

Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2017 Consultation

Please find below in **red** the answers to queries relating to the Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2017 Consultation.

Auckland Council would like to take this opportunity to highlight a couple of things that are relevant to these queries, particularly the query on respondents. It is important to recognise that the value of consultation goes far beyond the number of people who submit. It is an opportunity to communicate and engage with the community on things that impact them. It may be that the recipient didn't feel compelled to provide a submission; however that doesn't discount the importance of that individual receiving and considering the information. Therefore, another useful measure is the amount of reach of the consultation. The consultation on the Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2017 reached every household in Kaipātiki (approximately 28,548 households as of 2013 census) through receiving a printed summary document (the Kaipātiki summary is included after this page for reference) as well as local and regional print and radio advertising.

It is also useful to understand the context in which consultation is undertaken. The consultation on the 2017 local board plans was done under a special consultative procedure (SCP) - described in the Local Government Act (LGA) 2002. As an example, under Section 82(1)(c) of the LGA 2002 there is a requirement in a SCP to 'make the summary of the information contained in the statement of proposal ... as widely available as is reasonably practicable as a basis for consultation'. Each household receiving a summary document would contribute towards fulfilling this requirement.

Queries and **answers**:

- *The total cost of public consultation for the 2017 Kaipatiki Local Board Plan.*

\$26,274.26 (\$1.125k locally generated costs + \$25,358.76 as a portion of regionally generated costs based on Kaipātiki's population relative to the rest of Auckland).

- *The total number of respondents to that consultation.*

A total of 307 submissions to the Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2017-2020 were received and processed. 265 submissions were received from individuals and 42 received from organisations.

ĀWHINA KI TE TĀRAI I TE ĀHUA
O TE KAIPĀTIKI E ANGA AKE NEI

Help Shape Kaipātiki's future

Summary of the draft Kaipātiki
Local Board Plan 2017



He kōrero mai i te Heamana From the Chair



Tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou katoa.

It's with great pleasure that we share with you our summary of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2017.

Our strategy is to maximise our return on investment for our community by doing more with what we already have.

Plan priorities include improving our environment, investing in our town centres, advocating for better public transport and improving access to our recreation facilities, parks and coastline. We are proposing a local policy to improve how we provide play equipment, toilets, seating, signs and shade.

We will also continue to support our community groups and partners to take the lead on delivering some of our initiatives.

The final local board plan will become a strategic blueprint to guide our work programme for the next three years. Your feedback on our draft plan will help shape the final plan and help focus our efforts and budgets accordingly.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Danielle Grant

Chair

Kaipātiki Local Board

This summary is an overview of the statement of proposal for our draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2017. We encourage you to read the full draft plan, available online at shapeauckland.co.nz, at public libraries, council service centres and local board offices and tell us what you think by **Friday 30 June, 2017**. Or tell us what you think in person – see page 7 for details of local meetings.

Ngā mea ka āta tirohia e mātou

What we propose to focus on

We plan to focus on seven outcomes. Each has a selection of key initiatives, some of which deliver on multiple outcomes. Our plan is based on the feedback and ideas that you have given us over the last three years.

1. Our people identify Kaipātiki as their kāinga (home)

It is important that you have a sense of belonging, connection to one another and pride in your communities. We will support this by:

- partnering with you to expand local place-making initiatives
- developing smarter ways of engaging with you to increase participation in local decision-making
- encouraging and supporting local events that celebrate our area's diversity and identity
- working alongside Panuku Development Auckland, Hobsonville Land Company, other stakeholders and you to support the successful and inclusive redevelopment of Northcote.

2. Our natural environment is protected for future generations to enjoy

To ensure our coastline, green spaces and waterways are enjoyed, enhanced and protected for future generations, we plan to:

- improve access to our various reserves, parks and beaches with better tracks and signage
- deliver on our Pest Free Kaipātiki Strategy by encouraging collaboration between the council, volunteers and wider community to eradicate plant and animal pests
- support local initiatives for improving stream and harbour water quality.



Open Day at Birkenhead Pump Track.

3. Our people are active and healthy

To support our people to make healthy lifestyle choices, we will work on:

- the Kaipātiki Connections Network Plan – a plan to improve and extend walking and cycling links between our schools, town centres, reserves and coastline
- improving the quality of our leisure and recreational facilities
- ensuring our parks and reserves offer a range of activities and facilities for all ages and abilities
- encouraging and supporting a range of events that celebrate our diversity.

4. Getting to and around Kaipātiki is easy

We will improve local transport options and infrastructure and ease congestion by:

- spending more of our transport budget on local walking and cycling infrastructure and public transport infrastructure
- advocating for Auckland Transport to increase funding for walking and cycling projects in Kaipātiki
- continuing to advocate to Auckland Transport for further improvements to bus and ferry services.

5. Our urban centres are vibrant

To support our villages, town centres and business areas in attracting visitors and providing increased local employment, we plan to:

- update current plans and advocate to the governing body for centre improvement funding for Glenfield to improve streetscapes and public spaces
- implement small infrastructure improvements, such as improved signage and public seating
- support place-making initiatives and local events in village centres, such as Beach Haven and other smaller precincts
- continue supporting our Business Improvement Districts in Birkenhead and Northcote to help them meet growing local and visitor needs
- work towards using social procurement policies on our contracts to give priority to local businesses and workers
- address safety-related issues that act as a barrier for people accessing and enjoying our villages, town centres and business areas.

6. Our community facilities and infrastructure are high quality and well managed

To ensure our community facilities are well maintained, accessible and continue to meet your needs, we will:

- work to improve maintenance, renewals and access to our sport and recreation facilities, reserves and parks
- work with other facility owners, such as schools and sports clubs, to improve and increase community access and opportunities
- develop a smarter way of engaging with you so your views can better inform our decision-making
- ensure our libraries are meeting your needs in their role as community hubs.

7. Services are well managed and meet community needs

To provide you with relevant, high quality community services and events, we will:

- support community partners with some operational funding and training to deliver the programmes and services you're seeking
- support and encourage events that celebrate our diverse community, our identity and sustainable living
- work with community partners to ensure facilities are fit-for-purpose, well-maintained and future proofed for growth.



Northcote Town Centre event.

Te horanga o tā mātou mahere poari ā-rohe **Delivering our local board plan**

To deliver a successful plan, we need to focus our limited resources on what matters most to our community and what we can influence. Find out more in our draft plan, available online at shapeauckland.co.nz or at public libraries, council service centres or local board offices.

Tukuna mai ō whakaaro mō te taura Mahere Poari ā-Rohe o Kaipātiki 2017 Have your say on Kaipātiki's draft Local Board Plan 2017



Feedback must be received by 4pm on Friday 30 June 2017.

All feedback will go to elected members of Kaipātiki Local Board to help inform their decisions.

We encourage you to read a full copy of our draft plan before providing your feedback between Monday 22 May and Friday 30 June.

Copies of the full plan and forms are available:

- online at shapeauckland.co.nz
- at public libraries, council service centres, and local board offices
- or phone us on 09 301 0101 and we will send a copy to you.

Or you can fill out this form and return it to us:

- by email - simply scan your completed form and email to localboardplans@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz
- in person - drop it off at your local public library, council service centre or local board office
- by post - place your completed form in an envelope and send to this freepost address:

Local Board Plans
Auckland Council
Freepost Authority 232621
Private Bag 92 300, Auckland 1142

Social media

Comments made through Facebook will be considered:

- write something on the Kaipātiki Local Board Facebook page - [Facebook.com/Kaipatiki](https://www.facebook.com/Kaipatiki) and include 'Local Board Plan feedback'
- send a private message using Facebook Messenger to @kaipatiki and include 'Local Board Plan feedback'.

In person

Drop-in event

This is an opportunity to find out more about our ideas and provide feedback to local board members in person.

- Thursday 15 June, 4pm – 7pm, Birkenhead Library, Hinemoa Street

Community Forum event

This is an opportunity to make a verbal submission to the board, in the style of a traditional hearing.

- Wednesday 28 June, 1pm onwards, Kaipātiki Local Board office, 90 Bentley Avenue, Glenfield

To register your attendance for the community forum event, phone us on 09 484 8383 or email Blair.Doherty@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz

Your name and feedback will be considered public documents. All other personal details will remain private.

First name: _____

Last name: _____

Email address or postal address: _____

If you want to give us feedback on more than one draft local board plan you can:

- complete a separate form for each draft plan. Additional forms are available by calling 09 3010101 or online at shapeauckland.co.nz
- fill in a submission form and attach your comments, making it clear which draft local board plan they apply to.

Local board/s you are providing feedback on:

Is your feedback on behalf of an organisation?

- No – these are my own personal views
- Yes – I am the official spokesperson for my organisation

If yes, what is the name of your organisation?

The following information is optional.

Are you?

- Female Male Gender diverse

What age group do you belong to?

- <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)

- NZ European Māori
- Samoan Tongan
- Chinese Indian
- Other (please specify)

Question 1: Do you think we are on the right track with our proposed local board plan?

- I strongly agree that the local board is on the right track
- I agree that the local board is on the right track
- I neither agree or disagree that the local board is on the right track
- I disagree that the local board is on the right track
- I strongly disagree that the local board is on the right track

Please comment: _____

Question 2: Tell us what you like most about our proposed local board plan?

Please comment: _____

Question 3: Tell us if you think we have missed something out of our proposed local board plan?

Please comment: _____

Question 4: The funding available to us may change after Auckland Council's 10-year budget is adopted in June 2018. If this means we can't afford all of our projects or initiatives, which would you like us to prioritise?

Please comment: _____

Question 5: Do you have any other comments about our proposed local board plan?

Please comment: _____

Need more room? You can attach extra pages, but please ensure they are A4 and include your name and contact details.

- Yes, I want to be added to your mailing list to be kept informed about news and events in the Kaipātiki Local Board area.

All personal information that you provide in this submission will be held and protected by Auckland Council in accordance with our privacy policy (available at aucklandcouncil.govt.nz/privacy and at our libraries and service centres) and with the Privacy Act 1993. Our privacy policy explains how we may use and share your personal information in relation to any interaction you have with the council, and how you can access and correct that information. We recommend you familiarise yourself with this policy.

