

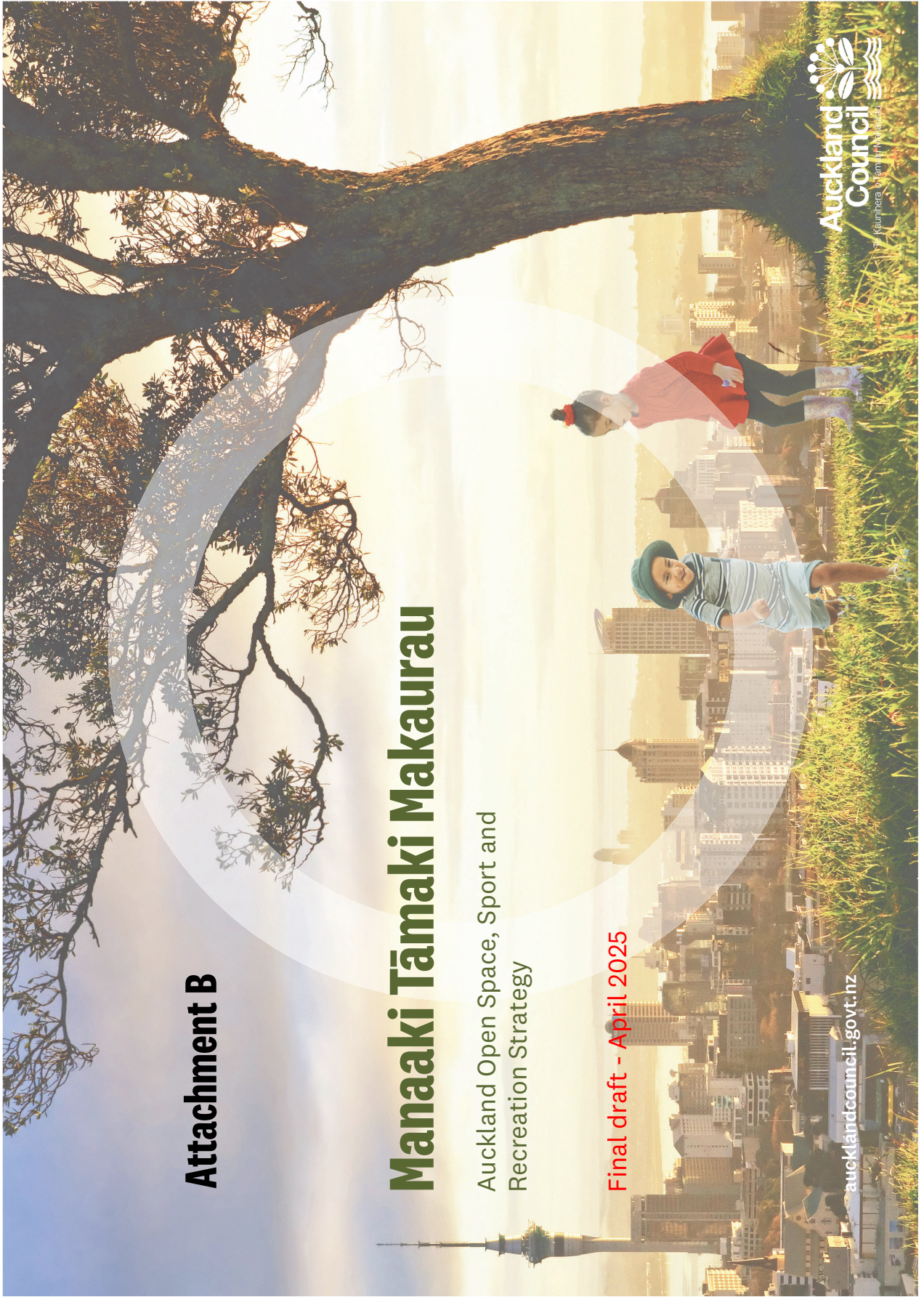
Date: Wednesday 30 April 2025
Time: 10.00am
Meeting Room: Kaipātiki Local Board Office
Venue: 90 Bentley Avenue
Glenfield

Kaipātiki Local Board

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Manaaki Tāmaki Makaurau

Auckland Open Space, Sport and
Recreation Strategy

Final draft - April 2025

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Manaaki Tāmaki Makaurau

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Nau mai, haere mai ki

Tāmaki Makaurau

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Manaaki Tāmaki Makaurau

He Mihi

Tērā tō waka e hoe a koe i te moana o te Waitematā.
Ki reira, ka mihi ake ai ki ngā maunga here kōrero, ki ngā pari whakarongo tai,
ki ngā awa tuku kiri o ōna mana whenua, ōna mana ā-iwi taketake mai, tauīwi atu.
E koro mā, e kui mā i te wāhi ngaro, ko Tāmaki Makaurau tā koutou i whakarere iho ai,
ki ngā reanga whakaheke, ki ngā uri whakatupu - ki tō iti, ki tō rahi.
Tāmaki - makau a te rau, murau a te tini, wenerau a te mano.
Kāhore tō rite i te ao.

Tō ahureinga tīti rawa ki ngā pūmanawa o mātou kua whakakāinga ki roto i a koe.
Kua noho mai koe hei toka herenga i ō mātou manako katoa.
Kua ūhia nei mātou e koe ki te korowai o tō atawhai
ki te āhuru o tō awahi,
ki te kuku rawa o tō manawa.
He mea tūturu tonu whakairihia,
hei tāhuhu mō te rangi e tū iho nei,
hei whāriki mō te papa e takoto ake nei.
Kia kōpakina mātou e koe ki raro i te whakamarumarū o āu
Manaakitanga.

E te marae whakatūtū puehu o te mano whāioio,
e rokohanga nei i ngā muna, te huna tonu i ō whāruarua
i ngā hua e taea te hauhake i ō māra kai,
i ngā rawa e āhei te kekerihia i ō pūkororo.
Te mihia nei koe e mātou.

Tāmaki Makaurau, ko koe me tō kotahi i te ao nei, nōku te māringanui kia mōhio ki a koe,
kia miria e te kakara o te hau pūangi e kawe nei i ō rongo.
Ka whītiki nei au i taku hope ki ngā pepehā o onamata, ki ōku tūmanako mō āpōpō me ōku whakaritenga kua tutuki mō te rā nei.

Tāmaki Makaurau, tukuna tō wairua kia rere.

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Manaaki Tāmaki Makaurau

Let your canoe carry you across the waters of the Waitematā.
There, to greet the mountains, repository of all that has been said of this place,
there to greet the cliffs that have heard the ebb and flow of the tides of time,
and the rivers that cleansed the forebears of all who came those born of this land and the newcomers among us all.
To all who have passed into realms unseen, Auckland is the legacy you leave to those who follow,
your descendants - the least, yet, greatest part of you all.
Auckland - beloved of hundreds, famed among the multitude,
envy of thousands.
You are unique in the world.
Your beauty is infused in the hearts and minds of those of us who call you home.
You remain the rock upon which our dreams are built.
You have cloaked us in your care,
taken us into the safety of your embrace,
to the very soul of your existence.
It is only right that you are held in high esteem,
the solid ground on which all can stand.
You bestow your benevolence on us all.
The hive of industry you have become
motivates many to delve the undiscovered secrets of your realm,
the fruits that can still be harvested from your food stores
and the resources that lie fallow in your fields.
We thank you.
Auckland you stand alone in the world, it is my privilege to know you,
to be brushed by the gentle breeze that carries the fragrance of all that is you.
And so I gird myself with the promises of yesteryear, my hopes for tomorrow and my plans for today.
Auckland let your spirit soar.

Mihi from the Auckland Plan 2050

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Te Ora ō Tāmaki Makaurau

The health of Auckland



Tāmaki Herenga Waka: Tāmaki Makaurau / Auckland is the joining place of many canoes. Many iwi, hapū and whānau found the conditions to thrive from Te Hana in the north to Waiuku in the south, as well as the islands of the Waitemata. They are mana whenua, embracing their ancestral role as kaitiaki of all living systems.

Tāmaki Herenga Tāngata: Tāmaki Makaurau / Auckland is also the joining place of many people. It has the largest Māori population of any region in Aotearoa, many from other areas of the motu (mataawaka). It is home to people of over 180 different ethnicities (tauiwi), all building a future here.

Tāmaki Makaurau / Auckland is desired by all. Its inviting shores and landscapes, its rich ecosystems, nourishing waters and productive soils have provided generously for us all.

As we benefit today from all the treasures Tāmaki Makaurau offers, we must also face pressing challenges, such as climate disruption, degrading environments, increasing urbanisation and growing social inequities.

What future will we choose for our tamariki? Our collective health and wellbeing is interlinked with the health and wellbeing of the people (oranga tāngata), water (oranga wai), places and spaces (oranga whenua) and generations (oranga whānau).

All Aucklanders~~we~~ have the opportunity to enhance and protect what we love and what makes Tāmaki Makaurau such a special place: its heritage, its extensive and diverse network of open spaces and places and plenty of opportunities for play, sport and recreation. By strengthening the connections between people, water, and land, we can foster a thriving environment for generations to come.

It requires our deliberate effort to manaaki (care for, uplift, nurture) the health of Auckland. Let manaakitanga be our generation's legacy to Tāmaki Makaurau and those that chose to live here after us.

Kia manaaki tātou i te ora ō Tāmaki Makaurau

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Manaaki Tāmaki Makaurau

Kia manaaki tātou i te ora ō Tāmaki Makaurau

Making manaakitanga our legacy for a healthy Auckland

We face complex challenges that require us to deliver a unified response that goes beyond our generation.

Manaakitanga is one way we can meet these challenges. Simply, manaakitanga comprises **mana** – ‘pride’ and **aki** – ‘to uplift’, implying how we can all engage in acts of care and support.

It is a te ao Māori way of caring for one another and our resources, through showing support, respect, hospitality and generosity. This approach leads to positive outcomes for communities, individuals, whānau and friends.

Achieving **manaakitanga** means promoting a spirit of unity that benefits all [Aucklanders](#). We can do this through supporting one another in our mahi, whether strategy and planning or delivery, and taking a deliberate approach that aligns oranga (wellbeing) with the principles of equity and equality.

[To manaaki Tāmaki Makaurau we all have to work together, including Auckland Council, mana whenua and mataawaka, partners and regional organisations, volunteers and community groups, developers, sports clubs and more.](#)

We all have a role to play in uplifting the health of Tāmaki Makaurau

Kia manaaki tātou
i te whenua
i te wai
o ngā tāngata
i te whānau

Let’s respect and take pride in
our rich landscapes
our fragile natural ecosystems
our diverse people and communities
our past, current and future generations

Together we can contribute to
oranga o te whenua
oranga o te wai
oranga o ngā tāngata
oranga o te whānau.

Manaaki Tāmaki Makaurau

Te whakamōrahi painga ki Tāmaki Makaurau me ngā tāngata o Tāmaki Makaurau

Maximising benefits for Auckland and Aucklanders

Open spaces and sport and recreation opportunities are highly valued by communities across the region. They contribute to the liveability and identity of Auckland and provide benefits across all six Auckland Plan outcomes.

Protecting sites of significance and cultural value

Stormwater management and flood mitigation

Indigenous biodiversity, ecosystems and access to nature

Active transport and reduced congestion

Crime reduction

Social connection and cohesion

Tourism, events and film opportunities

Climate mitigation and resilience

Using mātauranga Māori to sustain and enhance mauri of places and spaces

Oranga tāngata

Oranga whenua

Oranga whānau

Oranga wai

Honouring Te Tiriti o Waitangi and protecting the region's unique Māori identity

Improved water quality

Improved physical and mental health and wellbeing

Noise reduction

Improved property values

Economic stimulation and improved productivity

Enhancing spiritual and cultural connections for Māori

Cleaning and cooling the air



Manaaki Tāmaki Makaurau

Tā mātou rautaki i te whārangi

Our strategy on a page

- Te Ora o Tāmaki Makaurau -

Our open spaces, sport and recreation opportunities benefit all Aucklanders **equitably**, now and for future generations. They support **oranga tāngata** (health of people), **oranga whenua** (health of land), **oranga whānau** (health of families), and **oranga wai** (health of water), and contribute to a healthier Tāmaki Makaurau.

In all that we do, we are guided by **manaakitanga** - showing respect, generosity, and care for each other and our shared resources.

- Where we are heading -

How we manaaki

- Make all of Tāmaki Makaurau our backyard
- Deliver innovative open spaces in high-density areas
- Enhance our response to climate disruption
- Protect and enhance our environment, biodiversity and heritage
- Support Aucklanders to live healthy, active lives

- How we will get there -

Our approach to investment guided by manaaki

- Take a benefits-led approach to improve the holistic wellbeing of people, places and the environment
- Invest based on evidence of need and the voices of Aucklanders
- Honour our Te Tiriti o Waitangi obligations
- Work together towards a healthy future, using all our resources

- What we will deliver -

Manaaki in action

- The policies for making the most of our open spaces, for open space provision and acquisition, for play, sport and recreation investment set the council's expectations for delivery.
- A three-year implementation and monitoring plan sets priorities for delivery and tracks our progress against key performance indicators.

