



Consultation on the draft Local Board Plans 2026

Written Feedback Kaipātiki Volume #4

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Have Your Say on the Draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026

#100

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Organisation: N/A

Local Board: Kaipātiki

Your feedback:

1. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

If the list is in order of importance, I would put "Kaipātiki reflects Māori identity and culture through active partnership with mana whenua and Māori" down the list. Prioritise objectives that include everyone in the community

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

This is not a high priority objective:

We are guided by a Māori world view to protect and care for our natural environment

This statement reflects ideology not a way to protect the environment.

Science and world expertise are more effective way of protecting our natural environment

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

- 4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

- 5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?**

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

- 6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?**

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

- 7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.**

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

- 8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?**

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?



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Too broad a range of objectives under the one heading to assess as one.

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Not well at all

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Not well at all

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

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What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

If the facility is closed what alternative facility provides the same service in the same area.

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Very well

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Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Our reality is of extensive, poor quality, infill housing with unmitigated impact on stormwater management and other environmental concerns - we need to actively and explicitly prioritise quality, safe, environmentally sound housing alongside town centres/community facilities.

4. **How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?**
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Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Not fussed about visitors as an outcome. Would prioritise businesses serving locals over providing jobs locally (suspect the second would happen but with more flexibility/opportunity)

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Our roads are safe FOR EVERYONE - not just those in cars.

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

Love that climate and Māori are priorities. Need to ensure we are assertive about the fundamentals e.g. what happens to rainwater when we pave so much of paradise...

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

How much the people using them have access to alternatives (e.g. wealthy people playing golf can afford to drive and pay for a private course but deprived people taking young children to playgroup with no car cannot).

How well other priorities are served, e.g. Men's Shed can connect with youth and support work-ready skills and connection

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

More community hui, library sessions, keep active in the community as locals



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Quite well

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5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Absolutely love the commitment to improving cycling for commuting and recreational use, we need much more of it here to feel safe cycling frequently!

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support all

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

As much focus on creating an incredibly safe, connected cycling network as possible. Including over the Harbour Bridge!

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Places like libraries and CABs are very important, please don't get rid of them! Also having public bins is very important, I wish we had more of them around to keep on top of litter.

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Email please, and Kaipatiki newsletters. I learn a lot at the Northcote town centre events when there's local reps there!



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The plan doesn't specifically mention disabled people, or older people with limited mobility and how the environment can be enhanced to ensure their ability to participate. For example, some people can walk short distances (with or without a mobility aid) and then need to sit down to rest, but most of our parks and reserves have no seating within them or at the start of the track. Being able to sit in a reserve to appreciate nature is also good for our mental well-being.

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

The plan doesn't include actions for encouraging pest control on private land. This is particularly important for properties that have a common boundary with reserves, or are near reserves as pest species spill over into the reserve. I would like to see actions or advocacy to local government for requirements for private properties to control pests on their land.

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

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Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I quite like that addressing the street parking issue caused by housing developments that don't cater for parking is great. I wonder if suggesting that all new dwellings built have to have an allocation for an e-type charging car to future proof too - and also to encourage off street parking.

4. **How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?**
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Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I think being able to work locally would be such a good thing.

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

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What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

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Not well at all

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

You have a set of lofty ideas but no steps to getting there money is being wasted all over the area in particular annual flowers outside library last for about a month then are pulked out soil bare for weeks then reoeat perennials are cheap and last a lonng time a major cost saving and they flower...i hate to see money wasted. Gardenets are not coucil employees and go around in trucks spraying roundup and killing local native trres and washing into waitmata harbour again a waste yhey cant answer questions and are non english speaking local board is killing the native environment none of yoi ought to sit by while this goes on under your noses.

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Not well at all

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

zsee my last comments the pohutukawa tree by my home looks nearly dead by round up im disgusted you think you are doing a good job. High rise flats no green spaces or frit for them streets dangerous to drive on as no carparks for thos residents again none of you should be getting paid gor sucj gutless tardy work. do you live jn Glenfield? Walk along the strrets and look ar what you have created.

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Not well at all

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

See my previous comments.

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Not well at all

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

How do you propose to get young people ready for workforce? Are you helping them get a licence providing direct bus routes to city or you are not! I live in Glenfield and need 3 buses to get to Auckland hospital.... where are your actual plans it's great to say all of these aims but I can't see one how we will achieve it. I think local boards are a complete waste of ratepayers' money.

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Not well at all

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Oh my god if you can organise direct buses to major infrastructure like Auckland Uni and AK hospital I might believe you!

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Do not support at all

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

You sit and meander and achieve nothing I've lived here 6 years and I still can't get a direct bus to Auckland Hospital from Glenfield. Every else can get a train.....not the northshore soon we pay congestion tax you've missed the boat. I think the Board needs to be abolished every one of these categories of aims are poorly managed. You should be ashamed of yourselves

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What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

transport is key!

environment is key green spaces fruit trees on community and perennial planting bring back council trained gardeners get rid of these poisonous spraying contractors offer young people help with drivers licencing and sort out public transport open libraries in the evening and run crafty groups and classes to bring communities together its not rocket science.

- 8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?**

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

get out into your community open your eyes look at what happens to our environment where is a community house for Glenfield you filled it up with junkhouse living and only amenity is library nil else....where is a safe lovely park to sit in native reserves are dangerous to walk alone in...We have nothing close in Glenfield even outside my house attacked by two roaming dogs both huge. Whole area is now so unsafe



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Very well

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Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

More focus on making it safe for people to walk and cycle around the community. With the lack of safe cycle paths and the speed people drive it does not feel safe for myself and family to cycle and my kids to scoot to school, the shops. These are all short journeys and we try to avoid the car for our health and to reduce emissions and cost but it often feels very unsafe with the inattentive, speeding drivers and lack of safe space to walk and cycle.

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Very well

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6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

More focus on supporting walking, cycling within our communities. It makes for a safer, cleaner, healthier and happier community.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Many facilities are vital for our community to be able to connect, access information and facilities for health and fun such as pools, playgrounds, libraries and community houses. These opportunities would be unavailable for many without the current free or low cost access. Providing spaces accessible to our elderly, youth and otherwise isolated members of the community is vital.

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

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Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

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Very well

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Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support all

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7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

The local board should consider how important each facility is to the community before making any decisions. Many facilities, such as sports clubs and community halls, provide much more than just a building, they create opportunities for physical activity, social connection, youth development, volunteering, and community events. The board should assess current and future community demand, the impact on local residents if a facility is lost, accessibility, and whether the facility could be upgraded or shared rather than removed. Decisions should also recognize the significant contribution made by volunteers and community organizations that rely on these assets to deliver valuable services and programs. Any review should involve meaningful consultation with the groups and communities that use the facilities

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

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The Kaipātiki Local Board could improve engagement by communicating with the community earlier, before decisions are made. Local clubs, community groups, and residents should have the opportunity to share their views from the beginning.

It would help to keep people informed through email, social media, and community meetings. The consultation process should be easy to access, with enough time for people to respond.

After consultation, the Local Board should let the community know what feedback was received and how it was considered. This builds trust and helps people feel that their

opinions are valued. It is also important to recognise that many community groups are run by volunteers, so communication should be clear, simple, and flexible.



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2. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?**

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I value the beautiful reserves in the Birkenhead area and appreciate all the work that has been put into regenerating the bush. I would support work to widen our natural areas. I think planting more trees on berms would help keep summer temperatures lower and filter winter rain. Would love to see Auckland council tighten rules around new housing having more required green space.

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Our urban development does not have enough requirements for developers to include enough adequate green space around new builds or onsite parking. New developments are also

impacting sunlight to neighbouring properties. I support more concentrated apartment builds like Chelsea rise and apartments on easement road within the business district not 3 stories plus on a residential street. Too many one way street bottlenecks and increase of traffic heading towards a single harbour crossing. More intensive housing should follow intensive infrastructure.

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I would love to see more safe cycle lanes and would love to see a pedestrian and cycle friendly harbour crossing.

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Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

I support the plan except for any support around unrestricted housing developments, I would prefer more 'red tape' that considers developments impact on the natural environment and the lives of those living in the community.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

I think access to free access to libraries and sporting venues etc is very important as lower income families would miss out.

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

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Social media is the best way to reach out such as local community pages.



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Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

We are guided by a Māori world view to protect and care for our natural environment

Regarding the above, the council should not go overboard in spending money on consultations etc, just as M for Environment spent hundreds of thousands on KAURI DIEBAK!!!!

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

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Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

You state Maori businesses are supported to grow.. Why this partiality

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I acknowledge the need to grow. Take the case of arterial road like Hillcrest Avenue, wit the current development when cars are parked on both sides of this road, a Fire truck could barely go through. Then imagine the plight in the internal roads.

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Support most

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What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

I believe libraries, sports fields should be continued.

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On very important matters a meeting could be arranged to explain and get feed back. For retinal ones digital feedback reduces the cost.



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Quite well

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The chair's foreword makes it clear that demand for sports fields and courts was one of the strongest messages received during consultation so it's good some is planned for delivery such as implementing a sport and rec facilities plan, Birkenhead War Memorial masterplan and supporting regional funding applications for sports infrastructure. The board also warns that some assets are too costly and may need to be decommissioned which may be fair enough but will upset some. The actual spending profile seems overwhelmingly about maintaining and upgrading physical community assets. The plan repeatedly signals that there is insufficient funding to maintain everything and that some facilities may be deprioritised.

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Given the flooding experienced in recent years, the flood resilience work around Wairau and A.F. Thomas Park is one of the more tangible outcomes in the plan so that's good. The council talks about pest and weed control but it's so much worse than it used to be. And people like the landbanker who owns the so-called Verran Mews area has absolute disdain for the environment - noxious weeds out of control - and nothing seems to be done about landowners

like this. Let's start with some fund-raising fines! The things that are good are: Native planting and urban tree canopy expansion, including along roads.

Waterway restoration and pollution reduction.

Flood mitigation through the Ngā Wairau blue-green projects.

Support for volunteer environmental groups. Reward PFK as much as you can!

Waste reduction initiatives and low-carbon programmes.

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

It identifies problems clearly but offers few firm solutions, largely due to lack of power I assume. It seems that the most that can be done therefore is advocacy.

The plan recognises that Intensification is putting pressure on infrastructure.

New homes often lack outdoor space.

Off-street parking shortages are creating community problems.

Wastewater capacity constraints exist in Beach Haven.

But the response is largely:

"Support" quality urban design.

Invest in parks and open space.

"Advocate" for supporting infrastructure.

"Advocate" for changes to parking requirements.

"Advocate" for Watercare upgrades. I guess you just have to keep advocating and hope it works given the lack of control

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

The question doesn't make sense... "needs and priorities of in..." The plan is relatively light on concrete actions and doesn't fully match the economic challenges residents and businesses

are likely to prioritise. What it does recognise is: The plan correctly identifies several real issues:

Lack of skilled jobs located within Kaipātiki.

Limited local employment opportunities for young people.

Cost of living pressures affecting local businesses.

Disruption caused by the Northcote regeneration programme.

The importance of Wairau Valley as a major employment area.

But it falls short on actual initiatives with support verbs:

"Support communication channels with businesses."

"Encourage" local businesses.

"Work with local businesses."

"Develop and promote Kaipātiki as a destination."

"Support sustainable practices."

"Look into more opportunities for trade education."

Traffic congestion, reliable public transport and parking availability are important for businesses. As is doing something about crime and anti-social behaviour in town centres like Highbury (although it does seem to be improving there lately).

Also Kaipātiki isn't really a tourist destination. There'd be greater economic gain by providing incentives for retail, construction, Wairau Valley employment. Sadly I don't really have any ideas how though!

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

there's a good understanding of the cluster that is Onewa, Glenfield and Wairau Roads. And that it's pretty lethal trying to cycle due to a lack of infrastructure. There's also acknowledgment of poor maintenance of roads and footpaths due to funding constraints.

But saying things like: The plan says:

"Reduce congestion".

"Improve public transport"

"Improve walking and cycling" isn't concrete. How will congestion actually be reduced on Onewa Road? We can have aspirations but all we need are a few geniuses to sort this productivity-killing mess.

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

This is very tricky. Libraries should be non-negotiable but their use could be modernised in the same way many overseas are - more community hub-like with versatility and modern resources. Sports and recreation areas are the heart of the community but they also need communities supporting their maintenance, not just boards. I don't really know the answer to this unfortunately.

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

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I think it does fine as it is. Board members are very active on social. Richard Hiils is excellent and Gillon was good before he headed to the council itself.



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Quite well

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2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support all

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

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What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

The impact on the facilities current use and groups impacted need to be considered. We also need to consider what would gains would be had if they were renovated or repurposed to improve the levels of use or engagement they get.

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

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3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Additional emphasis on creating sustainable town centre or higher intensity developments would be good- higher intensity dwellings can work well, but the examples that have been constructed so far (especially by private developers) seem to be of questionable quality.

4. **How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?**

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5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

The issue of limited off-street parking should be reconsidered - absolute parking minimums have problematic implications for space usage, creating wasteful areas of just parking that have high upkeep. Thus, it would be good to review how much parking is actually required, and whether or not the parking issues are actually significant or if they are just a minor inconvenience.

Additionally, more action needs to be taken on public transport. While increased frequencies are definitely needed, especially on non-city bound routes like the 917, 941, etc, as well as routes which have limited service (University group 93x, 866/966- why is there no weekend service to newmarket and ponsonby- these are popular weekend destinations), much more emphasis needs to be placed on the speed and reliability of all bus services. Currently, the public transport network is usable if running on time, but delays can quickly cascade which makes the network much more difficult to use and unpredictable; delays of over 5 minutes on busy city-bound routes are not uncommon, and delays of over 10 minutes on routes serving schools (917, 94 and 941) are an almost daily occurrence. It would be highly beneficial to identify areas where buses are frequently delayed, e.g. busy intersections and sections of roads, and employ targeted measures such as bus queue jumps or bus lanes to reduce delays and increase reliability. In particular, stretches of Glenfield Rd between Sunset Rd and the mall, Birkenhead Avenue through the town centre, and the Harbour Bridge, etc. are all problematic locations. 4An increase in reliability and speed alone could be a significant contributor to actually allowing households to reduce car usage, which would aid in congestion relief.

Additionally, it should also be important to reconsider how capacity is distributed across bus services on the lower north shore, especially on the city-bound routes. From observing people pack onto buses at Fanshawe St, the new buses handle large volumes of passengers much worse than the older buses (which seems counterintuitive until you look at how they're laid out) which results in the most crowded services on the North Shore being Onewa group services. In particular, peak time 95B and 97R services are often full and standing, and on some occasions, the bus is overloaded, with passengers forced to stand in the doorway. The same applies for after-school services- these are often packed full and overloaded.

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

- 7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.**

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

- 8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?**

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Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

2. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

While realising the local board probably has a limited influence regarding urban planning, I would like to see greater emphasis on good masterplanning to ensure that developments are high quality, and well thought out. This might entail the local board doing a deep dive in to this starting with "How might the Local Board support and enable well planned, high quality and sustainable development?"

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

This could go further. Weekend traffic is becoming a real problem.

The lifespan of the harbour bridge is a major concern and while this goes beyond the control of the local board, the bridge provides a critical link for the area. What can the local board do to push for more urgent development of harbour crossing plans?

I strongly support the emphasis on travel choices, public transport and walking and cycling. Can we get a Kaipātiki Bike Hub please?

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

Lower carbon transport solutions are very important and I would like to see the Local Board being bolder in terms of supporting and enabling these travel choices.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

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Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

More of what you are doing around coastal and reserve walkways would be great. There is a need for covered or weather proof venues both at the netball courts and football fields (turf). I would also like sports clubs to be more involved in the environmental stewardship of the areas where they sit within. They have a large community that could contribute.

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

The blue green network needs to be consider wider than just the works at AF Thomas as it is all the many waterways that surround our urban development that people often dont realise are there or the habitat and environmental benefits they also provide. More advocacy with Healthy Waters is definitely needed.

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support all

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

The outdoor pool at Birkenhead Leisure needs to remain open air. This whole centre is such an asset to the community so further contributions would be supported. The library is also an amazing asset that should be supported.

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

I think updates in school newsletters would be good.



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Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

See attached file

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

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Submission on the Draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026

July 2026

	Local board / suburb Kaipātiki / Glenfield
Submitting as A personal submission from a Kaipātiki resident, informed by ten years' professional experience managing Glenfield Community Centre.	

Summary position:

I support the overall direction of the draft plan, particularly its recognition of community-led delivery, Māori partnership, environmental restoration and the need for increased operating support.

My principal concern is that the wording around asset performance, optimisation and decommissioning could permit later rationalisation or centralisation of community facilities without sufficiently clear safeguards. I therefore seek a broader definition of community value, transparent assessment criteria, early consultation and explicit protection of the distributed network of community houses, centres and hubs.

1. Community — Objectives

Council's question: How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our Community in this section?

Rating: Quite well

The objectives are broadly right, and I strongly support prioritising community-led delivery, high-value library services and emergency-hub readiness. However, the objective that 'our parks and community facilities are well maintained, well managed and meet community needs' sits alongside decommissioning and asset-optimisation language elsewhere in the plan that is not yet sufficiently defined. I address this under Question 7 and ask that the two sections be read together.

2. Natural Environment — Objectives

Council's question: How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our Natural Environment in this section?

Rating: Quite well

I support the emphasis on mana whenua guidance, catchment-scale restoration and the Ngā Wairau blue-green projects. The plan identifies volunteer burnout as a risk to the ecological and park volunteer network (page 18) but does not attach a sufficiently clear resourcing response beyond 'looking into new approaches'. I ask that the final plan commit to practical support for volunteer coordination and succession, including consideration of an appropriately resourced Community Park Ranger role.

3. Built Environment — Objectives

Council's question: How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our Built Environment in this section?

Rating: Quite well

I support continued investment in Northcote's regeneration and the co-design commitments with mana whenua. My concern is that the objective to prioritise 'well-located, multi-purpose community facilities with good transport connections' (page 24), read alongside the asset-review language, could unintentionally favour large hubs over the distributed network of neighbourhood community houses and centres. These facilities reach people who cannot easily travel to a central hub. I ask that the objective explicitly recognise and protect that distributed network.

4. Economic Development — Objectives

Council's question: How well do you think we captured our Economic Development needs and priorities in this section?

Rating: Quite well

I support continued investment in the Young Enterprise Scheme, rangatahi Māori pathways into trades and support for Māori businesses. I would welcome greater specificity on how advocacy for procurement-policy change will translate into practical local contracting opportunities, given that this currently sits as an advocacy item to the Governing Body rather than a clearly defined local action.

5. Transport — Objectives

Council's question: How well do you think we captured our Transport needs and priorities in this section?

Rating: Quite well

While future transport governance arrangements remain uncertain, I ask that the board retain and advocate consistently for the substantive outcomes identified in the plan — cheaper and more frequent ferry and bus services, safer intersections and delivery of the Kaipātiki Connections Network Plan — regardless of which body ultimately holds the relevant decision-making responsibilities.

6. Overall opinion

Council's question: Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Rating: Support most

I support most of the draft plan. My reservations are concentrated in the community-facilities network, where I seek clearer safeguards, a broader definition of community value and firmer funding commitments before the plan is finalised.

On climate and Māori outcomes, I would like the final plan to move beyond recognising needs and risks by identifying practical resourcing responses, including support for volunteer coordination, climate-resilient community facilities and Māori-led services and initiatives.

7. Factors the board should consider on the future of local facilities and assets

This is the section of the draft plan I have considered most carefully, given my professional experience managing a Kaipātiki community centre. There is no specific proposal in the draft to close, defund or materially alter a named community house or centre. My concern is with strategic wording that will shape later funding, renewal and asset decisions, and which currently lacks the definitions and safeguards needed to prevent an unintended drift towards closure or centralisation.

I recommend that the following matters be addressed before the plan is finalised.

a) Decommissioning language needs explicit safeguards

The Chair's introduction (page 4) and the funding-decision principles (page 35) raise the possibility of assets being considered for decommissioning based on 'condition and performance' or 'ongoing suitability, performance and community value'. These terms are not defined, and no facility-specific consultation process or assessment criteria are set out.

I ask that the final plan include an explicit commitment along the following lines:

"The local board will not support the closure, repurposing or reduction of core operating support to a community facility where that reduction could affect its viability, unless there has first been a facility-specific options assessment, early consultation with the operator and affected community, and a full assessment of the facility's social, cultural, equity, accessibility, resilience, network and replacement value."

The options assessment should consider renewal, retrofit, shared use, alternative governance arrangements and service improvement before closure, disposal or substantial service reduction is considered.

Where a facility is council-owned, building condition or deferred maintenance should not be treated as evidence of poor performance by the community organisation operating from it. Asset condition, operator performance and community value should be assessed separately.

b) 'Well-used and valued' must not become a utilisation or revenue test

Page 15 proposes prioritising investment in facilities that are 'well-used and valued'. Community facilities generate outcomes that raw utilisation or revenue figures do not capture: affordable access for organisations unable to pay commercial rates, accommodation for social-service providers, volunteer development, emergency preparedness and preventative work whose benefits appear elsewhere in the public system. A small neighbourhood house serving an isolated or disadvantaged population may record fewer visits while still delivering substantial value for each person reached.

I ask that the plan adopt wording such as:

“Assessment of community-facility value will include social, cultural, equity, accessibility, resilience, network, replacement-cost and preventative-service outcomes. It will recognise volunteer labour, external funding and community investment, and will not be based solely on utilisation, revenue or visitor numbers.”

The assessment should also consider the cost of replacing services elsewhere and whether nearby facilities have the capacity, accessibility and suitability to absorb displaced users and activities.

c) Large hubs and neighbourhood facilities should be complementary, not substitutes

The emphasis on ‘well-located, multi-purpose’ facilities, alongside investment in the new Northcote hub, risks an unintended centralisation bias. People facing disability, transport limitations, financial hardship or social isolation often depend on services being close, familiar and informal — something a central hub cannot replace, regardless of how well it is located.

I ask that the relevant objective be amended to read:

“Prioritise well-located, multi-purpose facilities while maintaining a distributed network of accessible neighbourhood community houses, centres and hubs.”

d) Funding commitments and comparisons need strengthening

The plan makes positive statements about community houses and centres, community-led delivery and advocacy for more operational funding, all of which I endorse. However, it also notes that the 2027 Long-term Plan may change operating and capital funding, while the financial overview (page 36) does not separately identify funding reaching Community Partnership Agreements as distinct from council-operated facilities.

I ask the board to commit to:

- inflation-aware funding for Community Partnership Agreements
- explicit recognition of rising insurance, compliance, utilities, wage and maintenance costs facing community-operated facilities
- equitable access to capital and renewal support for community-operated facilities delivering local board outcomes, either directly where policy permits or through targeted grants, partnership funding and advocacy for an appropriate regional mechanism
- transparent reporting on how much community-facility funding reaches council-operated facilities and how much supports community-governed partners
- early consultation before any change to funding models or service levels affecting community-operated facilities

- appropriate funding for resilience upgrades, communications, backup power, equipment, training and operational planning where a community facility is designated or expected to operate as an emergency hub or civil defence facility

Any comparison between council-operated and community-operated facilities should be undertaken on a full-cost, like-for-like basis, including corporate overheads, staffing, maintenance, insurance, depreciation, renewals and capital investment. Community Partnership Agreement funding should not be compared with only the visible operating costs of council-run facilities.

Affordability cannot rest indefinitely on facility operators subsidising below-commercial hire rates without corresponding operating support.

e) Climate-related inefficiency should trigger retrofit investment before disposal

The plan describes ageing, inefficient community buildings that are poorly equipped for climate change as a challenge (page 13). This framing could be read either as a case for investment or as grounds for rationalisation.

I ask that the plan state explicitly that retrofit and resilience options — including LED lighting, insulation and efficient heating, solar and battery systems, water conservation, accessibility improvements, and flood or extreme-weather resilience — will be assessed before any facility is considered for decommissioning on efficiency or condition grounds.

Community organisations that have already secured external grants and invested their own capacity in such upgrades are demonstrating the partnership and financial leverage the plan seeks to encourage. This should be recognised as an asset to build upon. At Glenfield Community Centre, for example, approximately 200 fluorescent lights have been replaced with LED fittings over more than five years, at a total cost approaching \$20,000, funded mainly through external grants secured by the Centre rather than local board capital funding. The programme has reduced electricity use and carbon emissions and removed mercury-containing fluorescent lighting from the building, and further steps such as solar generation and replacing inefficient wall-mounted heating are under consideration.

Requested overall amendment:

I ask that the final plan explicitly protect the distributed community-facility network, define community value broadly, require transparent facility-specific assessment and early consultation before significant change, and recognise the operating, renewal and climate-resilience investment required by community-governed facilities.

8. Improving how the board engages on local decisions

I ask that the board:

- commit to individual, facility-specific consultation — not only sector-wide consultation — before any decision affecting a named community facility's funding, use or status
- engage directly with community-house and centre representative bodies, including the Kaipātiki Community Facilities Trust, when developing assessment criteria for asset decisions

- publish clear, plain-language criteria in advance of any asset review, so operators and communities know what is being assessed and can provide relevant evidence
- provide reasonable notice and lead time before funding-model changes so community-operated facilities can plan rather than react
- share the evidence, options and full-cost assumptions used in any facility review before a preferred option is adopted.

Thank you for the opportunity to submit.



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Your feedback:

1. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Celebrate the arts is not done very well. Access to sports is only available for those who can afford it.

2. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?**

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Seriously can the rest of the community have some funding!!! Not always for the environment!!

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

4. **How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?**
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Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

How are you not already achieving climate goals with the level of funding you put into the environment over other elements of the community!

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Sports clubs numbers

Swimming pool capacity

Population growth and predictions

Staff advice instead of not listening

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

Local board social media pages need to be more inviting, and start an instagram specific. The local board members need to get out and about to orgs and events they don't go to currently.



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Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support all

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?



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Local Board: Kaipātiki

Your feedback:

1. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?**

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

2. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?**

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Please support the planting of street trees to mitigate the Urban Heat island effects described in the recent Auckland Urban Heat Assessment. Please advocate for green solutions to street infrastructure to mitigate climate effects (e.g. permeable paving; green areas to retain mitigate rainfall.)

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Please advocate for permanent planting in areas such as Highbury Town Centre - to reduce the costs of seasonal planting and the resulting high maintenance.

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

Please work with mana whenua to help guide decisions.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Please be bold and reduce assets that are no longer fit for purpose or are underused.

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?



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Your feedback:

1. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Agree with it but wonder if we could go further - there is increasing inequity in our community so I wonder if we need a stronger focus on deliberately targeted certain groups with extra support

2. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Love it - could add something to the forth bullet point about all natural environment work being done in partership with the community adn community organisations

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support all

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Foot traffic and use

Prioritize ones next to existing facilities, e.g. schools, shops

Prioritize ones that respond to diverse and minority communities

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

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Your feedback:

1. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Nothing else to add, but I'm concerned about the impacts that Plan Change 120 housing intensification will have on our Local Board area and all proposed goals.

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I really like the focus of a 'kaitiaki' view of the natural environment. We have amazing bush areas in our area and they need lots of protection.

I'm concerned about the impacts that Plan Change 120 housing intensification will have on our Local Board area and all proposed goals.

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I think we have our Local Board goals right, but I'm not sure the wider Auckland/ government view meets this. In particular, I'm not sure our infrastructure can cope with Plan change 120.

I'm concerned about the impacts that Plan Change 120 housing intensification will have on our Local Board area and all proposed goals.

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I'm concerned about the impacts that Plan Change 120 housing intensification will have on our Local Board area and all proposed goals.

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Nothing else to add, but I'm concerned about the impacts that Plan Change 120 housing intensification will have on our Local Board area and all proposed goals.

I'm not sure we will be able to maintain our road network and provide people with parking access to their homes under Plan Change 120.

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support all

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

Nothing else to add, but I'm concerned about the impacts that Plan Change 120 housing intensification will have on our Local Board area and all proposed goals.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

I think we need lots of community engagement to make sure that facilities and assets don't get cut due to overall Council budget constraints.

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

I like how information the Local Board currently are :).



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Your feedback:

1. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?**

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

People aren't really listened too , you just pay lip service and do what you want regardless of what your ratepayers think

2. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?**

Not well at all

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

As above no real consideration to Māori needs in the community and the environment comes in second to vanity projects

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

4. **How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?**
-

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Roads and paths need better maintenance and upgrades

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Do not support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

More support for marae to be built which in turn supports the community needs

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

Do fair consultations with the ability for people to had an opinion and show the facts of what you presenting instead of skewing it towards the results you want regardless of what people say



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Your feedback:

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Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

2. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?**

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

4. **How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?**

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

To have "travel choices" sounds good, but unless what is available, whether by public transport or private vehicle, includes consistent availability and regularity of the public transport, and the use by private vehicles of roads which are not clogged at key times by heavy traffic and there is availability of carparking at key places and at key times, then "travel choices" as an objective in itself has little or no meaning.

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

Point 5 is a vital one to many people. What is written here as objectives is empty and meaningless. It is an opportunity to really state meaningful goals and it has been rendered vague and toothless. Just bureaucratic twaddle which avoids addressing key issues which affect the daily lives of so many people.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.**What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?**

Genuinely gathering the thoughts and ideas of many, many people, then bringing those thoughts and ideas back to this public forum to seek response and input.

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?***For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?***

This forum presents the opportunity for participants to consider ideas and provide feedback. This is a good start, anyway.



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Local Board: Kaipātiki

Your feedback:

1. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?**

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

There is some wonderful community events in my area which help me connect and have a sense of belonging.

2. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

In do think urban development is impacting the area. There has been a lot of construction around me and although I have plenty of pockets of green they do seem like treasures.

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I do feel safe but cost of living has made it less vibrant.

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I wish for more night time bus connections local to

My home. The bus from the city is every 20 minutes but I can wait 30 at the bus depot for my connection.

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

I have seen Street cleaners around but they don't pick up rubbish in hedges etc.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Do these facilities bring people together. Does it foster a sense of community and belonging. Does it improve health and well being. Does it make things affordable.

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

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Your feedback:

1. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Community* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

2. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Most public spaces, parks etc, I agree but when you have private land being sold, old beautiful trees being destroyed for multiple townhouses with no parking it takes soo much away from our community.

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

We are definitely on the right path, I see lots of improvements happening and it's great.

4. **How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?**
-

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I don't agree that the roads are maintained well. There is a lot more traffic, a lot more street parking and not as safe as it should be. The bus frequency and destinations have improved.

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

The cost of living crisis, the more this impacts families the more important these facilities can be for these families to be able to enjoy activities and been active

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

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Your feedback:

1. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Do not try and change what makes the community great. The area is nice to live due to the current community.

2. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Less emphasis on climate change this is unnecessary in a Local Board Plan and can be removed. There needs to be a far stronger focus on improving water quality and resolving sewer overflows into the sea this is a priority for the north shore and has been for the last 20 years.

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Safe places for children. Remove any emphasis to climate impact.

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

I don't know

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Improve the safety of road network for children.

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

Don't try and achieve any climate change goals.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Do not remove facilities that have made the community what it is over the last 40 years.

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?



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Your feedback:

1. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?**

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Marlborough park is not well maintained when it comes to sufficient lighting to provide safety after dark at the Edgeworth Road entrance which has steps where community members can fall or even be harmed by wrong-doers in poor visibility. Better safety management required at this entrance when dark. to prevent incidents.

2. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

I don't know

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

4. **How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?**
-

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

If we are all seen as equals in our community, why is Māori business supported to grow above others, and not ALL business supported EQUALLY to grow? It discriminates.

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

I don't know

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Do not support at all

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

The community should have a say before decisions are made.

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

More frequent short surveys directed at a specific issue is required to be taken.



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Your feedback:

1. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Opportunities for people to gather and connect should be a consideration if not already. Single-person households, social isolation and loneliness on the rise and not always addressed. I'd like to see compelling and accessible spaces that can be activated in different ways that encourage people to come together and build social connections with others in the community.

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

The bush networks, parks and connected off-road walks are the number one reason I live in this area. Any diminishment of that I believe would change my quality of life.

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

The transition from standalone homes to higher-density housing is changing the character and functionality of local streets. Increased reliance on on-street parking is reducing visibility for drivers, cyclists and pedestrians, creating safety concerns as well as overall enjoyment of walking in the neighbourhood. Accessibility also an issue as more cars park across footpaths. What obligations do developers have to ensure sufficient off-street parking is incorporated into new builds?

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Looking forward to the new Northcote centre as a place of gathering and pride. Not sure what jobs are being created in the board region for people to work locally?

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

It is frustrating that cycling across the Harbour Bridge is still not an option. I have biked to work in Singapore, Chicago, Sydney and London and seen first-hand how much more social it makes a city when you get people out of their cars! Probably out of your jurisdiction, but given the increasing popularity of e-bikes and the want to reduce congestion, it seems increasingly important to prioritise a harbour crossing that accommodates cyclists and walkers as well as motorists. Not to mention the personal cost-savings, and health gains from incidental exercise. Also would like a proper Tuff Crater loop and the bridge to nowhere to link up to the Sulphur Beach tunnel

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Don't do anything that changes our natural environment and bush network

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

Have periodic in-person updates



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1. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?**

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Also consider the needs of the diverse population that lives here - more cultural events and signages reflecting people who live here.

2. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Northcote Centre upgrade need to be expedited!

Also please fix slippery footpath.

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Better public hospital capability (so we don't have to go to Auckland hospital),

Better town centres - Northcote shouldn't be run down.

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

There should be cycleways for:

1. Glenfield Road, which connects Bikenhead (which has a wharf) and Upper Harbour Drive (to west).

2. Wairau road: currently no cycle access between Archers Rd and Unsworth Reserve.

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

More posts on community facebook page



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Your feedback:

1. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Well balanced for our community.

Care of the walking network and scenic reserves offer opportunities for community volunteer participation just as much as many sports. This links to Natural Environment Objectives.

Flood resilience and adaptation can be supported by connecting communities and landowners with advice on measures they can use that cannot be covered by Council funding.

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

KLB has been a leader in supporting community groups to protect and enhance our Urban Forest. This also aligns with Climate Adaptation focus.

Advocacy to private landowners to protect existing trees and replace where practical by offset voluntary contributions at the least may help with the twin pressures of house building and management of trees 50 years old planted near houses. This can be started immediately

whereas tree protection legislation would take too long and may trigger deforestation ahead of change.

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Birkenhead and Northcote are progressing and need this support to continue.

Glenfield Plan may need updating to respond to PC120, if the business community and landowners are ready to move forward.

Wairau valley Blue-Green projects are urgently needed, supported by redevelopment opportunities.

PC120 will need good advocacy and alignment of objectives. KLB has some very difficult constraints on development done well that need community guidance beyond just Zoning. KLB need to be able to bring community engagement at the local level.

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

This aligns well with Built Environment.

Advocacy on public transport opportunities in Kaipātiki to support both Built Environment and Economic opportunities needs to be managed with care to be effective.

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Kaipātiki Connections Plan needs significant investment to develop new paths and maintain existing, especially bush paths affected by climate major events. Programming has led to slow progress in many places since the Anniversary Flood and other events: this needs significant planning and funding effort. A heavy workload for KLB, but the efforts are much appreciated.

Transport Reform will need a significant update to this Plan. Advocacy will be the main focus for community perspective on Arterial Roads, both to Governing Body and AT (for public transport). Much more KLB focus for Opportunities and Priorities will be on the Local Roads for which KLB will be the Road Controlling Authority. This may require more community

engagement with on-street parking, accessible paths and crossing safety. Safe access to schools is a good focal challenge.

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

Enabling private landowners and community groups to work alongside Council is something for KLB to support for the distinctive environment of our area.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Current vs. future needs;

alternative funding sources;

long term funding plans to allow for economy fluctuating.

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

Promote KLB pages on Council communications streams.

Neighbourhood workshops on localised initiatives.

Use Deliberative Democracy and stick with its recommendations, even when lobby groups push back.



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Organisation: N/A

Local Board: Kaipātiki

Your feedback:

1. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I would like to see more free community events for children especially in the school holiday. I have had to travel to other local board areas this last school holidays for events like nature play, messy play and junk play etc.

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I feel that our local areas could be more welcoming and cleaner. There are a lot of very shabby looking buildings and unsafe areas. I realise some retail shops are closing but the frontage's become very unsightly. If large area of retail space is to be left unused, then maybe it should be converted to other uses for the community.

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Not well at all

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Areas need to be kept clean and be more inviting maybe attracting visitors with displays about the areas history?

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

The roads are still in need of attention in many places, and the traffic light sequencing impedes the flow of traffic in places. Public transport is generally good although not always safe. The elderly and disabled may well struggle though

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Consider the whole community. Take on board some of the events from other local boards

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

The local events that are provided are poorly advertised mainly due to the likes of Facebook algorithms and often appear after the event



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Local Board: Kaipātiki

Your feedback:

1. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?**

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

2. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?**

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Our urban development minimises impacts on the natural environment is extremely important. Too much intensification in Beach Haven. Protect the trees and the neighbours. We are getting intensification sprawl. Keep the intensification confined to certain areas. Random intensification is ruining the look and feel of the area. People need to have certainty about what the area is going to look like in the future. Too many cheap, poorly designed and low quality developments being approved. Too many trees being cut down. Take the control away from the developers and put it back into the hands of the council.

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

As mentioned before - a lot of low quality development is occurring and The Beach Haven village had almost died and I don't think it can be revived. I would love for that to happen but I can't see how

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

As I said before Beach Haven is dying. These are nice words but how can these objectives be achieved. It has broken my heart to see Beach haven slowly die before my eyes

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

A great plan but a huge amount of work is needed to achieve it. See my comments to the previous questions

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Deal with the issues created by poorly planned random intensification

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

More consultation in ways that will reach the people in the community. How effective is the "have your say" strategy?



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Your feedback:

1. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Support organisations that are willing to engage with other groups or projects. Create a safe and inviting community space for all to share and celebrate.

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

Live stream the local board workshops or business meetings. Some of us can't attend during work hours, we would like to see and hear what is being discussed or decided on.



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Your feedback:

1. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

You've reflected the diversity of people throughout the community and have addressed their needs well. There is still a requirement though to more closely reflect the desires of the community and to achieve better engagement and closer consultation with those directly affected by the changes taking place within our community.

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Not well at all

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Your stated aim to protect the natural environment is in complete contrast to what you have proposed in the Shepherds Park to Tui Park Coastal Connection Walkway. You have voted to build an unsightly walkway through a pristine environment which in your own words contains some of the most rare habitat on the Auckland isthmus. Included in that habitat is an at risk and declining bird species - the Banded Rail.

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

The concern is that urban sprawl is overtaking our community. In-fill housing is progressing at an alarming rate and with it comes all the problems associated with a large increase in the local population. The infrastructure has not been future proofed to be able to cope with such vast changes.

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider**5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?**

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

The roading is in a shocking state especially leading into and out of Beachhaven village. The roads are being systematically ruined with the huge increases in trucks working on endless building sites.

I believe that the Kaipātiki Network has a virtually negligible affect on commuting.

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

The ability to plan for future costings associated with projects

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?



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Local Board: Kaipātiki

Your feedback:

1. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?**

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

If a project impacts on peoples property they should be the first to be consulted

2. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?**

Not well at all

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Putting a costly walkway impacting a pristine environment which is home to rare birds, I feel, goes against your stated plan and at a huge environmental cost.

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

4. **How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Not well at all

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Our roads in the Beachhaven Birdale area being the main roads in and out are poorly maintained the surfaces off these roads are terrible and they will not improve with the increase in traffic with the intensification of new builds. I feel the plans to add expensive walkway through pristine environments and cycleway totally no essential if we can't maintain roading and parks that we have now.

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Do not support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

Look after the environment. Improve play equipment in play ground, replenish the plants in parks.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Environment and ensuring allocated money is spent wisely.

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

Consulting with residents if projects are going to affect their property.

More information on events through social media .



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Your feedback:

1. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

The arts objective — "Opportunities to celebrate creativity in the arts are available and accessible to all" — is one I really value, and I'd love to see it given a bit more to work with. It currently has one supporting initiative, without a linked plan or named partner. Two suggestions: (1) Consider adding "Increased financial support for Auckland's creative industries" to the Community advocacy table — the draft Devonport-Takapuna plan already carries this exact line to the same Governing Body, so it's readily available wording. (2) Consider committing to an arts and culture provision assessment, on the same basis as the Kaipātiki Sport and Recreation Facilities Plan. The plan's six planning instruments are a real strength; adding one for arts would give future arts investment decisions the same evidence footing the other portfolios enjoy. Whau's Creative Industries Needs and Opportunities Assessment is a current, local model for this.

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

The framing of te ao Māori and mātauranga Māori as guiding how the environment is cared for, with mana whenua resourced to exercise kaitiakitanga, is exactly right. The Ngā Wairau blue-

green work responding to the 2023 weather events, the stream daylighting, and the shoreline adaptation plan implementation show a section grounded in real catchment evidence. I particularly welcome the kai sovereignty initiative — as someone who grows food at home, I think community-led food growing is one of the most practical ways residents connect environmental goals to daily life — and the advocacy line seeking direct volunteer-group involvement in setting and monitoring contracted ecological services, which is a genuinely progressive ask.

One suggestion, responding to a challenge the section itself names: volunteer burnout. The plan is honest that increased reliance on volunteers risks burnout and that new approaches may be needed to retain and attract them — but the initiatives largely continue the current support model. The single most effective retention measure the board could add is predictability: multi-year rather than annual support arrangements for established groups like Pest Free Kaipātiki and Kaipātiki Project, so they can plan programmes, retain coordinators and give volunteers continuity. Burnout is driven less by the work than by the administrative churn of re-securing support every year. The Community Park Ranger role is valuable connective tissue here and worth protecting through any trade-off decisions.

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I particularly support co-designing the Northcote regeneration and public spaces with mana whenua to reflect Māori identity, art and narratives. One suggestion: it would be valuable to see the Northcote Community Hub specified a little further — the intended arts and exhibition space, operating model, and delivery partner — and named against the "LBP priority significant capital project" line in the Financial overview. Whau's plan itemises Te Hono Library and Community Centre, and Māngere-Ōtāhuhu names David Lange Park stage 2 in the same field, and it seemed to give those commitments helpful visibility. A clearly specified commitment is also easier for community organisations to plan around and to leverage external funding against.

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

The section notes that arts and recreation services were among the top three contributors to local economic growth, which is great to see acknowledged. Building on that, could "arts and culture" be added to the destination initiative alongside the natural environment, walks, cuisine and sports experiences? It's a four-word addition that would align the destination list with both the growth evidence and the plan's own arts objective. An accompanying initiative to partner with local artists and arts organisations — similar to Whau's — would also be

welcome. Other boards, including Māngere-Ōtāhuhu and Henderson-Massey, have found the creative sector a useful part of their local economic story, and I think Kaipātiki has just as much to offer there.

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

nothing to add .

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

On Māori outcomes: the plan cites Tāmaki Ora, whose seven wellbeing outcomes include Tuakiri Ora — cultural identity wellbeing. Arts programming is one of the most direct local delivery mechanisms for Tuakiri Ora, and the plan already contains the raw material: the initiative "Support Māori identity and culture being visible in local programmes, events, parks and facilities," the mana whenua co-design commitment for the Northcote regeneration, and the finding that the median age of Māori in Kaipātiki is ten years below the area median. Connecting the arts objective to these — and marking it with the Māori outcomes icon, as other boards' plans do for their arts initiatives — would strengthen the plan's contribution to Tāmaki Ora. Rangatahi-focused creative programmes would speak directly to that younger Māori demographic.

On climate: local arts and cultural venues are inherently low-carbon recreation — places people can walk or take a short bus ride to, in their own town centre, rather than driving across the region. Supporting vibrant local cultural offerings is consistent with the plan's goals around reducing transport emissions and strengthening town centres. Creative programming is also a proven way to build the community understanding of climate risk and preparedness the plan says is needed.

Finally, on equity and regional alignment: with 46% of residents born overseas, arts and cultural programmes are among the most accessible entry points to participation and belonging for newer communities — the outcomes at the heart of Ngā Hapori Momoho, the Thriving Communities Strategy the plan cites. I'd also note that Toi Whītiki, Auckland's arts and culture strategy, provides a ready regional framework for the arts provision assessment and advocacy line suggested in my earlier answers — the plan currently connects its sport commitments to regional instruments but its arts objective to none.

- 7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.**

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Six factors, in rough order of importance:

Evidenced community value, measured fairly across asset types. Some activities have well-developed performance measures and some don't — arts and culture, for instance, is named in the levels of service table but has no measure attached. If decisions rely on the data that happens to exist, activities without measures will lose by default, regardless of their actual value. Before reviewing any asset, the board should make sure it can measure what that asset does.

What residents are telling you now. The board's own data shows satisfaction with council-run community facilities at 88.9%, above the regional average. That suggests the facilities network as a whole is delivering, and any review should start from that evidence rather than from an assumption of underperformance.

The full range of alternatives before removal. Repurposing, shared-use agreements, changed operating models, community operation and partnership funding should all be exhausted before decommissioning is considered. Other boards facing the same fiscal pressure have framed their asset work entirely around these options. Removal is irreversible — land and buildings, once gone, are effectively never replaced at today's costs.

What each asset brings in beyond rates. Some facilities attract volunteer hours, philanthropic funding, sponsorship and community-raised revenue that would disappear with the facility. The true cost of closure includes losing that leverage, and the plan itself commits to seeking non-rates funding sources.

Equity of provision across the network. Whether closing an asset would leave a community, an age group or an activity type without reasonable local access — not just whether the specific building is busy.

Genuine consultation before proposals are formed, not after. Communities should be involved when options are still open. A consultation on a decision already made damages trust well beyond the facility in question.

- 8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?**

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

The board already does a lot well — the engagement period for this plan was well publicised, the documents are accessible, and the pop-up sessions in community spaces are a genuine strength. Three suggestions from my experience in the local arts community:

First, extend the pop-up model into arts and culture venues. Galleries and creative spaces draw a distinct audience — including many of the migrant and ethnic communities the plan identifies as harder to reach (46% of Kaipātiki residents were born overseas) — and their visitors often aren't the same people encountered at libraries or events.

Second, engage the arts and culture sector as a sector, the way the board already engages sport and recreation clubs around its facilities planning. When planning instruments like provision assessments or facility plans are being scoped, early conversations with the people who run and use arts spaces would surface needs and partnership opportunities before drafts are locked in, rather than through submissions afterwards.

Third, close the loop. The most encouraging thing a board can do for future participation is to report back specifically on what changed as a result of feedback — even briefly, even where the answer is "we considered this and couldn't do it because...". People engage again when they can see their last engagement landed somewhere.



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Local Board: Kaipātiki

Your feedback:

1. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I support the prioritization of funding for libraries. I support investment in natural solutions for parks and public spaces. The council facilities that my whānau uses the most are libraries, playgrounds, bush reserves, and pools.

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Alongside the initiatives in the plan, I'd love to see some community gardens in our area.

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Prioritise intensification around town centres and main bus corridors to ensure more people can access what they need without needing to use a car.

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

I don't know

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I'd like to see stronger emphasis on circular economy and other sustainable business practices.

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Our school children need safer environments for walking, cycling, scooting and busing. This means creating more safe pedestrian crossings, more cycling paths, and slowing down cars within our school catchments - not just outside the school gate, but all the way to and from home.

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Location is important. If some facilities are closed, it means more people will have to travel further, which puts more cars on the road, makes our roads less safe, and costs families more money. Having facilities that can be easily accessed by bus or bike provides more options for people.

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?



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Your feedback:

1. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?

I don't know

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

I don't know

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Not well at all

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Please refer to the document I uploaded.

Cumulative Transport and Parking Effects of Approved Intensification on Saffron Street,
Birkdale

I am happy to meet in person or further discuss over the phone.

My mobile 0272625241. Thank you!

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Not well at all

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I don't know

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

I am happy to meet in person or further discuss over the phone.

My mobile 0272625241. Thank you!

Other documents I can provide for ease of reference:

BUN60450840 s95 Report,

BUN60450840 (LUC60450843 & WAT60450841) Approved Plans,

BUN60450840 (LUC60450843 & WAT60450841) Decision,

BUN60450840 (SUB60450842) Approved Plans,

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BUN60459229 Approved Architectural Plans

BUN60459229 Approved Scheme Plan

BUN60459229 Signed Land Use Decision

BUN60459229 Signed Notification Report

BUN60459229 Signed Subdivision Decision

Complaint regarding process integrity, assessment quality, and cumulative effects by Andy Roche, one of Saffron Street residents

Council's reply

Repeated queries by Andy Roche

Cumulative Transport and Parking Effects of Approved Intensification on Saffron Street, Birkdale

Executive Summary

This report assesses the cumulative operational effects arising from two approved residential developments at 5, 7 and 9 Saffron Street, Birkdale, which will increase the number of dwellings from 3 to 17.

The assessment focuses on matters including kerbside parking demand, carriageway operation, emergency and service vehicle access, pedestrian movement and kerbside waste collection.

The report does not seek to challenge the policy objective of residential intensification. Rather, it examines whether the combined operational effects of the approved developments have been adequately considered within the resource consent process.

This report considers the cumulative operational effects of the approved developments only. It does not assess urban design, architectural quality, residential amenity or compliance with planning controls except where those matters directly influence transport and street operation.

The report concludes that although each development was assessed individually, their combined operational effects do not appear to have been comprehensively evaluated.

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Focus

Resource consent BUN60450840 concludes the transport effects are acceptable and adverse effects are **less than minor**.

Resource consent BUN60459229 similarly concludes the proposal will result in acceptable actual and potential effects and that adverse effects are **less than minor**.

The following sections examine these conclusions in the context of the cumulative operation of both approved developments.

Individually, each of the operational effects identified in this report may appear manageable in isolation. However, the Resource Management Act requires consideration of cumulative effects where multiple activities combine to influence the receiving environment.

In this instance, the interaction of increased parking demand, reduced kerbside availability, service vehicle movements, pedestrian activity and waste collection operations may collectively affect the day-to-day operation of Saffron Street to a greater extent than consideration of any single effect alone.

Existing Streetscape – Overall View

Image 1: An overall view of Saffron Street in relation to other roads.



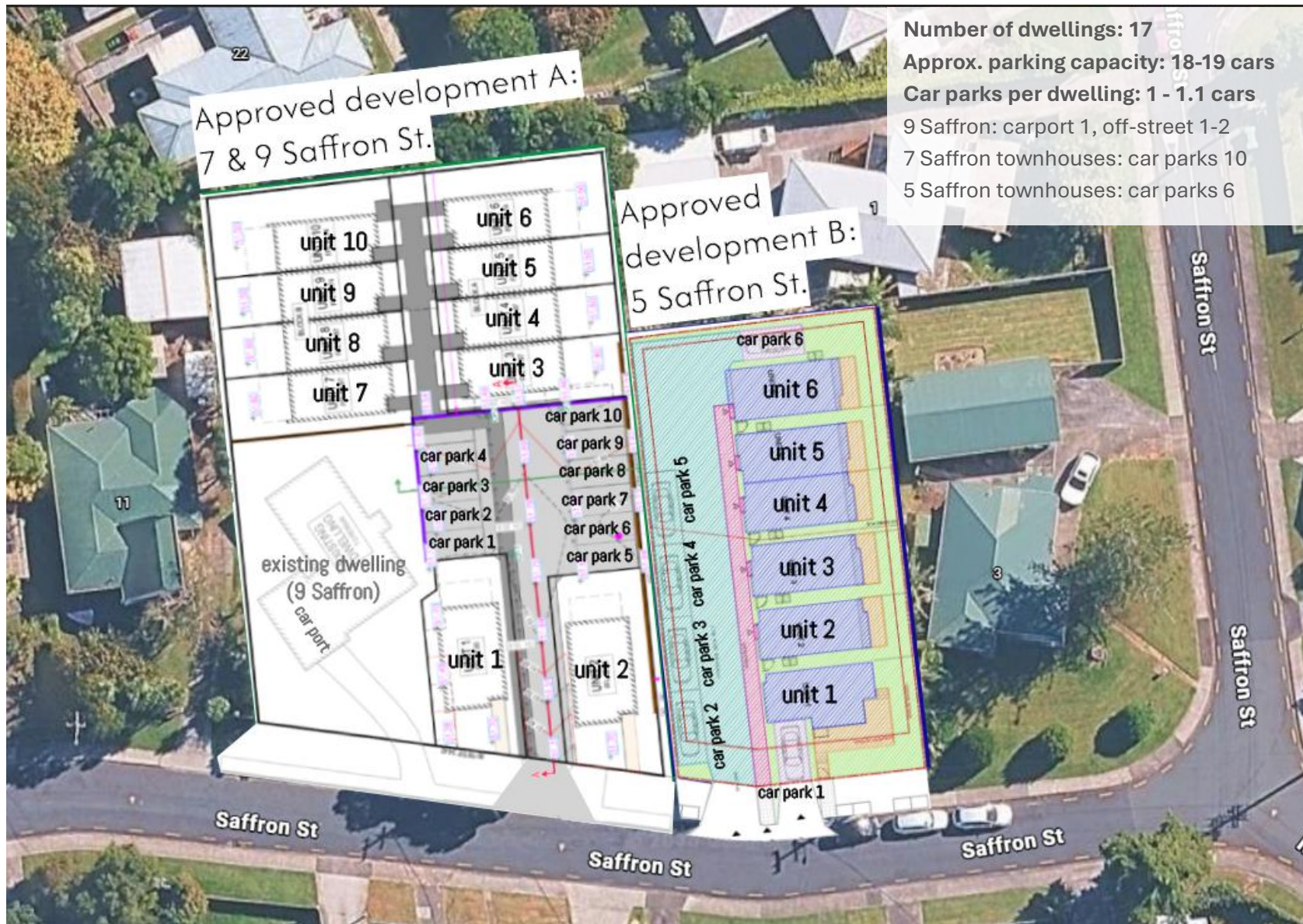
Existing Streetscape – Close-Up View

Image 2.1 – Section of Saffron Street containing the approved developments at 5, 7 and 9 Saffron Street



Approved Developments – Illustrative streetscape based on the approved scheme plans

Image 2.2 – Section of Saffron Street containing the approved developments at 5, 7 and 9 Saffron Street



Existing Off-Street Parking Provision

The following photographs illustrate the existing off-street parking arrangements associated with the properties proposed for redevelopment.

Image 3.1 – Existing driveway and off-street parking at 7 Saffron Street

Approx. parking capacity: carport 1, off-street 2



Image 3.2 – Existing driveway and off-street parking at 7 Saffron Street
Approx. parking capacity: garage 2, off-street 2-4



Image 3.3: Existing driveway and off-street parking at 5 Saffron
Approx. parking capacity: garage 1, off-street 1-2



According to the **2023 Census** (<https://www.knowledgeauckland.org.nz/media/1uinnc3/dwellings-and-households-in-auckland-2023-census-results-march-2025.pdf>), Auckland households contain an average of approximately **3 usual residents per household**. Based on this average, the proposed development would increase the number of dwellings on the site from **3 to 17**, representing a **net increase of 14 dwellings**, which could accommodate approximately **42 additional residents**. The **2023 Census** also indicates that Auckland households own an average of approximately **1.86 motor vehicles per household** (derived from the household motor vehicle ownership distribution <https://tools.summaries.stats.govt.nz/places/UR/auckland>). Applying this regional average to the **14 additional dwellings** suggests that the development could generate approximately **26 additional resident motor vehicles**. (**14 dwellings * 1.86 motor vehicle per household = 26.04 additional resident motor vehicles**). These estimates are indicative only and are intended to illustrate the potential scale of additional residential activity associated with the approved development, rather than predict the actual occupancy or vehicle ownership of future residents.

Image 4.1: Illustrative representation of additional resident vehicles. Only 16 vehicles are shown, in close proximity, for visual clarity.



Sources of additional parking demand

*** Visitor vehicles** – vehicles associated with social visits (family, friends and guests).

No reliable official statistic identifies the number of visitors received by an average Auckland household. For illustrative purposes, applying a simultaneous visitor-vehicle rate of **0.1–0.2 vehicles per dwelling** to the **14 additional dwellings** suggests ordinary visitor demand of approximately **1–3 vehicles at any one time**. Temporary demand may be higher during evenings, weekends, social gatherings, deliveries and maintenance visits.

*** Service or operational vehicles**

In addition to resident vehicles, the development can be expected to generate regular operational traffic including courier and delivery vehicles, tradespeople, maintenance contractors, utility services, and waste collection vehicles.

*** Emergency vehicle access**

Although emergency vehicle attendance is infrequent, the street must remain capable of accommodating emergency services, including fire appliances, ambulances and police vehicles, when required. This is particularly important where carriageway width and kerbside parking may affect vehicle manoeuvrability.

Interim Observation

The approved developments substantially increase the number of dwellings while reducing the average on-site parking provision. Although actual vehicle ownership will vary, the available evidence suggests increased demand for kerbside parking may reasonably be expected.

The entire Saffron street has a yellow marking on one side of the road: from the beginning at conjunction with Tiri Tiri Road down to the turning head at the end of the cul-de-sac.

Image 5.1 – Yellow Marking and No Stopping Restrictions



Image 5.2 – Yellow Marking and No Stopping Restrictions (continued)



For additional context, **on-street parking demand on Saffron Street periodically exceeds the available parking supply**. During these periods, residents and their visitors have been observed parking on road berms and across footpaths.

Image 7.1 – Illegal parking on Saffron Street due to exceeding parking supply



Image 7.2 – More observations of illegal parking on Saffron Street.



Image 7.3 – More observations of illegal parking on Saffron Street.



Repeated vehicle parking has damaged the road berms. During wet weather, the grass becomes worn away, leaving exposed soil and muddy areas.

Image 7.4 – Damaged road berms



Image 7.5 – Damaged road berms.



Existing Carriageway Width

Image 6.1 – Existing Road Width



Effective carriageway width, measured kerb face to kerb face (metres)	Saffron Street	Utting Street, for comparison
Point 1	6.10 m	7.40 m
Point 2	6.07 m	7.45 m
Point 3	6.13 m	4.35 m
Average width	6.10 m	7.40 m

- For comparison, NZ Transport Agency (Waka Kotahi) states that a minimum combined lane width of **6.5 m** allows two maximum legal-width vehicles (2.5 m body width plus mirrors) to pass each other while remaining within their lanes.
- The measured carriageway width of Saffron Street is approximately **6.1 m**, **before accounting for the effect of parked vehicles** on the effective carriageway width. This is narrower than many local residential streets.
- That's also 0.4 m narrower than the NZTA design minimum for two maximum-width vehicles to comfortably pass while staying within their lanes.

Saffron Street carriageway: 6.10 m

Parked passenger car: ≈ 2.0 m

Remaining carriageway: ≈ 4.1 m

Rubbish truck: ≈ 2.55 m

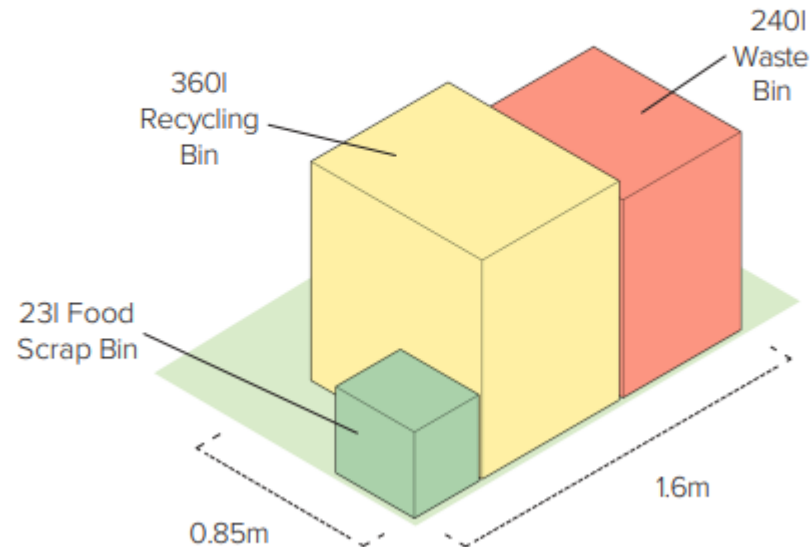
Remaining clearance while passing: ≈ 1.55 m (77.5 cm each side)

Image 6.2 – Visualising rubbish truck passing a small/medium passenger car



Image 7.1 – Waste Collection Operational Effects (continued)

Total Waste Bin Storage Area (1.4m²)



For illustrative purposes, the diagrams in this report use the maximum standard Auckland Council residential kerbside bin dimensions (240 L refuse, 360 L recycling and 23 L food scraps) identified in the Auckland Design Manual.

(https://www.aucklanddesignmanual.co.nz/content/dam/adm/adm-website/design-guidance/design-elements/r7-design-for-waste/Design_Element_R7_Design_for_Waste_V2.4a_09-06-2026.pdf)

These are the largest standard bins recommended for 3+ bedroom dwellings and therefore represent a conservative upper-bound assessment of the potential kerbside space occupied by waste bins. Although some dwellings may utilise smaller bins depending on household size and Council allocation, using the maximum standard dimensions provides a reasonable worst-case scenario for assessing the potential kerbside space required for waste collection.

Image 7.2 – Waste Collection Operational Effects: Estimating Current Kerbside Space **Required** and **Available** for Waste Collection

Note that all residents of the selected area below (just below Saffron Street) are required to present their rubbish bins to the same part of the street where the new developments have been approved.

The **available** kerbside distance between 2 and 16 Saffron Street is approximately $17+17+11 = 45$ metres.



*Residents of the area highlighted in **red** (14 dwellings) present their kerbside waste bins for collection in the area highlighted in **blue**. The area highlighted in **yellow** shows the location of the proposed 16-townhouse development.

14 dwellings * 3 bins per household
(general waste, recycling, food scraps) =
up to 42 bins for collection on alternate Thursdays

14 dwellings * 2 bins per household
(general waste, recycling, food scraps) =
up to 28 bins for collection on Thursdays

Not all households currently present a food scraps bin each week. However, the above figures represent the maximum number of bins that may be presented for collection if all households participate in the food scraps service.

$1.6 \text{ m (width required per 3 waste bins)} * 14 \text{ dwellings} = 22.4 \text{ metres}$ of kerbside distance are currently **required** for waste collection.

This value, 22.4 metres is NOT accounting for the new developments.

Image 7.3 – Waste Collection Operational Effects: Potential Bin Collection Constraints

Should kerbside parking become saturated due to parking demand generated by the new developments, residents may be required to present their waste bins on the opposite side of the street or at alternative locations where collection vehicles can safely access them.

Kerbside waste collection relies on collection vehicles being able to position alongside presented bins. Where parked vehicles occupy the kerbside immediately adjacent to the bins, access by side-loading collection vehicles may be impeded, potentially affecting the efficiency of waste collection operations.



17 dwellings * 3 bins per household (general waste, recycling, food scraps) = **up to 51 bins** for collection on alternate Thursdays

17 dwellings * 2 bins per household = **up to 34 bins** for collection on Thursdays

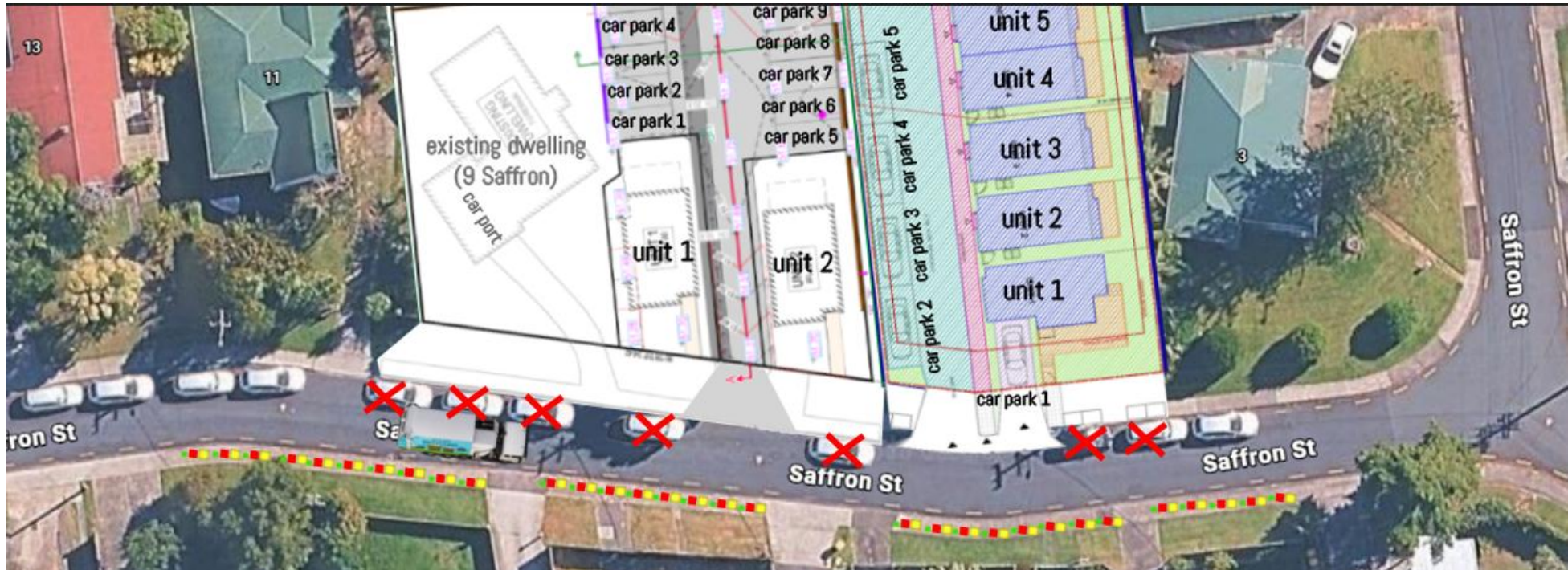
Table 1 – Waste Collection Operational Effects: Estimating the Total Kerb Frontage Required

	Existing dwellings (lower Saffron St)	Additional dwellings (9 Saffron +16 townhouses)	Total
Number of dwellings	14	17	31
Maximum bins (alternate Thursdays) (3 bins per dwelling)	42	51	93
Maximum bins (other Thursdays) (2 bins per dwelling)	28	34	62
Kerb frontage required (1.6 m per dwelling)	22.4 m	27.2 m	49.6 m

Image 7.4 – Waste Collection Operational Effects:

Estimating Potential Kerbside Space **Required** for Waste Collection, Accounting for New Developments

Illustrating the maximum 93 bins (approx. 50 metres) presented for collection on alternate Thursdays.



Given the narrow carriageway and the presence of on-street parking, a waste collection vehicle servicing bins along Saffron Street would occupy the remaining usable carriageway width. Other vehicles would generally be unable to pass within the roadway and may need to wait, or mount the kerb to manoeuvre around the collection vehicle.

Other safety considerations: cars reversing from driveways, parents with pram, wheelchairs, students going to one of 4 schools in the area (all 5-10 minutes walking away: Birkdale Primary, Birkdale Intermediate, Birkenhead College, Birkdale North School).

Image 7.6: Real-life Clearances (Vehicle Side Mirrors and Waste Bins)



Other Operational Considerations, Cumulative Effect

Increased kerbside parking and more frequent service vehicle activity may also increase interactions between vehicles, pedestrians and cyclists within the street environment. Examples include:

- vehicles reversing from private driveways with reduced visibility due to parked vehicles;
- pedestrians, including parents with prams and people using wheelchairs or other mobility aids, navigating around parked vehicles or waste bins;
- children and students walking to and from nearby schools, including Birkdale Primary School, Birkdale Intermediate School, Birkdale North School, and Birkenhead College;
- increased interactions between waste collection vehicles, delivery vehicles and general traffic where the carriageway is partially occupied by parked vehicles.

Individually, these interactions are common in residential streets. However, an increase in residential density and associated parking demand may increase both the frequency and complexity of these interactions, warranting consideration as part of the cumulative operational effects of the developments.

Conclusion

1. The cumulative effects considered in this report relate specifically to the approved developments at 5, 7 and 9 Saffron Street.

However, these developments do not appear to be isolated examples of residential intensification within the surrounding neighbourhood. Similar clusters of townhouse developments have occurred, or are occurring, elsewhere in Birkdale, including on Utting Street, Aplin Place and Eskdale Road.

Saffron Street may represent an example of a **broader planning issue**, whereby the cumulative operational effects of multiple residential intensification projects are assessed primarily at the individual resource consent level rather than holistically across a neighbourhood or local transport network.

This report does not attempt to answer that question. Rather, it uses Saffron Street as a case study to illustrate how multiple individually approved developments may collectively influence the operation of an existing residential street.

2. Based on the observations and calculations presented, this report raises a reasonable question as to **whether the cumulative operational effects of the approved developments at Saffron Street have been fully evaluated.**

3. While each consent was assessed individually, **the combined effect of both developments on Saffron Street results in a substantially different operational environment than currently exists.**

4. The evidence presented suggests that cumulative effects relating to kerbside parking, waste collection, emergency access and general operation of Saffron Street **warrant further consideration.**

5. The report respectfully suggests that Auckland Council consider whether **further assessment of the cumulative operational effects of these approved developments would assist future infrastructure and transport planning for Saffron Street.**



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Your feedback:

1. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of *our Community* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

2. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?**

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

4. **How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?**

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

Look to success of Maori programming at BBCP and apply that to other parts of the community to help develop more kaupapa Maori initiatives across the community. Prioritise Maori place names and streets as an education tool for all of our community to share in our history.

7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Sustainability and what will serve our community long term.

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

Members do a good job in keeping us informed.



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Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Can see lots happening through the effort and work from the Board

2. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?**

I don't know

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Not having much knowledge about this part, but have been involved in many eco-friendly activities and events, just to learn

3. **How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?**

I don't know

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Hard to comment, eg. Northcote Ctr is still under construction, which is a primary project I reckon

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

The economy has been in downturn in general, therefore our area is relatively bit stable

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

At least the transportation hasn't been getting worse from my observation, thanks to more travel options based on our location

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

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7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

Reduce expenditure; make the most use of the current facilities?

8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

Information meetings, emails



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Parks around the community are well maintained which is good however strongly feel it would be very beneficial for a community with lots of young children that government funded areas have some sort of lost and found system. As in my experience I or younger members in my family forget items in places such the Birkenhead leisure skate park, returned the next day in the early morning (some cases not even 12 hours after losing said item) they are gone. Whilst I understand this may not be a realistic change for all public spaces in the community, I strongly believe that places like the Birkenhead leisure skatepark should not neglect the lost and found and be able to look after belongings in wider spaces, not just pools and indoor locations.

2. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Natural Environment* in this section?

Very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I believe the board has made good choices investing in groups like Pest Free Kaipātiki and Kaipātiki Project, and the work they do protecting our bush and waterways. However, I would like to see more effort put into getting young people involved in community cleanups and

restoration work. Currently, many of these events seem to attract an older crowd, and they aren't always marketed or designed in a way that appeals to younger people.

I know Pest Free Kaipātiki already works with ten schools across Kaipātiki teaching hands-on restoration skills, which is great. But beyond schools, there should be more opportunities for young people to get involved—whether through social media promotion, fun social elements like BBQs after cleanups, or recognition for volunteering. We want to be kaitiaki of our local environment, but we need the board and local groups to meet us halfway and make these events accessible and appealing to our generation.

3. How well do you think we captured the needs and priorities of our *Built Environment* in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I don't have strong views on this section, but I would note that well-maintained and safe town centres are important for young people who walk or take public transport through these areas. Having vibrant, inclusive spaces where young people feel welcome and safe would be a positive step.

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

I'm glad to see "Our young people are ready for the workforce" included as an objective. However, I'd like to see more detail on how this will be achieved. Work experience programmes, career pathways in conservation and environmental science (which link to the Natural Environment objectives), and partnerships with local businesses to offer internships or apprenticeships would be valuable for young people in Kaipātiki.

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

Most of the feedback for transport that I have would mostly be for Auckland transport regarding bus times and school bus availability.

6. Overall, what is your opinion of the draft Kaipātiki Local Board Plan 2026?

Support most

Tell us why and if there's anything else you would like us to consider, including how we could better meet our climate change goals or Māori outcome aspirations.

- 7. To ensure our community facilities network is sustainable over the long term, the local board may need to review how assets are used, including whether some may no longer be fit for purpose.**

What factors do you think the local board should consider when making decisions about the future of local facilities and assets?

I'd like to see concrete actions like a youth advisory group or a youth seat on the board. Young people are the future of this community, and we should have a real say in shaping it.

- 8. How could the Kaipātiki Local Board improve the way it engages with you about local decisions, projects and priorities?**

For example, how should we keep you informed, involve you in decisions, and make it easy for you to have your say?

Community need vs. cost – Are there facilities that serve a small group but cost a lot to maintain? Could they be repurposed to serve more people?

Accessibility – Are facilities accessible by public transport or safe walking routes? For young people without cars, this is a major factor.

Environmental impact – Does the facility contribute to sustainability goals, or does it have a negative environmental footprint?

Multi-use potential – Could facilities be used for more than one purpose? For example, a community centre could host youth programmes, environmental workshops, and art classes, making it more valuable to the whole community.

Future growth – Kaipātiki is growing, with more young families and young people moving in. Facilities should be planned with future population growth in mind, not just current usage.



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Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

It's important that green spaces are planned as part of intensive development; every medium to high density development should have a public Green space as part of its planning permission, e.g. parks, allotments etc

4. How well do you think we captured our *Economic Development* needs and priorities in this section?
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Quite well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

5. How well do you think we captured our *Transport* needs and priorities in this section?

Not very well

Tell us why, and if there's anything else you would like us to consider

We should have a plan for rail or trams

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