LOCAL ELECTIONS 2025

The Electoral Officer Manawatu District Council AK 0023 Private Bag 990021 Auckland 2161

You can vote for the following elections:

- Feilding General Ward
- Māori Ward Poll
- Manawatū-Whanganui Regional Council (trading as Horizons Regional Council) - Manawatū-Rangitikei Constituency
- Māori Regional Constituency Poll Horizons RC Māori Constituencies

How to vote

There is one type of electoral system used in this voting document:



the **first past the post** system-where you tick candidate names

Voting instructions are in the heading of each election.

Return your voting document

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it in a ballot box at selected locations **before voting closes** - for ballot box locations see inside your voting pack or visit your Council's website.

Post

it in the freepost envelope no later than Tuesday, 7 October 2025.

Voting closes

12 Midday, Saturday, 11 October 2025.

Made a mistake on this voting document?

If you make a mistake that you can't correct clearly, promptly contact the electoral officer on 0800 666 048 and ask for another voting document.

Take note: It is an offence under the Local Electoral Act to interfere, in any way, with any person who is about to vote, or to fraudulently alter any voting document.

PLEASE TURN OVER TO VOTE ME HURI HEI TUKU I TŌ PÕTI

Me pēhea te poti

Kotahi te momo puhaha põti ka kayvhakamahia\i roto i tēnei tuhinga pōti:

ko te pūnaha **i mua kai kai** i reira ka tohua e koe ngā ingoa o ngā kaitono

Kej te Jpoko o ia potitanga ngā tohutohu poti.

Whakahokia tō pepa pōti

Me heri atu

ki tētahi pouaka pōti i ngā wāhi kua tīpakohia i mua i te katinga o ngā pōti - mō ngā wāhi pouaka pōti tirohia tō mōkī pōti, haere rānei ki te paetukutuku a tō Kaunihera.

tērā rānei

Me põhi

mā te kōpaki koreutu i mua o te **Tūrei, 7 o** Oketopa 2025.

Ka kati ngā pōti

hei te 12 te poupoutanga o te rā, Rāhoroi, 11 o Oketopa 2025.

I hapa koe i runga i tēnei pepa pōti?

Mēnā ka hapa, ā, kāore i te mārama tō whakatika, me waea tonu atu koe ki te āpiha pōti i 0800 666 048 ka tono i tētahi pepa pōti anō.

Kia mōhio: He hara i raro i te Local Electoral Act te raweke, ahakoa pēhea, i tētahi tangata kei te pōti, te whakarerekē poka noa rānei i tētahi pepa pōti.

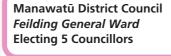


For assistance call 0800 666 048

Manawatū District Council Mayor **Electing the Mayor**

THERE IS NO ELECTION REQUIRED because the number of candidates standing for this election was not more than the number of vacancies.

This means **Michael FORD** is elected unopposed.





Tick the circle next to up to five (5) candidates you want to vote for.

Candidate names are listed randomly.

221 COX, Daniel DYER, Colin

HADFIELD, Grant Gordon

HICKS, Alistair Graeme

HILL, Sam

LOADER, Raewyn

MCLEOD, Aaron

PICKFORD, Jerry wer Rates) RAHARUHI, Clive

WRIGHT, Tony

Manawatū District Council Māori Ward Poll Ngā Tapuae o Matangi Māori Ward

Legislation requires a poll on whether the Manawatū District Council Māori Ward should be kept or removed. The poll result will be binding for the 2028 and 2031 Manawatū District Council elections, but not for the period 2025 to 2028.

E ai ki te ture me whakahaere pōti mēnā me pupuri Te Kaunihera o te Takiwā o Manawatū i te Rohe Pōti Māori, me whakakore rānei. Ka mana te otinga pōti mō ngā pōtitanga o Te Kaunihera o te Takiwā o Manawatū a te tau 2028 me te 2031, engari kaua mō te wā 2025 ki te 2028.

Tick the circle next to the option you want to vote

I vote to KEEP the Māori Ward

I vote to REMOVE the Māori Ward

Manawatū-Whanganui Regional Council (trading as Horizons Regional Council) Manawatū-Rangitīkei Constituency **Electing 2 Regional Councillors**



Tick the circle next to **up to two (2)** candidates you want to vote for.

Candidate names are listed randomly.

BARKER, Nigel

GORDON, Bruce

MCKELLAR, Gordon

NETZLER, Carl C



Manawatū-Whanganui Regional Council (trading as Horizons Regional Council) Māori Regional Constituency Pol/ Raki and Tonga Māori Constituencies

Legislation requires a poll on whether the Horizons Regional Council Māori Constituencies should be kept or removed. The poll result will be binding for the 2028 and 2031 Horizons Regional Council elections, but not for the period 2025 to 2028.

E ai ki te ture me whakahaere pōti mēnā me pupuri Te Kaunihera ā-Rohe o Horizons i ngā Rohe Pōti Māori, me whakakore rānei. Ka mana te otinga pōti mō ngā pōtitanga o Te Kaunihera ā-Rohe o Horizons a te tau 2028 me te 2031, engari kaua mō te wā 2025 ki te 2028.



Tick the circle next to the option you want to vote

I vote to KEEP the Māori Constituencies

I vote to REMOVE the Māori Constituencies



Voting closes 12 midday, Saturday, 11 October, 2025

