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FNDC Māori Ward Seats Feedback
Nellie-Ann Abraham
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September 30, 2021

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I recommend that each of the 4 Māori ward representatives speak for up to 6,000 voters on the Māori roll in the upcoming 2022 local body elections. This will ensure Māori roll residents are evenly represented throughout the district.

Signed,

Ngā tauwhiro tangata a te Wāhi Ngaro, nā

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **24 August 2021, 2:18PM**
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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

BAY OF ISLANDS

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

THERE SHOULD NEVER BE A WARD BASED ON RACE

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

THERE SHOULD NEVER BE A WARD BASED ON RACE AS THIS INCREASES RACIAL TENSION

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021 Submission
Far North District Council

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KAITIA SERVICE CENTRE

I do not agree with the initial proposal as proposed by the Far North District Council Representation Review 2021 for the following reasons.

The information provided by the Far North District Council for which the public were asked to make this decision on is incorrect and misleading. The figures around General Roll, Maori Roll and total enrolled electors is significantly different than information provided by the Electoral Commission. If the Far North District Council is to ask for fair representation based on electoral populations it is critical that this information it provides is correct. The differences are outlined below.

	FNDC (False)	Electoral Commission Roll (Actual Statistics August 21)
General Roll	46,050	33,971
Maori Roll	<u>25,000</u>	<u>14,007</u>
TOTAL	<u>71,050</u>	<u>47,978</u>

So in an effort to find even and fair representation for all electors on the Far North District Councils Roll we see that the proposal put forward by the council does not meet this objective.

Based on the false FNDC numbers

General Roll	7675 per Councillor
Maori Roll	6250 per Councillor

Actual Electoral Commission Roll numbers

General Roll	5661 per Councillor) Differential of 61%
Maori Roll	3501 per Councillor) Grossly outside the 10% rule

Fair Representation

Legally each Councillor must represent roughly the same number of people. This is known as the 'plus or minus 10% rule'. It is clear from the above actual figures that fair and equal representation for all electors is not achieved with the Far North District Councils proposed structure.

I propose that the Far North District Council provide the correct Electoral Commission figures and reopen the submissions based on the correct figures and facts, not the misleading ones provided.

My proposal for consideration would be to have 7 General Roll Councillors and add 3 new Maori Roll Councillors. Total amount of councillors would be 10. 10 is the number favoured by the council.

General Roll	4,853) Differential at 5%
Maori Roll	4,669) Within the 10% rule

Equal and fair representation of all electors (ratepayers) is the corner stone of democracy and is the corner stone of our society. The council would be wise to consider this and how they proportion representation throughout the district.

Yours Sincerely,

A solid black rectangular box used to redact a signature.

Under the privacy act I request that my name and address be withheld from public publication.

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **23 August 2021, 4:53PM**

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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **Te Hiku (1)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal? **We need more representation for the West ward namely Herekino, Whangape, Owhata, Pawarenga nothing seems to get done out these ways the drains are full of rubbish and the Herekino Gorge leaves alot to be desired.**

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **Yes**

About you

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Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Kaikohe-Hokianga (West)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **22 September 2021, 11:55AM**

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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Kaikohe-Hokianga (3)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions.

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

Tai Tokerau Māori Ward

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Kia Ora! My name is Matenga Ashby passionate about empowering whanau into affordable, warm and healthy homes while creating a sense of Community! I am currently project managing x4 whanau lead Papakainga projects with Housing and Urban Development, Te Rūnanga-Ā-Iwi-Ō Ngāpuhi, ĀKAU and other local Professionals. Developing a pathway forward setting an example for other whanau to follow as we are here to give a hand up not a hand out, for the thousands who carved the way before us, and the thousands after us!

LETS DO THE MAHI, NO MUCK AROUND, AND GET THE JOB DONE WITH TIKANGA AT THE FOREFRONT BUT NOT LIMITING US

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

Yes

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Which ward do you live in?	Kaikohe-Hokianga (West)
Would you like to be informed about future consultations?	Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **25 August 2021, 9:38AM**

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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Kerikeri subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Leave the name the same as it all costs money for name changes and WHY CHANGE FOR THE SAKE OF CHANGE?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

We do not agree with new Maori wards as it all costs money to the taxpayer/ratepayer and we should all be MOVING FORWARD TOGETHER.

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

We do not support new Maori wards as there are no pure Maori left in New Zealand. We are all mixed and we should be moving forward together. We see separate wards as apartheid which this country fought against.
Also we are for reducing costs to the ratepayer and name changes and ward changes cost more money to the ratepayer. With COVID the country is in a vulnerable situation and we only have 5 million people and a small tax/ratepayer base to try and pay for everything.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Margaret & Bob

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Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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I have read the terms of this public consultation

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **28 September 2021, 5:53PM**

Receipt number: **74**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **No**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

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Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



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Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

9 councillors is enough. 3 Maori councillors are enough - one per ward. If they are to be elected at large you might as well elect all the councillors at large and have the whole place run from Kerikeri.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

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Te Hiku (North)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

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At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Kerikeri subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **Yes**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

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Representation Review 2021



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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

No opinion

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No opinion

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **No opinion**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal? **I have emailed my submission separately**

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **Yes**

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Which ward do you live in? **Outside Far North**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **No**

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29 September 2021

Gavin Beattie
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Submission on Far North District Council's initial representation proposal

Introduction

I am making this submission as an "interested person" as provided for in section 19M(2)(d) of the Local Electoral Act 2001.

My interest arises from the fact that until recently I was an adviser to the Local Government Commission and was involved in five rounds of hearings of appeals and objections on council representation proposals. Prior to that I was in the Local Government Policy Team in the Department of Internal Affairs and I led the policy development for the Local Electoral Act including the new representation review provisions.

A particular interest I now have is to pass on the experience I have gained on the representation review process and to help ensure councils are aware of and understand the options open to them and also the connections between these options, when determining the best representation arrangements for their district.

Approach to Far North District Council's representation review

I note the officers' report to the council meeting on 12 August, simply notes that on 13 August 2020 the council resolved to change to the single transferable voting electoral system (STV).

The required decisions and associated timelines set out in the Local Electoral Act reflect the connections between the various decisions and are designed to assist a council achieve the best representation arrangements for its district. These start with the two decisions to be made by councils before commencing the formal representation review process i.e. choice of electoral system (FPP or STV) and option of dedicated Māori representation.

While Far North District Council resolved to introduce Māori wards and its initial representation proposal includes such a ward and a rationale for it, there is no evidence presented as to the reasoning for the adoption of STV and any role this decision may have played in identifying the council's initial representation proposal.

It is this factor I wish to address along with a related issue of the important role community boards can play to assist achievement of effective representation for a district and at the same time go some way to achieving a number of other desirable objectives.

Council's motivation for adopting STV

I note a statement on the council's website that "STV is a 'proportional' electoral system".

STV is first a preferential voting system in which voters rank candidates according to their preferences. Subject to the number of preferences a voter identifies, they will contribute to the election of at least one candidate. Given this, STV can be seen to be a fairer system in that votes will not be 'wasted' on unsuccessful candidates i.e. they will be transferred to voters' next preferences.

STV can also be a proportional representation system providing representation for communities of interest in approximate proportion to their size. But this will only occur in certain circumstances. It will occur in 'at large' elections or when wards are sufficiently large, generally considered to be at least 5-member wards. By way of contrast, you cannot achieve proportional representation in one- or two-member wards.

This raises the question as to whether the council resolved to adopt STV simply as a fairer voting system, or with a view to actually achieving proportional representation for Far North communities of interest? If it is the latter, the council should be seriously considering larger general wards than are proposed in its initial representation proposal including a fully 'at large' system (i.e. one general ward along with the proposed Māori ward).

Applying STV to Far North District

In order to achieve effective representation under STV, it firstly needs to be understood that to be elected to the council, a candidate needs a certain share of the votes called the 'quota'. Applied in Far North District for the election of 6 councillors from one general ward, the quota of votes to be elected would be just over one-seventh of the valid votes cast. Based on 2019 election statistics, the maximum possible quota would then have been 4,160 votes¹. This, however, is using the total number of electors on the roll, whereas only approximately half this number typically vote, meaning the quota to be elected is more likely to be around 2,080.

Potential of STV to achieve effective representation for Far North District

Using a rounded quota of say 2,100 votes, a candidate in an 'at large' Far North District election (i.e. one general ward) residing in any of the three current ward areas could easily be elected with a focused local campaign, as shown in the following table.

Ward area	Number of electors on roll in 2019	Assessed number of general electoral population electors²
Bay of Islands-Whangaroa	20,388	13,252
Kaikohe-Hokianga	9,071	5,896
Te Hiku	13,665	8,882

In addition to enabling local geographically-based candidates to be elected, an 'at large' election would also enable candidates representing other significant communities of interest but spread across the whole district to be elected. Included here would be candidates representing, for example, particular interest groups such as business, young people, Māori (not on the Māori roll) and rural interests.

It is not possible to break down currently enrolled Far North District electors associated with such groups/interests. However, the following statistics are relevant:

¹ Calculated by taking the total number of electors in 2019 of 43,124, subtracting the number of electors currently on the Māori roll of 14,007, which equals 29,117, and divided by 7.

² The number of general electoral population (GEP) electors is assessed by taking the proportion of GEP electors to the total electoral population (GEP plus Māori electoral population) for the district as a whole (45,900/45,900 + 25,100 = 65%) and applying this in each area.

- approximately 9.5% of the district's population was between 20 and 29 years in 2018 (Statistics NZ census data) and this equates to about **6,000** young electors across the district (reduced slightly for some on the Māori roll)
- approximately **9,600** Māori electors across the district could be eligible to vote in one general ward (i.e. Māori electors not on the Māori roll)³
- the district's estimated rural population in 2020 was 44,520 (Statistics NZ data) and with say 75% over 18 and eligible to vote, this equates to about **33,390** rural electors across the district.

It can be seen that an 'at large' election (one general ward) in Far North District, with a reasonable understanding of how STV works and particularly the quota needed to be elected (say around 2,100), could result in enhanced representation for the district. This is in the form of effective representation for both local geographically-based communities of interest and communities of interest spread across the whole district. In other words, this can be seen as 'the best of both worlds' in terms of community representation.

I also note that STV literature suggests STV, used to its full potential, can have a positive impact on voter turnout. This is as a result of more (previously non-engaged) electors seeing, with the help of a little education, they are able to have a say in the election of a particular councillor i.e. their vote will not be 'wasted'. I am not aware of any research in New Zealand to support this and it would also be difficult to undertake this given the relatively small number of councils which have used STV since it was first available in 2004, and the even fewer councils that have used it with elections 'at large' or with large wards. However, to me a positive impact on voter turnout seems plausible when using STV to its full potential and worth considering by a council looking at all possible ways to increase voter turnout.

Further benefits of an 'at large' election

I do not have a particular view on the number of councillors that should be elected to Far North District Council under 'at large' elections. I note, however, that with a total of 10 councillors, the district would be on a par with other districts with similar sized populations around the country.

An 'at large' election for 6 councillors from one general ward (and 4 elected from one Māori ward) would have the following benefits compared to three general wards:

- allow general voters to vote for all general councillors giving them a sense of having a greater say in the running of the district
- provide voters with a greater choice of candidates
- provide residents with more choice when approaching councillors after the elections
- make it easier for councillors to act in the interests of the whole district in line with their oath of office
- free council from the constraints of the '+/-10% rule' and the requirement to seek Local Government Commission endorsement of any non-compliance with the rule.

³ Calculated by taking 75% of the total Māori population in Far North District of 31,503 in 2018 (Statistics NZ website) as being over 18 years, equalling approximately 23,600, and then subtracting 14,000 being the number of people currently registered to vote in the Māori ward (Electoral Commission website).

Community boards: Additional local representation and empowerment

Clearly there are benefits in adoption of 'at large' elections (one general ward) for Far North District. As noted, this should not be seen as at the expense of dedicated representation for local geographically-based communities of interest within the district. However, to reinforce this, retention of community boards will further guarantee local representation as well as provide other important benefits.

I note it is proposed to retain the three community boards as currently defined, with alterations to some community board subdivisions. Clearly the council sees the community board areas as reflecting geographic communities of interest mirroring the three current wards. This is demonstrated in its proposal for one of these areas not to comply with the '+/-10% rule' in relation to its proposed wards (Te Hiku).

Community board subdivisions

The council is also proposing to alter some community board subdivision boundaries to better reflect local communities of interest, resulting in some minor non-compliance with the '+/-10% rule'.

The same arguments apply in relation to community board subdivisions as set out above relating to election of councillors 'at large' as opposed to being elected from multiple wards. That is, STV has the potential (given the proposed 6- or 7-member community boards) to provide more diverse representation with the election of community board members from across the whole community board area as opposed to election from subdivisions. This is on the basis of candidates representing interests/groups spread across the whole community board area such as Māori (not on the Māori roll), young people and farmers, and not being limited to specific geographic areas.

Also, as with the removal of multiple wards, removal of community board subdivisions would free the council from the need to comply with the '+/-10% rule' and the requirement to seek Local Government Commission endorsement of the proposed non-compliance of specific subdivisions.

The key issue for the council to address is what arrangements does it believe will provide the most effective representation for the community board areas and has it considered the potential for STV to ensure this?

Benefits of community boards

I support the council's proposal to retain the current community boards representing distinct local communities within Far North District. By being truly representative of their communities, boards can assist the council to achieve the statutory principles (set out in section 14 of the Local Government Act) it is required to act in accordance with, including:

- making itself aware of, and having regard to, the views of all of its communities
- when making a decision, taking account of the diversity of the community and the community's interests
- in taking a sustainable development approach, take into account the well-being of people and communities.

In a practical sense, community boards can assist councils achieve the objectives set out in their significance and engagement policy; with some councils using their boards to lead or co-lead council consultation in their communities.

I am aware the council did undertake a review of the powers and responsibilities of its current community boards last year. My view at that time was there was still further potential to enhance these, particularly in relation to community board delegations.

Community boards can play an active place-making role and promote resilience in local communities, with resilience here being the apparently increasing need for the ability of communities to “survive, adapt and thrive in the face of stresses and shocks (natural and man-made)” in the area. These roles are made easier when the communities concerned are distinct and geographically identifiable for residents.

In relation to a local place-making role for community boards, this can be promoted by a council making delegations of decision-making in respect of the operation of local community facilities such as libraries, parks, swimming pools and community halls, and services such as local traffic control and parking (the ‘service delivery’ dimension of a community of interest). Such delegations have the dual benefits of empowering local communities and thereby encouraging community engagement, but also allowing the council to focus on strategic district-wide matters. At the same time, it is worth noting that any delegations of decision-making would be subject to council district-wide policies and council district-set budgets.

Community boards can also be used to play a key facilitating role as part of an active and locally focused civil defence and emergency management strategy aimed at promoting local resilience.

The experience of councils where community boards can be seen to be most effective, is that this depends on a combination of mutually understood protocols and expectations between the council and its community boards, and also appropriate substantive delegations.

Conclusion

With its decisions to introduce both Māori wards and STV, this representation review provides the council with an opportunity to take a fresh look at the best representation arrangements for Far North District. The fresh look involves reflecting on the potential for STV to provide effective representation for both local geographically-based communities of interest and for communities of interest spread across the whole district. It also involves reflecting on the ability of community boards, using the full potential of STV, to provide effective representation for their communities as well as promoting local community engagement and well-being.

To achieve this potential, I believe the council should seriously consider introducing fully ‘at large’ elections (one general ward and one Māori ward). It should also consider the removal of the proposed community board subdivisions to enhance local representation further and for assisting the boards to play a more significant local governance role in their communities.

Representation Review 2021



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Kaikohe-Hokianga (3)

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

In fairness to all, all Maori wards must pay rates, and all properties in these wards must pay rates, if they do not pay rates then they have no right to a voice on any council. We should be assured that all elected members of all local authority boards, wards and councils pay rates, and all those they speak for pay rates.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

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Kaikohe-Hokianga (West)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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I have read the terms of this public consultation

Representation Review 2021



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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Yes

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No need to change a name....waste of money

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

Do not need a Maori Ward, we are all one!

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **6 September 2021, 7:09PM**

Receipt number: **49**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

I believe there should be 8 general ward councilors and 2 Maori Ward councilors.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

No

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **25 September 2021, 6:04AM**

Receipt number: **64**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions.

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Kerikeri subdivision**

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **none**

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **No opinion**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

**If members of the Maori Ward have to swear an Oath to represent ALL people then creating a Maori Ward makes a mockery of this oath. I could never support a racially selected representation model especially if it is disproportional to who it represents.
Any elected member of Council must be a fully paid up ratepayer as an eligibility criteria.**

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Which ward do you live in?	Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **29 September 2021, 2:05PM**

Receipt number: **83**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **Yes**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

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Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in? **Te Hiku (North)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **No**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **30 September 2021, 11:46AM**

Receipt number: **92**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Te Hiku (1)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

I object very strongly to a Seperate Maori Ward

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

I do not support a seperate Maori ward in any form. If through a Referrendum the General Public voted in favour of a Seperate Maori Ward then so be it. This is a Democratic Society and therefore the majority rules I think it is not appropriate for the Councillors alone to Vote on such a matter. This matter should be put to a Public Referrendum.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? Te Hiku (North)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **30 September 2021, 1:35PM**

Receipt number: **93**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No opinion**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No opinion**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **No opinion**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No opinion**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Very disappointed if those are the only questions that will be directly asked....there should have been questions directly relating to the increased councillor number and the Maori seats.

I support the Maori councillor decision, and believe there should be either 3 or 4 Maori Councillors...more about this further along.

Also very disappointed that my views will be ignored because i am not speaking to my submission.

Do councillors (and the mayor) read the written submissions at all?

I have a theory that they only read up on the spoken submissions just before the the hearing, if at all.

I am against the increase to 10 FNDC councillors...the total should remain 9.

The reason given is population growth...if this was the real reason you would link it to representation in each ward per councillor.

Each ward councillor will be representing far more people even with 10 councillor because the Maori councillors will represent the whole FNDC district, not a particular ward.

I think the Maori seats should be per ward rather than

over the whole district.

There is a chance...maybe tiny...that all four Maori councillors are from, for example, north of the Mangamuka Gorge.

How would that be fair representation if 2 ward councillors, 4 Maori councillors and the mayor live near Kaitaia...leaving 3 votes for the Hokianga and BOI.

The Maori Seats should be per ward.

My preference is for 9 councillors.

I'm not too worried how the 9 seats are divided.

Either:

- 6 ward and 3 Maori seats...which would bring the representation per councillor closer together.
- Or 5 ward and 4 Maori...drop 1 from the BOI by changing the boundaries to give more area to Te Hiku and Hokianga.

One more councillor is just too expensive for no real return.

It's not just the salary, but the iPad, printing, paper, staff, allowances, travel, legal, food at meetings, trips to conferences, trips and hotel expenses for workshops, and just general money that is wasted supporting our Council.

No doubt you will choose 10 councillors...if that is the case the salary pool should remain the same size so the extra councillor means smaller salaries for each councillor...and hopefully the mayor.

I am very concerned that the addition of the 4 districtwide Maori seats will make the system undemocratic.

The 4 seats should be spread, with 1 or 2 Maori seats in each ward, depending on population.

It might seem unlikely that all 4 councillors are elected from 1 ward but it is possible...and it will be too late to do anything when it does happen.

If it was such a good idea for the Maori councillors to

be elected districtwide then the seats voted by the General roll voters should also be elected districtwide...ie. 5 General councillors voted for by the whole FNDC district and not separated into wards....and 4 Maori councillors also voted for districtwide....9 total!

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Which ward do you live in? Te Hiku (North)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **28 September 2021, 8:56PM**

Receipt number: **76**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No opinion**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Leave it alone

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

Nothing. Don't need a Maori ward

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **3 September 2021, 2:36PM**
Receipt number: **47**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Kerikeri subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

The addition of one new councillor causes an imbalance in the representation ratios. I suggest that 2 new councillors be added, with 4 on the Maori ward, and 7 representing the non Maori. This would also prohibit the Maori reps from totally controlling the council meetings. It would also bring some balance into where the rating income is drawn from.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

No

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I have read the terms of this public consultation

Representation Review 2021



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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Yes

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

Yes

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

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Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **1 October 2021, 6:14PM**

Receipt number: **105**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Kerikeri subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No opinion**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Remain with present name

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

The numbers shown for the calculations of normally resident, total 70,050, have been dated as at 30 June 2020. This is not in accordance with the Local Electoral Act 2001 which requires the figures to be taken from the last census 2018. Thus all calculations re representation proportions require to be recalculated based on the correct information. This may have a significant impact on the number of members from the Maori ward.

Re the proposed Waipapa Subdivision, this should be abandoned as it is contradicts any concept of community of interest. Apart from a small isolationist group, this area shares a community of interest with Kerikeri and should not be split off. The nonsense of the proposal can be seen by the claim that Purerua Peninsula is part of Kerikeri but the rest of Purerus Road, the only access belongs in Waipapa.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

Yes

About you

First name	Alec
Last name	Cox
Organisation (if applicable)	
Position in organisation (if applicable)	
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Phone	
Which ward do you live in?	Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)
Would you like to be informed about future consultations?	Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: 30 August 2021, 3:56PM
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Related form version: 13

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **Te Hiku (1)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Rayna**

Last name **Crymble**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in? **Te Hiku (North)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **No**

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Far North District Council



This survey includes a series of questions about the proposed changes to ward and subdivision boundaries to make sure your community is fairly and effectively represented.

Visit www.fndc.govt.nz/repreview to learn more and do this survey online.

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Yes No *No opinion*

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

☒ Yes No *No opinion*

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Yes ☒ No *No opinion*

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest?

☒ Yes No *No opinion*

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes No *No opinion*

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes No *No opinion*

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes No *No opinion*

Representation Review 2021

Far North District Council



At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Kerikeri subdivision

Waipapa subdivision

No opinion

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest?

Yes No *No opinion*

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Yes No *No opinion*

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

Yes No *No opinion*

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

Yes No *No opinion*

What other names should we consider?

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Yes - refer attached sheet

I object to the number of councillors representing Nga Tai o Tokerau

The path of segregation/apartheid is not a good one to take, but as government and some of our councillors are pushing for this it should at least be fair and reasonable, and 40% of council is not.

On a population basis (figures from 16.4 to 20%) 2 councillors would be fair.

Or, in light of councils 20 million Maori rates write-off (unheard of for NZers) perhaps a fairer system would be a proportion of councillors to ratePAYERS. All very well to want to spend others money, but for representation there first must be contribution.

In the words of George Orwell we have, sadly, progressed from 'All animals are equal' (a system in which Moko Tepania was elected) to 'All animals are equal - but some are more equal than others'.

Representation Review 2021

Far North District Council



Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

Yes No

About you

First name* (required)

IAN

Last name* (required)

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Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

Your email*

Phone

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Which ward do you live in?* (required)

Te Hiku (North)

Kaikohe-Hokianga (West)

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Outside Far North

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes No

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I have read the terms of this public consultation

Yes (please circle)

I. Dadson 30/9/21

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **14 September 2021, 8:17AM**

Receipt number: **53**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No opinion**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **No opinion**

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No opinion**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **No**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

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Last name **Denis**

Organisation (if applicable) **Orme**

Position in organisation (if applicable) **Orme**

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Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **3 October 2021, 7:56PM**

Receipt number: **111**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

Yes

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Te Pewhairangi recognises the Southern forces of Ngapuhi

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

Yes

What other names should we consider?

Prefer Te Whare Tapu O Ngapuhi

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Reflecting representation of the communities they serve.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

Yes

About you

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Organisation (if applicable)

Paremata Whanau

Position in organisation (if applicable)

Paremata Whanau

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **23 August 2021, 8:33PM**
Receipt number: **25**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

No opinion

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal? **Thanks for making the proposal so easy to interpret :)**

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Andy**

Last name **Dowdle**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **24 August 2021, 1:04PM**
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Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

No opinion

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Maori wards are devisive, racist and should have no place in an inclusive, diverse, democratic New Zealand.

Having said that, if these are to be forced upon us, then in order to retain any semblance of democracy the number of councillors electable via the maori ward needs to be proportional to the percentage of people entitled to vote for them. In the case of FNDC I believe that approximately 33% of people are currently on the Maori electoral role. (67% of people are not). given the proposed total of 10 councilors, The closest reasonable representation of constituents wishes would have 3 councilors in the Maori ward and 7 councilors split amongst the other 3 wards. The proposed number of 4 Maori Ward Councilors is a gross over-representation of the percentage currently on the Maori Electoral Role. This split of Councilors would need to be reviewed prior to every local body election and adjusted in line with electoral role split Maori/General existing at the time. Otherwise, the elections will be wide open to 'Gaming' of the system.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Position in organisation (if applicable)	
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Phone	
Which ward do you live in?	Te Hiku (North)
Would you like to be informed about future consultations?	Yes

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I have read the terms of this public consultation

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Representation Review
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Dear Sir/Madam

The Russell Protection Society wishes to make a submission regarding the latest review of representation in the Far North District.

In our view the major issues to be considered for a proper democratic representation are whether the elected positions for both Councillor and Community Board are proportionally representative of the District population and that they act for a cohesive community of interest. This must be considered within the context of growth that has occurred within the District since the last review was conducted.

It appears that much of this growth has occurred in the Eastern Bay of Islands in the District. On that basis the number of Councillors and Community Board representatives should be adjusted accordingly. We would suggest the following:

- Split the Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa General Ward into 2 new Wards (northern and southern) because it is overly large at present.
- Increase number of Community Board seats to be divided between the two proposed new Wards to 8 seats, with 5 seats in the northern area comprising Whangaroa, Waipapa and Kerikeri and 3 seats for the remaining southern BoI area comprising Kawakawa, Moerewa, Paihia, Opuia and Kororareka.
- Increase the number of Councillors required to properly represent this large combined BoI area from 3 to 4.

We believe that it is important that local communities perceive and trust that the Far North District Council is fairly representing their interests and that their elected representatives are local to their area of interest.

Kind regards



Bob Drey
Chairperson
Russell Protection Society

Address for Service: As above

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **2 October 2021, 6:37AM**

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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **Yes**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **Yes**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

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Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in? **Outside Far North**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **23 August 2021, 4:10PM**
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Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Kerikeri subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Yes

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Leave it as it is.

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

Why do we have maroi ward when we already have free open inclusive elections.

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: 24 August 2021, 1:06AM

Receipt number: 26

Related form version: 13

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

All (11)

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

No opinion

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

Yes

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Yes

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

No opinion

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

Yes

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

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Last name **Evans**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Kaikohe-Hokianga (West)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **15 September 2021, 9:11PM**

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Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Te Hiku (1)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **No**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

**I do not agree with the Maori ward idea. It is an insult to Maori to assume that they are unable to be elected by vote by their own merit.
If someone wants to stand for a position on council- then race is no issue. Low expectations is the worst kind of racism.**

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Alastair**

Last name **Ewart**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in? **Te Hiku (North)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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SUBMISSION



To: Far North District Council

Submission on: Representation Review 2021

Date: 1 October 2021

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OUR SUBMISSION

1. Federated Farmers welcomes the opportunity to submit to Far North District Council on the Representation Review 2021
2. We wish to speak to our submission at the Council hearing.
3. Federated Farmers is conscious that there may be significant 'consultation fatigue' out in the community following the district plan consultation process and 18 months' worth of significant central government proposals. It is also one of the busiest times in the farming calendar with lambing and calving finishing up coming into breeding for the following season. This may have effect on the rural feedback.
4. Our members do not want their busy silence to be misconstrued as disinterest in rural representation or worse still as 'silent approval'. Federated Farmers represents hundreds of local farming ratepayers. We remind the Council of this so that our submission is given appropriate weight.
5. Our submission is prepared from feedback from the rural community and then developed into a submission from our team of policy advisors who get involved with representation reviews around the country.
6. The current proposal is to have four Wards, Te Hiku, Kaikohe-Hokianga & Te Pewhairangi-Whangaroa with an additional Maori ward taken at large.
7. Federated Farmers support the proposal of the three general wards for the district. We believe to ensure fair and equal representation of the less populated areas of the district, council needs to continue with the wards approach. There is an ongoing shift of population to urban areas and we wish to ensure that our rural communities are still spoken for at council whilst more people move to these urban areas.
8. Federated Farmers is neutral on the proposal to increase the number of councillors to ten so long as the extra councillor represents a community of interest. Looking at the two bordering district councils Kaipara has 9 including the mayor and Whangarei have 14 including the mayor. We believe that Far North is in line with the number of councillors they should have.
9. Council has proposed to continue with community boards. The Federation supports this and believes that community boards are a fundamental part of grassroots representation. The proposal to take community board members from subdivisions around the district is the most accurate way to capture fair representation of these boards.

ABOUT FEDERATED FARMERS

10. Federated Farmers of New Zealand is a primary sector organisation that represents farmers, and other rural businesses. Federated Farmers has a long and proud history of representing the needs and interests of New Zealand farmers.
11. The Federation aims to add value to its members' businesses. Our key strategic outcomes include the need for New Zealand to provide an economic and social environment within which:
 - Our members may operate their businesses in a fair and flexible commercial environment;
 - Our members' families and their staff have access to services essential to the needs of the rural community; and
 - Our members adopt responsible management and environmental practices.

Ends

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **30 September 2021, 9:03AM**

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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

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At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

**Not really happy with unbalanced representation
Would like to see things done as per below
Achieve fair and balanced representation between
Māori and non-Māori residents
Split the huge Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward (to be renamed: Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa General Ward) into 2 new Wards (northern and southern).
Reduce the number of Community Board seats in the Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward by 2 to have only 4 members. Increase number of Community Board seats to be divided between the two so-created Bay of Islands Wards to 8 seats, with 5 seats in the northern area comprising Whangaroa, Waipapa and Kerikeri and 3 seats for the remaining southern Bol area.
If the name of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward is to be changed to “Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa General Ward”, then kindly refer to Russell as “Russell/Kororāreka”.**

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

First name	Kim
Last name	Feickert
Organisation (if applicable)	
Position in organisation (if applicable)	
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Which ward do you live in?	Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)
Would you like to be informed about future consultations?	Yes

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To Whom it Concerns

Helen Fife

Re Separate Maori Ward
& adding Maori Councillors.

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25.8.2021
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I have no internet
So cant send e-mail.

I am a ratepayer, mother of twins who have a maori father & triplets who don't. The separate maori ward will give my girls a separate way of participation in NZ Life. A split based solely on ethnicity & ideology. Race based politics when the treaty was signed it was not as a partnership but was to make us one people. Also to bring peace to the country.

There are very few maori who have no other DNA. Almost all have some European blood.

A separate maori ward defeats the ONE PEOPLE policy.

The Separate ward just enables more bureaucracy; is a complete waste of time & money. As it stands now there is already far too much bureaucracy & far too little practical work done by the FNDC.

Actually those of us with no maori DNA pay more than our share of the rates now.

No ethnic favours for us !!!

FNDC is just appeasing the Labour U.N.'s ridiculous ideology & agenda.

FNDC is not recognizing that there are mixed marriages & partnership.

The RIGHT people should be on the council regardless. Maori are, now

able to stand for council.

Separate ~~maori~~ maori seats are simply racism & against human rights. We have equality now. Culture / Ethnicity is very different from governance. Governance is for ALL.

I feel that council has already made up it's mind. It seems to be a waste of ratepayers time going to meetings. Is this what you want?

I have almost ZERO faith in the FNDC

Please show this letter all concerned & put it on your system, and have the decency to acknowledge this letter

Helen C. Fife.

Stop splitting N-2 by racial ideas

No to another councillor.

No to changing boundaries

To all at council including John Carter

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **30 September 2021, 9:36PM**

Receipt number: **99**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **Yes**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **Yes**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

With the comments around changing boundaries to avoid splitting communities it would be good to see the Whangape harbour reunited instead of the north and south in different wards

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Last name **Flowers**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Te Hiku (North)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **27 September 2021, 4:31PM**

Receipt number: **68**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion **No**
of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **No**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **None**

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **No**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Gary**

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Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **1 October 2021, 10:27AM**

Receipt number: **102**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision? **No opinion**

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No opinion**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No opinion**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No opinion**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **No opinion**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No opinion**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

As part of the generation that brought down apartheid in South Africa, I find it both offensive and concerning that the current generation is installing a system of government on a racial basis in New Zealand. Māori in the past have enjoyed the same right as anyone else to stand for Council, and to vote for Council positions. If Māori want Māori representation, then it is their democratic right to stand and vote for this representation. If a First Past the Post system does not deliver this, then changing to a proportional system would, without the need to make racist legislation. I am therefore firmly against a system that sets Council elections based on race.

If we are to have this form of apartheid, my comments on the proposed structure are as follow:

Please make the system proportional, with the number of Māori ward representatives not set at 4 out of 10, but instead set after each election based on how many people actually vote on the Māori roll relative to how many actually vote on the General roll (i.e. so that you have, say, 7 general ward seats, and then add the right number of Māori ward seats to match the voting proportions on each roll). For

example, using statistics from the last general election, there'd be about 28,500 General roll votes, and 9,700 Māori roll votes. If my proposal were adopted, then, as the Māori roll votes are 34% of the General roll vote cast, after that election there would be the set 7 General ward representatives plus $34\% \times 7 = 2.4 = 2$ (rounding to closest whole number) Māori ward seats- the two Māori roll contenders with the highest number of votes would be selected. Of course, Māori are free to stand in the General roll too, so actual Māori representation could be higher given not everyone votes along racial lines.

You ask this question: "whether the structure supports fair and effective representation of your community". I consider that a non-racist, non-First Past the Post system would be fairer to all communities. The proposed numbers are definitively not fair- if we voted as above, Māori roll votes supporting four Councillors would gain about twice the representation per vote as General roll votes supporting six Councillors. As for effective representation, given Māori roll candidates would not depend on my community for re-election, I would not expect them to represent me as effectively as the under-represented General roll candidates. The proposed system therefore supports neither fair nor effective representation for my community.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

Yes

About you

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Michael

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Fox

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in?

Kaikohe-Hokianga (West)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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From: Rosemary Gardner <dr.rosebud@yahoo.com>
Sent: Thursday, 30 September 2021 10:11 am
To: Submissions; Rosemary Gardner; Manuela Gmuer Hornell
Subject: FNDC Current Representation Proposal

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Dear Members of the Far North District Council,

It has been brought to my attention the Far North District Current Representation Proposal is flawed due to the fact the community members are not equally represented according to population in all wards. In order for a democracy to function as intended with equal representation for all, please analyze numbers and geographic areas and strive to develop a representative structure that benefits all community members. The most important issue in relationship to governing community members is listening to those being governed and meeting the needs of the local communities. Unfortunately, in Russell, we are concerned the Far North District Council is not listening to our communities concerns and not responding to our health, safety, and cultural needs. The current proposal further diminishes the opportunity to meet our needs as a community.

Please consider the following recommendations before a final decision is made:

1. Achieve fair and balanced representation among all residents
2. Split the oversized Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward into two being Northern and Southern
3. Reduce the number of Community Board seats in the Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward to 4 and increase the Bay of Islands seats to 8

Thank-you in advance for your careful consideration of my proposal in the spirit of fairness and democracy.

Respectfully Submitted,

Dr. Rosemary Gardner

Sent from Mail for Windows

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **29 September 2021, 8:31AM**

Receipt number: **80**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihou was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihou being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihou moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No opinion**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No opinion**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **No**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Don't change!

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

We DO NOT need place names changed!

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

First name

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Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in?

Outside Far North

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **28 September 2021, 9:49PM**

Receipt number: **78**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion **No**
of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Kerikeri subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **No**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Leave it well alone in respect of the majority of the population. NO NEED TO CHANGE IT

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Please respect the legal name which exist. There is no need to change. Because of the multicultural population English is the most universal and known language.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

First name

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Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in?

Te Hiku (North)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **29 September 2021, 6:39PM**

Receipt number: **86**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion **No** of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe **Yes** subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Kerikeri subdivision

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

Yes

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Morgan**

Last name **Haami**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **No**

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From: Submissions
Subject: FW: Feedback: Māori ward counsellors FNDC 2022

From: tewananga@aniwaniwa.school.nz
Sent: Friday, October 1, 2021 6:35 AM
To: ask.us@fndc.govt.nz, moko.tepania@kurakaikohe.school.nz
Subject: Re: Feedback: Māori ward counsellors FNDC 2022

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Kia ora

just adding to the above - possible groupings

- 1) Cape , Kaitaia, Whatuwhiwhi and Doubtless Bay (horrible name)
- 2) North & South Hokianga
- 3) Whangaroa, Kerikeri, Paihia
- 4) Kaikohe, Kawakawa, Russel

Hilda Halkyard-Harawira

Pouārahi

Te Wānanga o Te Rangi Āniwaniwa

Mane-noa iho

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Te Rangi Āniwaniwa | Te Rangi Āniwaniwa whānau Te Wānanga-o-Te-Rangi-Aniwaniwa

On Thu, 30 Sept 2021 at 21:47, Te Wananga o Te Rangi Aniwaniwa
<tewananga@aniwaniwa.school.nz> wrote:

Kia ora

I recommend that each of the 4 Māori ward representatives speak for up to 6,000 voters on the Māori roll in the upcoming 2022 local body elections in natural lwi cluster groups where possible.

This will ensure Māori roll residents are evenly represented throughout the district and to ensure an even workload for Māori ward counsellors..

With more consultation, Māori roll voters could give better input.

If the above recommendation is carried out as an interim measure, an evaluation post elections can be done by Māori roll voters to ascertain what could work better.

I am opposed to 4 roving Māori counsellors covering the entire FNDC- it could lead to a lack of accountability or worse double up.

Hilda Halkyard-Harawira

Pouārahi

Te Wānanga o Te Rangi Āniwaniwa

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Te Rangi Āniwaniwa | Te Rangi Āniwaniwa whānau Te

Wānanga-o-Te-Rangi-Aniwaniwa

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **30 September 2021, 1:11PM**

Receipt number: **94**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Kerikeri subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **Yes**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Llani**

Last name **Harding**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Outside Far North**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **24 September 2021, 9:07AM**

Receipt number: **63**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No opinion**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No opinion**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No opinion**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **No opinion**

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No opinion**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **No**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal? **Another race based policy. Best person for the job is the best person for the job. Race is irrelevant.**

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Pete**

Last name **Hayes**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **No**

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From: Submissions
Subject: FW: Maori Wards

From: kura.heke@rtlb.school.nz
Sent: Friday, October 1, 2021 10:24 AM
To: ask.us@fndc.govt.nz
Subject: Maori Wards

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We would appreciate 4 Maori wards to cater for 6000 people spread around the rohe.

Nga mihi,

Kura Heke
Resident landowner & rate payer 30 Martin Road, Omapere, South Hokianga.

Subject:

FW: Allocated: RFS 4080652 Priority 3: Governance and Democracy.

Attachments:

Pathway.pth

From: Imherewini@gmail.com

Sent: Thursday, September 30, 2021 8:59 PM

To: ask.us@fndc.govt.nz

Subject: FNDC Māori ward seats feedback

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To Whom It May Concern

I recommend that each of the 4 Māori ward representatives speak for up to 6,000 voters on the Māori roll in the upcoming 2022 local body elections.

This will ensure Māori roll residents are evenly represented throughout the district.

Lesley Herewini

02108431391

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **24 August 2021, 8:28AM**

Receipt number: **28**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Yes

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **No**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal? **Do not support Maori extra wards . I am part maori consider racial discrimination all NZ's should be equal**

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Brent**

Last name **Hewitt**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **23 August 2021, 4:27PM**
Receipt number: **12**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No opinion

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal? **Yes, there should be at least 50% Māori representation in each ward and on each community board.**

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **Yes**

About you

First name **Hinerangi**

Last name **Himiona**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Kaikohe-Hokianga (West)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **13 September 2021, 10:03AM**

Receipt number: **52**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **Yes**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **Yes**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider? **Te Tai O Muriwhenua**

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

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Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Kaikohe-Hokianga (West)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **17 September 2021, 2:18PM**

Receipt number: **57**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **Yes**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **Yes**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Lisa**

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Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **No**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **25 August 2021, 8:47AM**

Receipt number: **36**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No opinion

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal? **I**

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Lloyd**

Last name **Jerome**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **16 September 2021, 3:04PM**

Receipt number: **56**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Kerikeri subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **No**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No opinion**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

leave it as it is please

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

I don't think there needs to be an extra councilor.

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Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

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Additional comments

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Ngā mihi nui
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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Kerikeri subdivision

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Whangaroa-Pēwhairangi

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

Ngā Hau Kōtiu

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Whakamotuhakehia he (x1) tūru Whangaroa i te takiwa Whangaroa-Pēwhairangi, kia kōtahi ki Whangaroa, kia kōtahi nōki ki Pēwhairangi.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **29 September 2021, 9:06PM**

Receipt number: **88**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **Yes**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

None

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

I object to what the FNDC is now proposing and to ask the FNDC to totally rethink the issue of representation in the Far North to:

Achieve fair and balanced representation between Māori and non-Māori residents

Split the huge Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward (to be renamed: Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa General Ward) into 2 new Wards (northern and southern).

Reduce the number of Community Board seats in the Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward by 2 to have only 4 members. Increase number of Community Board seats to be divided between the two so-created Bay of Islands Wards to 8 seats, with 5 seats in the northern area comprising Whangaroa, Waipapa and Kerikeri and 3 seats for the remaining southern Bol area.

If the name of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward is to be changed to “Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa General Ward”, then kindly refer to Russell as “Russell/Kororāreka”.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

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Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **23 August 2021, 4:38PM**
Receipt number: **14**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

No opinion

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Te Pēwhairangi/ Bay of islands-Whangaroa- we should use a name that is readily recognisable to all people using all languages . We shouldnt use only one languages name for the ward aprticulaly when one option is not well known . just as we live alongside each other in the ward we should recognise the known names not just the indigenous name

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

Yes

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

**I think the concept is fair and make sense but do I think the number of voters per elected member should be the same range for Maori or non Maori , there is no justification for a different threshold for each electoral role
it is acknowledged that this could be an interim step to see how it goes , it would be transparent to be told what the future ideas are beyond the interim step rather than have another last minute rush like this**

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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I have read the terms of this public consultation

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **23 August 2021, 5:38PM**
Receipt number: **20**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

No opinion

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Queen Victoria provence!

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

None

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

So the council it seems are cowering to the radicals and intent on the present course of Apartheid. We used to have a democracy, do you all really want to go down in history as destroying that? This lunacy is divided our nation, I implore you to stop.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

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Which ward do you live in?

Te Hiku (North)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

No

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **1 October 2021, 8:51AM**

Receipt number: **100**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision? **No**

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Kerikeri subdivision

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No opinion

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

I live 3kms out of kaitia on the State highway one but i have been put into the far north subdivision . That is not my community of interest. and still sits @-12% variation . My next community of interest which is Awanui is approx, 4kms away . This township has been split and so has the land to the west . I move to Awanui soon -500 mtrs from town centre yet at proposed I would be in the Whatuwhiwhi riding as is Unahi wharf .

Is now proposed to be in the whatuwhiwhi subdivision. That town ship is approx.. 30-40 kms away and not my community or we have any connection too.

This a peninsula that relates more to the east coast. . I believe that there needs to be review of these boundaries using the mesh blocks . We all know that whatever is done in the FNDC no one area can meet or fix into the rules hence the positive and negative variations.

I suggest that whatuwhiwhi as a penninsula could be changed to be the more negative variation leaving the awanui township and rural land either within the North cape division or and recreate a new ahipara / Awanui / Broadwood subdivision by reducing kaitia to 2 seats. I have learn that that figures used for this review are

from statistics New Zealand . They are not the real populations numbers and based on assumptions and calculations estimated 30 june 2020 taken from the past (2018) sensor which we all know was not a good sensor especially in the far north . The electoral commission enrollment updated on the 31 august 2021 has less numbers enrolled to vote reduced numbers ie. 47,982 both Maori 14,007 and general roll 33975. but FNDC are using figures of approx. 25,000 Maori and general 46050.

Council voted to increase Councillors to 10. This should change back to 9. This then reduces the Maori seats to three. Less Councillors (9) and more community board members may be a better way to have representation of communities in the FNDC Then the Maori seats should be consider to be one seat per ward making a better representation for the large area and all iwi,s that we need to consider,

Also I do not think the Te Hiku or Kaikohe-hokianga wards would have a very good voting opportunity around the Council Table with the increased Councillor numbers.

It appears that figures used for the Maori population figures could be double dipping. You can be recognised as a Maori decendent included in the Maori population figures but be on the general roll not voting on the Maori roll.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

Yes

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Position in organisation (if applicable) Elbury Holdings Ltd

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Which ward do you live in?	Te Hiku (North)
Would you like to be informed about future consultations?	Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **1 October 2021, 8:54AM**

Receipt number: **101**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Te Hiku (1)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the
Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **No opinion**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Kevin**

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Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in? **Te Hiku (North)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **No**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **25 August 2021, 9:35AM**
Receipt number: **37**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Yes

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

None, BOI is internationally recognised.

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

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Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do we really need representation for different ethnicities, what about the Asian, Pasifika, European, Arabic, African, American and all the rest that make up our multicultural nation. We should be one nation with no special treatment for one group.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Phone

Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **26 September 2021, 2:41PM**

Receipt number: **66**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions.

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **Yes**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

The names should reflect some of the diversity of culture living in our country, the current name is a mix of cultures, why not leave it, or add in the Te Pewhairangi after the words Bay of Islands.

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

I think that we should not have a single race or culture singled out, let democracy remain and let the people who live in the area vote for those whom they want to represent them.

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

We are all New Zealanders. Where we come from shouldn't matter. Each should be entitled to enjoy their own culture, religion, whatever, without having to be preached at by others, each should be able to enjoy their place of birth without being made to feel like a second rate citizen. We are all one people, born on one earth. If we were lucky enough to be born here on NZ soil, so much the luckier for us, if we are able to maintain our democratic lifestyle without fear of prejudice even better. I would like to think that some common sense will finally prevail, and we can all just live and let live in our beautiful country.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

First name

Julie

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Organisation (if applicable)	
Position in organisation (if applicable)	
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Which ward do you live in?	Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)
Would you like to be informed about future consultations?	Yes

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I have read the terms of this public consultation

From: Submissions
Subject: FW: FNDC Representation proposal

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Hi there

I have reviewed the various documents and information on the FNDC website regarding the proposed changes to voter representation. I agree with one of our long standing residents here in Russell that we will find ourselves under represented and urge the FNDC to review their proposed changes and amend to;

1. Achieve fair and balanced representation between Māori and non-Māori residents
2. Split the huge Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward (to be renamed: Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa General Ward) into 2 new Wards (northern and southern).
3. Reduce the number of Community Board seats in the Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward by 2 to have only 4 members. Increase the number of Community Board seats to be divided between the two so-created Bay of Islands Wards to 8 seats, with 5 seats in the northern area comprising Whangaroa, Waipapa and Kerikeri and 3 seats for the remaining southern BoI area.
4. If the name of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward is to be changed to "Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa General Ward", then kindly refer to Russell as "Russell/Kororāreka".

A factor the FNDC needs to consider is that the proposed Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa General Ward represents the hub of the region's tourism industry. I suggest it therefore needs at least proportional representation at local government level to ensure the impact of tourism on the economy, infrastructure, communities and the environment are managed with local input.

Best regards

Harry Lyon
32 Du Fresne Place
RUSSELL

Harry Lyon
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NB: Vodafone has stopped supporting my harry@hellosailor.co.nz email address so please use harry.lyon50@gmail.com

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: 20 August 2021, 12:04PM
Receipt number: 7
Related form version: 12

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Yes

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **7 September 2021, 1:07PM**
Receipt number: **50**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Kerikeri subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

Yes

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

The Council needs to go back to the way it was, one councillor each for Kaikohe, North Hokianga & south Hokianga
three councillors for Te Hiku, one Councillor for Kaitaia Ahipara and the areas around kaitaia to meet up with the boundary of North Hokianga, One Councillor for Awanui Te Koe, Te Haupa [as known as north cape] one Councillor for Whatawhiwhi, Mangonui Taupo Bay area. One Councillor for for Whangaroa one Councillor for Kerikeri, one Councillor for Paiha, Russell, kawakawa, mayor elected at large. The 3 Maori Wards Councillors should be one from the Tehiku ward one from Kaikohe hokianga ward and one the easternward Whangaroa, Kerikeri , Paiha Russell Kawakawa , the 3 Maori Councillors need to be elected from the ward they reside in and represent their wards. given a total number 0f 12 Councillors plus the Mayor

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **Yes**

About you

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Position in organisation (if applicable)	ratepayer
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Phone	
Which ward do you live in?	Te Hiku (North)
Would you like to be informed about future consultations?	Yes

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I have read the terms of this public consultation

From: Submissions
Subject: FW: FNDC Maori ward seats feedback

From: jo.mane8@gmail.com
Sent: Thursday, September 30, 2021 8:08 PM
To: ask.us@fndc.govt.nz
Subject: FNDC Maori ward seats feedback

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Kia Ora,

While I am very pleased to have Maori wards in the council make-up - one ward to cover the whole mid and far north region is a lot of area to cover - its a burn-out workload. I would suggest to have 4 wards to ensure that the region is adequatelyly represented in reflecting a genuine partnership with tangata whenua/mana whenua. I appreciate the opportunity to give feedback on this important matter.

nga mihi

Jo Mane

From: Submissions
Subject: FW: FNDC Māori ward seats feedback

From: merem@outlook.co.nz
Sent: Saturday, October 2, 2021 1:09 AM
To: ask.us@fndc.govt.nz
Subject: FNDC Māori ward seats feedback

Tena koutou

Thank you for this opportunity to feedback on this very important issue.

Just like to note that in comparing other Councils' inviting feedback on Maori Wards, they cite who within Maoridom they have consulted.

In FNDC it is not forthcoming or clear, who or what Maori organizations have had input prior to publication and requesting public feedback.

I recommend that each of the 4 Māori ward representatives speak for up to 6,000 voters on the Māori roll in the upcoming 2022 local body elections. This will ensure Māori roll residents are evenly represented throughout the district.

Am happy to appear to speak more about supporting equal distribution via population and distances of travel throughout the wards as far as possible.

Apologies for this late submission due to unforeseen circumstances. Having just received my phone. Please receive this in the spirit of wanting to submit to support the process and the work done thus far. An opportunity not to be missed.

Kua tuwhera pea, te kakara o Te Tiriti.
Perchance the blossoming, sweet scent of Te Tiriti

Mere Mangu

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **30 September 2021, 4:11PM**

Receipt number: **95**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision? **No**

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No opinion**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Kerikeri subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **None**

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **No opinion**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal? **Maori ward should be limited to 2 representatives.**

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **R**

Last name **Marsh**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone **094060440**

Which ward do you live in? **Te Hiku (North)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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From: John Mason <masonkerikeri@xtra.co.nz>
Sent: Thursday, 30 September 2021 9:43 am
To: Submissions
Subject: Maori wards..

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I object to Maori wards. There was no mandate for our councillors to move this.
You stand on your merits to be a councillor not on who you are. I always believed that we are all one.
Yours sincerely
John R Mason, Waipapa.
Sent from my iPad

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **23 August 2021, 5:59PM**
Receipt number: **22**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

No opinion

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

None. No need for change

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

First name

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Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: 23 August 2021, 7:18AM

Receipt number: 10

Related form version: 12

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

All (11)

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

No

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

No

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

No

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

No

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Yes

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

There are currently too few councillors and community board members to adequately represent community interests. Representation within FNDC and FNHL is currently skewed away from the interests of the communities they serve and more towards business.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in?

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: 27 August 2021, 12:27PM
Receipt number: 42
Related form version: 13

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Leave as is.

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

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Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review

Submission from Ian McGovern

30th September 2021

1. **Oppose the introduction of Maori Wards as proposed because they are undemocratic and discriminatory.**
2. **Faulty process used to decide on Maori Wards.**
3. **The present voting system of electing Council is not fully democratic and creates a form of privilege.**
4. **The present system leads to electing some people without the skills set, attitude and purpose for the job and has unintended consequences.**
5. **Representation Review initiatives.**
6. **Summary**

Disclaimer: Nothing that follows should be taken to indicate that I am in support of, or against Maori Wards. It is just clarifying the issue to be able to make a democratic decision.

1 Oppose the introduction of Maori Wards as proposed because they are undemocratic and discriminatory.

How do they discriminate against Maori ? Because only those registered on the Maori Electoral Roll will be able to vote in the Maori Wards. All Maori on the General Electoral Roll are excluded. This immediately disenfranchises a large proportion of Maori. If those Maori on the General Roll wish to vote for representation on the Maori Ward, they are effectively forced to switch to the Maori roll. {This is not available to those who may wish to until 2024; so they are forceably excluded from that roll for the next election} This is because the method for electing MPs for Central Government is being used for Local Government. That may work for Central Government where political parties are involved, but we don't vote for parties in local elections (and nor do we want to have Central Government political parties involved in local government).

Are Maori Wards best for the whole District throughout all the Districts in New Zealand ? Or is it just the next step in the erosion of our democracy ? The Whanganui District Council recently put Maori Wards on hold because a local iwi voiced concerns that they could affect existing ties the iwi has with the District Council. They have a system now which they feel is better than wards and they have a concern that through the ward system the wrong people will be elected; those that do not whakapapa to the land or the iwi. This is borne out in that you do not have to be Maori to stand in a Maori Ward.

Once we have Maori Wards, in a few years will we have claims to have a political party ward, or a ward for other groups eg. Dalmations (for they originally settled in the Far North}. Could it eventually lead to religious wards, if their population was great enough.

2. Faulty process used to decide on Maori Wards.

The process used in the discussion on and decision to implement Maori Wards was faulty and leaves Council open to a legal challenge to rescind. The recorded facts show that information relied upon to decide to institute Maori Wards to be one-sided and therefore unconstitutional. That evidence shows that unsound decisions were made by Council.

This submission will be fully expanded in person at the hearing.

3. Present voting system for Council not fully democratic and creates a form of privilege.

In fact, the present method of Wards is not democratic either. How often is there a candidate standing for election, who you think or know is just right for the job but you are prevented from giving him/her your vote because they are not standing in your Ward ? This is the cause of Councils having members who are not up to the job. Many Council seats are filled with this type of incompetency. This will also be the case with the Maori Wards as proposed.

Democracy means we have the ability to decide by a majority that the Council acts in the best interests of all. Does a separate ward, or seats from a ward, practise democracy or does it create privilege ? Different Wards have different numbers of Councillors (based on the number of residents in that Ward). Larger wards, therefore, have privilege, by reason of the greater number of Councillors elected from that Ward over a smaller ward with fewer representatives on Council. Perhaps the change we should be making first is to change the whole existing system to make it truly democratic, and not just democratic on the surface. Councillors can be elected from different Wards but should be elected 'at large'; from residents and ratepayers from the whole district.

All those elected to Council (from all Wards) sign the same oath and when making decisions as a Councillor they represent all the people of the District. Which tends to show that the Ward system is redundant as well as undemocratic. Adding Maori Wards to the mix without fixing the present undemocratic system of Wards would seem to make the whole system more undemocratic, especially as it will disenfranchise a substantial group of Maori.

4. The present system leads to electing some people without the skills set, attitude and purpose for the job.

There has been recent comment in the news media by different people that we elect to councils people with the wrong skill sets, attitudes and purpose. Maybe those writers are correct. But part of the problem might be the ward system. How often has there been a very good candidate with all the necessary attributes standing for your council, but you could not give them your vote because they were standing in a Ward that was not yours ? Many times these candidates do not get elected because all the supporters could not give their vote to them because of the ward system.

On the Far North District Council, a Councillor, Moko Tepania, who is a Maori has stated that " I am a voice on council who happens to be Maori, not a Maori voice on council." What does that mean ? That when he is deliberating issues on Council, he stops thinking as a Maori. Does a social

worker or a Christian on council stop thinking as a social worker or a Christian the moment they enter the Council meeting ? Of course they don't. That is a very naïve outlook and detrimental to the standard of Council deliberations. It makes you think about the quality of your representatives.

There appears to be at least 3 members of the Council who are Maori or identify as Maori, out of a 9 member Council (plus the Mayor). Surely they cannot put their Maori Culture and feelings aside when deliberating for the District as a whole. It is ludicrous to think otherwise. I recently surveyed the Councillors on the FNDC asking for their ethnicity. Even after a gentle reminder, only 5 replied, including the Mayor, (not even all the Councillors who are Maori bothered replying). Although they hold public office and are put there by the public they don't seem to want to be accessible to or have contact with the public (the ratepayers). Leading up to an earlier election, I emailed candidates for some information. Several did not even bother to reply and several requested that I take them off my email list. Definitely the wrong people standing for office.

When the Far North District Council voted for Maori Wards the vote was split 5:5. Consider that their deliberations and decisions must be made for the betterment of the whole district, surely the vote should have been a larger majority. Do we take from that result that as they are voting on ratepayers behalf, that half those Councillors believe Maori Wards are the best for the whole district and half believe they are not ? It is the duty of members on the Council to debate the issue with arguments sound enough to convince the others to vote in favour or the reverse. Obviously, those Councillors do not have the required skills to present the argument successfully, whichever side is correct in deciding what is best for the District as a whole. Note: After the Government passed legislation cancelling the poll to confirm such decisions, the vote became 7:3. (A sudden change by two, without suitable debate; just going with the flow ?).

Similarly, the Whangarei District Council's vote was 8:6. There were such diverse opinions for what was best for the whole district there, that a group of Councillors filed a motion for the Council to revisit the issue at the next meeting with the same result. Again still two completely diverse views of what is best for the district, but no one with arguments sufficient to convince the others. Again Councillors without the correct skill sets.

This sort of dissension among Councillors is seen throughout New Zealand. So who is right ?

Are Maori Wards best for the whole District throughout all the Districts in New Zealand ? Or is it just the next step in the erosion of our democracy ? The Whanganui District Council recently put Maori Wards on hold because a local iwi voiced concerns that they could affect existing ties the iwi has with the District Council. They have a system now which they feel is better than wards and they have a concern that through the ward system the wrong people will be elected; those that do not whakapapa to the land or the iwi. This is borne out in that you do not have to be Maori to stand in a Maori Ward.

5. Representation Review

The representation review that all Councils are presently undergoing, needs to correct the present undemocratic wards, among other things, before more undemocratic processes, like the Maori Wards in their proposed form, are added.

There has not yet been a complete or sensible debate on the issue here in the Far North to consider making sure the system is fully democratic, which is what we are all entitled to, before we add something that makes it not only less democratic but also disenfranchises a substantial portion of our population. Creating Maori Wards as presently proposed works against some Maori and will be another example of disadvantage for those Maori. Everyone must have a fully democratic vote. The system must be changed.

It is submitted that the Council takes immediate steps to make these changes for the reasons outlined above, operative as soon as possible.

6. Summary

1. It would be a catastrophe to go ahead with creating Maori Wards as proposed. It will be undemocratic, unfair and disenfranchise a section of the population.
2. Council to use the Representation Review to amend the Ward system for each Ward to have equal number of representatives on Council (adjusting boundaries if necessary).
3. Make the voting system “at large” for all the positions of Mayor and Councillors to ensure full democracy and total fairness and to ensure people with the required skill sets are elected to Council.
4. Ensure the right to vote for whom you want to is fully democratic and totally fair and not restricted by which electoral roll or Ward you are registered on.
5. That the Council immediately commence the process to fulfil these objectives to ensure compliance with the spirit of the Treaty of Waitangi and the LEA and the LGA.

I wish to be heard in support of these submissions.

Ian McGovern 30th September 2021

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Representation Review 2021



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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No opinion**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **No opinion**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **Yes**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

The Te Pewhairangi-Whangaroa will have one councillor less than currently. Given population growth in the region I think this is wrong. It should remain at four.

I also think that those four should be better represent the main populations areas of the Ward. There should be 1 councillor representing specifically Kerikeri, one councillor for Paihia-Opua, one for Russell-Rawhiti-Kawakawa and one for Whangaroa. Currently the 4 councillors tend to be weighted to residents of the Kerikeri area as they have the greater profile there and so Kerikeri people end up voting in people they know locally. Here in Russell for example we have little or no connection with the current councillors or them with us. One of our own would better represent us. You might say we have a community board rep to do that, but it doesn't work like that, the board reps don't have any teeth or powers.

I think the Russell-Opua sub-division is too large. The rural areas of Maromaku, Towai etc are aligned to Kawakawa - that is their nearest town.

It seems odd to put the Rangihoua-Purerua peninsula into the Kerikeri sub-division - geographically they are split by the new Waipapa ward, surely it would be better as part of Waipapa.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15
October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Which ward do you live in? Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future
consultations? Yes

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REPRESENTATION REVIEW 2021

Sender Bruce Mills

B.O.I. / WHANGARUA Community Board

TWO POINTS

- ① THE RESIDENTS OF THE WHANGARUA SUBDIVISION HAVE CONTINUALLY VOICED THAT THEY WISH TO HAVE A COUNCILLOR FOR THE WHANGARUA SUBDIVISION.

I AGREE. THE PRESENT COUNCILLORS DO THEIR BEST TO REPRESENT WHANGARUA BUT TO BE FAIR THEIR EFFORTS FALL SHORT ON UNDERSTANDING THIS AREA.

WHANGARUA IS WORLDS APART FROM KERIKERI. I BELIEVE THE MAORI WAROS EXCEED THE POSSIBILITIES OF THIS HAPPENING

- ② BOUNDARIES: THE BOUNDARY HAS CHANGED TO THE WHANGARUA SUBDIVISION. A LARGE PORTION IN THE SOUTH HAS MOVED TO WAIPAPA & NEED TOO. BUT I WISH SANDY'S ROAD TO BE INCLUDED IN WHANGARUA. MAYBE THE RIGHT HAND SIDE INCLUDING THE LAKE MANAWAI WHICH I HAVE DEVELOPED A PERSONAL INTEREST IN & VISIT IT OFTEN TO KEEP WATCH. (I RECENTLY PICKED UP 7 BAGS OF RUBBISH, CLOTHING ETC) I MANAGED TO GET THE BOLLARDS TO PROTECT AGAINST VANDALISM. I'M LOBBYING FOR TOILETS & CHANGING ROOMS. I CANOE THE LAKE OFTEN. IT IS ONLY A 2 MIN DIVERSION TRAVELLING HOME FROM KERIKERI.

I DON'T BELIEVE THE WAIPAPA MEMBER IS POSITIONED FOR THIS. MY REPRESENTATION NUMBER HAS DROPPED CONSIDERABLY & WOULD BALANCE OUT MORE EVENLY IF SANDY'S RD REMAINED WITH WHANGARUA. LOCKES HAVE THANKED ME FOR MY INTEREST IN THEIR BACKYARD

Representation Review 2021



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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Kaikohe-Hokianga (3)

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

Tangata o nga hau e wha - People of four winds inclusive of everyone not just Maori that live and dwell in Far North

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

More Maori representing Maori land and all areas in Tai toke rau

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

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Which ward do you live in?

Kaikohe-Hokianga (West)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

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Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **Yes**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

As as important tourist destination the name Bay of Islands is too important to loose. Keep the existing name.

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

**It is suggested to increase the number of Councillors to 10. I am surprised there is no question about this in this questionnaire: why??
However, I agree to the suggestion.**

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

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Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

No opinion

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **No**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

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Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **30 September 2021, 8:28AM**

Receipt number: **90**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihou was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihou being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihou moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Kerikeri subdivision

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

Yes

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **No**

What other names should we consider? **Don't call it a Ward**

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Sandy**

Last name **Myhre**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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From: Submissions
Subject: FW: Allocated: RFS 4080672 Priority 3: Strategic Development & Governance Correspondence.
Attachments: Pathway.pth

From: julznightingale@outlook.co.nz
Sent: Friday, October 1, 2021 9:22 AM
To: ask.us@fndc.govt.nz
Subject: Re: FNDC Maori Ward Seats Feedback
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I recommend that each of the 4 Māori ward representatives speak for up to 6,000 voters on the Māori roll in the upcoming 2022 local body elections.
This will ensure Māori roll residents are evenly represented throughout the district.

Nga Mihi
Julianne Nightingale

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **23 August 2021, 4:36PM**
Receipt number: **13**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

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Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Yes

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No opinion

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

We don't need any more councillors.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

First name

Sean

Last name

Page-Wood

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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From: Mereana Pawa <mereanapawa.moko@gmail.com>

Sent: Friday, October 1, 2021 6:56:32 AM

To: Ask Us Team <ask.us@fndc.govt.nz>

Cc: Moko Tepania <Moko.Tepania@fndc.govt.nz>

Subject: FNDC Māori Ward Seats Feedback

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Tēnā koutou

recommend that each of the 4 Māori ward representatives speak for up to 6,000 voters on the Māori roll in the upcoming 2022 local body elections.

This will ensure Māori roll residents are evenly represented throughout the district.

Signed Mereana Pawa

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **29 September 2021, 6:22PM**

Receipt number: **85**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

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Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Kerikeri subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No opinion**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **Yes**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Lasse**

Last name **Pedersen**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **1 October 2021, 10:51PM**

Receipt number: **108**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Te Hiku (1)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the
Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Keryn**

Last name **Pivac**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in? **Te Hiku (North)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **15 September 2021, 11:32AM**

Receipt number: **54**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **No opinion**

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **No**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

not broken do not need change.stop playing with history

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

North Auckland

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

You appear to be making this up for whatever your reason.Totally out of touch with the people

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

Yes

About you

First name

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Last name

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Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in?

Outside Far North

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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From: Submissions
Subject: FW: FNDC Māori ward seats feedback

From: ndports@live.com
Sent: Thursday, September 30, 2021 10:22 PM
To: ask.us@fndc.govt.nz
Subject: FNDC Māori ward seats feedback

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Tena Koutou

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Naku Noa
Nyree Porter

Sent from my iPhone

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **1 October 2021, 10:36PM**

Receipt number: **107**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision? **No**

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihou was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihou being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihou moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

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At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

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Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **Yes**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Waitangi ward

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

Yes

What other names should we consider?

Te Taitokerau

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Consult with hapu over their traditional boundaries and land marks and make good common sense. Iwi boundaries keep iwi voting together and better participation.

How 4 councillors represent 5 main tribes and countless hapu is beyond me.

At 44 percent of population proper ratio should be 5 and 5 councillors.

Council need training in He Whakaputanga 1835 and in Tiriti o Waitangi 1840.

A pattern of achievement should be set for Maori wards to achieve rea ok istic goals according to past history, it will take some time for this to work.

Use democratic election process. Refuse iwi to vote privately by marae ballot. Marae ballot can be manipulated.

Lots.of other stuff

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

Yes

About you

First name

Rueben

Last name	Porter
Organisation (if applicable)	
Position in organisation (if applicable)	
Your email	wharemaori@gmail.com
Phone	0272001840
Which ward do you live in?	Te Hiku (North)
Would you like to be informed about future consultations?	Yes

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From: Submissions
Subject: FW: Submission on Maori Councilor addition to council elect.

From: Graeme Price <graeme.d.price@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, 29 September 2021 7:47 pm
To: Submissions <submissions@fndc.govt.nz>
Subject: Submission on Maori Councilor addition to council elect.

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To Whom it may concern at the Far North District Council.

Attention Mayor John Carter and all current councilors.

I Graeme Price of 667 Te AhuAhu Road Waimate North Kerikeri Northland,

I am opposing strongly the proposed legislation that the Far North District Council is proceeding to adopt after voting it into becoming reality in a council meeting to create extra councilors based on race being Maori Councillors.

This is in my regard a very slippery slope that the Council is starting to head down by creating race based positions.

We are all New Zealanders and should all be treated the same as we all have the same rights and privileges in this great country.

Just as European candidates for council Maori can put nominations up to stand as councillors and be elected on merit not ethnicity by default.

We the NZ public are seeing a very strong push by the current Labour Govt to create Race based entities throughout society.

This is totally wrong and goes against all rational thought on how everyone should be treated the same way with race not being a factor to receive extra privileges.

My strong opinion stretches far and wide in the public's opinion in the Far North.

Everyone you speak to now is appalled this is creeping into local Councils as well because it's already being forced Nationally on us all by what could be stated as a very Racist Government walking a very slippery slope.

I would offer some strong advice to all Councillors Think very carefully.

When and if Racial policy is adopted that the public oppose strongly, this will come back to tarnish the credibility of all Councillors come the next elections.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely Graeme Price

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **1 October 2021, 1:43PM**

Receipt number: **103**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

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At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Bay of Islands- Kerikeri-Whangaroa Ward

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

Do not support Maori Wards

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

For its percentage of population Kerikeri should have more Councilors .

I believe the Maori Wards are undemocratic and promote separatism.

All candidates should declare their full ethnicities not just their Maori affiliation.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

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N/A

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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The Mayor and Councillors,
F. N. D. C.,
Kaikohe.

Dear Sirs/Mesdames

“Hi iwi a tatou” “Now we are one people” Today Governor Hobson’s words have a somewhat hollow ring. The push for dedicated Maori Wards and associated separate representation is neither needed or even desirable. Even more so in the Far North District Council, enlightened Local Body’s governance and practices.

Over the last fifty years our Northern Boroughs, County Councils and other quasi controlling authorities have enjoyed an enviable mix of gender and ethnicity fostered by an eminently open and transparent system of democracy. “If it ain’t broke, don’t fix it”. This age old axiom is something that our present Councillors could be well advised to give heed to.

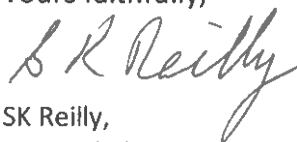
Even more important, the strident cry for separate representation is tantamount to a gratuitous insult to the many Councillors who have served on our Councils and Boards over the past decades. Names like (in no particular order) Dr Paewai, John Klaracich, Dover Samuels, along with Jock Cribb, Bill Ambler, Johnson Davis, Lorraine Hill, Hiku Cherrington, Joe Topia Joe Williams, Shane Jones, Tracy Dalton, Joe Williams, Warren Gundry, Jim Peters, come to mind with more recently Jim Shortland, Willow Jean Prime, Emma Davis, Alan Hessel, Moko Te Pania and Kelly van Gaalen. All can claim a little or a lot of Maori Heritage or ancestry. There could be others and apologies would be due and are willingly tendered for any oversight.

This impressive list is clearly solid evidence that this electorate is quite capable of electing the “best person for the job” without any help or hindrance from well intentioned bureaucrats and others, no matter what the motivation is or was. “Cometh the hour cometh the man” is as relevant today as it ever was in years gone by.

One could be forgiven for thinking that the desire for separate representation is nothing more than a naked push for power. If so, then be aware that “All power corrupts and absolute power corrupts absolutely”.

It is respectfully suggested that the decision to create separate Maori wards be revisited as soon as practical or possible with a view for the decision to be rescinded. A “them and us” stance or attitude is to be deplored and avoided at all costs.

Yours faithfully,



SK Reilly,
RD1 Kaikohe
11.9.2021
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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **30 August 2021, 3:52PM**
Receipt number: **44**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Yes

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

None

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

None

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

There is no requirement for a Maori Ward and there is no requirement for councilors to be selected on race. This is racist government legislation and is dividing the country and creating an apartheid country which is totally non productive, divisive and unwarranted in an enlightened democratic society of the 21st Century and the Council should be ashamed to be even considering such legislation.

Councilors should be elected on their skill and ability as to what they can bring to the table not on the colour of their skin. The joy of local government is that there are no political alliances or affiliations just the fact the candidate has the skills and abilities to do the best for the district and the community as a whole that they are representing.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

Yes

About you

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Which ward do you live in?	Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)
Would you like to be informed about future consultations?	Yes

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I have read the terms of this public consultation

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **22 September 2021, 10:48AM**

Receipt number: **61**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions.

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Kerikeri subdivision**

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Why change it just keep as it is already called now

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

I do not support the proposal of an ethnic based Ward - it is patronizing and promotes devision, needs to be a ratepayer referendum on this issue.

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

We have serious concerns specifically regarding the proposed new addition of 4 Maori Ward Councillors. This proposal is clearly patronizing and promotes devision. Council is exploiting the shameful government undemoncratic removal right to vote on this issue by promoting this ratepayer funded proposal. Whether majority submission numbers are for or against this proposal we expect council to respect the majority outcome and act accordingly not forgetting that you are there to represent all the ratepayers.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Which ward do you live in?	Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)
Would you like to be informed about future consultations?	No

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **28 September 2021, 7:18PM**

Receipt number: **75**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Bay of Islands Whangaroa

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **30 September 2021, 5:45PM**

Receipt number: **96**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **No**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

FNDC Maori Ward

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

In our opinion the boundary reviews are of common sense reasoning except amalgamating Waioomio area with Opuia Russell?We cannot see any linkage between these areas?

With regards to the establishment of a separate Maori ward we find this a abdication of the roll of the current council members and especially the current Mayor, who by collectively voting for this option are indicating that the Maori community of the Far North are unable to find worthy candidates to stand and win election within the current ward system.The people of the Far North do not want racial segregation.Unity of our people is what is desperately needed.By voting in this system,the current council is admitting/implying that our Far North Maori are second class citizens.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: 24 August 2021, 9:58AM

Receipt number: 29

Related form version: 13

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **Te Hiku (1)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

I don't want a Maori Ward or any stand-alone power structure for Maori. Let them be included in the general public, not singled out on racial lines for yet another gift of money or power. We have already seen iwi trying to set up unauthorised road blocks for Covid. Stop encouraging Maori taking a separatist and self-determined path. They have already shown that it is a grab for political power, and that their priorities are detrimental to law and order.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Which ward do you live in?	Te Hiku (North)
Would you like to be informed about future consultations?	Yes
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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: 23 August 2021, 6:59PM
Receipt number: 24
Related form version: 13

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **Te Hiku (1)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal? **This seems to be a good starting point for fairer maori representation, but I think the FNDC should lobby parliament to allow electors to be able to switch between the Maori/General role annually.**

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Anne**

Last name **Russell**

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Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Te Hiku (North)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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I do submit my opposition to these proposed changes which I consider unbalanced and thereby unfair..

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U.Schmutzler, Russell

Representation Review 2021



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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

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Yes

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Additional comments

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Yes

About you

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Scoffham

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

Your email

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

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4 COMMUNITY BOARD PROPOSAL

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FAR NORTH REPRESENTATION STATISTICS MODIFIED 4 WARD INDICATIVE PROPOSAL		Estimated Resident Population at 30 June 2020						
		Māori Electoral Population	General Electoral Population	Total Electorate Population	% Far North Total Popln.	Community Board members	Residents per CB member	% Variation from TOTAL Average
WARD								
Te Hiku	Doubtless Bay Subdivision	870	3,140	4,010				
Te Hiku	Kaitaia Subdivision	5,350	5,930	11,280				
Te Hiku	North Cape Subdivision	1,390	1,860	3,250				
Te Hiku	Whatuwhiwhi Subdivision	1,290	2,330	3,620	1		3620	
Te Hiku	TOTAL Te Hiku WARD	8,900	13,260	22,160	31.2%	6	3693	-1.2%
Bay of Islands Northern	Kerikeri Subdivision	1,140	9,040	10,180				
Bay of Islands Northern	Waipapa Subdivision	490	4,310	4,800				
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Bay of Islands Southern	Paihia Subdivision	920	4,110	5,030				
Bay of Islands Southern	Russell-Opua Subdivision	1,050	3,160	4,210				
Bay of Islands Southern	TOTAL Bay of Islands Southern	7,780	25,160	32,940				
					46.4%	9	3660	-2.1%
Kaikohe - Hokianga	Kaikohe Subdivision	4,630	4,170	8,800				
Kaikohe - Hokianga	North Hokianga Subdivision	1,330	1,160	2,490				
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Kaikohe-Hokianga	TOTAL Kaikohe-Hokianga WARD	8,320	7,630	15,950	22.4%	4	3988	6.6%
TOTAL		25,000	46,050	71,050				
					100.0%	19	3739	

Representation Review The Russell Perspective

Presented by David Scoffham
On behalf of the Russell Executive

The Russell Executive (RX)

- The members:
 - The Russell Business Association
 - Russell Ratepayers' & Citizens' Association (RRCA)
 - The Russell Protection Society (RPS)
 - Kororareka Marae Society
 - Te Wahapu/Okato Ratepayers' Association
 - Tapeka Residents' Association
 - The Russell 2000 Trust
 - The Enterprise Russell Charitable Trust (ER)
- In short, **the united Russell Community**

The RRCA proposal

- Split the current Bol Community Board into two separate community boards:
- Kerikeri/Whangaroa (keep title)
- Kawakawa/ Moerewa, Paihia and Russell peninsula
 - Title: The Bol Community Board
- The Bol Board should have 5 seats elected from 3 ridings
 - 2 seats for the Kawakawa/Moerewa riding
 - 2 seats for the Paihia riding, and
 - 1 seat for the Russell peninsula riding.

Putting the 'local' back into local government

This should:-

- Result in effective local representation
- Help to improve relations and engender trust
- Solve local issues in an efficient, knowledge-based manner
- Allow communities to elect their best local candidates
- **All the above, without being 'over-run' by larger voter groups residing outside the local area in question.**

Our reasons for supporting this proposed change

- The strong, existing feelings of most Russell residents
- The varying current perceptions of the actual population base of the greater Russell area.
- A fair and balanced distribution of local representation.
- Concerns over the direction of long-term policy

Russell residents' feelings

- Major focus on Russell in the latest LTCCP; Russell had to "go it alone" to address these issues cogently.
- Russell has the highest median residential rates in the District
- Sewerage rates & the Landfill facility remain ongoing critical issues
- Very high frustration at the lack of communication and support from the FNDC that has prevailed for many years
- With local representation the recent landfill incident would have been avoided
- Community Board totally silent on the recent Landfill issue
- **Major benefit from the excellent meeting of 18th August, with 4 Councillors and 5 council staff present; meeting initiated by RRCA.**

Varying perceptions of Russell Peninsula's population

- 2006 NZ Census (Russell Township): 819 people
- 2009 FNDC plan (Plan page 100/101): 1848 people
- **RX view: more than 2000**, even in winter
- Summer ratepayers double the size of the community
- Significant growth potential

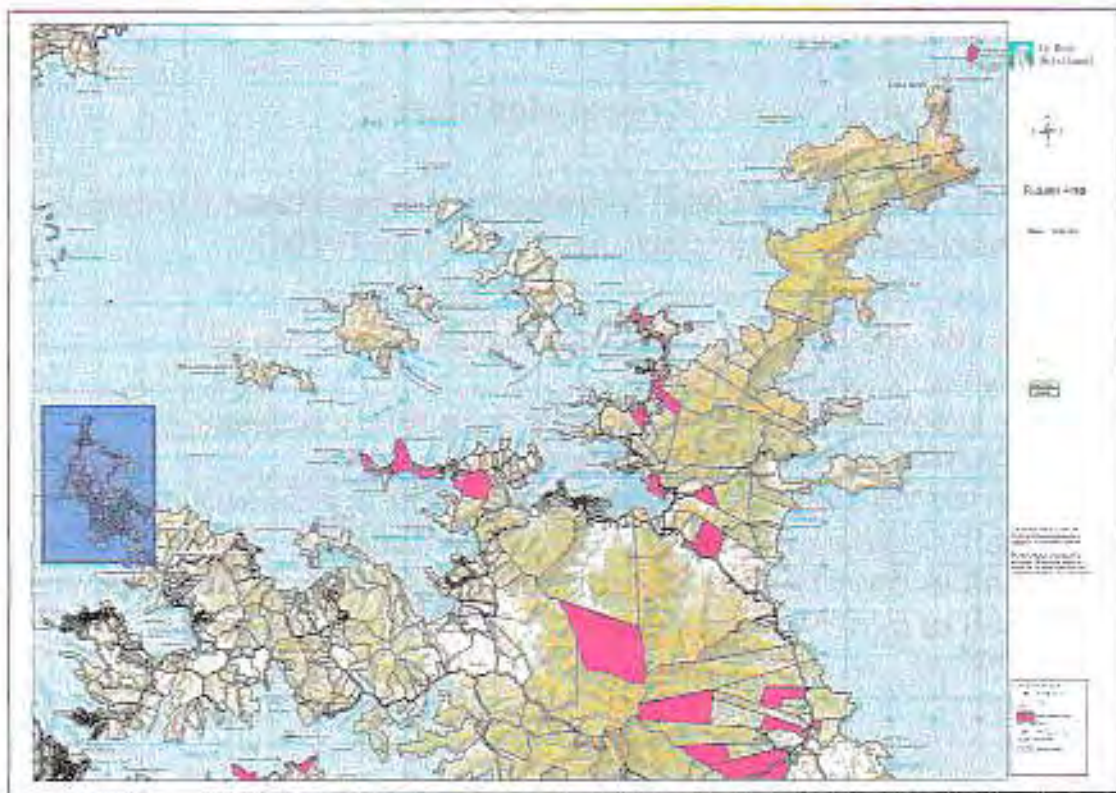
Let's look at some maps

- Russell Township Census boundary = 11 mesh blocks
- **Russell Peninsula**
Pokere-Waihaha (P-W) = 68 mesh blocks

Russell Township National Census boundary - 11 mesh blocks



Russell Peninsula – FNDC Map



Pokere Waihaha (P-W): Census boundary map



**N. B. Map width
= 42 KM**

A "fair and balanced distribution of representation" ??

Current Eastern ward representation

- 4 Kerikeri based Councillors
 - All voters vote 'local' in local elections
 - Community Board
 - 1 Paihia chair, 3 Kerikeri members, 2 Kawakawa members
 - Kerikeri-based councillor appointed by FNDC
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 - Russell is a 'virtual island'
 - Car and passenger ferries provide the primary access
 - Back road access remains very poor
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 - Russell's aqua-culture is a unique industry
 - Russell is the historic & economic centre of Russell peninsula
 - Russell is a major contributor to the economy of the Far North District

IS POKERE-WAIHAHA (P-W) A COMMUNITY OF INTEREST?

NO!

- 'Normally resident' population = 2490 (2006 Census)
Thus it ranks 9th in size in the Far North District
- IT IS A "CATCH-ALL" AREA, WITH NO FOCAL POINT
- Those who live in it have never even heard of it!!
 - It includes Te Wahapu, Okiato, Rawhiti, Jacks Bay, Parakura Bay etc. (thus comprising some 80% of the Russell Peninsula Area)
 - We estimate that the Russell Peninsula winter population in PW is about 1500

A fair and balanced distribution of representation (contd)

• **District picture: Qualified voters in 2007**

• (From Department of Internal Affairs)

- Northern Ward - 11894
- Western Ward - 7516
- Eastern Ward - **16894**
- Based on electors per electable FNDC position, the Eastern Ward is far higher than the Western Ward (with 2816 versus 1503) or nearly double!
- Based on our proposal, the corresponding qualified voter figures would be:
 - Kerikeri Sub-division - 9522
 - **BOI Sub-division - 7372**
- Note that this would make the BOI sub-division virtually the same as Western ward.

Estimated Resident Population

• Source :Statistics NZ

Subdivisions at June 30 2008

Ranked by ERP

Subdivision	ERP
Whangaroa-Kerikeri	14750
Bay of Islands	11600
Kaitiaki	10950
Kaikohe	7930
Hokianga	5370
Doubtless Bay	3810
North Cape	3500

Ridings:

Estimated Resident Population for Bol as of 30/6/08 is 11600

Bol Area	2006 Census population	Projected ER population
Paihia, Opua, Haruru, Waitangi, Bol	4066	4598
Kawakawa, Moerewa	2880	3257
Russell, Pokere-Waihaha	3312	3745
Grand Total	10258	11600

Propose renaming riding to Russell Peninsula and moving some Pokere-Waihaha (PW) mesh blocks to Kawakawa/Moerewa riding per post codes, effectively disbanding PW

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Effect of change.

Bol Community Board	Projected ER population
Paihia, Opua, Haruru, Waitangi, Bol	4598
Kawakawa, Moerewa	4502
Russell Peninsula	Approx 2500
Grand Total	11600

Concerns over the long-term direction

- The long-term outlook favours a unitary authority

If that transpires, then:

- The Community Boards (CB's) need to be given far more delegated authority if they are to be of much value

Or alternatively:

- **Our preferred long-term solution is for a council without Community Boards but with some 20 wards for each of the principal townships, with each electing one councillor on a 'first-past-the-post' basis.**
- This will provide more checks & balances and greater direct input into the democratic process.

Representation Review Summary

- **Please.....let's indeed work together!**
- Let's have a representational system that is both fair and equitable.
- **Russell is an asset not an enemy** and should be viewed as such by the FNDC. We think we can provide some highly useful, constructive and helpful input into the long-term plans of the Far North District

Russell Executive Revised Submission on the FNDC's Final Proposal For Representation Arrangements For The 2010 Local Elections Representation Review 2009

(6 pages & one attachment in total)

15th October 2009

1. Summary of the Russell Executive's original submission

The Russell Executive's (RX) original submission was made to endorse a proposal being made by the Russell Ratepayers' & Citizens' Association in response to the FNDC's proposal to create 3 additional Community Board (CB) seats in three areas of the District. In that proposal we noted that that one of these seats was being created for the remote North Hokianga area because "it forms a unique community of interest compared to its neighboring subdivisions" in the view of the FNDC. In our presentation made to the FNDC on 27th August in support of our original submission (see Attachment 1), we emphasized strongly that the Russell Peninsula is even more isolated than the North Hokianga area, being a virtual island and that it definitely deserved being treated on a similar basis. This led us to propose splitting the current Eastern Community Board (ECB) into two separate entities:

1. its northern portion, encompassing Kerikeri & Whangaroa (retaining the ECB name)
2. the remaining southern area, including the Kawakawa, Moerewa, Opua, Paihia and Russell communities (we suggested that this be called the Bay of Islands CB).

We proposed 3 Ridings (subdivisions) for this new **Bay of Islands Community Board**:

- The Kawakawa/Moerewa Riding, with 2 CB seats
- The Paihia/Waitangi/Haruru Falls/Opua Riding, also with 2 CB seats
- The Russell Peninsula Riding with just one CB seat.

In so doing we stressed the importance of fair and balanced distribution of local representation. We consider that our recommendation addressed this core issue quite effectively and we presented detailed statistics to support that assertion.

We pointed out that the existing, huge (~70km width), remote Pokere-Waihaha Riding, in which the Russell Peninsula (but not the Russell township!) resides, is not a "community of interest" at all, but is instead an artificially created, "catch-all" area with no focal point whatsoever that does not even include a single post office or a bank! The greater Russell peninsula is however most definitely a "community of interest", with a firm and historical identity. It therefore fully deserves direct representation within any formal administrative structure that the FNDC might contemplate adopting - all the more so when one takes stock of the total income derived by the Council in rates from the greater Russell Peninsula community.

2. RX Views on the FNDC "Final" Proposal (published on 11th September)

We are pleased to learn that the Council agreed with our "community of interest" argument and took heed of our submission in part, by since proposing to split the Bay of Islands subdivision into three Ridings, but without allocating any additional CB seats to reflect this change, despite our having specifically proposed a significant increase. We wish to thank the Council for its efforts in trying to improve the representational structure for the Russell Peninsula community. We are pleased that Russell town-ship and the Russell Peninsula areas all now lie in the same Riding. However we are concerned to note that under the revised FNDC proposal (published on 11th September), the Russell Peninsula community is now bound in the same Riding with remote, totally unrelated communities, with whom it has no relationship at all (notably Towai, Hukerenui, Maromaku & Motatau – all way to the south, that have considerably more natural affinity with the Kawakawa and Moerewa communities). In our view the FNDC has simply repeated the mistakes of the past by creating a smaller version of the old Pokere-Waihaha structure, whilst dragging in other communities that would have benefited more from remaining in their previous Riding. Contrary to what has been implied in certain FNDC press releases of late, such an unsatisfactory compromise was never suggested anywhere either in the RX original submission or in our subsequent presentation to Council and we strongly object to it being portrayed as such.

We view this freshly proposed Riding to be another artificially created, "catch-all" area, albeit smaller than the existing Pokere-Waihaha Riding. This outcome results directly from the FNDC's insistence on keeping but 3 Community Boards within the Council's administrative structure. The +/-10% rule is then rigorously applied to a large population with a small number of Ridings to arrive at an highly artificial outcome. We are further surprised that this new, artificial Riding is then spuriously named the "Russell Subdivision".

In concluding our remarks on the FNDC's Final Proposal of 11th September, we note that the Council neither advances any rationale to explain the logic of this Proposal nor provides any reason for not progressing to a 4 Ward administrative structure that would yield a far more logical solution to local representation and which has many merits.

3 RX's Modified Proposal on Representation.

In view of the FNDC's Final Proposal as tabled on 11th September, the Russell Executive (RX) has reconsidered its position and would go further in advancing the logic of its original proposal in terms of striving to achieve a fair and balanced local representational system throughout the Far North District.

Based on data published by NZCensus in June 2008, the current Eastern Community Ward is by far the largest Ward in the Far North District in terms of its Estimated Resident Population (ERP), having 90% more residents than the Western Ward and some 50% more than the Northern Ward. It is therefore fully justified to divide the Eastern Community Ward into 2 Wards, each with its dedicated Community Board, thereby increasing the total number of Council Wards and their corresponding Community Boards from 3 to 4. The northern of these new Wards could retain the name "Eastern Community Board" covering Whangaroa and Kerikeri with 6 CB members. Its southern counterpart could be named the "Southern Community Board" with 5 CB members from 3 Ridings, as shown below and as

presented in slide 16 of our presentation made to the FNDC on 27th August 2009 (see Attachment 1).

We consider this solution to be fully justified since, in terms of Ridings' size, the population of the current Bay of Islands Riding, with an ERP of 11600, is at present second only in terms of ERP numbers in the whole Far North District to that of the current Kerikeri-Whangaroa Riding with an ERP of 14750 [namely, Kerikeri (11,000) plus Whangaroa (3750) – which would be split up under the FNDC's latest proposal], followed by Kaitaia with 10950, as was illustrated in slide 14 of our presentation of 27th August.

RX Proposal (now revised)	# CB Members	ERP*	ERP per CB Member		
<u>(Revised) Eastern Ward</u>					
Whangaroa & Kerikeri	6	14750	2458		
Sub-total	6				
<u>(New) Southern Ward</u>					
Paihia, Waitangi, Haruru & Opuha	2	4598	2299		
Russell peninsula	1	2500	2500		
Kawakawa/Moerewa	2	4502	2251		
Sub-total	5			Plus 10%	Minus 10%
Total (Eastern & Southern Wards)	11	25830	2348	2583	2113

* ERP numbers are taken from page 5 of the paper entitled "Representation Review – Adoption of Final Proposal" submitted to the Council on 7th September by Trevor Norton, FNDC GM Strategic Development & Governance for consideration under agenda item 3.1 of the Council meeting held on 11th September 2009.

In the above tabulation it will be noted that the number of CB members in the Kerikeri & Whangaroa Ridings that combine to form the (revised) Eastern Community Board is increased from four to six. This structure then presents no problems in terms of the +/-10% rule and does not result in the creation of artificial Riding areas that attempt to link disparate communities that have no commonality whatsoever.

This new four Community Board structure would then make the entire Far North District's representational system yet more fair and balanced by increasing the number of CB members for Kaitaia from 3 to 4. Thus the total number of CB members for the entire Far North District would be increased to 24.

[continued with tabulation on the next page]

Russell Executive's Revised Proposal for the Entire Far North District:

Subdivision (Riding)	CB Members (now proposed)	CensusNZ (published 2018) ERP Numbers*	ERP per CB Member
<u>Northern Ward (Te Hiku)</u>			
North Cape	1	3500	3500
Kaitia	4	10950	2739
Whatuwhiwhi	1		
Doubtless Bay	1	3810	3810
Total	7	18260	2609
<u>Western Ward (Kaiakohe-Hokianga)</u>			
Kaiakohe	3	7930	2643
North Hokianga	1		
South Hokianga	2	5370	2685
Total	6	13300	2217
<u>Eastern Ward (Kerikeri-Whangaroa)</u>			
Whangaroa	2	3750	1875
Kerikeri	4	11000	2750
Total	6	14750	2458
<u>Southern Ward (Bay of Islands)</u>			
Paihia, Waitangi, Haruru & Opua	2	4598	2299
Russell peninsula	1	2500**	2500
Kawakawa/Moerewa	2	4502	2251
Total	5	11600	2320
TOTAL FAR NORTH	24	57910	2413

* For the source of these ERP numbers, please see the following link:

http://search.stats.govt.nz/nav/ct2/population_estimatesprojections/cl1/population/0
then select: Subnational Population Estimates: June 2008 - Local Government

** This number is an approximate estimate of the population of the Russell Peninsula.

Although this would markedly increase the number of CB members to 24, it is doubtful whether it would actually result in any increase in overall Council expenditure. In fact the contrary is more likely, with reduced costs due to greatly improved *local* representation, resulting in fewer bad decisions and less after-the-event "fire-fighting" of problems, since these are more likely to have been "nipped in the bud".

In conclusion we would comment on the distribution of councillors within the FNDC. The current status is as follows:

	Councillors	ERP* Population	Population per Councillor
Northern Ward	3	18260	6087
Eastern Ward	4	26350	6588
Western Ward	2	13300	6650
Far North Total Area	9	57910	6434

* Numbers from CensusNZ (published June 2008) – see link in footnote to table on page 4.

However the proposed division of the current single, huge Eastern Ward into two fresh Wards, each with comparable population numbers would favour Councillor representation to be similarly split with two councillors for each of the proposed new (revised) Eastern Ward and the Southern (Bay of Islands) Ward.

Thus the revised position would be:

	Councillors	Population*	Population per Councillor
Northern Ward	3	18260	6087
(Revised) Eastern Ward	2	14750	7375
(New) Southern Ward	2	11600	5800
Western Ward	2	13300	6650
Far North Total Area	9	57910	6434

*Numbers from CensusNZ (published June 2008) – see link in footnote to table on page 4.

There is little doubt that this proposed allocation of councillors would be effective in reducing the existing dominance of the Kerikeri/Whangara electorate on the selection of councillors (nearly half of the existing 9 FNDC councillors are currently based in Kerikeri; furthermore, the Mayor is based in Mangamou that relates quite closely with Kerikeri). However it can hardly be expected that these Kerikeri-based councillors would support a structure that is designed to reduce the disproportionate dominance that their township currently has on the main FNDC Council. We therefore strongly recommend that both this and any future considerations regarding possible changes to the representational structure of the Far North District be decided by a fully independent body, such as the Local Government Commission, that has no relationship with any of the Far North's districts. Furthermore, any adopted changes should align constituencies, so that they can be associated with more individual, *local* communities and ideally avoid block-voting, as far as is practical, rather than being proposed to meet a statistical target that might result in contrived 'associations' of localities that do not in fact relate to one another.

In summary, we consider that our proposal, as now revised and submitted, is fair, balanced and equitable across the entire Far North District and furthermore achieves direct representation for the Russell Peninsula community that is both deserved and long-overdue. Lastly and by no means least it actually puts the "local" back into representation rather effectively.

The Russell Executive hereby objects formally to the FNDC's "Final proposal for representation arrangements for the 2010 local elections representation review 2009". Instead we request that you implement the arrangements that we have proposed above. We therefore formally submit this as the Russell Executive's Revised Submission on this topic. This Revised Submission should be read in conjunction with the 18 slides that formed the basis of my presentation to the full Far North District Council on this topic on Thursday 27th August 2009.

David Scoffham
On behalf of the Russell Executive

Representing the united Russell community through the following organizations:

- The Russell Ratepayers' & Citizens' Association (RRCA)
- The Russell Business Association (RBA)
- The Russell Protection Society (RPS)
- The Kororareka Marae Society
- The Te Wahapu/Okiato Ratepayers' Association
- The Tapeke Residents' Association
- The Russell 2000 Trust
- The Enterprise Russell Charitable Trust (ER)

Attachment 1:

The Russell Executive Powerpoint Slide Presentation, as shown the full Far North District Council on 27th August 2009 in support of the submission made by the Russell Executive. [1423kB].

REPRESENTATION 2021 - COUNCILLORS FNDC PROPOSAL

FAR NORTH REPRESENTATION STATISTICS FNDC PRESENTED PROPOSAL		Estimated Resident Population at 30 June 2020						
		Māori Electoral Population	General Electoral Population	Total Electorate Population	% Far North General Popln.	Councillors for General Residents	Residents per Councilor	% Variation from General Average
WARD								
Te Hiku General	Total Ward (General)	8,900	13,260	22,160	28.8%	2	6630	-6.7%
Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa General	Total Ward (General)	7,780	25,160	32,940	54.6%	3	8387	18.0%
Kaikohe-Hokianga General	Total Ward (General)	8,320	7,630	15,950	16.6%	1	7630	7.4%
	TOTAL Far North GENERAL		46,050					
Far North Maori	TOTAL Far North MAORI	25,000		25,000		4	6250	-12.0%
Total Far North District	TOTAL FAR NORTH		46,050	71,050		10	7105	

FNDC 3 COMMUNITY BOARD PROPOSAL FNDC PROPOSAL

FAR NORTH REPRESENTATION STATISTICS FNDC PRESENTED PROPOSAL		Estimated Resident Population at 30 June 2020					
		Māori Electoral Population	General Electoral Population	Total Electorate Population	% Far North Total Popln.	Community Board members	Residents per CB member
WARD							
Te Hiku	Doubtless Bay Subdivision	870	3,140	4,010		1	
Te Hiku	Kaitaia Subdivision	5,350	5,930	11,280		3	
Te Hiku	North Cape Subdivision	1,390	1,860	3,250		1	
Te Hiku	Whatuwhiwhi Subdivision	1,290	2,330	3,620		1	
Te Hiku General	TOTAL Te Hiku WARD	8,900	13,260	22,160	31.2%	6	3693 -1.2%
Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa (Bol)	Kawakawa-Moerewa Subdivision	2,730	1,830	4,560		1	
Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa (Bol)	Kerikeri Subdivision	1,140	9,040	10,180		2	5090
Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa (Bol)	Paihia Subdivision	920	4,110	5,030		1	5030
Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa (Bol)	Russell-Opua Subdivision	1,050	3,160	4,210		1	
Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa (Bol)	Waipapa Subdivision	490	4,310	4,800		1	4800
Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa (Bol)	Whangaroa Subdivision	1,450	2,710	4,160		1	
Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa Bol	TOTAL Te Pē ki Wh WARD	7,780	25,160	32,940	46.4%	7	3594 -3.9%
Kaikohe - Hokianga	Kaikohe Subdivision	4,630	4,170	8,800		3	
Kaikohe - Hokianga	North Hokianga Subdivision	1,330	1,160	2,490		1	2490
Kaikohe - Hokianga	South Hokianga Subdivision	2,360	2,300	4,660		2	
Kaikohe-Hokianga General	TOTAL Kaikohe-Hokianga WARD	8,320	7,630	15,950	22.4%	6	1272 -66.0%
	TOTAL	25,000	46,050	71,050	100.0%	19	3739

4 COMMUNITY BOARD PROPOSAL

Divide the huge Bay of Islands Ward into 2 new wards (northern southern)

<u>FAR NORTH REPRESENTATION STATISTICS</u> <u>MODIFIED 4 WARD INDICATIVE PROPOSAL</u>		Estimated Resident Population at 30 June 2020					
		Māori Electoral Population	General Electoral Population	Total Electorate Population	% Far North Total Popln.	Community Board members	% Variation from TOTAL Average
<u>WARD</u>							
Te Hiku	Doubtless Bay Subdivision	870	3,140	4,010		1	4010
Te Hiku	Kaitaia Subdivision	5,350	5,930	11,280		3	3760
Te Hiku	North Cape Subdivision	1,390	1,860	3,250		1	3250
Te Hiku	Whatuwhiwhi Subdivision	1,290	2,330	3,620		1	3620
Te Hiku	TOTAL Te Hiku WARD	8,900	13,260	22,160	31.2%	6	3693 -1.2%
Bay of Islands Northern	Kerikeri Subdivision	1,140	9,040	10,180		3	3393
Bay of Islands Northern	Waipapa Subdivision	490	4,310	4,800		1	4800
Bay of Islands Northern	Whangaroa Subdivision	1,450	2,710	4,160		1	4160
Bay of Islands Northern	TOTAL Bay of Islands Northern						
Bay of Islands Southern	Kawakawa-Moerewa Subdivision	2,730	1,830	4,560		1	4560
Bay of Islands Southern	Paihia Subdivision	920	4,110	5,030		2	2515
Bay of Islands Southern	Russell-Opua Subdivision	1,050	3,160	4,210		1	4210
Bay of Islands Southern	TOTAL Bay of Islands Southern	7,780	25,160	32,940	46.4%	9	3660 -2.1%
Kaikohe - Hokianga	Kaikohe Subdivision	4,630	4,170	8,800		2	4400
Kaikohe - Hokianga	North Hokianga Subdivision	1,330	1,160	2,490		1	2490
Kaikohe - Hokianga	South Hokianga Subdivision	2,360	2,300	4,660		1	4660
Kaikohe-Hokianga	TOTAL Kaikohe-Hokianga WARD	8,320	7,630	15,950	22.4%	4	3988 6.6%
	TOTAL	25,000	46,050	71,050	100.0%	19	3739

From: Peter Sharpe <sharpeter@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, 30 September 2021 7:27 pm
To: Submissions
Subject: fair representation

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Do not click links or open attachments unless you recognise the sender and know the content is safe.

Dear sirs,

I find the proposed representation undemocratic.

Please re think this according to the democratic principles;-

1. **Achieve fair and balanced representation between Māori and non-Māori residents**
2. **Split the huge Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward (to be renamed: Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa General Ward) into 2 new Wards (northern and southern).**
3. **Reduce the number of Community Board seats in the Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward by 2 to have only 4 members. Increase number of Community Board seats to be divided by the 2 newly-created Bay of Islands Wards to 8 seats, with 5 seats in the northern area comprising Whangaroa, Waipapa and Kerikeri and 3 seats for the remaining southern Bol area.**
4. **To redefine the "areas of community of interest" in the newly-created southern Bay of Islands Ward such that no areas lying south of the new roundabout at the SH1/SH10 intersection at Kawakawa are included in the Russell-Opua "area of community of interest".**
5. **If the name of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward is to be renamed: Te Pēwhairangi ki Whangaroa General Ward, then kindly refer to Russell as Russell/Kororāreka.**

Yours sincerely,
Peter Sharpe,
0272 515 291
Bay of Islands Cottages,
Te Pahii,
Duffus Trust.

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **30 September 2021, 8:13PM**

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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **No opinion**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No opinion**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Please leave it as it is

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

First name

Marie

Last name

Shepherd

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

No

Anyone is invited to give feedback using this form, either **I have read the terms of this public consultation** online or written. Feedback can be from an individual or on behalf of an organisation. Your personal information will not be used for any purpose other than updating you on outcome of this consultation, unless you have indicated you wish to be informed about future consultations. Your personal information is handled according to the principles of the Privacy Act 1993.

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **27 September 2021, 11:51AM**

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Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No opinion**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

leave it as it is

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

I dont belive that any councilor should be elected on race or colour. A person who stands for council should stand on his or her merrits and be elected as such.

As a rate payer I would like to know what percentage of maori land owners do pay rates. I refer to a One News report dated August 15 2019 "We only survive on this land" Maori landowners fight back after council claims they owe \$18m in rates.

That would only be the start . Have the council achived in getting these rates in arrears paid at this date ? I doubt it.

Yes if didnt pay my rates I would end up in court. One rule for Maori and one for the others.

It appears that this Council is going down the same track as the Socialist ideologies of this Labour government. Creating racism.

I oppose any election based on race.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

First name	Richard
Last name	Sheridan
Organisation (if applicable)	
Position in organisation (if applicable)	
Your email	d.d.sheridan@xtra.co.nz
Phone	094026097
Which ward do you live in?	Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)
Would you like to be informed about future consultations?	Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **31 August 2021, 1:17PM**
Receipt number: **46**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

No opinion

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

None - No change

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

There must not be a Maori ward

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Race-based policy is an inherently bad idea, and one that can only lead to bad outcomes. We must not go down this road any further, in fact we urgently need to start backing away from this particular cliff edge.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Smith

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Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in?

Kaikohe-Hokianga (West)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: 20 August 2021, 3:33PM
Receipt number: 8
Related form version: 12

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Kerikeri subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Yes

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

None

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

Yes

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Smith

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

No

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **23 August 2021, 5:24PM**
Receipt number: **19**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No opinion

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal? **At first glance it presents as thoughtful and thorough. Well done**

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Davina**

Last name **Smolders**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **No**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **28 September 2021, 4:05PM**

Receipt number: **71**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **No opinion**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No opinion**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Debra**

Last name **Stapleford**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: 23 August 2021, 6:31PM
Receipt number: 23
Related form version: 13

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku (1)

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

No

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

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Last name **Stevenson**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Te Hiku (North)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **23 August 2021, 6:04PM**
Receipt number: **21**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Kerikeri subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

Māori Ward

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Very few people have an interest in Local Government, except when it involves increased costs (rates, services etc etc)

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

Yes

About you

First name

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Last name

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Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **23 August 2021, 5:06PM**
Receipt number: **17**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Kerikeri subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Stop wasting money trying to change the system when we are already heavily burdened by increasing rates, receiving a second grade job at looking after our waterways and emotionally stressing us with the SNA land grabs.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

First name

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Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Totally support Māori Wards

I totally recommend that each of the 4 Māori ward representatives speak for up to 6,000 voters on the Māori roll. An imperative necessity.
in the upcoming 2022 local body elections.
This will ensure Māori roll residents are evenly represented throughout the district. Signed

People Voice
June Subritzky Mrs)

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: 21 August 2021, 9:08AM

Receipt number: 9

Related form version: 12

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

All (11)

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

No

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

No opinion

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

No opinion

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

No opinion

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **No**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Richard**

Last name **Sucich**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Phone

Which ward do you live in? **Te Hiku (North)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **1 October 2021, 7:03PM**

Receipt number: **106**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision? **No**

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **Yes**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **Yes**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

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Last name **Tepania**

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Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Te Hiku (North)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **24 August 2021, 11:05AM**
Receipt number: **30**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Kerikeri subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

Yes

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal? **Can I please have clarification around the data used for the modeling for?**
4 Maori seats
6 General seats

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **Yes**

About you

First name **John**

Last name **Tiatoa**

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Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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From: Submissions
Subject: FW: Māori seats feedback

From: marea.timoko@kurakaikohe.school.nz
Sent: Friday, October 1, 2021 6:19 AM
To: ask.us@fndc.govt.nz
Subject: Māori seats feedback

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I recommend that each of the 4 Māori ward representatives speak for up to 6,000 voters on the Māori roll

in the upcoming 2022 local body elections.

This will ensure Māori roll residents are evenly represented throughout the district. Signed
Marea Timoko

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Marea Timoko

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **6 September 2021, 12:50PM**
Receipt number: **48**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Yes

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

None

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No

What other names should we consider?

None

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

I do not support Maori wards, as being undemocratic construct

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Which ward do you live in?

Kaikohe-Hokianga (West)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **7 September 2021, 2:13PM**
Receipt number: **51**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

Yes

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Douglas**

Last name **Turner**

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Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **21 September 2021, 9:14AM**

Receipt number: **60**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **No**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

We are told that 50% of the population of Northland is Maori therefore there should be no need for special Maori Wards, Maori can nominate Maori representatives and vote accordingly without separatism. We don't need more councilors, our community cannot afford to pay for this luxury! Prior to the elections listing of the abilities required of those who wish to stand for the positions of councilors so that we are able to vote for those who have some experience in skills required for the job would help voters to decide whom we wish to vote for rather than voting for what they tell us about their personalities!

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

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Last name **TURNER**

Organisation (if applicable)

Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in?	Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)
Would you like to be informed about future consultations?	Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **25 August 2021, 10:57AM**
Receipt number: **39**
Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All". **All (11)**

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision? **No opinion**

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Kerikeri subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Yes

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

Yes

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Which ward do you live in?

Kaikohe-Hokianga (West)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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From: Submissions
Subject: FW: FNDC Māori Wards Seats Feedback

From: pauline.waiti@gmail.com
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Kia ora,

I would like to see that each of the 4 Māori ward representatives speak for up to 6,000 voters on the Māori roll in the upcoming 2022 local body elections. This ensures that Māori roll residents are evenly represented throughout the district.

Pauline Waiti

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **28 September 2021, 4:16PM**

Receipt number: **73**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No opinion**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No opinion**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No opinion**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Remain with the present name that is recognised.

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do not change the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa name.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

First name

John and Jillian

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **28 September 2021, 4:10PM**

Receipt number: **72**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Kaikohe-Hokianga (3)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions.
Do you support all of Awanui being included in the
Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal? **I do not support the increase in Councillor numbers, to 10.**

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

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Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Kaikohe-Hokianga (West)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **1 October 2021, 11:05PM**

Receipt number: **109**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **Yes**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **Yes**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **Yes**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **No**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Kerikeri subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **Yes**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **Yes**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

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Position in organisation (if applicable)

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Which ward do you live in? **Kaikohe-Hokianga (West)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **Yes**

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **29 September 2021, 12:05PM**

Receipt number: **82**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **Waipapa subdivision**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **Yes**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **Yes**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **Yes**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name? **No opinion**

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe) **No**

About you

First name **Mandy**

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Which ward do you live in? **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)**

Would you like to be informed about future consultations? **No**

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Good Evening,

I am a substantial ratepayer on rural properties.

Apart from being opposed to my rates supporting a whole northern lifestyle group who pay nothing, I am totally opposed to any special "wards" giving one group [Maori] a special privalege by numbers which could control council . If they pay rates they should have an equal say.

Some how the FNDC has ventured way past democracy, and I totally oppose it.

Please get some common sense of one people together to represent us.

Signed Desperate plea.

PS I am willing to appear before any representatives to voice my and a lot of other ratepayers who feel the same way.

John Wood

Please Note new email address:

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Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **28 September 2021, 10:02PM**

Receipt number: **79**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (7)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision?

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this?

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward? **Yes**

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision? **No opinion**

Taumāreere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumāreere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumāreere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. **No opinion**

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa? **No**

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Don't change it

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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Representation Review 2021 Far North District Council

Submission regarding proposed Structure:

1. Support increasing the total number of Councillors to reflect the increase in population.
2. Support a new subdivision for Waipapa.
3. We are **adamantly opposed** to the introduction of a Maori Ward and the establishment of four councillors associated with this.

These are the reasons for our opposition:

- A. The Council voted to establish Maori Wards without consultation or a referendum with its constituents.
- B. It would be a “practical demonstration of commitment” to only a segment of the Tangata Whenua. Everybody living in the Far North is Tangata Whenua, not just those on the Maori electoral roll, so a practical commitment would have been to have a referendum!
- C. This is not “a fair and effective representation of our community” because it is inserting Race (ethnicity) into legislation, undermining democracy, and will result in Maori having control of decision making. This move will result in racial division and is taking an overreach in the interpretation of “The Treaty”. The Treaty was never signed as a partnership!

Further to fair and effective representation, one can ascertain from the 2018 census that 36% of Far North identified as Maori, but they are not all on the Maori Electoral Roll, indicating that some don't want a separatist vote.

According to Stats, NZ 2018 52.4% of Maori voters are on the Maori Roll, so therefore only 52.4% of 36% who identify as Maori would be a more proportionate reflection for the number of Councillors. This is 18.864% so a maximum of 2 councillors (20%) would be reflective, if this had to be.

At the proposed ward allocation of 4 councillors that is 4 out of 10 which is 40%.

D. A further inequity arises when it is proposed that Maori can vote on the General Electoral Roll, but a Pakeha cannot vote on the Maori Electoral Roll. This is clearly not “fair and effective representation”.

We urge The Far North District Council to reject the proposed structure reforms regarding Maori Wards as we see it as being part of a wider political agenda (He Puapua) which is infiltrating the very core of NZ legislation, institutions, society and the media.

Yours sincerely

Darryl and Shona Work

3 Matau Place Kerikeri

Representation Review 2021



Submission date: **22 September 2021, 2:41PM**

Receipt number: **18**

Related form version: **13**

Do you want to answer all the questions, or just those **All (11)** relating to the area in which you live (ward)? If you would like to respond to all the questions, select "All".

Te Hiku Ward

At the moment, Awanui is split across two subdivisions. **No opinion**

Do you support all of Awanui being included in the Whatuwhiwhi subdivision?

Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward

In the last review Ōkaihau was split across two subdivisions. Do you support all of Ōkaihau being included in the Kaikohe subdivision? **No opinion**

If Ōkaihau moves to the Kaikohe subdivision, a portion of the rural Kaikohe subdivision will have to move to the South Hokianga subdivision to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation. Do you support this? **No opinion**

Ngāpipito settlement is currently in the Kaikohe subdivision. Do you support Ngāpipito moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision to a) reconnect Ngāpipito with its community of interest and b) balance the numbers in accordance with legislation? **No opinion**

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa Ward

At the moment, Waimate North is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Waimate North being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

At the moment, Pakaraka is split across two wards and two subdivisions. Do you support all of Pakaraka being included in the Paihia subdivision of the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

No opinion

Do you support the establishment of a new Waipapa subdivision within the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Yes

At the moment, Sandys Road and Pungaere Road are in the Whangaroa subdivision. We have identified that they both have a closer association with the Waipapa or Kerikeri subdivision due to location. Do you support these being included in either the Kerikeri subdivision or the proposed new Waipapa subdivision?

Waipapa subdivision

Taumārere settlement is currently in the Russell-Ōpua subdivision. Do you support all of Taumārere moving to the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision a) to reconnect Taumārere with its community of interest and b) to balance numbers in accordance with legislation?

No opinion

Maromākū and Waiomio settlements are currently in the Kawakawa-Moerewa subdivision. Do you support Maromākū and Waiomio moving to the Russell-Ōpua subdivision? This is partly to reconnect these settlements with their community of interest and also to balance the numbers in accordance with legislation.

No opinion

Do you support renaming the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward to its Māori name, Te Pēwhairangi-Whangaroa?

No

What other names should we consider for the Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa ward

Māori Ward - Ngā Tai o Tokerau

Ngā Tai o Tokerau is the proposed name for the new Māori ward. Do you support this name?

No opinion

What other names should we consider?

Additional comments

Do you have any other comments you would like to make about the Representation Review proposal?

We do not support racially selected Councillors as we find this divisive and demeaning to the Maori race. We support democracy and freedom of choice. To suggest that 40% of our Councillors should be racially selected is astounding and goes way beyond what was expected.

Do you wish to speak to your submission (14/15 October 2021, Council Chamber, Kaikohe)

No

About you

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Which ward do you live in?

Bay of Islands-Whangaroa (East)

Would you like to be informed about future consultations?

Yes

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