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Positive Ageing Strategy - community consultation with Wairarapa residents

Tēnā koutou katoa - Greetings to you all

Our population is ageing quickly and we want to be part of an age-friendly Wairarapa. This means a community where people of all ages are respected, included and connected to people that are important to them.

To help plan for this, the Councils of Wairarapa would like to hear from everyone in our community. Your answers will be confidential and anonymous and will help us create a Positive Ageing Strategy and action plan. The survey is also available in paper copy at your local District Council information centres, offices and libraries.

There will also be interviews and workshops with community leaders. If you'd like to be kept updated, visit your District Council website or give us your email details at the end of this survey. We'd be delighted to stay in touch.

If you have any questions, please contact:

South Wairarapa District Council: enquiries@swdc.govt.nz

Carterton District Council: gerry@cdc.govt.nz

Masterton District Council: aaronb@mdc.govt.nz; hoanip@mdc.govt.nz



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1. Are you answering on behalf of:

- Yourself
- As whanau/family member, friend or carer of older adults (65+)
- Organisation or group that supports older adults
- Business



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For residents, whānau and caregivers

To help us ensure we have a good spread of responses from Wairarapa residents, we would like to ask you a few demographic questions. This information remains confidential and anonymous.

2. Are you:

- Male
- Female
- Other

3. Is your age:

- under 45
- 45-64
- 65-74
- 75-84
- 85+

4. Which District do you live in?

- South Wairarapa
- Carterton
- Masterton
- Other

Other (please specify)

5. How long have you lived in the Wairarapa?

- I don't live here
- 0-1 year
- 1 – 5 years
- 5 – 10 years,
- 10 – 20 years
- 20 – 50 years
- 50 years +

6. What is your ethnicity?

- European
- Māori
- Pacific peoples
- Other (please specify)
- Asian
- Middle Eastern/Latin American/African

7. Housing tenure - do you:

- Fully own your own home
- Have a mortgage
- Rent
- Live in residential care
- Other (please specify)



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For community and service organisations: These questions are to help us better understand your organisation and what you provide for older adults (65+)

8. What is the focus of your organisation in relation to older adults? (tick as many as apply)

- Provide services/care for older adults
- Provide advocacy for older adults
- To provide community services and older adults are just one part of our client/customer group
- Other (please specify)

9. Which part of the Wairarapa District does your organisation/group operate in? (tick as many as apply)

- South Wairarapa District
- Carterton and District
- Masterton and District
- Other (please specify)

10. In an average year, how many of your members, clients or customers are older adults?

- 0 – 10
- 10 – 100
- 100 – 1,000
- 1,000 or more

11. If there was one thing that would help your organisation provide better services to older adults, what would that be?



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For business owners: These questions are to help us better understand your business and what you provide for older adults (65+)

12. What is the focus of your business in relation to older adults? (tick as many as apply)

Provide services/care

Provide products

Other (please specify)

13. Which part of the Wairarapa does your business operate in? (tick as many as apply)

South Wairarapa District

Carterton and District

Masterton and District

Other (please specify)

14. In an average year, what percentage of your clients or customers are older adults?

Less than 10%

50—75%

10-25%

75-100%

25-50%

15. If there was one thing that would help your business provide better services to older adults, what would that be?



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Thinking about the Wairarapa as an older adult (65+) or a person/organisation/business who support older adults let us know what you think is great and what's not.

16. What's great about the Wairarapa?

17. What's challenging about the Wairarapa?

18. If there was one thing you could change about the Wairarapa what would it be?



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19. Thinking about the following areas, how would you rate them in the Wairarapa in relation to older adults (65+)?

Note: these have been adapted from the World Health Organisation Essential Features of Age-Friendly Cities

	Very poor	Poor	Satisfactory	Good	Very good
Parks and outdoor spaces you go to	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Comments	<input type="text"/>				
Public buildings you use	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Comments	<input type="text"/>				
Transport – think about roads, cycle ways and footpaths	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Comments	<input type="text"/>				
Social and recreation activities and events you enjoy	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Comments	<input type="text"/>				
How older adults are included and catered for in the community	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Very poor

Poor

Satisfactory

Good

Very good

Comments

Contribution by older adults in community decision making

Comments

Employment for older adults

Comments

Communication and information to older adults

Comments

Community and health services to older adults

Comments



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Thinking about the future of Wairarapa, imagine that we had prepared well for an ageing population (65+).

20. What would be better?

21. What would be different?

22. What would be as good as it is now?



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23. Is there anything else you would like us to know?



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Thank you for your time.

If you would like to be kept informed about what's happening with the Joint Wairarapa Positive Ageing Strategy, please choose your preferred option here. You can also visit your local District Council website for updates.

24. Do you want to receive updates by email or post about the Joint Wairarapa Positive Ageing Strategy?

- Yes, by email
- Yes, by post
- No



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25. Name

26. Email address



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27. Name

28. Postal address