



Community Development Strategy

Update #2 – 27 August 2020

CD Strategy Overview

- Came into effect 1 January 2020
- Covid-19 Lockdown interrupted work at Week 10
- Initial Actions and Measures in CD Strategy for 78 weeks Jan 20 – Jun 21
 - Current Actions 23
 - New Actions 25
 - Advocacy Actions 12
 - Total CD Strategy Actions for reporting **60**
 - KPI Measures for reporting **61**
- Staff Numbers & Total Budget Remain Unchanged

CD Strategy – Categories of Actions

- Operational Ongoing Actions
 - Current
 - Enhanced Current e.g. Priority Service Contracts
 - New
- Project Actions
 - Current In Progress Projects
 - New Projects
- Advocacy Targets

- New – Covid-19 Response & Recovery

Current Operational Actions (Ongoing)

- Community Committees and Community Planning
- Provision of Funding e.g. Representative, Events
- Contracting Priority Services
- Urupā/Private Cemetery Funding
- Community Facilities Grants e.g. Feilding Civic Centre, Manfeild Park
- Community Honours Awards
- Collaborate & Liaise with Key Agencies
- Increasing staff capacity to work in multicultural environments
- Planning, Education and Preparation for Disaster Resilience
- District Plan Review

Priority Service Contracts

- Applications invited closing 30 May
 - Projects to align to Outcomes and Goals contained in the CD Strategy
 - 22 Applications received
- Assessment Panel considered applications and made its decision
 - 14 Applications were approved funding
 - 2 Applications did not meet the eligibility criteria
 - 6 Applications were a low priority for funding

Successful Projects (1)

Organisation	Project	Amount
Manawatū District Neighbourhood Support	“Safe S.P.A.C.E.S” – Sense of belonging, Pride, Active engagement, Collaboration, Empowerment and Support	\$30,000
Palmerston North Surf Life Saving Club	Regional Life Guard Service	\$15,000
Volunteer Central	Community Development Through Volunteering	\$5,000
Te Manawa Family Services	Youth and Parenting Programme	\$27,500
Te Manawa Family Services	Anti Bullying Project	\$20,000
Manchester House Social Services	Delivery of essential social services to the Feilding and district community	\$15,000
Manawatū Rural Support Services	Funding of our core support services to rural communities	\$15,000
Manawatū Historic Vehicle Collection Trust	Operational costs in the Museum and Archives at the Coach House Museum	\$30,000

Successful Projects (2)

Organisation	Project	Amount
Age Concern NZ	Operation of the Age Concern Programmes and Provision of Information and Advice in Manawatū District	\$5,000
Feilding and Districts Youth Board Inc	Alternative Action/Restorative Justice Programme for Young People aged between 5 and 18 in Feilding and wider districts	\$7,500
Himatangi Beach Community Patrol	Operational Expenses and Training	\$3,500
Feilding Community Patrol	Operational Expenses and Training	\$3,500
Plant to Plate Aotearoa	Plant to Plate Aotearoa	\$10,000
Feilding and District Promotion	Operational, Community Development and Events	\$170,000 *
	Total	\$357,000

Actions covered through Priority Contracts

- National Volunteer Week
- Actively support volunteering in our community
- Protect and promote the heritage, identity and social wellbeing of the District
- Promotion of, and participation in, sport and active recreation
- Enhance the wellbeing of the natural, physical and social environment
- Support community initiatives that seek to overcome social isolation
- Protecting our communities

CD Strategy Reporting

Standard CD Strategy Reports	Planned Frequency
Priority Service Contract Accountability Reports	6 monthly
Other Funding Accountability Reports	2 monthly
Funding Decision Reports	2 monthly
CCO Board Diversity Report	12 or 24 monthly
CD Strategy Implementation Progress Report	6 monthly
Social & Community Indicator Monitoring Report	12 monthly
CD Strategy Relationship & Liaison Meetings Reports	4 monthly
Community Committee Projects Reports	12 monthly
Implementation of Community Planning – Key Project Status Report	2 monthly
CD Strategy Advocacy Actions Report	4 monthly

New Operational Actions

- Expanded list of organisations for meetings & liaison e.g.
 - Faith and Spiritual, Multi Cultural, Volunteer Central, Environmental
- Updating Policies
 - Community Committee (Youth Council)
 - Community Honours
- Implemented new Funding and Assessment Processes
- Implemented new Accountability Reporting Processes
- Community Development Committee Reporting
 - Advocacy
 - Relationships and Liaison
 - Funding Accountability Reporting
 - Social and Community Overview Monitoring
 - CCO Diversity

Advocacy Targets – (Update #1 at 27 August Meeting)

1. Holistic focus and equitable access for all in the health and wellbeing sector
2. Advocate with Central Government funders for improved outcomes and service provision for youth wellbeing, rural isolation, mental health and addiction
3. Increased citizen engagement with Central and Local Government elections
4. Improved district-wide public transport services
5. Cell phone and internet connectivity in rural blackspot areas
6. Adequate power supply for our growth areas
7. Adequate policing resources for our communities
8. The promotion of employment opportunities for young people
9. Availability and affordability of community and social housing
10. Removing the barriers to the provision of community and social housing
11. The Mayor advocates alongside the Mayor's taskforce for Jobs on matters relevant to youth
12. Advocacy provided for those affected by Earthquake Prone Building legislation

Actions Waiting on Resource Availability To Formally Start

- Art & Sculpture in Public Spaces
- Nga Manu Taiko Updated Terms of Reference
- Faith Communities register
- Faith Communities Public recognition
- Central Government Funding for Environmental Responsibility
- Community Information Services review
- CD Sector Governance Capability Development
- CCO Diversity reporting
- Implement Walking & Cycling Strategy
- Implement Community Facilities Strategy
- Te Reo Usage

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Existing Projects	Notes																			
Develop Public Spaces Plan	After Town Centre Vision																			
Develop Community Facilities Strategy																				
Develop Cycling & Walking Strategy																				
District Plan Review																				
Community Plan Implementation																				
Community Response & Recovery Plans	Impacted by Covid-19 Response																			
Community Activated Emergency Guides	Impacted by Covid-19 Response																			
New Projects																				
Environmental Sustainability Strategy																				
Housing Strategy	Expanded Scope Across Housing Continuum																			
Seniors Action Plan																				
Youth Action Plan																				
CCO Processes																				
Priority Service Contracts with RBA																				

