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Your Whakatāne District Council Community Update - June 2024

Mānawatia a Matariki

May all the blessings and goodness of Matariki be bestowed upon you and yours.

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It's rego time

Be an early bird and register your furry friend on or before 1 August 2024.

Save time do it online whakatane.govt.nz/dog-registration





The Whakatāne-Ōhope Community Board has had numerous worthy funding applications lately and we're pleased to support the Matariki Whakapiri event and the Trust Horizon Light Up Whakatāne Show in July. We also welcome Sophie Clyde to our Board who represents the Youth Council – it's great to have a youth voice around the table.

Withdrawal of Proposed Plan Change 6: Audible Bird Scaring Devices

Council has withdrawn Proposed Plan Change 6: Audible Bird Scaring Devices under clause 8D of Schedule 1 of the Resource Management Act 1991.

The decision was made at the Environment, Energy and Resilience Committee meeting on 31 May 2024.

The withdrawal was prompted by two key factors:

- a pre-hearing mediation was held, where Council staff, the kiwifruit industry, and affected residents agreed to work together to find alternative solutions to reduce the noise impacts of bird scaring on the community.
- the kiwifruit industry is developing a best practice guide for orchardists to improve practices.

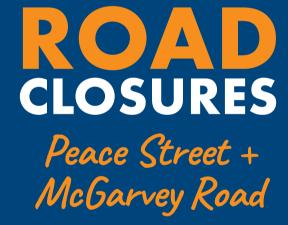
We appreciate all submitters for their valuable contributions throughout this process. For more information, please contact the Council or visit **whakatane.govt.nz/absd**

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