



# Community Link



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## Help to keep Whanganui beautiful

Whanganui District Council is entering the Keep New Zealand Beautiful Awards again after winning New Zealand's Most Beautiful City and Best Street trophies in 2019.

The Council is entering under the Most Beautiful Large Town category this year and we'd like to hear about potential contributions from the community that could be included in the entry, specifically any community-initiated projects that enhance Whanganui's environment in these areas:

- **Litter prevention / waste minimisation** – can include, for example, clean-ups, education and community engagement related to litter
- **Community beautification projects** – includes plantings and/or maintenance of landscape areas, community murals and heritage restoration
- **Improve recycling projects** – includes events, collections, education and community engagement related to recycling
- **Sustainable tourism attractions** – includes implementing ecological restoration or waste minimisation initiatives that cater to tourism.



If you know of an initiative that might be eligible for entry in the awards – it needs to have been started in the 12 months between August 2019 and 5 August 2020 – please email: [awards@whanganui.govt.nz](mailto:awards@whanganui.govt.nz) by **midnight on Friday, 17 July 2020**. For more information about the Keep New Zealand Beautiful Awards and the organisation's activities and goals, visit: [www.knzb.org.nz/beautiful-awards-2020](http://www.knzb.org.nz/beautiful-awards-2020)

## A blooming trip hazard

It's the time of year when camellia blooms brighten up winter days in many of Whanganui's suburban streets. However, as well as providing beautiful displays of colour over the colder months, masses of fallen flowers can also create a trip hazard for pedestrians, especially elderly walkers. In the interest of community safety, Whanganui District Council requests that if you own a camellia bush or hedge that overhangs a public footpath, please make sure that dropped flowers are removed on a regular basis. Thank you!



## Notice of intention to issue Licence to Occupy

Pursuant to Section 54 of the Reserves Act 1977, Whanganui District Council gives notice of an intention to issue a Licence to Occupy to Grant Doney for the term of five years from 1 September, 2020 for about 339-square metres of land being part of Certificate of Title WN575/262 adjoining 9 Maxwell Street, Durie Hill, Whanganui – commonly known as Polson Park – for the purposes of a garden shed.

Written submissions (stating the grounds for objection) to the issue of the licence should be forwarded to the undersigned by **4.00pm on Friday, 31 July 2020**. Further information relating to the issue of this notice can be obtained by calling Council Property Officer, Dianne Love, on (06) 349 3159.

## Input wanted on proposed Whanganui Port CCO

Whanganui District Council is consulting on a proposal to establish a new port-related Council-controlled organisation (CCO) for the purposes of developing, operating and maintaining Whanganui Port and associated assets. To submit feedback, complete the submission form online at: [www.whanganui.govt.nz/have-your-say](http://www.whanganui.govt.nz/have-your-say) or email your thoughts to: [policysubmissions@whanganui.govt.nz](mailto:policysubmissions@whanganui.govt.nz) or drop a submission form into Council Customer Services at 101 Guyton Street. Hard copies of the proposed policy, statement of proposal and submission form are available from 101 Guyton Street, the Davis Library or Gonville Library. All consultation information is also available at: [www.whanganui.govt.nz/have-your-say](http://www.whanganui.govt.nz/have-your-say). Submissions close at **5.00pm on Friday, 31 July 2020**.

### WHANGANUI DISTRICT COUNCIL PUBLIC CONSULTATIONS

Whanganui District Council invites you to have your say on the following topics:

- Review of Streets Infrastructure Bylaw 2015
- Consultation on New Port-Related Council-Controlled Organisation
- Upokongaro War Memorial Hall Survey

For more information, please visit: [www.whanganui.govt.nz/have-your-say](http://www.whanganui.govt.nz/have-your-say)

Have your say

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## July planned works

- Flood damage recovery** – Major works on Whangaehu Valley Road (2017 storm event)
- Pavement road maintenance** – Mangamahu Road, Whangaehu Hotel Road
- Road re-metalling** – Mangamahu Road, Burmah Hill Road
- Unsealed road grading** – Kauarapaoa Road, Mangamahu Road, Burmah Hill Road, Okoia area
- Safety improvement** – Mosston School bus bay
- Tree removal** – Victoria Avenue
- Kerb and channel renewal** – Wilson Street
- Footpath renewal** – Wilson Street
- Pavement reinstatement** – Wilson Street
- Water table/culvert maintenance** – Brunswick Road, Creek Road, Longacre Road, Matatara Road
- Mowing and vegetation treatment** – Brunswick area
- In-ground services** – Gloucester Street (Glasgow Street to Somme Parade), Wilson Street (lower block)

## Requests for tender

- Contract No 1879: Hillside Tce to Peat St – Watermain replacement**

Whanganui District Council is inviting tenders from suitably experienced contractors to replace the existing watermain from Hillside Terrace to Peat Street. Tender documents are available at: [www.tenderlink.com/whanganui](http://www.tenderlink.com/whanganui) TenderLink reference: **WANGDC-924826**
  - Contract No 1884: Cemetery services**

Whanganui District Council is inviting tenders from suitably experienced contractors to provide specialist cemetery management services including grounds maintenance at Aramoho Cemetery, cremation and burial services, associated chapel services and all required data and document management. Tender documents are available at: [www.tenderlink.com/whanganui](http://www.tenderlink.com/whanganui) TenderLink reference: **WANGDC-925001**
  - PLEASE NOTE** – Tenders for either contract must be submitted no later than **4.00pm on Thursday, 30 July 2020**.
- Go to [www.tenderlink.com/whanganui](http://www.tenderlink.com/whanganui) to register with TenderLink – for TenderLink enquiries call 0800 698 363. Please contact the Council's Senior Procurement Officer, Lana Treen, between 10.00am-3.00pm weekdays at: [lanatreen@whanganui.govt.nz](mailto:lanatreen@whanganui.govt.nz) or call (06) 349 3105 for any other tendering assistance with either of these contracts.

## Council meetings

Meetings next week		
Council Meeting	1.00pm Tuesday 14 July	Council Chamber, 101 Guyton Street
• <b>Strike rates</b>		
Policy and Bylaw Committee	1.30pm Tuesday 14 July	Council Chamber, 101 Guyton Street
• <b>Rates Remission Policy</b>		

Agendas are available at: [www.whanganui.govt.nz/agendas](http://www.whanganui.govt.nz/agendas)  
Full Council meetings are livestreamed at:  
• [www.facebook.com/whanganuidistrictcouncil](http://www.facebook.com/whanganuidistrictcouncil)  
• [www.whanganui.govt.nz/live-council-meetings](http://www.whanganui.govt.nz/live-council-meetings)

## WELCOME BACK!

**Whanganui Venues & Events is pleased to announce that normal operating hours have resumed at the Whanganui War Memorial Centre, Royal Wanganui Opera House and Cooks Gardens Event Centre.**

*Whether it's 20 or 2000 guests we have the venue, including an extensive range of spaces, for every occasion – contact us today to book your next event!*

For more information, go to [www.whanganuivenues.co.nz](http://www.whanganuivenues.co.nz) or call (06) 349 0513