



# Annual Plan focuses on investments for growth

The Council adopted our Annual Plan for the next 12 months last week. Consultation on the plan closed in May, with 189 submissions received, while 241 people completed an online survey.

We were pleased to get a wide range of people participating in the consultation and sharing their views on our proposals – this provided valuable input into the Council’s deliberations. Through the plan we consulted on a number of proposals designed to improve services for our growing population. Your comments and our decisions on the issues we consulted on through the Annual Plan are summarised below.

## Designing and planning for new pool space

*Proposal:* we consulted on providing \$250,000 in our budget for 2017/18 to allow feasibility, design and planning work to be carried out for additional pool space at the Selwyn Aquatic Centre. A separate budget would be required to fund construction of any new facilities.

*Your comments:* online survey comments and submissions showed strong support for this proposal.

*Our decision:* The Council confirmed \$250,000 would be included in the Annual Plan to carry out feasibility, design and planning work to add new pool space and additional learn to swim office space to the Aquatic Centre. Further community consultation on the new pool space is planned as part of the Aquatic Facilities Plan review. From this information a proposal on developing new pool space will be included in our Long-Term Plan for 2018-2028 for consultation.

## A new Health Hub

*Proposal:* we proposed to undertake a feasibility study on establishing a Health Hub to provide space for health professionals, not-for-profit organisations and commercial businesses as an investment which would provide a return over time.

*Your comments:* Submissions and survey comments indicated strong support for this proposal.

*Our decision:* We are planning to progress this idea. A project team will now be created, consultation will be undertaken, and concept plans and a financial model will be developed.

## A standard rate for stormwater

*Proposal:* we proposed replacing existing township-based stormwater rates (which previously varied from \$24 to \$278) with a standard rate of \$85 for the 2017/18 year.

*Your comments:* online survey and submission comments showed a range of views on this proposal – but more survey participants and submitters supported the change to the new rate than keeping the township-based rates.

*Our decision:* The Council confirmed it would introduce the \$85 standard rate for the 1 July 2017 - 30 June 2018 year. This rate will be paid in townships where the Council manages stormwater.

## Other changes to the Annual Plan

We have included additional funding in the Annual Plan to take advantage of a subsidised funding offer from the NZ Transport Agency which has recently been announced. This will allow older, inefficient street lights to be replaced with new more energy efficient LED lights. NZTA may fund 85% of this cost. \$315,000 in Council funding has been allocated to take advantage of this subsidy subject to final NZTA approval for a \$2.1 million programme focused in the Ellesmere area.

A budget has been included to allow for roading works that may be required to connect Lincoln township to a new school planned by the Ministry of Education. \$18,000 has been included for additional road safety initiatives requested by the Selwyn Road Safety Sub-committee.

## Rates

The average rates increase for the next financial year is 4.5 percent. Rate changes will vary for individual households depending on the mix of rates households pay, changes relating to shifting to a standard stormwater rate and local expenditure on halls and reserves.

## Extending our footpath network

*Proposal:* We consulted on providing \$347,000 in extra funding to allow footpath extension work to continue at 19 locations in 2017/18.

*Your comments:* online survey and submissions indicated most people supported continuing with our footpath extension work.

*Our decision:* this work will go ahead as planned.

## Extending library and service centre opening hours

*Proposal:* We consulted on altering library hours during the week to provide later closing times and longer weekend opening hours to provide better access to library services. We also consulted on offering Council service centre functions on Saturdays at Darfield, Leeston and Lincoln Libraries.

*Your comments:* there were mixed views about this proposal with more people indicating they didn’t support this change than those who did. A number of people opposed Sunday opening or made suggestions on alternative opening hours.

*Our decision:* opening hours are being discussed with library staff and will include longer Saturday opening for library services but not Sunday opening. Service centres will also be open on Saturday mornings. Library usage will be reviewed during a six month trial period at each location. The library rate will increase from \$180 to \$190.



## Continuing investment in roading

*Proposal:* we proposed to retain additional funding for road maintenance through the \$60 targeted rate, to enable road reconstruction work to continue.

*Your comments:* 61 submitters commented on this issue, with 53 submissions supporting this funding being continued.

*Our decision:* we will retain the roading rate as proposed.

## On the roads this week

A sewer lateral will be laid along Norman Kirk Drive to service the new school buildings at Rolleston School. The works will affect Norman Kirk Drive where stop/go traffic controls will be used and parking will be reduced while works occur. Sewer line installation work is also continuing on Shands and Selwyn Roads - traffic delays may occur due to this work. The widening of Jones Road has been completed north of Lyttleton Port Company.

The intersection of Hoskyns and Sandy Knolls Roads will be upgraded and a change of priority will be completed by the end of July. Once these changes are completed, traffic approaching this intersection from Sandy Knolls Road will need to stop. Traffic delays may occur and detours may operate while the intersection is upgraded.

Bridge replacement is continuing on Jarvis Road with the road currently closed for this work. Culvert pipe construction is planned on Algidus Road, and unsealed maintenance work is planned on Zig Zag Road with traffic controls operating at both sites.

### Christchurch Southern Motorway Extension – NZ Transport Agency

The one-way system remains on Waterholes Road from Hamptons Road to 833 Waterholes Road running south towards Robinsons Road with detours in place, and changes to the road alignment to allow for construction of the bridge. Stop-Go systems will be in place this week along Jones Road, at the intersection with Weedons Ross Road during tree felling operations.

Please be alert to changes in the traffic management, follow the on-site signage and drive to the conditions.



Notices

PLAN CHANGE 48

Selwyn District Council has accepted the Commissioner's Recommendation to approve with amendment, Plan Change 48 (Mrs Judith Pascoe). This plan change relates to a Living 2 zone at Creyke Road and Telegraph Road, Darfield.

The full text of these decisions can be read at [www.selwyn.govt.nz](http://www.selwyn.govt.nz) or, during working hours at the Council's Rolleston Headquarters, or electronically at any Council service centre or library. From the date of this notice the Selwyn District Plan is amended in accordance with these decisions.

Anyone who made a submission on Plan Change 48 may appeal to the Environment Court against the Council's decisions. Appeals must be in the prescribed form as set out in Form 7 to the Resource Management (Forms, Fees, and Procedure) Regulations 2003. Appeals must reach the Court within 30 working days of receiving notice of the decision from the Council. A copy of any appeals must also be served on the Council. For further information, please contact Michael Rachlin, Policy and Strategy Planner on 347 2936 or at PO Box 90, Rolleston 7643. This notice is given under Clause 10(4)(b) of the First Schedule to the Resource Management Act 1991.

**PREBBLETON NATURE PARK RESERVE CLASSIFICATION**

Notice is given that the Selwyn District Council proposes to resolve that the Reserve for gravel pit vested in Selwyn District Council in trust, described in the schedule, be classified as Local Purpose (Nature Park) Reserve pursuant to the Reserves Act 1977. The former gravel reserve has been developed as a nature park by

**Meetings**

*Public Forums: Council, Community Board and local committee meetings are open to the public. Time is available at the start of meetings for people to speak on matters of concern. Please notify Bernadette Ryan or your local committee at least three days before the meeting. Township, Hall and Reserve Committees: To list or make changes to meeting details, email [meeting.changes@selwyn.govt.nz](mailto:meeting.changes@selwyn.govt.nz) or phone 347 2800 or 318 8338 by 9am Wednesday the week before publication.*

**COUNCIL & COMMUNITY BOARD**

*Unless stated meetings are held at Rolleston Council Building.*

**Property Committee**  
Mon 26 June 1.30pm

**Malvern Community Board**  
Mon 26 June 5pm  
Darfield Library/Service Centre

**Extraordinary Audit and Risk Subcommittee**  
Wed 28 June 9am

**District Plan Review Committee**  
Wed 28 June 10am

**Selwyn Waihora Zone Committee**

the local community and the change of classification will correctly identify its primary purpose and values.

*Canterbury Land District – Selwyn District Schedule*  
Area - 2.5925 hectares  
*Description* - Part Reserve 202 (Part Canterbury Provincial Gazette 1865 page 21, and New Zealand Gazette 1879 page 826.)

Any person objecting or submitting to this proposal can do so in writing no later than 5pm 28 July 2017. To make a submission or objection or to find out more about this proposal please visit [www.selwyn.govt.nz](http://www.selwyn.govt.nz). Please direct any queries to the Acquisitions, Disposals and Leasing Department by emailing [property@selwyn.govt.nz](mailto:property@selwyn.govt.nz).

DOG REGISTRATION STARTS IN JULY

It's that time of year again when all dog owners must ensure that their dogs are registered. All dogs older than 3 months must be registered every year (July-June) under the Dog Control Act 1996. It's a \$300 fine for an unregistered dog. A re-registration notice will arrive in your inbox or letterbox by 1 July.

**Registration Fee (GST inclusive)**

The 2017-18 fee falls due on 1 July 2017 and may be paid throughout the month of July. This may be done via a payment link when the form is emailed, internet banking, at our Rolleston Headquarters or the service centres in Leeston, Darfield or Lincoln. Alternatively, you may use the prepaid return envelope provided with your registration form.

If paid by 31 July 2017, the discounted registration fee applicable is:

- A \$10 Administration/Owner fee
- \$30 for each dog owned by the same person and held at the

same locality.

For payments after 31 July 2017 the full registration fee applicable is:

- A \$15 Administration/Owner fee
- \$40 for each dog owned by the same person and held at the same locality.

If you have changed your email address or postal address recently, please email [animalcontrol@selwyn.govt.nz](mailto:animalcontrol@selwyn.govt.nz) to confirm your details.

**Tag & Collar Fees (GST inclusive)**

The fee for a replacement dog tag is \$5 and for a dog collar \$9-\$11 depending on the size. These fees and charges are set under Sections 37, 38 and 68 of the Dog Control Act 1996.

MOBILE LIBRARY TIMETABLE

**Wednesday 21 June**  
Arthur's Pass 11.30am-12.30pm  
Castle Hill 1.40-2.15pm  
Springfield 3-3.30pm

**Thursday 22 June**  
Prebbleton Playcentre 10.15-10.45am  
Giggles & Squiggles Early Learning Centre 11-11.30am  
Council Headquarters 12.45-1.15pm  
Cat's Pyjamas Rolleston 1.30-2pm

**Monday 26 June**  
Dunsandel Playcentre 10-10.30am  
Burnham Montessori 11-11.30am  
Darfield Playcentre 12-12.30pm  
Darfield Primary School 1-1.30pm

**Tuesday 27 June**  
Kirwee 10-10.45am  
Kirwee School 10.45-11.30am  
Preston Downs, Corner Prestons/Weedons Ross Roads 12.15-12.45pm  
West Melton School 12.45-1.30pm  
West Melton Learning Centre 1.30-1.50pm  
Cat's Pyjamas West Melton 1.50-2.20pm

Tue 4 July 1.30pm  
Lincoln Event Centre

**Audit & Risk Subcommittee**  
Wed 5 July 3pm

**LOCAL COMMITTEES & ASSOCIATIONS**

**Coalgate Township Committee**  
Tue 27 June 7.30pm  
Coalgate Fire Station

**Darfield Recreation & Community Centre Committee**  
Mon 3 July 7.30pm  
Darfield Recreation Centre

**Doyleston Community Committee**  
Wed 5 July 7.30pm  
Osborne Park Pavilion

**Glenroy Community Centre Committee**  
Tue 20 June 7.30pm  
Glenroy Community Hall

**Glentunnel Township Committee**  
Mon 26 June 7.30pm  
Glentunnel Hall

**Leeston Community Committee**  
Mon 3 July, Leeston Library Community Room

**Leeston Park Committee**  
Mon 26 June 7.30pm  
Leeston Park Pavilion

**Lincoln Event Centre Governance Committee**  
Wed 28 June 7pm  
Lincoln Event Centre

**Prebbleton Community Association**  
Tue 20 June 7.30pm  
Prebbleton Community Cottage

**Rolleston Community Centre Management Committee**  
Thurs 29 June 7pm  
Rolleston Community Centre

**Rolleston Residents Association**  
Mon 26 Jun 7.30pm  
Rolleston Community Centre

**Southbridge Advisory Committee**  
Mon 26 June 7pm  
Southbridge Hall Meeting Room

**Springfield Township Committee**  
Tue 4 July 7.30pm, Tawera Hall

**Springston Hall Committee**  
Thurs 29 June 7.30pm  
Springston Hall

**Springston Reserve Committee**  
Wed 21 June 7.30pm  
Errol Tweedy Pavilion

**Waihora Park Reserve Committee**  
Tue 4 July 7.30pm  
Waihora Bowling Club

Selwyn Events

THURSDAY  
22  
JUNE

**Land & water issues – what & how we got here**  
Lincoln University, 12pm & 7.30pm  
The Selwyn Waihora Zone Committee host a free seminar with Ken Taylor (Our Land and Water Science Challenge) & David Perenara-O'Connell (Taumutu Rūnanga) focusing on Selwyn land & water. The 12pm session venue is the D6 lecture room (Landscape Building) & the 7.30pm session venue is the S2 lecture room (Stewart Building)

SUNDAY  
25  
JUNE

**Birthday Bonanza**  
Selwyn Aquatic Centre, 2-4pm  
Join us for fun activities for the whole family, including inflatables, games, colouring in competition, music, treats, chalk drawing, spot prizes, cake & more. Normal pool admission fees apply

TUESDAY  
27  
JUNE

**Women's Connection Rolleston**  
Quartz Bar & Restaurant, 7-9pm  
A free opportunity to network, connect & socialize within your community. All welcome. If you wish to display any business marketing material at the event email [kiwicoach@live.ca](mailto:kiwicoach@live.ca)

TUE-WED  
27-5  
JUNE-JULY

**Your Library eCollections – BorrowBox**  
Selwyn District Libraries  
Join a free session to learn about BorrowBox a growing collection of over 1,000 free eAudiobooks. Hour long sessions run at Leeston on 27 June at 10.30am, at Rolleston on 30 June at 1pm, at Lincoln on 3 July at 10.30am & at Darfield on 5 July at 1pm

FRIDAY  
30  
JUNE

**Selwyn Movie Nights – Despicable Me**  
Lincoln Event Centre, 7-8.45pm  
An indoor screening of this fun family movie. Tickets: \$5 per person, \$10 3 person family/group or \$15 family/group of 4-6. Book online to secure your tickets at [bit.ly/MovieTwo](http://bit.ly/MovieTwo)

SUNDAY  
2  
JULY

**Planting Day**  
Mahoe Reserve, 2pm  
Join Lincoln Envirotown at the reserve (Boundary Road, Lincoln) to help with planting & meet Florida University students. Please wear suitable shoes, bring spades, garden gloves, sunglasses & a bucket for mulch if you can. Plants provided. Contact Sue on 329 5858 for information or if you're interested in joining the management committee

SUNDAY  
2  
JULY

**Matariki celebration**  
Lincoln Event Centre, 2pm  
Celebrate Matariki with a Kapa Haka performance by Te Ahikaaroa & local high schools. Free, brought to you by the Selwyn Arts Trust with support from Selwyn District Council & Creative Communities New Zealand

For information on listing a community event visit [www.selwyn.govt.nz/councilcall](http://www.selwyn.govt.nz/councilcall)

Leeston Library & Service Centre  
19 Messines Street, Leeston  
Ph 347 2871

Lincoln Library & Service Centre  
Gerald Street, Lincoln  
Ph 347 2876

(03) 347 2800  
Darfield call free 318 8338  
f [www.selwyn.govt.nz](http://www.selwyn.govt.nz)

