

Decision Required	
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Report to: Motueka Community Board

Meeting Date: 8 November 2011 Report Author: David Ogilvie

Subject: Small Projects 2011 – 2012 – RMCB11-11-08

The Community Board (11 October 2011) approved:-

- 1. The total amount be increased by \$15,000 to \$36,739.
- 2. \$7,500 allocation for pram crossings/mobile crossings to central Motueka, and co-ordinate with the Engineering Services.

Consequently, the amount payable is \$29,239.

The objective of the special rate for Motueka ratepayers was to fund projects which were "high priority for Motueka residents, but low priority as a District Council project."

Additionally, a 2/3 - 1/3 allocation split between Motueka township and the rest of the ward was to be considered.

The newspaper and on-line survey which the Board conducted returned only 47 responses. The priorities were:-

- Litter Collection
- Pram Crossings
- Cycleway/Walkway improvements: Woodlands Canal, Thorp Street, Staples Street)
- Motueka Community Garden.

There were "further suggestions" which were discussed at the Workshop on 20 September 2011. That focus was on:

- (1) Pram Crossings
- (2) Footpaths
- (3) Shared paths
- (4) Kerb and channelling
- (5) Drinking Foundations
- (6) Litter Collection

In recent weeks four new projects have been suggested:



- (7) Security Cameras
- (8) Lower Moutere School road safety concerns
- (9) Pathway along Queen Victoria Street from Whakarewa Street to the Marae
- (10) Kerb and channel along Hau Road.

(Note: Items (8) and (9) are currently being considered by the Council and probably do not meet the Board's primary objective).

2. Recommendation

That Motueka Community Board:

- a) allocate \$12,000 to kerb and channel projects, either (a) Hursthouse Street; or (b) Hau Road; or (c) any other Engineering Services project.
- b) \$12,000 be allocated to "shared path" projects:- either (a) Woodlands Canal sealing; or (b) Thorp Street towards Staples Street; or (c) Staples Street from Thorp Street; or (d) any other Community Services project.
- c) the balance of \$5,239 be allocated for the purchase of security cameras.
- d) Authorise the Community Board Chair and Cr Barry Dowler to liaise with the Engineering Services Department on a) above; and with Cr Eileen Wilkins for b) and c) above; and report to the 13 December 2011 meeting of the Motueka Community Board, with the intent of putting firm recommendations to the Board for decisions.