

Annual Plan 2017/2018 - Local Consultation Content

Henderson-Massey Local Board

Each year we review priorities and activities in your local board area to ensure we continue delivering the right outcomes. We're seeking your input for the 2017/2018 year.

Message from the chair

Many areas of Henderson-Massey will be facing growth over the next 10 years, and our local board sees this as an opportunity. We want to lead on smart growth initiatives, to take care of what we have and to advocate for high-quality transport, waters, open space and facility infrastructure that meets future demands. When communities grow, this is a chance to develop greater connectedness, a place where we know our neighbours and promote positive safety as well.

Easy to get to parks and community facilities that meet the needs of their local residents is a focus for us. The new communities of the greater Massey and Westgate areas in particular will need high quality community spaces to be planned for and built as these communities grow. High quality urban living also means getting local people into local jobs. Over that past two years the local board has supported local businesses with establishing a business association across Henderson-Lincoln and by June 2017 we will see if they have been successful in establishing a Business Improvement District to bring benefit to all. The environment is important to us all, and with Project Twin Streams now into its second decade we will be looking at what further can be done to help our streams to become more healthy.

We look to work alongside you as we process our shared vision outlined in our local board plan for your community in 2017/18, please let us know what you think.

What we plan to do

Based on our 10 year budget, in 2017/2018 we plan to invest \$39.6 million to renew and develop assets in your local board area and \$23.1 million to maintain and operate these assets and provide other local initiatives. This includes:

- Construction of combined library and community centre at Westgate
- Open space development at Westgate
- Allocation of SH16/20 NZTA compensation for their use of Harbourview-Orangihina Park to areas affected by the motorway project
- Upgrade stormwater at Waiarohia and Totara Ponds, Westgate
- Planned renewal of existing park, community centre, and library assets

What might change?

We are not proposing to make major changes to the plans that were signalled for the third year of the Henderson-Massey Local Board Plan 2014.

We would like to do more towards:

- Preparing an updated open space plan for Harbourview-Orangihina Park, building on work done in the past as well as bringing in fresh thinking.
- Supporting Henderson Riding for the Disabled to progress its vision of finding a home where it can expand its services
- Investing additional local board funding in parks, play grounds, footpaths, and off road shared walking and cycling paths
- Working with Panuku Development Auckland to progress residential development occurring on the sites that council owns in Henderson.
- Supporting community groups and business's with renewed efforts to improve water quality in our streams

What do you think of these proposals?

What do you think we should include in our plan for Harbourview-Orangihina?