- Continue to work with Auckland Council Parks & Reserves on the renewals programme and infrastructure development on the Park.
- Bulk funding for renewals as an option to consider
- Continued partnership and support from Council for the Capital Development Plan for Bruce Pulman Park in line with the intent of the original lease documents between Council and Bruce Pulman Park

Our submission is with reference to the following documents and strategies:

- Auckland Plan 2050
- Papakura Local Board Plan 2020
- Aktive Auckland – Strategic Plan to 2024
- WAKA KOTAHI – NZTA website
- The Bruce Pulman Park capital development plan and strategy

KEY THEMES	Key points from Bruce Pulman Park
<p>Capital Investment & Infrastructure</p>	<p>1. Bruce Pulman Park supports the continued fund for facilities and supports an increase in current 10 year \$120 million Sport and Recreation Facilities Fund.</p> <p><i>Thank you to Auckland Council and the Papakura Local Board for their investment in the rubberisation and upgrade of the outdoor netball courts. This partnership is critical along with the Gaming sector and private sector and has enabled a wonderful asset of \$80 million plus to be provided to our South Auckland (and wider Auckland) Community.</i></p> <p>The Park provides both facilities for clubs, sports and community to use locally and regionally as well as self-delivery of sports, recreation & community activities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Park provides a key role in professionally managing facilities so that community users and sports are not individually carrying duplicate costs for their own individual facilities • By providing well maintained and up to date facilities more people of all ages are attracted to becoming involved in sport, recreation and physical activity – they like to come to bright, happy, well maintained and clean venues – inspirational surroundings. • Well maintained facilities also make people feel welcome and more importantly safe which increases their participation • Well maintained facilities decrease vandalism as the community is proud of the “nice” facilities provided for them • South Auckland is a diverse and high growth area and Bruce Pulman Park provides a community destination and link for these diverse groups • Papakura has the highest percentage of Maori population in Auckland • The Park is a key focus to Pasifika sport and other multi-cultural activities • The high quality facilities also attract events with economic benefit to the wider region. <p>2. We ask that Auckland Council and the Local Board works with us to facilitate a partnership with Auckland Transport to ensure safe and appropriate egress and links to the Park by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Facilitating safe pedestrian crossings into Bruce Pulman Park • Facilitating two lane egress for traffic both in and out of the Park at the three entrances for peak hours and events & safety for schools which surround the Park with many children walking and parents pickups & drop offs • Facilitating bus routes to Bruce Pulman Park connecting with the district, schools, other facilities, Papakura Marae and town centre

- Facilitating appropriate speed limits and traffic restrictions along Walters Road to ensure safety for users and schools
- It will enable our people to take full advantage of all the wonderful facilities and opportunities within Papakura.
- It will enable all the facilities and amenities in the district to work more closely with the schools and support each other and stay active, healthy and connected.
- It will connect the business centres with our parks and reserves.
- It will improve safety by providing direct access to the Parks and facilities in the region.
- It will connect families without other means of transport to the Park & other Papakura venues to enjoy sports and other free community events.

3. We ask that Auckland Council & the Papakura Local Board continue with the partnership & support for the Capital Development Plan for Bruce Pulman Park in line with the intent of the original lease.

The current Capital Development Plan as a schematic is added below and indicates current & future developments on the Park. (A4 size is attached at end of document)



In the three year short term the priorities under the Capital Development Plan are:

- The playground to which the Local Board has already invested in the design of
 - Lighting for training fields 5 & 6 to allow for more usable hours especially in the winter months where working parents can't arrive in daylight hours so reducing participation and parents volunteering as coaches, refs etc. Lighting will also increase the amount of usable hours for the wider region
- We note with huge appreciation the support that Council & the Local Board has given with field lighting for fields 3&4.**
- Public Toilets – there is a need to provide facilities for the huge increase of the general public using the Park for not just sporting events but walking, family picnics and gatherings, casual play etc. The provision of

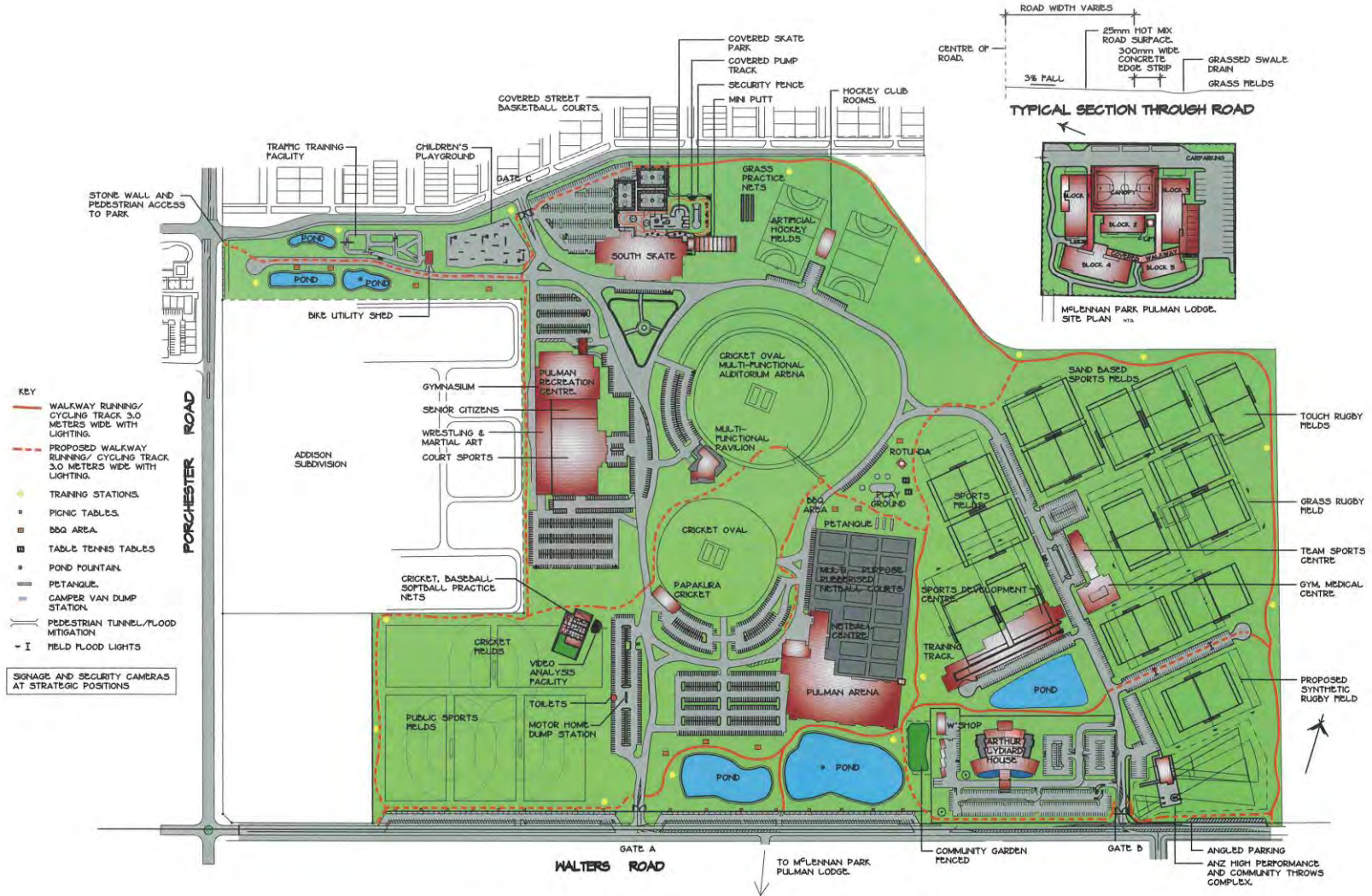
	<p>public toilets also lessens the costs for tournaments, clubs & organised activities by reducing hireage cost of Portaloos to the community</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fields 9 – 13 require sand fields & irrigation – this increases usable hours and reduces maintenance costs and extends the life of the fields • Walkways & Cycleways that coordinate and connect with the metropolitan centre and the proposed developments along the Mill Road corridor • Roading Infrastructure within the Park to asphalt the road ways for longevity and safety as currently they are loose chipped • Provision of infrastructure for future developments – this would be drainage, wastewater etc. <p>4. We ask that Auckland Council & the Local Board support the development of cycleways and walk ways in Bruce Pulman Park to link into the network across the district and with the developments of Government funding along the Mill Road transport corridor by Waka Kotahi : NZTA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • As per NZTA Mill Road upgrade – construction is expected to start late 2022 “Part of Auckland’s Supporting Growth Programme, Mill Road is an additional route from Manukau to Drury. It will provide better access for the 120,000-plus people who will make Auckland’s southern suburbs their home during the next three decades” “The project upgrades the existing two-lane sections of Mill Road to four-lanes and will connect to the new sections of the corridor being built across greenfield sites. The four-lane corridor, with a separated walking and cycling path, will ensure better access to places of work, education and play as well as support the improvement of public transport services.” • To complete the concrete pathways around the Park for the public to walk & cycle and connect with the district
<p>Operational Investment</p>	<p>The Park wishes to keep the facility operating grant for the arena on the table as this is a significant community facility and the grant will allow the Arena to remain affordable for our community. (we acknowledge that Auckland Council has introduced the contestable Regional sport & Recreation Facilities Operating Grant this current year for the first time)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Park’s tournaments and events bring significant economic benefit to our region and also attract overseas visitors, current COVID situation apart. • Moving forward there may well be a focus of overseas sports as New Zealand gains status as a safe zone. • The Park is becoming a centre of Pasifika sports and it is likely that this will be our first bubble of travel in a new world. Games with an estimated 25,000 participants e.g. Sikh Games and TAG/Touch NZ tournaments with 3-7,000 participants among a few. • But importantly the park is also the heart of our local community and provides an important destination and provider for many activities for our residents to increase their sense of wellness and wellbeing and connect them to their community. • The Park also provides a home for some top profile sports which provide role models and pathways for our young people and a sense of pride from our community in what we can all achieve and aspire to. • The major events and tournaments that operate on a pay for play basis can allow community events to be more prevalent in conjunction with other providers e.g. March 28, 2021 Community Free Day with the support of the “Local Heroes”, service agencies, sports organisations and wellness groups.

<p>Renewals Budget for Bruce Pulman Park</p>	<p>We ask that Auckland Council considers the option to bulk fund the renewals on Bruce Pulman Park to enable cost effective and needs driven efficiency.</p> <p>Revisit bulk funding for renewals – we are aware that COVID has seen the Council divest itself of about 1000 staff and contractors. This would be a cost effective way of best bang for buck for Council and the park being able to work with Local Board to deliver in key areas at key times the best interests of the wider community</p>
<p>Development Fund</p>	<p>We would enquire of Auckland Council and the Local Board to consider the option of targeting development fund towards sports & recreation and infrastructure needs of Bruce Pulman Park</p> <p>We note that the Local Board has the highest amount of building consents across Auckland which indicates the huge amount of housing development occurring in the area.</p> <p>There are substantial increases projected in population and Bruce Pulman Park is primed to cater for this as it is an established venue and facilities and well managed and is focused on supporting Council and the Local Board to provide sport, recreation and community activities across generations and cultures.</p>

Thank you for the opportunity to make this submission, if there are any further questions please contact the undersigned or the Bruce Pulman Park Trust.

Many regards,
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A4 Schematic Capital Development Plan is on next page.



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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: Rates are so high already, which makes it even harder for 1st time home owners. Paying more on rates to drive around Auckland like a snail. Charge a "Congestion Charge".

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Support the proposed increased investment

Tell us why: Because litter must be stopped (fine should be implemented) and stop the waste/litter entering the harbor/ocean.

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What is your view on this proposal? Do not support either change

Tell us why: Stick to the plan and do it! or when 2031 comes you want to extend to 2035. Just stick to the plan

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Over time, we propose to consolidate the number of our community facilities and services (which may result in some facilities being closed) and instead focus on multi-use facilities and online services to provide for our diverse communities.

What is your opinion on this proposal? Do not support

Tell us why: If the numbers stack up of the volume of people who utilize these facilities then spend on it otherwise reduce the facility size to the volume of people .

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This will be silly, as charges will be pushed to the consumer, all I am reading of what is proposed is to get more money from private home owners, everyone know what rolls down hill.

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Which option do you support?

Do not support either option

Tell us why: Why charge people who may not use the service, you charge those using the service, the bus business will make money but the key is the busses must be punctual. Like Europe, 6am is 6am , people learn to be on time.

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

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Papakura Local Board

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Tell us why Waitangi is at Waitangi , its not a Papakura, the money can be better spent cleaning out crime and litter.

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? Support the police and build prisons for those who don't understand been civil. stop holding people back, times is moving forward , and must we all, or you get left behind.

7. What is important to you?

Do you have feedback on any other issues, including our proposals on housing and growth infrastructure or strategic assets?

Housing,,,,,, well,,,, those who have state house must pay rent and assist in the upkeep of the property, after a time period of say 5 years the value of the property has gone up a percentage of the capital gain can then be award the the tenant , to use to purchase there own home. Those who destroy property are the be charged for damage and if they have no money then it must be repaid doing the unpaid labor of correcting the damage.

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: In my opinion, bad City Council management and misguided allocation of funds is the cause of Auckland City's current poor state. Reallocation of funds away from non-essential areas like monuments, artwork, high salaries not based on management performance (eg. Years of Water Care management), inefficiencies and complacency in government staff should be the key focus to cost reduction to redirect those financial waste areas to boosting infrastructure funds.

With the current COVID-19 related job losses and pay cuts, expecting rate payers to pay 5% rates increases for 2 years without a drastic change in Auckland City Council is more wasted funds and a reflection of continued mismanagement of the city.

Auckland City Council in its current format should be dissolved and restructured with Auckland City residents having a shareholder stake in the organization.

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Other

Tell us why: Building the roof without foundations has been the Auckland City Council approach to date. The suggested approach is no different. Review of current transportation set up with the goal to change to a more connected and coordinated across all modes of public transport set up with the current stock should be the first priority before purchasing more to put on top of a dysfunctional infrastructure. The current transport engineers have been disappointing at best and in my opinion should be restructured with fresh and more capable staff. Maybe hire from overseas where public transport systems put ours to shame even 20 years ago as we are that many years behind many cities.

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension and the increase

Tell us why: Do a better job. I do not consider the current performance as good use of funds to date. It is quite atrocious and embarrassing.

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Tell us why The focus in that area should be more on improving public transport, other infrastructure to support the current housing stock growth, water quality (it's atrocious there when brown coloured water comes out of the tap multiple times a year) rather than nice to haves like art work, etc.

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Build the roads and public transport plan before you release more consent to build houses. Stop creating traffic congestion with your mismanagement. The current approach is embarrassing.

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Over time, we propose to consolidate the number of our community facilities and services (which may result in some facilities being closed) and instead focus on multi-use facilities and online services to provide for our diverse communities.

What is your opinion on this proposal? Support

Tell us why:

5. Rating policy

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The Upper Harbour Local Board are proposing a new bus service between Paremoremo and Albany, funded by a targeted rate.

Which option do you support?

Support Option 1 – targeted rate of \$238 for each separate dwelling or business on a property for properties located within 500m walking distance of a proposed bus stop

Tell us why:

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

6. Local Boards

Papakura Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I support most priorities

Tell us why

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura?

7. What is important to you?

Do you have feedback on any other issues, including our proposals on housing and growth infrastructure or strategic assets?

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Support

Tell us why:

2. Climate change

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Support the proposed increased investment

Tell us why:

3. Water quality

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What is your view on this proposal? Don't know

Tell us why:

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Which option do you support?

Don't know

Tell us why:

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

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Papakura Local Board

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As a person involved in cricket in the region, I am very supportive of the proposed Karaka Indoor Cricket Nets project (as part of the wider Karaka Sports Complex proposal). The Counties manukau and Papakura regions have been needing a facility of this type for 20 years, and as yet there is nothing locally for players to train in throughout the off-season and in case of poor weather. These facilities are commonplace around the rest of the country, and it would be a boost to have one locally, particularly in light of the growth the sport is experiencing.

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: Property address.

677 Karaka Road, Papakura, Auckland 2580

I am in receipt of your notice advising changing my rural property from being 'outside' the urban boundary to within.

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I am receiving no further services from council, nor is my property any closer to urbanisation than it is now.

I do not integrate into the waste water system, I do not draw water from local reticulation (for which there is none), I have no foot path nor berm, not even roadside curbing. I have my own rubbish removal arrangement and do not enjoy the luxuries of recycling.

Therefore, I am abjectly opposed to any increase whatsoever to my local rates through extension of the Urban Rating Boundary.

2. Climate change

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Don't know

Tell us why:

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What is your view on this proposal? Do not support either change

Tell us why: yes the money you collect now for this and not stupid vanity projects

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Tell us why:

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Which option do you support?

Do not support either option

Tell us why: user pays

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

6. Local Boards

Franklin Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I do not support most priorities

Tell us why you waste the rates you collect now, you don't need more

Papakura Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I do not support any priorities

Tell us why you waste the rates you collect now, you don't need more

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7. What is important to you?

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stop putting up rates and use what you collect wisely

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: Under the constant impact by the pandemic, we should first reduce our expense in environment and climate change. Focus on fighting against the constant impacts on people's economic burden, living life, study and mental health. When the Rates keeps going up, water charges going up, and the cost of all the daily necessity going up, it will only bring more financial burden to people. Now if you talk about the next 10 years, or 50 years' sustainable development is nonsense. We should focus on the current difficulties. 在疫情的持续影响之下 · 我们应该先减少对环境和

气候变化的支出，应对疫情给民众带来的经济、生活、学习和精神上的持续影响。当地税持续上涨，水费上涨，各种日常生活用品都上涨的情况下，只会给民众带来更大的经济负担。此时，来谈未来十年、五十年的可持续发展是荒谬的。应该着眼于眼前的困境

2. Climate change

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Do not support increased investment

Tell us why:

3. Water quality

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension only

Tell us why:

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Do not support

Tell us why: If Auckland Council is not capable of managing these much community resources, then please give back the resources to the community for self-administration. for example, Glen field community centre, Howick Leisure Centre

are well managed. 如果Auckland Council 没有能力管理好这么多的社区资源，那么请把这些资源发放给社区，让社区自己来管理。例如：Glen filed community centre, Howick Leisure Centre 管理的都非常好

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Which option do you support?

Support Option 2 – targeted rate of \$153 for each separate dwelling or business on a property for properties located in the wider Paremuremo and Lucas Heights area of the Upper Harbour Local Board

Tell us why:

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

6. Local Boards

Manurewa Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? Don't know

Tell us why

What is your opinion on the Manurewa Business Association boundary expansion in our area?

Tell us why

Papakura Local Board

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Tell us why

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Do not support

Tell us why:

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

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What is your view on this proposal? Do not support either change

Tell us why:

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Do not support

Tell us why:

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Introducing the Rodney Drainage Targeted Rate on the land in Te Arai and Okahukura that benefits from the stormwater services Do not support

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Do you have any comments on any of our proposed changes to rates and fees charges?

The Upper Harbour Local Board are proposing a new bus service between Paremuremo and Albany, funded by a targeted rate.

Which option do you support?

Support Option 2 – targeted rate of \$153 for each separate dwelling or business on a property for properties located in the wider Paremuremo and Lucas Heights area of the Upper Harbour Local Board

Tell us why:

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

Yes

6. Local Boards

Manurewa Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? Don't know

Tell us why

What is your opinion on the Manurewa Business Association boundary expansion in our area?

Tell us why

Papakura Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I do not support most priorities

Tell us why

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura?

7. What is important to you?

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: I am a single parent and due to Covid, do not support any increase of fees or rates, i believe there is a lot of family in the same boat that me. I do alot for the community. Financially I cannot afford this increase. This has been taken too far. I am a single dad, and can not afford it.

2. Climate change

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The proposed additional investment will mean we do not need to buy any more diesel buses and it will help us replace our diesel buses with electric and hydrogen buses sooner. It will also help us divert more waste from landfill, plant over 2 million more native trees and other initiatives.

What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Do not support increased investment

Tell us why: I'm a single dad and I am trying to support my family. My company does not want to increase salaries or increase hourly rates so for me it's not affordable.

3. Water quality

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Extending the targeted rate

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Increasing the targeted rate

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What is your view on this proposal? Do not support either change

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No support, there are other ways of getting funding.

The Upper Harbour Local Board are proposing a new bus service between Paremoremo and Albany, funded by a targeted rate.

Which option do you support?

Tell us why:

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

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Papakura Local Board

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Support

Tell us why: I appreciate that additional investment is required to fund better transport, climate change projects and water management which should be addressed through funding from central government as well as from local rates

2. Climate change

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Support the proposed increased investment

Tell us why: This is key for the long term future of Auckland as well as the planet

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension and the increase

Tell us why: The water shortages that have recently hit the Auckland region are an embarrassment for the city and must be addressed considering the projected population growth of the city. However, I understand that the current situation has a lot to do with gross mismanagement by Watercare executives who received large bonuses whilst failing in their duty to ensure Auckland's water supply was effectively managed. I would recommend that Auckland council redress the shortfall by reclaiming the bonuses from the incompetent executives.

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Support

Tell us why: These are fundamental to our city and help communities stay together especially in such tough times as Covid 19

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Which option do you support?

Do not support either option

Tell us why: This new service does not impact my household so I cannot comment

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

Yes

6. Local Boards

Papakura Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I support most priorities

Tell us why

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? Better transport networks to reduce the challenge of daily commutes

7. What is important to you?

Do you have feedback on any other issues, including our proposals on housing and growth infrastructure or strategic assets?

Increased housing projects to help all people own their own home will be of great benefit to the community

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: Should work in with other councils and central government to develop and invest in inter-regional and long-distance passenger rail, including a night train with sleepers to Wellington.

Passenger rail has the capacity to reduce carbon emissions / connect communities ie city > city & city to town / reduces and lowers road traffic congestion / improves transport resilience / enable economic and tourism development.

The UK Department of Business, Energy & Industrial Strategy (BEIS) states that “Taking a train instead of a car for medium-length distances would cut your carbon emissions by ~80%. Using a train instead of a domestic flight would reduce your emissions by ~84%”.

This indicates that regional / inter-regional and long-distance passenger rail can make a serious contribution to lowering Aucklands carbon emissions.

An overnight sleeper train would make travel to Wellington (and points in between) convenient and attractive, this would provide a realistic alternative to polluting air and road transport options.

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Support the proposed increased investment

Tell us why: Regional / inter-regional and long-distance passenger rail should feature in planned developments to lower Aucklands carbon emissions.

Developing an overnight train, with sleepers, to Wellington would attract parole away from polluting air and road transport and assist lowering transport related carbon emissions.

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension and the increase

Tell us why:

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Which option do you support?

Support Option 1 – targeted rate of \$238 for each separate dwelling or business on a property for properties located within 500m walking distance of a proposed bus stop

Tell us why:

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

6. Local Boards

Papakura Local Board

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Tell us why

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? An overnight passenger train with sleepers attached to link Papakura with Wellington and points in between.

7. What is important to you?

Do you have feedback on any other issues, including our proposals on housing and growth infrastructure or strategic assets?

Development of environmentally sustainable and community connecting transport options - like an overnight sleeper train to Wellington.

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Support

Tell us why: Except for selling assets.

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension only

Tell us why:

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Do not support

Tell us why: Leasing is not going to be cheaper depend on third parties who generally want to make the most profit and I predict this will mean cut backs and lack of access

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Which option do you support?

Don't know

Tell us why:

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No

6. Local Boards

Papakura Local Board

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Tell us why

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? Maintains libraries pools and sports facilities

7. What is important to you?

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Support

Tell us why:

2. Climate change

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Support the proposed increased investment

Tell us why:

3. Water quality

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What is your view on this proposal? Do not support either change

Tell us why: This is a core service and as such the council needs to fund it from the standard rates

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The council's job is to provide core services, not spend ratepayer money on projects that can be undertaken by private enterprise. Only when the core service is available and being used should it be permissible to rate it accordingly.

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Which option do you support?

Do not support either option

Tell us why: Public transport is just that and should be paid for by the general public, not just those who live or work on a bus route.

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No

6. Local Boards

Papakura Local Board

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Tell us why Papakura is long overdue for some serious attention from the council. The town centre is a disgrace and appears to have been passed over in favour of developing Takanini. This makes a mockery of the so-called aim to reduce carbon emissions and promote the use of public transport. Papakura is the largest train and bus hub south of Manukau but where has all the commercial development been for the last several years - Takanini...

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: I do not support rates rise. Use the regional fuel tax which was supposed to be for the light-rail which isn't progressing.

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What is your view on this proposal? Do not support either change

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Do not support

Tell us why: Should not be closing facilities when the population is growing.

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Farming and lifestyle properties which are not zoned as urban should NOT be taxed as urban. I would only support this if you classify them as urban and allow them to be developed. Otherwise land owners are being needlessly punished for development around them while they are not allowed to develop.

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Don't know

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6. Local Boards

Franklin Local Board

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Tell us why

Manurewa Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? Don't know

Tell us why

What is your opinion on the Manurewa Business Association boundary expansion in our area? Don't know

Tell us why

Papakura Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I do not support most priorities

Tell us why Cycle lanes on the road are not used and not worth significant investment. I support cycleways which are on reserves/mountain bike tracks etc which are more used.

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? I strongly disagree with charging urban rates on rural land which is close to rural areas. If land is zoned as rural it should be charged rural rates.

7. What is important to you?

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Park and ride is a waste of resource.

There are too many medium density housing areas and not enough improvements to the traffic situation to sustain it. We either need heavy density and better public transport or less density with better quality properties.

I disagree with any increase to taxes based on the location of your house if it is not consistent with the zoning. If you will charge urban rates on a property it must be zoned urban and allowed to be developed. OR it should be rural.

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: Yes there should be a small rate increase, but feel that user pays should

be implemented in more areas. Disappointed in money spend on road works down Queen street. Concrete Blocks down the side of the road, extended sidewalks all for pedestrians that cannot get parking when they come into the city. Public Transport is expensive as normal car travel, and would recommend \$1 trips each way to get people off roads and onto

public transport. The Revenue lost on Public Transport would be recovered by not having to do so much road works, especially traffic calming measures that have popped up all around Auckland.

Budget is being spent in wrong Place.

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Support the proposed increased investment

Tell us why: Good ideas, each house hold has waste, so would like incentives or discounts to recycle. Extended hours at Landfills to make it more convenient for the average family.

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension only

Tell us why: I support the extensions. But why should we have to pay. New Housing, new subdivisions, Business areas should be paying extra. Why not bring back Water Tanks in all areas to save water off our Roofs. Improve old pipework to save leaks and accidents with water loss. Continually managing water levels with better management plans. Staff take ownership of their position and responsibilities.

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Support

Tell us why: Support, but surely there was a maintenance plan for all Council Owned buildings and a business plan to pay for maintenance and improvements. User pays at all times

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Tell us why: There must be a better solution than that.

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Tell us why

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? To develop Papakura back to a busy city that people would shop at rather than go to Manukau shopping Mall. Extend shopping hours, transport to and from Papakura. Make it a safe area for all people.

7. What is important to you?

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Sick of all Road works, surely they could be scheduled one after the other rather than all at one time. Road Bumps to slow traffic are just wasting tax payers money there must be more import priority. Bus system around Conifer Grove to town centers or Train stations. Improve local systems, not all money spent on Auckland City Center. Look after local first.

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: There should not be high density housing built on what are at the moment parks/recreation grounds. If anything we need more open spaces.

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Other

Tell us why: Stay using the Diesel busses till there is adequate funding...

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Tell us why

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Tell us why I don't support making the business district larger.. it's already in shanked and should be looking at tidying it up about and utilizing unused areas

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Tell us why So much wasted land already not being used...

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Other

Tell us why: While we understand the need for fiscal prudence we are concerned that this budget cannot deliver enough, soon enough. The alternative budget proposed, while we realise it would mean increased rates, would also deliver much needed changes more quickly which would mean people get something tangible back for their money much more quickly. For this reason, some greater rates rise might be acceptable even if not to the level of the alternative budget. There is a lot that needs doing.

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Other

Tell us why: This is definitely an area in which we support increased investment, as much and as soon as possible, (See qu 1.) As Climate Scientist James Renwick says, we know what is causing climate change, we do have the power to stop global warming and if we reduce emissions, climate change will also stop quite quickly.

So lets do as much as we can, as soon as we can, rather than waiting. This is an emergency, and needs a response now in spite of the cost. The cost of delays is catastrophic and unacceptable. Eg Electric Buses as soon as possible.

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension and the increase

Tell us why: Improving water quality should be a #1 priority for Auckland, surrounded by water as she is.

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Other

Tell us why: We find it a horrifying prospect to think that in 10 years time there could be less community facilities in neighbourhoods that are growing ever denser, than at present. Yes, there may need to be some rationalisation of existing facilities that are aging, not fit for purpose or in unhelpful locations. Yes it would be useful to maximise the use of digital technologies but this cannot replace community gathering places. These are of utter importance and need to be

local, in walking distance. It adds to emissions if people have to travel to community centres. Facilities must be relevant, purpose built or refitted, and multi use facilities need to be well designed to flexibly accommodate different groups. Storage, accessibility, opening hours are just some of the features to be considered.

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Tell us why We think these priorities need refreshing and revisiting. A lot of money is going into Town Centre embellishments at the expense of wider community development. More facilities and activities in neighbourhoods should increase sense of pride and belonging in 'Home' which will then encourage people to support local business. Businesses cannot rely on Local Board handouts,- while some put in time, effort and money to customers, some rely on 'others' to do this for them. It has to be a team effort.

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? More, effectively publicised, local neighbourhood activity. Perhaps a small local newspaper. Engagement at an intense, Kanohi ki Kanohi level which is costly but effective.

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We believe addressing climate change urgently by promoting sustainable living in all its different guises is the key to a healthy future for Auckland, and the world. While pockets of work are being undertaken, which we welcome and support, we believe this needs to be at the heart of every decision taken.

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Totara Park MTB Club INC

REDOUBT ROAD CARPARK
REDEVELOPMENT

LONG TERM PLAN - MARCH 2021

3.1 MASTERPLAN



KEY CONCEPT DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS

- WAIRERE ROAD ENTRANCE

- Incorporate plantings from Auckland Botanic Gardens including potential heritage orchard
- Long term use of Beaufords Heritage House and conflict of use with the surrounding park area
- Addition of a splashpad / waterplay area
- Allocation of parking within the park
- Enhancement and addition of further mountain bike trails including connections to Wairere Road carpark
- Extent of pool area fence-line
- Upgrade existing toilets
- Better quality and more seating
- Retention of the unique natural character of the park
- Flatter bike trail access for younger riders
- Consider proximity of inner playground areas to main access points
- Ensure a mix of activities
- More formalised activities such as basketball / volleyball
- Strengthen connection to Botanic Gardens

KEY CONCEPT DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS

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- Activation of the upper carpark including a potential playground and/or pump track
- Incorporation of Redoubt Road widening including possible stormwater ponds and connectivity to future shared pedestrian / cycle path
- Enhancement and addition of further mountain bike trails including possible hub at Redoubt Road carpark
- Better quality seating and more seating
- Improve the perceived risk of safety by increasing the visibility of and level of positive activity within the carpark
- Retention and alignment with the unique natural character of the park
- Flatter bike trail access for younger riders. Potential for an upper kids loop
- Ensure a mix of activities

LEGEND

- 01. Wairere Road entrance carpark
 - 02. Swimming pool complex
 - 03. Beaufords Heritage House
 - 04. Existing playground / picnic areas
 - 05. Existing equestrian centre
 - 06. Redoubt Road entrance carpark
 - 07. Existing mountain bike trail hub
 - 08. Existing stormwater ponds
 - 09. Lookout location with 360° views
 - 10. Potential Redoubt Road widening with shared pedestrian / cycle path and possible stormwater ponds
 - 11. Potential location of planted wetlands
 - 12. Potential location of pump track / jump track
 - 13. Strengthen pedestrian connection to Auckland Botanic Gardens and Te Araroa Walkway
 - 14. Potential new playground location
 - 15. Potential new mountain bike hub
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- Stream network
 - Existing road network
 - Existing pedestrian walking track and bridle trail
 - Potential pedestrian walking track and bridle trail
 - Existing mountain bike trails
 - Proposed mountain bike trails
 - Strengthen pedestrian connections
 - Area of proposed Redoubt Road widening
 - Existing entry / exit pedestrian points into Totara Park
 - Potential key path junction nodes
 - Existing significant vegetation
 - Proposed planting / revegetation

1:8000

Redoubt Rd Carpark Development

The Totara Park Mountain Bike Club INC fully supports the Manurewa Local Board in its development of the Redoubt Rd Carpark.

We believe that a shared model to funding this development can be found:

- Council & Local Board – carpark, facilities and plantings
- TPMTBC – pump tracks, beginner and connecting trails



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Stage 1 -
Toilet Block

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The Southern Entrance
Toilet Block – Wairere Rd

Perfect example of what
should be considered for
the Northern Entrance –
Redoubt Rd Carpark
(with some minor changes
including CCTV).

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Plenty of toilets for large groups to use at the Southern end of the park.

Yeah nah, a single Portaloo is no longer acceptable especially for the large groups and high user numbers that now frequent the Northern end of the park.



Totara Park Mountain Bike Club INC

Develop, foster and maintain the dedicated mountain bike tracks
within the Totara Park environment.

Our Aims:

- ▶ Promote bike riding for confidence, fitness and well being for all in our community
- ▶ Assist Council and the Manurewa Local Board to develop the Totara Park Masterplan
- ▶ Build a legacy for future generations to use and enjoy
- ▶ Maintain, enhance and extend the community asset – The Trail Network
- ▶ Create a recreational and environmental showcase that the city to be proud of
- ▶ Work alongside fellow Stakeholders to provide a safe and enjoyable park

Whakawhetai koe
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 SPASSIBO SNACHALHUYA NUHUN CHALTU YAQHANYELAY
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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Support

Tell us why:

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Support the proposed increased investment

Tell us why:

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension only

Tell us why:

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Don't know

Tell us why:

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Tell us why

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? The Great South Road between Papakura North (residential) and the Takaanini Interchange). get the traffic moving by removing the bike lane and installing 2 lanes for traffic with one lane being a T2 lane for perk hour.

7. What is important to you?

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I fully support the Papakura Local Boards Greenways Plan for shared paths and boardwalks around our foreshore and green spaces. In particular the connections between Conifer Grove, Waiata Shores and Wattledowns. The planned paths and bridge should go ahead as soon as budget constraints allow. I also fully support the work the Papakura and Franklin Local Boards are doing on the Hunua Trail connecting Clevedon to Kaiaua. This should go ahead at the earliest possible time to allow local business to take advantage of the increase in riders following the uptake of biking as a result of the COVID Lockdowns.

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: The funding proposed doesn't really support South Auckland. I can see there are initiatives for my region. But, rarely does the money come in comparison to Central, West, East and North Shore. The super city is a farce that is accelerating the inequality we see in Auckland due to taking ownership away from the independent boroughs.

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Tell us why: Yes, global change is impacting our global economy. I am for the proposed investment.

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What is your view on this proposal? Do not support either change

Tell us why: I don't support the increase because we have had this problem for two decades? So, upping the price is not going to help. The increase is going to the salary of those individuals who pretend to work and provide strategies. But, nothing is done!

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Support

Tell us why: Yes, it would be nice to invest in projects in South Auckland. I really appreciate Chairperson Lemauga Lydia Sosene who has done fantastic work in the jurisdiction. Unfortunately, our local Papakura Brent Catchpole has been ineffective. Our neighbouring suburbs Takanini and Karaka have accelerated in projects and having facilities readily available for communities.

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Here is an example of why there is inequality here in South Auckland. Why would you propose Paremoremo Public transport Rate in this area? How are my rates supporting someones else's benefit? South Auckland is the gateway into Auckland City and yet again it has been purposely neglected and ignored. I believe the majority of the councillors live in these areas. Hence, why these projects are prioritised and areas in South Auckland are left behind.

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Which option do you support?

Do not support either option

Tell us why: Same answer. How are my efforts paying my rates from South Auckland going to help my family in the community!? A massive injustice and this a Capitalist system championing the Shareholders which are the councillors from this area.

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No

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Tell us why Unfortunately, the proposals look appealing! However, due to the poor leadership by the chair and deputy, we have regressed in progress and opportunity. You just have to look at our neighbours Takanini and Karaka. They are making waves in their community priorities.

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? The townships need a massive remake. Our community use to be a bustling family and safe shopping community.

We need to make our township attractive and model our changes like Takanini and Karaka. By having a positive change our families would contribute and not going elsewhere to shop etc.

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Do not support

Tell us why: Dear Councillors,

This is a submission on the Council's 10-Year Budget, Long Term Plan ("LTP").

I submit that the proposed 5 percent rates hike is unacceptable.

While Council faces revenue pressures, this is simply a result of the economic environment facing all Aucklanders. Ratepayers facing job losses, reduced hours, and the pressures of rolling lockdowns should not be burdened by higher rates hikes.

In addition, the proposed increases to water charges are significant, and could be avoided if capital from Council assets, such as Auckland International Airport and Ports of Auckland, was reinvested in improvements to water infrastructure. Reductions in operational spending, such as that spent on tourism and economic development, should be cut, particularly that which is duplicated by central government.

Both rates and water measures will hit my pocket, and the pockets of Aucklanders who can least afford it.

As a ratepayer, I submit that instead of coming up with ways to charge me more, the Council should focus on providing value for money, delivering core services and doing more with less, especially given the impacts of Covid-19.

I support the submissions made by the Auckland Ratepayers' Alliance, available at http://www.ratepayers.org.nz/2021_ltp_submission.

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No

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Tell us why

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension and the increase

Tell us why: Aucklanders love the beach in summer. It is very important that we keep the water clean for our own health and safety.

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Support

Tell us why: This is a good plan as long as there are still options for the community to use within their own town. Merging facilities has to be carefully considered so it does not negatively impact those that don't have options to travel further ie: elderly, low income families

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Tell us why All initiatives will progress Papakura to the benefit of the community.

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? Additional park-and-ride services are well overdue in Papakura and need to be worked on as a priority. Public transport gets forgotten as an option when you don't have a safe and secure place to leave your vehicle if catching a bus or train.

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension and the increase

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Tell us why

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? Encouraging increased use of public transport, cycleways and walkways to reduce the traffic congestion on local roads.

7. What is important to you?

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Responding to housing and growth - there are many other areas apart from the focus areas where rapid development is occurring which is putting pressure on existing local roads and creating safety issues. It is important that these are addressed.

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Which option do you support?

Support Option 2 – targeted rate of \$153 for each separate dwelling or business on a property for properties located in the wider Paremoremo and Lucas Heights area of the Upper Harbour Local Board

Tell us why: The wider community should bear the cost, as it's likely that others outside the 500m walking area may use the bus. Also, introduction of P&R facilities would mean one small section of the community is subsidising it for others.

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

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Tell us why Could a plan be any more vague? It gives no information about what the spending will relate to. While I support the need to transform Papakura's township in a metropolitan hub, the Park and Ride has been talked about for years - either do it or don't do it - and advocating for more funds to continue developing the pathways seems so vague. I do, however, support the idea of cycleways and shared paths, but why in one area? \$550k for environmental services is vague and too little at the same time.

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? Papakura township needs to be transformed into a place that people want to visit, want to spend time in. That requires modernisation, better shared pathways and easier ways to get around. It is too spread out for just walking and something can/should be d

7. What is important to you?

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We need to focus on sustainable, environmentally friendly initiatives that enhance the communities in Auckland and encourage active modes of transport. The focus needs to be on initiatives that support these things.

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension only

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Do not support

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As an owner of a lifestyle property it is unacceptable to me for the Council be considering changing the rates and fees charges for this type of property to account for the anticipated future value that my property may have should I choose to subdivide as well as to contemplate imposing a rate increase of 25% which will align rates for my property with an urban property under the pretext that my property receives the benefit of urban services. As an owner of a lifestyle property I do not receive the following services provided by the Council; street lighting, curbed and channeled roads, footpaths, piped water, sewage services and limited or no surface drainage. Having reviewed the consumer protection legislation that exists today it is questionable whether such a change in rating principles is lawful when an owner does not have such services provided by the Council. The only time such a change in rating policy would be both potentially lawful and acceptable would be if the owner/developer added the components not currently provided by the Council as part of any development of a lifestyle property. At such a point, the provision of services by the Council crystallises and the proposed changes of the rating charges and fees would seem more appropriate. As part of this proposed rate changing, the Council should also be reviewing how the provisioning of infrastructure services takes place. For example, the Papakura Local Board water services is provided by a private company Veolia under a 25 year contract. Veolia have advised all land owners with potentially sub dividable properties that they will not provide the water infrastructure (water connections) to support develop of properties. There has been a recent New Zealand Herald article (see 11th February article - New Auckland house built, sold last year, stands empty: water not connected). Given the central government policy of ensuring we have sufficient housing available to meet demand, it is critical that where the Council has pursued a deliberate policy of procuring infrastructure services from 3rd parties that as part of the 10 year budget and planning process that all associated provisioning of such infrastructure service is considered given the constraints that provider of such suppliers have put in place to frustrate the development of land. This is not a new phenomena and it is imperative that the Council as part of proposed changes outlined in the 10 year budget take a wholistic approach to its budget, planning and policy development to ensure; an integrated approach is taken which focuses on achieving affordability given everyone in society has been impacted in some form or another by the devastating consequences of COVID 19 not just the Council, equity across the local boards, legislative obligations, the interfaces between the budget development and the impediments to achieving objectives that 3rd party providers are putting in place unilaterally for commercial gain and ultimately have a budget that may need to have bias to resolve existing infrastructure issues before transitioning to a greater portion of the budget being focused on sustainability initiatives.

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Which option do you support?

Don't know

Tell us why: I am unable to comment on this proposal as I do not live in this area of Auckland.

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

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Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? Other

Tell us why The priorities of the Papakura Local Board appear to focus on aspirational community initiatives which whilst important do not address the significant infrastructure challenges within Papakura which are hindering the future development of the City. I would propose that in addition to the priorities identified by the Board that there are additional priorities added that focus on facilitating the ongoing development of Papakura with development that addresses the housing shortage in collaboration with the Auckland Council, land developers and 3rd party suppliers of vital services (Veolia) to achieve the common objective of facilitating Papakura as a city of choice to reside in which has community facilities that celebrate our culture heritage and has high quality housing development and infrastructure.

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? Residential development of Papakura and how the rates procured by such a programme are redirected into the Papakura area.

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In addition to the feedback provided under Question 5 (above), the proposals outlined in respect of housing and growth infrastructure need to be reconsidered. It is recognised that often central and local government priorities become 'politicised' given the three year term of both central and local government decision makers. The current state of Auckland's infrastructure reflects the populist nature of the decision making that has and continues to take place. Given the challenges being faced across New Zealand in relation to house and growth infrastructure which is particularly evident in Auckland as New Zealand's largest city, we need to stop, pause and reflect on new approaches which address the immediate issues and then build a strong foundation moving forward given we are all custodians of our city's future. Have we considered how this is being managed in other countries e.g. Australia, what changes need to be considered at a central government level vs a local government level and how potentially the resolution of a current challenge can contribute to the future objective of sustainability and affordability.

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Support

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Other

Tell us why: Personally I think there can't be just one business hub and be it in Auckland that now creates major headache on the carbon emission. The population has ever grown so large in the city it's impossible to fully control the emission where throughout the day there is always traffic. There should be a plan to setup at least two or three more business hubs across the country to utilise the population, even out the general living cost, easing traffic etc. Also how's the spending going to be if we got the new electric buses/ hydro buses in relating to disposing lithium car batteries and opening new mines for natural gas etc, disposing the old buses. Will it burdens more on the overall operation plan in maintaining the infrastructures by requiring more specialised technicians or importing mechanical parts from elsewhere?

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Tell us why: Again the population seems to contribute to the issue. So why is Auckland seems to be the only place with enough employment opportunities? Why can't Auckland help other cities to develop further to migrate some of the populations elsewhere? Isn't it better for the economy growth?

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Tell us why: Instead of leasing with others why not lease to others? I imagine the council properties have superior locations and convenience, it makes more sense to retain real asset than to sell it then add costs to use somewhere else. It would bring in new income and generate profit to maintain the sites.

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Which option do you support?

Don't know

Tell us why: How many paying people actually gonna use the bus route? Isn't it part of the city infrastructure budget than rates?

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No

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Papakura Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I support most priorities

Tell us why Given the current circumstances I prefer priorities that can gain a household more tangible benefits.

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura? Advocate to Auckland Transport to develop additional park-and-ride capacity. It really helps families saving cost to travel. Definitely less stressful on savings while the rates/costs are increasing.

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Personally, I think there can't be just one business hub and be it in Auckland that now creates major headache on the carbon emission. The population has ever grown so large in the city it's impossible to fully control the emission where throughout the day there is always traffic. There should be a plan to setup at least two or three more business hubs across the country to utilise the population, even out the general living cost, easing traffic etc. Also how's the spending going to be if we got the new electric buses/ hydro buses in relating to disposing lithium car batteries and opening new mines for natural gas etc, disposing the old buses. Will it burdens more on the overall operation plan in maintaining the infrastructures by requiring more specialised technicians or importing mechanical parts from elsewhere? It's important to know the plan is a part of grand vision of the country, in my view. Because it feels overwhelming to always look at issues that involves rate increase. Wouldn't it be great to have a few goals or objectives involves less rate increase but something we can all do it together and benefitting from E.g. having a process where any residents can plant a free tree in a designated area with pre-dug planting holes as a way to help council planting also a way for the residents to be an actual part of the plan without having to pay for more costs?-----It seems as the rate goes up so is the loss of quality of living. And that doesn't feel right because the solution seems to focus on spending rather than utilisation. What if we'd be all happy to reduce our waste disposals if you give us the discount instead? And give the recycle businesses some support so that people are happy to buy more used, and to create jobs in restorations?

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Tell us why:

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Do not support increased investment

Tell us why:

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension only

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Do not support either option

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19 March 2021

Auckland Council
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Long Term Plan 2021 - 2031

The Bruce Pulman Park Trust makes this submission to the Auckland Council Long Term Plan in the spirit of the ongoing partnership with Council. This is a unique and strategic relationship in that Council owns the land and The Bruce Pulman Park Trust builds and manages the facilities.

This is a great example of a public/private partnership continuing to work well to enhance both organisations' objectives for the benefit of our community. To date this partnership has provided over \$80million worth of assets in playing fields, open spaces and facilities and provides high-quality sporting & recreation facilities in the south of Auckland based in Papakura.

Pulman Park is uniquely situated to deliver on strategies of Council to enhance the post COVID & beyond life of all our Auckland community - the social wellbeing, health, connectedness and physical activity benefits long term are well documented. More than 1 million people (pre-COVID) visited the park annually which acts as a destination point for our local and regionally diverse community and the Park continues to have increased significant for the wider Pasifika community both within New Zealand and for our Pacific neighbours and partners.

We would like to highlight the importance of venues and what we deliver to the community in providing destinations for connectedness, activity, social cohesion, community leadership opportunities and community wellbeing all of which are signs of a happy, vibrant, forward thinking, healthy & productive society. Venues – facilities, open spaces, playing fields, walking trails, picnic areas, functions etc. are often left out of planning in the sport & recreation area but are critical in enabling our communities, clubs and National Organisations as well as Government to deliver on their projected outcomes. Venues such as Bruce Pulman Park can also be pivotal in cost effective solutions by enabling amalgamations and shared resources as they operate within a partnership model and provide professional management.

We acknowledge with thanks that within the current challenging finances the Council and the Papakura Local Board reconfirmed their commitment of funds to complete the upgrade and rubberisation of the outdoor netball courts. We work with some wonderful Council staff in Parks & Reserves and elected Council & Local Board members and value these relationships along with Aktive Auckland and CLM Community Sport. The Bruce Pulman Park Trust is committed to supporting the aspirations of Council and the Local board to support our communities and keep them active, engaged, connected and aspirational.

We note also that the South is experiencing tremendous growth with Council's recognition of Papakura town centre as a Metropolitan Centre, and Government and Council investing in the Mill Road upgrade with the inclusion of walkways & cycle ways into the new Transport corridor to enhance the community. The continued development for Bruce Pulman Park is part of these future aspirations for our city.

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KEY THEMES	Key points from Bruce Pulman Park
<p>Capital Investment & Infrastructure</p>	<p>1. Bruce Pulman Park supports the continued fund for facilities and supports an increase in current 10 year \$120 million Sport and Recreation Facilities Fund.</p> <p><i>Thank you to Auckland Council and the Papakura Local Board for their investment in the rubberisation and upgrade of the outdoor netball courts. This partnership is critical along with the Gaming sector and private sector and has enabled a wonderful asset of \$80 million plus to be provided to our South Auckland (and wider Auckland) Community.</i></p> <p>The Park provides both facilities for clubs, sports and community to use locally and regionally as well as self-delivery of sports, recreation & community activities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Park provides a key role in professionally managing facilities so that community users and sports are not individually carrying duplicate costs for their own individual facilities • By providing well maintained and up to date facilities more people of all ages are attracted to becoming involved in sport, recreation and physical activity – they like to come to bright, happy, well maintained and clean venues – inspirational surroundings. • Well maintained facilities also make people feel welcome and more importantly safe which increases their participation • Well maintained facilities decrease vandalism as the community is proud of the “nice” facilities provided for them • South Auckland is a diverse and high growth area and Bruce Pulman Park provides a community destination and link for these diverse groups • Papakura has the highest percentage of Maori population in Auckland • The Park is a key focus to Pasifika sport and other multi-cultural activities • The high quality facilities also attract events with economic benefit to the wider region. <p>2. We ask that Auckland Council and the Local Board works with us to facilitate a partnership with Auckland Transport to ensure safe and appropriate egress and links to the Park by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Facilitating safe pedestrian crossings into Bruce Pulman Park • Facilitating two lane egress for traffic both in and out of the Park at the three entrances for peak hours and events & safety for schools which surround the Park with many children walking and parents pickups & drop offs • Facilitating bus routes to Bruce Pulman Park connecting with the district, schools, other facilities, Papakura Marae and town centre

- Facilitating appropriate speed limits and traffic restrictions along Walters Road to ensure safety for users and schools
 - It will enable our people to take full advantage of all the wonderful facilities and opportunities within Papakura.
 - It will enable all the facilities and amenities in the district to work more closely with the schools and support each other and stay active, healthy and connected.
 - It will connect the business centres with our parks and reserves.
 - It will improve safety by providing direct access to the Parks and facilities in the region.
 - It will connect families without other means of transport to the Park & other Papakura venues to enjoy sports and other free community events.

3. We ask that Auckland Council & the Papakura Local Board continue with the partnership & support for the Capital Development Plan for Bruce Pulman Park in line with the intent of the original lease.

The current Capital Development Plan as a schematic is added below and indicates current & future developments on the Park. (A4 size is attached at end of document)



In the three year short term the priorities under the Capital Development Plan are:

- The playground to which the Local Board has already invested in the design of
 - Lighting for training fields 5 & 6 to allow for more usable hours especially in the winter months where working parents can't arrive in daylight hours so reducing participation and parents volunteering as coaches, refs etc. Lighting will also increase the amount of usable hours for the wider region
- We note with huge appreciation the support that Council & the Local Board has given with field lighting for fields 3&4.**
- Public Toilets – there is a need to provide facilities for the huge increase of the general public using the Park for not just sporting events but walking, family picnics and gatherings, casual play etc. The provision of

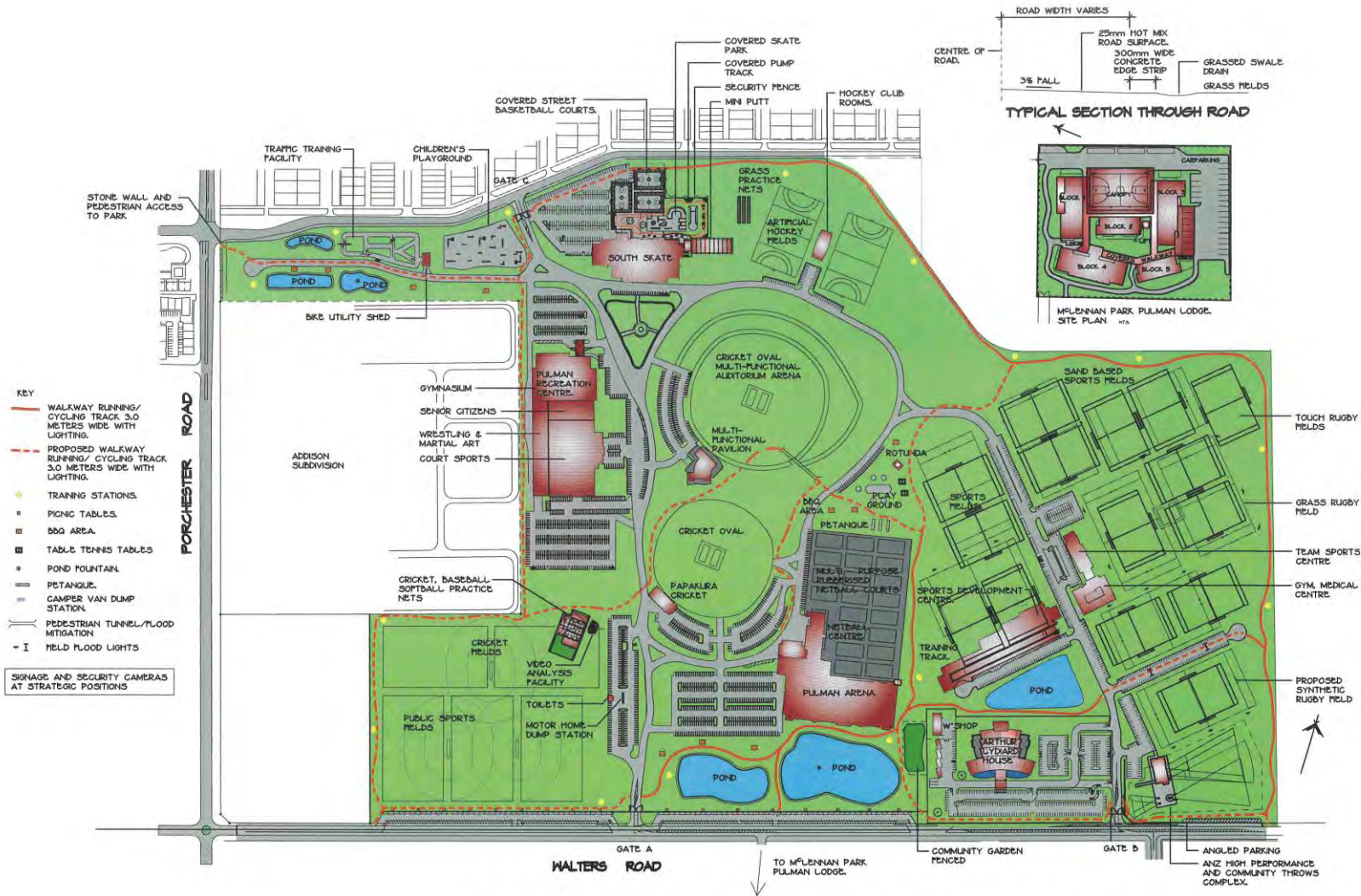
	<p>public toilets also lessens the costs for tournaments, clubs & organised activities by reducing hireage cost of Portaloos to the community</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fields 9 – 13 require sand fields & irrigation – this increases usable hours and reduces maintenance costs and extends the life of the fields • Walkways & Cycleways that coordinate and connect with the metropolitan centre and the proposed developments along the Mill Road corridor • Roading Infrastructure within the Park to asphalt the road ways for longevity and safety as currently they are loose chipped • Provision of infrastructure for future developments – this would be drainage, wastewater etc. <p>4. We ask that Auckland Council & the Local Board support the development of cycleways and walk ways in Bruce Pulman Park to link into the network across the district and with the developments of Government funding along the Mill Road transport corridor by Waka Kotahi : NZTA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • As per NZTA Mill Road upgrade – construction is expected to start late 2022 “Part of Auckland’s Supporting Growth Programme, Mill Road is an additional route from Manukau to Drury. It will provide better access for the 120,000-plus people who will make Auckland’s southern suburbs their home during the next three decades” “The project upgrades the existing two-lane sections of Mill Road to four-lanes and will connect to the new sections of the corridor being built across greenfield sites. The four-lane corridor, with a separated walking and cycling path, will ensure better access to places of work, education and play as well as support the improvement of public transport services.” • To complete the concrete pathways around the Park for the public to walk & cycle and connect with the district
<p>Operational Investment</p>	<p>The Park wishes to keep the facility operating grant for the arena on the table as this is a significant community facility and the grant will allow the Arena to remain affordable for our community. (we acknowledge that Auckland Council has introduced the contestable Regional sport & Recreation Facilities Operating Grant this current year for the first time)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Park’s tournaments and events bring significant economic benefit to our region and also attract overseas visitors, current COVID situation apart. • Moving forward there may well be a focus of overseas sports as New Zealand gains status as a safe zone. • The Park is becoming a centre of Pasifika sports and it is likely that this will be our first bubble of travel in a new world. Games with an estimated 25,000 participants e.g. Sikh Games and TAG/Touch NZ tournaments with 3-7,000 participants among a few. • But importantly the park is also the heart of our local community and provides an important destination and provider for many activities for our residents to increase their sense of wellness and wellbeing and connect them to their community. • The Park also provides a home for some top profile sports which provide role models and pathways for our young people and a sense of pride from our community in what we can all achieve and aspire to. • The major events and tournaments that operate on a pay for play basis can allow community events to be more prevalent in conjunction with other providers e.g. March 28, 2021 Community Free Day with the support of the “Local Heroes”, service agencies, sports organisations and wellness groups.

Renewals Budget for Bruce Pulman Park	We ask that Auckland Council considers the option to bulk fund the renewals on Bruce Pulman Park to enable cost effective and needs driven efficiency. Revisit bulk funding for renewals – we are aware that COVID has seen the Council divest itself of about 1000 staff and contractors. This would be a cost effective way of best bang for buck for Council and the park being able to work with Local Board to deliver in key areas at key times the best interests of the wider community
Development Fund	We would enquire of Auckland Council and the Local Board to consider the option of targeting development fund towards sports & recreation and infrastructure needs of Bruce Pulman Park We note that the Local Board has the highest amount of building consents across Auckland which indicates the huge amount of housing development occurring in the area. There are substantial increases projected in population and Bruce Pulman Park is primed to cater for this as it is an established venue and facilities and well managed and is focused on supporting Council and the Local Board to provide sport, recreation and community activities across generations and cultures.

Thank you for the opportunity to make this submission, if there are any further questions please contact the undersigned or the Bruce Pulman Park Trust.

Many regards,

A4 Schematic Capital Development Plan is on next page.



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Do not support

Tell us why: Pull the Council back to its core business.

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Do not support increased investment

Tell us why: PLEASE DO NOT INVEST NOW, WAIT FOR THE BORDERS TO OPEN, SO THERE WILL BE FUNDS AVAILABLE. NOT NOW. NO BY INCREASING RATES.

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What is your view on this proposal? Do not support either change

Tell us why: PAYING MORE WATER RATES DOES NOT SOUND RIGHT, SPECIALLY AFTER ALL THE RESTRICTIONS DURING THE YEAR. WE HAVE NOT USE MUCH WATER AND NOW WE WILL HAVE TO PAY MORE EVEN THOUGH WE DON'T USE MORE.

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Other

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IF YOU WANT MORE DEVELOPMENT IN AUCKLAND, MORE HOUSES FOR PEOPLE, INCREASE DEVELOPMENT CONTRIBUTIONS AND NO RATES. IF YOU WANT TO CONTRIBUTE WITH THE CLIMATE CHANGE, STOP NEW DEVELOPMENTS! INCREASING SIZE OF THE CITY MEANS INVESTING MORE RESOURCES AND FUNDS. IT IS OUTRAGEOUS THAT EXISTING RATEPAYERS HAVE TO PAY FOR IT. INCREASE RATES ON NEW PROPERTIES ONLY!

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Which option do you support?

Support Option 2 – targeted rate of \$153 for each separate dwelling or business on a property for properties located in the wider Paremoremo and Lucas Heights area of the Upper Harbour Local Board

Tell us why: PEOPLE WHO GETS AN ADVANTAGE WITH THIS SITUATION MOST PAY FOR IT AND NOT ALL THE RATEPAYERS IN AUCKLAND.

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

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Tell us why CONTINUE TO WORK WITH THE PAPAKURA COMMERCIAL PROJECT GROUP.

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura?

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Other

Tell us why: More recycling by putting a bounty on goods purchased to pay for this incinerate rubbish to produce electricity.

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What is your view on this proposal? Other

Tell us why: Carbon taxes should pay for planting and protecting waterways. Targeted rates for infrastructure replacement.

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Tell us why: Streamline Local Boards with more localised responsibility

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Vector should manage all the trees having an impact of their infrastructure

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Don't know

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Tell us why: Money needs to be used to improve drainage near ocean

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Tell us why Were is there a business concept that you charge for things that we don't have and if it changed it would be that we have payed for the improvement. We don't have street lighting, curbed roads, drainage etc. We pay in our existing rates for rubbish and all other pools, libraries, community assets. So all other urban rateable we already pay. Changing lifestyle rates to Urban is unfair as we provide all our own water storage, drainage, sewer which we maintain.

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Support

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Support

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Support the proposed increased investment

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension and the increase

Tell us why: We would like to see a permanent continuation of water tanks being installed with the building of new houses; make it easier for existing properties to have tanks installed.

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Do not support

Tell us why: Our local community resources must be protected and expanded because local communities are vital to the health of the region. Centralisation of resources is not healthy and counter-productive to community wellbeing. Our local Historical Society & Museum have distinct requirements such as preservation, education (new history curriculum), research & exhibition.

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Don't know

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No

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Papakura Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I support all priorities

Tell us why Papakura is under threat from nearby newer town centres which do not provide the same community value.

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Key Issue 4 – Investment in Our Community. We would like to seek additional ongoing funding for Papakura Museum to secure an Education Coordinator.

Papakura Museum is a much-loved regional museum, which conserves and communicates Papakura's local history. We offer local, national and international exhibitions for public visitation. We also work with schools and community groups to run visits, handling experiences, and workshops. Behind the scenes, we act as kaitiaki for a significant historical collection, working to conserve, protect and exhibit our local history.

We are tremendously grateful for the ongoing support that Papakura Local Board has demonstrated to us. We would not be able to offer the extent of community programmes and experiences that we currently do without PLB's backing.

With our present Council budget, we are able to hire two part time staff – a manager and a curator. We have a receptionist on a 12-month contract, secured from an external one-off Covid hardship fund. We also have a researcher who works two days a week. For our Museum, this is a skeleton staff. We are able to complete daily tasks, but we are constantly fighting to keep our heads above water – our capacity to make actual progress is minimal with such a small allocation of paid hours. We rely heavily on an aging volunteer base to facilitate school visits and outreach, which leaves us in a struggling and vulnerable position.

We are extremely grateful for the budget that we currently receive, but with a small annual increase we could do so much more to significantly improve our reach and capacity. Our main focus at present is to invest in an education staff member to increase our outreach to schools, and provide more extensive and consistent opportunities for local children to engage with Papakura's history.

By increasing the Museum's annual budget by \$30,000 we would be able to employ an educator, while also allowing additional hours to our curator and researcher; who both have large workloads and insufficient paid hours.

Papakura's population is massively expanding. Our area is expected to be one of the fastest growing and most diverse populations in Auckland. Our aim is to provide an engaging, relevant, and accessible museum experience both onsite and in the form of school and community visits.

The ability to bring local history experiences to our local schools is extremely important, especially considering the current drive towards communicating New Zealand's own history.

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Warmest thanks,

The team and volunteers at Papakura Museum

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I believe that Council should sell some of these assets or have housing NZ take over the management of them.

Traffic is a huge problem but what was the revenue collection from cameras esp Red light runners in PAPAURA it seems to be a problem.

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Do not support

Tell us why: Way out of hand. Should have upgraded the infrastructure to keep pace with development. Any increase in "Rates" will impact on us severely

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Tell us why: But we need to cut unnecessary expenditure & look after NZ citizens first.

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Other

Tell us why: Some of the halls etc the council owns have increased the rents for public use - thereby causing many small clubs to leave and to close. The result is the council not getting ANY RENT and is responsible for clubs closing, and what rents there we do not make up for what the council used to get. False economy.

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Natural Environment Targeted Rate: What weed control - in our area it does not exist even when Council has been told of noxious weeds.

Urban Rating Area : This stupid council went against everyone's wishes and made us an urban zone, but we cannot be asked have no services whatsoever.

Why change rates for rural areas when nothing will ever improve.

Charging farm and lifestyle properties: Why pay for something we do not receive and are never likely to receive.

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All trees planted on verges must NOT have a root system that in time will cause footpaths and roads to distort.

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Don't know

Tell us why: Auckland pays huge money for bus services - how about identifying underutilised hours? put on accessible minivans

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No

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Papakura Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I support most priorities

Tell us why

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura?

7. What is important to you?

Do you have feedback on any other issues, including our proposals on housing and growth infrastructure or strategic assets?

In our area, there are no services and not likely to get any. (Papakura)

1) weed control - non existent for at least the past 15 years.

2) No footpaths, street lighting, kerb & channel roads, stormwater drainage, , open culvert, no water or sewerage lines, no pest control of possums, rabbits & rats, and now a proposed Rates Increase Get real.

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Other

Tell us why: I support some but not all

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Tell us why: I support cleaning up and improving the water quality but I think in terms of increasing the rate is something that may hit some people hard. I'm aware that not everyone has a steady income and therefore may not necessarily be able to afford a rate increase.

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Support

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Tell us why: Well climate change is a global issue, if NZ can help reduce the amount of carbon emissions we release in the air we are preserving the planet. We can't solve climate change but we can help do our part in reducing production of greenhouse gases and find more sustainable ways to help the country and world

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Support

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Other

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Regarding the proposal to remove the Farm and Lifestyle rates differential in the Urban Rating Area

First of all this proposal is an **outrage** and we **object** most strongly. This at a time of stress and anxiety with job losses and reduced incomes - me included.

The reason for the proposal is because farm and lifestyle properties in the urban area:

1. have the same access to council services as their urban rated neighbours - **FALSE** in our case.
2. have access to much higher levels of council services than farm and lifestyle properties in rural areas. - ???

Our property is zoned Large lot - Country living for a reason.

Our part of the road does **NOT** have services

1. Water supply
2. Waste water pipe line (sewer)
3. Footpath only on one side
4. Gutters and Storm water Pipe line (just small ditch on either side)
5. Street lights

Same as a rural road which it was and still is as nothing has changed. Except for developments nearby.

The only service we do have/use is Bins.

If Council was to upgrade our road and services to urban / residential standards and rezone the area urban/residential.

Only then could these rates be justified.

Some History with our rates.

2001 \$1,244.00

2011 \$3,207.32

2021 \$6,256.24 A 503.00 % increase in 20 yrs - Ludacris.

Same property - nothing in the way of council services we use has changed.

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It really feels like council are rating us **OUT** of our home.



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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Don't know

Tell us why: Umm that's lots of money but if you can use it for a good cause and not cost the average tax payer too much bc oh my do taxes suck then okay

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Support the proposed increased investment

Tell us why: The environment is really cool and I definitely support anything that I can to help preserve it. planting trees is a really cool thing to do that can help reduce carbon dioxide around the world and it's a good way to join communities together by everyone coming together and taking part in helping plant and save the environment. I did hear that electric vehicles weren't that great for the environment but I may be misinformed, although potentially that could be a good thing to inform the public about if they are a bit on the fence about it.

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Tell us why: Even though no one is jumping to pay more rates, but I think the last one - with the proposed greater use of rates and debt there is more things that are available that will help people in their living in Auckland. I am mostly keen for city centre and local development.

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Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I do not support most priorities

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We have a major problem with obese people in Papakura and I think emphasis on programs to drive health are required too. Publicity around the free breast screening service should be promoted and anything movement related would be a good initiative too.

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Support the proposed increased investment

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension and the increase

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To whom it may concern

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The old rates postponement system is probably still the best for urban zoned land used for a rural use.

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Kia Ora koutou katoa, my name is Kritika Selach and I am the Chairperson of the Papakura Youth Council, and I am grateful to be having this opportunity to speak on behalf of the rangatahi here in Papakura on the Auckland Council Long Term Plan - Recovery Budget focusing on the Local Board Priorities.

This plan is definitely extensive and covers a range of aspects that will hold different priorities for people living in Papakura and their life in the city of Auckland. Auckland is rapidly growing and changing and especially taking into account the youth voice is imperative as we are the ones who are growing up into this city and future generations should be sustained.

The Papakura Youth Council has been working with Auckland Council representatives to highlight the important topics that connect with the young people as we know they pay for these priorities so they need to be carefully balanced to help Auckland recover stronger. We have deep-dived into the numerous supporting documents to gain and provide a comprehensive overview and key information. The key focuses have come to be, Responding to Climate Change, Responding to Housing and Growth, Improving the Water Quality of our Harbours, Beaches and Streams, Investment in our Community and Auckland's Recovery Budget from the impacts of COVID-19.

After these key focuses city-wide for the Papakura rangatahi - Investment in our community is the one that we would prioritise. Today I am speaking on two key Papakura priorities in depth for the youth and community perspective. The development of our town centre and immediate surroundings to develop Papakura's future as a vibrant metropolitan centre will in my opinion promote retention of the youth to stay, live and contribute back to the community leading to prosperous growth in the area. If we are locally residing in a metropolitan area that provides us housing, opportunity, jobs and leisure activities there will be thought to live life in Papakura instead of moving elsewhere which will be the change that sustains future generations. In PYC we work very closely with the Local Board and this has also been highlighted in their priority: to develop Papakura Town Centre into a larger commercial, retail and residential centre. The young people align with this local priority and by giving your say it's important to create emphasis on this priority to grow our centre. As the youth we can see that Papakura has the foundation and is growing in this way to become modernised and command social and economic influence.

Additionally, sharing thoughts on the proposal to invest in community-lead arts, events and multi generational activities in our open spaces and parks that we are grateful to have, will promote health, movement and discovery for young people as well. This will enable the youth to connect deeper with their community by bringing more people together, thus celebrating inclusion and diversity of Papakura as a growing community. Looking into the youth age bracket from 12-24 years old, they tend to focus on other things such as technology, social media and don't necessarily put out the time to connect back to the local community to spend time in the parks

we have, investing into the community events and activities in those spaces will give them another median to utilise and they would appreciate it as it's something I could see growing rapidly once it kicks off.

We have been working to get more young people to have their say on this 10 year plan, as it's not just about now it's all about the future as well. I am 17 years old now, and as this plan begins it's implementation continues to grow and by the time it ends I will be 27 years old - which sounds crazy to me but the priorities and the how this was planned out by Auckland Council impacts all of us to some degree to another. So it's always important to get the voice out there. Thank you.



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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Tell us why:

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Farm - see attachment for more info

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10/12/2021

Hi everyone...my name is and I reside at

We oppose the removal of the farm and lifestyle rate differential.

We want to draw your attention to what we believe are incorrect assumptions in reference to Mr Duncan's email dated 22 Feb 2021.

The email states:

1/ that we have the same access to Council services as our urban rated neighbours

2/ and that we have access to much higher level of Council services than farms and lifestyle properties in the rural area.

Clearly as part of our rates bill we already contribute to many off site contributions such as parks, pools, libraries, footpaths, regional waste

services, food scrap collection, capital investment, plus water quality improvements.

We regard our property as still being a self-serviced lifestyle block as we have no

Reticulated water

Sewage connections

Street lights

Curb and channelled road

Footpaths

Little or no surface drainage etc

Clearly, we shouldn't be charged for maintaining and managing services that we don't have and are currently unavailable.

For example

1/ Water supply – we have to purchase and maintain water tanks, pumps etc

We bought a 25000 litre tank in Jan this year at a cost of \$5000 plus...

2/ Sewage – with no access to urban connections, we rely on septic tanks. Once again, we have to pay and service at our cost. Maintenance costs were \$900 in Sept last year.

No properties in our area can proceed with development until at least 3 major infrastructure issues are resolved.

1/ a reliable and accessible water supply.

2/ access to sewer connection

3/ surface water.

Any infrastructure required by the owner would have to be at their cost. In our case the estimated

cost in 2016 was 4 million plus providing the development was done in conjunction with neighbours.

When all the development is completed and signed off all these assets are vested to the Council.

Our property is charged 80% of the general rates charged to urban residential properties. The remaining 20% allows us to replace and repair the essential services that are necessary for our lifestyle property to function.

Copies of the invoices verify that in the last 6 months we have paid \$6000 dollars plus, which has to be accounted for by the 20% in question.



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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: Do not support climate change issues.

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Do not support increased investment

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension only

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No

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10-year Budget 2021-2031 Feedback form

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We want your feedback on our 10-year Budget 2021-2031

Feedback must be received by 12pm midday Monday 22 March 2021. Please read the Consultation Document available at akhaveyoursay.nz/recoverybudget or at any library, service centre, or by phoning **09 301 0101** before you give feedback. It has more information about the issues and choices that we want your feedback on. Please refer to the online rates guide at akhaveyoursay.nz/ratesguide and Glossary of terms on page 80 of the Consultation Document.

All questions are optional. We encourage you to give feedback online at akhaveyoursay.nz/recoverybudget, or you can complete this form and return it to us using one of these options:



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Scan your completed form and email it to akhaveyoursay@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz



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Your feedback will be included in public documents.
All other personal details will remain private.

First name: _____

Last name: _____

Email or postal address: _____

Your local board: Popokuna

Is your feedback on behalf of an organisation or business?
(If yes, this confirms you have authority to submit on the organisation's behalf) Yes No

Name of organisation or business: _____

The following information is optional but will help us know whether we are hearing from all Aucklanders.

Are you: Female Male Gender diverse

What age group do you belong to?

Under 15 15-24 25-34 35-44
 45-54 55-64 65-74 75+

Which of the following describes your ethnicity?
(Please select as many as apply)

Pākehā/NZ European
 Māori – which iwi/Hapū do you affiliate with? _____

Chinese South East Asian
 Samoan Tongan
 Indian Korean
 Cook Islands Māori
 Other (please specify) _____

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Climate change

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- Support the extension and the increase Support the extension only Do not support either change Other Don't know

Tell us why: _____

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What is your opinion on this proposal?

Support Do not support Other Don't know

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What is your opinion on the following rating policy proposals?

Support Do not support Other Don't know

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- Support option 1** – targeted rate of \$238 for each separate dwelling or business on a property for properties located up to 500m walking distance of a proposed bus stop
- Support option 2** – targeted rate of \$153 for each separate dwelling or business on a property for properties located in the wider Paremoremo and Lucas Heights area of the Upper Harbour Local Board
- Do not support either option**
- Don't know**

Tell us why:

No

Do you live in the affected area?

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Local boards

To answer this question please refer to Part Six (pages 55-66) of the Consultation Document.

Which local board area does your feedback relate to?

Ropkwa

- I do not support any priorities
- Other
- Don't know

Tell us why: _____

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right?

- I support all priorities
- I support most priorities
- I do not support most priorities

What is important to you?

Do you have feedback on any other issues, including our proposals on housing and growth infrastructure or strategic assets (pages 32, 48-53)?



Need more room? You can attach extra pages, but please make sure they are A4 and also include your name and contact information.

Dear Sir,

Assessment Number: 12343292684

Location of Property: 36 Fleur Rd, Hingaia, Auckland 2580

Re Proposal: "To remove the Farm and Lifestyle rates differential in the Urban Rating Area"

You state in your letter of 22 February 2021 (Andrew Duncan), the reason for the proposal is because farm and lifestyle properties in the urban area:

- Have the same access to council services as their urban rated neighbours
- Have access to much higher levels of council services than farm and lifestyle properties in rural areas.

We would like to know just what are the council services that we have the same access to as our urban rated neighbours.

I disagree with your contention that we have the same access to council services as our urban rated neighbours. In our road i.e. Fleur road we do not have the following:

- Street lighting
- Footpaths
- A curbed and channelled road. Fleur road is a rural road not up to the standard of adjacent urban roads.

We also do not have supplied by the Council the following service:

- Sewage connections (we supply and maintain our own septic tank installation)

Even though Veolia are responsible for reticulated water to urban properties we do not have:

- Piped water supplied to our residence (we have installed and maintain tank water being a roof supply)

Neither do we have access to fibre which come under Chorus, as being a rural locality they have no plans for fibre being reticulated to this area in the future.

So we do not have access to some council or other infrastructure services that our urban neighbours have access to.

The properties adjacent to ours in Fleur road, as well as those properties in Normanby road, Island View road and some off Hingaia road are lifestyle blocks of one hectare or more which have substantial capital values (average \$4,635,920) and consequently attract much

higher rates than others in the urban residential rating area. So your contention as set out in the Supporting Information paragraph 7.8 page 506 that;

“These properties will still pay lower rates than similar developed properties due to lower property values” is not correct.

In this respect the properties in this area already pay more than a fair contribution toward meeting the cost of access to the urban level of our services relative to our developed neighbours.

Prior to living at 36 Fleur Road we resided at 103A Mill Road, Bombay, Auckland 2675. Rates Assessment number 00101103158. This was a rural farm and lifestyle block.

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The Mill road property did not have street lighting, curbed and channelled roading or footpaths. I.e. from the Bombay motorway junction through to the Pukekohe urban area.

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The rates charged for Fleur Road include Uniform Annual General Charge, General Rate-Farm and lifestyle, Waste Management Base Service and food scraps, Natural environment targeted rate, Water quality targeted rate and swimming pool targeted rate.

Whilst living at both Fleur road and Mill road we have/had access to council services, such as library, museum, halls, swimming pools, train stations, council offices etc. It is only a matter of driving into either Pukekohe or Papakura to access these services. The same that anyone else does who live in the Auckland Council rural areas of Franklin or Papakura. The assertion that we have at Fleur road access to much higher levels of council services than farm and lifestyle properties in rural areas is false. This is not the case as is shown above.

I am at a loss to understand just what increased levels of council services we enjoy at Fleur road compared to other farm and lifestyle properties in rural areas as you assert.

We do not enjoy any more council services at Fleur road than what we had at Mill road, Bombay.

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Tell us why Bridge over the Papakura stream between Wattle Downs and Waiata Shores

we are dedicated cyclists and live in Wattle Downs. Since the start of developing Waita Shore we have been made to believe that the cycle/walkway around our peninsula would be linked up with the cycle/walkways of Waiata Shores and Conifergrove. There was going to be a bridge built across the Papakura stream to make that possible.

My question is: when will that bridge be build?

This bridge will enable walkers and cyclist to get to the new cycle way along the motorway between Takanini and Karaka and avoid having to use the busy Mahia rd and Great south road.

We look forward hearing from you. Best regards, Wiely van Middelaar.

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Tell us why (Don't know also chosen by submitter)

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Support

Tell us why:

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Do not support increased investment

Tell us why:

3. Water quality

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension only

Tell us why:

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Which option do you support?

Do not support either option

Tell us why: Users pay

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

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Papakura Local Board

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Tell us why

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Do not support

Tell us why: do not support the 5% increase as interest is very low and the older people not keeping up with inflation. Too many staff numbers receiving higher salaries and too many over 70 that are not producers.

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Tell us why: Only if this is collated again your costs. Too much paid out in wages and fairs. Too much paid to ethnic groups.

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension and the increase

Tell us why: Only if costs are connoted again, you think that users can keep on paying for no production staff.

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What is your opinion on this proposal? Support

Tell us why: Help contain cost but again wages are too high. You must get more quotations at least 4 for all works as it may not have been held accountable.

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Which option do you support?

Support Option 2 – targeted rate of \$153 for each separate dwelling or business on a property for properties located in the wider Paremoremo and Lucas Heights area of the Upper Harbour Local Board

Tell us why:

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

6. Local Boards

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Council must control wages and overheads and reduce staff of over 65 and keep younger in work, do not have jobs for friends and all staff must be held accountable.

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What is your opinion on the proposed 10-year budget?

Other

Tell us why: As a country if put the main hope in the property there is not future.

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What is your opinion on this proposal to invest more in responding to climate change?

Other

Tell us why: It is good to switch to electric vehicles, but it is necessary to change to free rides, because no one rides on the current buses. This will reduce the number of private car trips, making it more environmentally friendly and less car trips.

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What is your view on this proposal? Do not support either change

Tell us why:

The tax has been increased, but the water has not improved but the wages of their employees have increased

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Do not support either option

Tell us why:

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No

6. Local Boards

Papakura Local Board

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Tell us why

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura?

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It is advocated that parents can be reunited, but they cannot enjoy the benefits here. Increase our income and increase our employment. Because parents will consume and help with children.

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Do not support

Tell us why: Salary increased can't match living cost increasing.

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Do not support increased investment

Tell us why: It is global issue but only NZ overconcern and can't support the charges especially after covid-19.

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What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension only

Tell us why:

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Tell us why:

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

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Franklin Local Board

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Tell us why

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Do not support

Tell us why: Increased income pressure

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Increasing the targeted rate

To start construction on the above major new water quality projects six years earlier (in 2022/2023), and to increase our investment in regional water quality programmes across all of Auckland, we are also proposing to increase this targeted rate annually in line with proposed average increases in general rates.

What is your view on this proposal? Support the extension and the increase

Tell us why: Important to keep on with this.

4. Community investment

We have hundreds of community assets like libraries, halls, community centres, community houses, arts venues and assets in our parks that are getting older and some are in urgent need of repair. The cost of operating, repairing or rebuilding these assets over the next 10 years could leave no money for anything new or upgraded. To maintain our current assets and upgrade or provide new assets, rates would likely need to be increased over time.

We propose a new approach for community services, such as leasing or shared facilities, that does not rely as much on us building and maintaining physical assets. This will reduce our carbon footprint and lower our costs by partnering with others to deliver services and deliver more community services online.

Over time, we propose to consolidate the number of our community facilities and services (which may result in some facilities being closed) and instead focus on multi-use facilities and online services to provide for our diverse communities.

What is your opinion on this proposal? Support

Tell us why:

5. Rating policy

The following are some of our proposed changes to the way we charge rates on properties. These changes affect each property differently. They may, or may not, affect your property.

Extending the Natural Environment Targeted Rate until June 2031 to invest further in measures such as addressing the spread of kauri dieback, and predator and weed control

Extending the Urban Rating Area so land that has an operative urban zoning, or which has resource consent to be developed for urban use now (except for Warkworth), pays the same urban rates as nearby properties that have access to a similar level of service

Charging farm and lifestyle properties in the Urban Rating Area residential rates so they pay the same urban rates as nearby properties have access to a similar level of service

Extending the City Centre Targeted Rate until June 2031 to maintain our investment in upgrading the city centre

Introducing the Rodney Drainage Targeted Rate on the land in Te Arai and Okahukura that benefits from the stormwater services

We are proposing other changes to rates and fees, including the introduction of the Electricity Network Resilience Targeted Rate on Vector to fund council's tree management programme around the Vector overhead power lines and options to reinstate the Accommodation Provider Targeted Rate.

Do you have any comments on any of our proposed changes to rates and fees charges?

The Upper Harbour Local Board are proposing a new bus service between Paremoremo and Albany, funded by a targeted rate.

Which option do you support?

Do not support either option

Tell us why: Bus services to outer areas are completely uneconomic.

Do you live in the area affected by the proposed Upper Harbour Local Board transport targeted rate?

No

6. Local Boards

Papakura Local Board

Tell us your thoughts on our proposed priorities for the local board area in 2021/2022 and our key advocacy initiatives – have we got it right? I do not support most priorities

Tell us why Those projects that are "nice to have" ie Karaka sports ground \$22 million, should be postponed.

What is the most important advocacy issue for Papakura?

7. What is important to you?

Do you have feedback on any other issues, including our proposals on housing and growth infrastructure or strategic assets?

In these times Council needs to focus only on the core services; water, roads, rubbish. Sell shares in Airport, prepare port for share sale on same basis as port of Tauranga.

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