



ORDINARY MEETING OF COUNCIL

Open Minutes Attachments

Meeting Date: Thursday 27 June 2024

Time: 9.30am – 11.57am (Adopt LTP)

Venue: Large Exhibition Hall
War Memorial Centre
Marine Parade
Napier

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Napier City Council Representation Review

27 June 2024

Purpose: To seek an Initial Proposal decision from Council.



Ngā Mānukanuka o te Iwi - Feedback

Māori Ward

- One city-wide ward
- Two Māori ward councillors
- Ward Name - Te Whanga (*With the approval of the Kahui Kaumatua group*)

General Wards

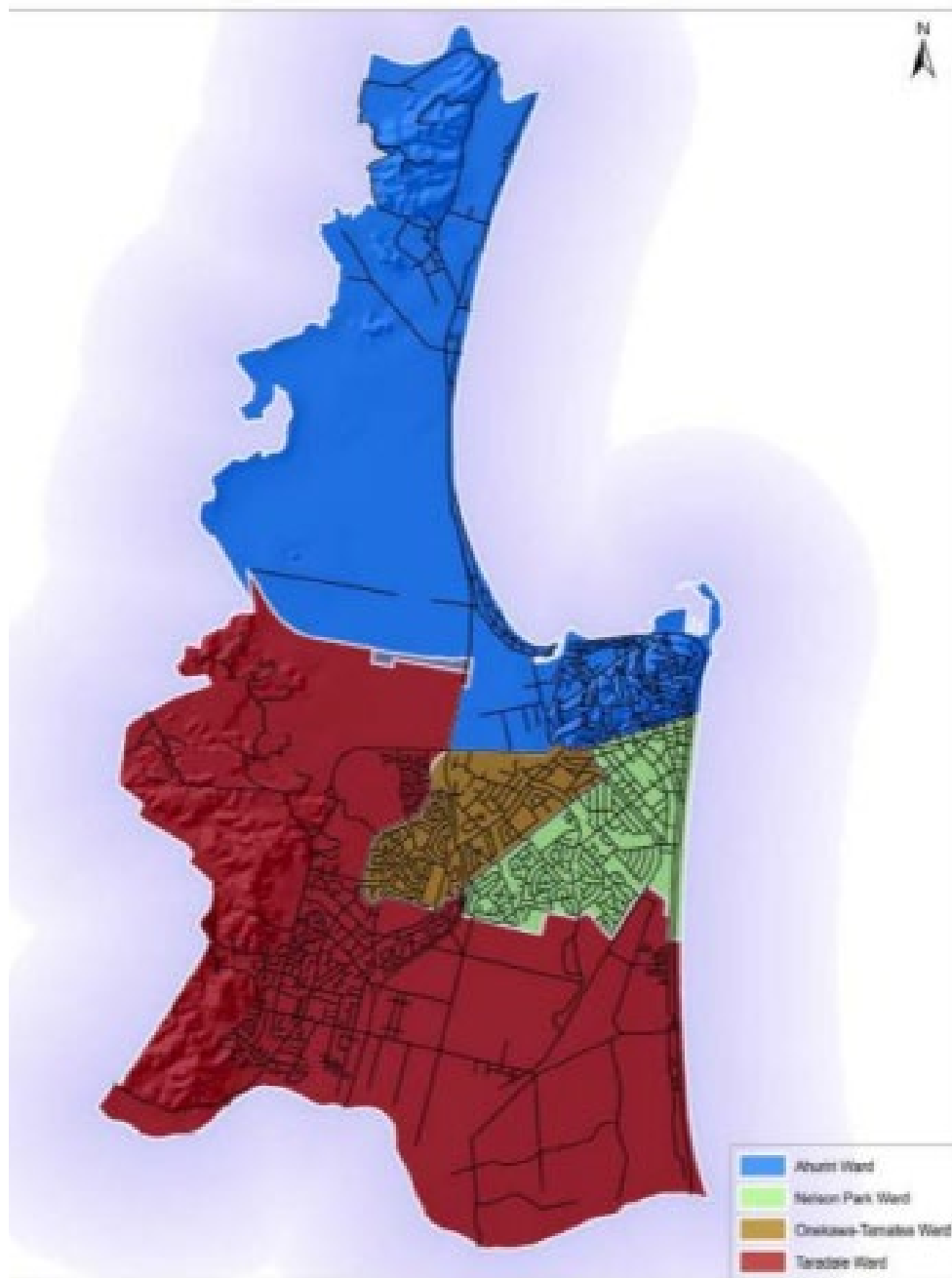
- Preference was for the four-wards option:
 - This will create the least confusion as it is close to current arrangements.
 - The city is well represented with this arrangement.
 - They added suggestions of Heipipi, Mataruahou or Heipipi ki Mataruahou for the current Ahuriri ward. But suggested to keep it simple.

Any new te reo Māori ward names should be approved by the Kahui Kaumatua before being finalised.

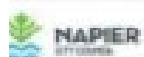
Maraenui Community Board

- They were not in favour of a Board:
 - Too formal.
 - Unnecessary extra layer of governance.
 - Doubling-up of the conversations already happening between the community and Council.
 - There are Rangitahi in Maraenui who are well connected, have leadership qualities, and are able to advocate for the area already, if Council chooses to engage with them e.g. to sit on Youth Council.





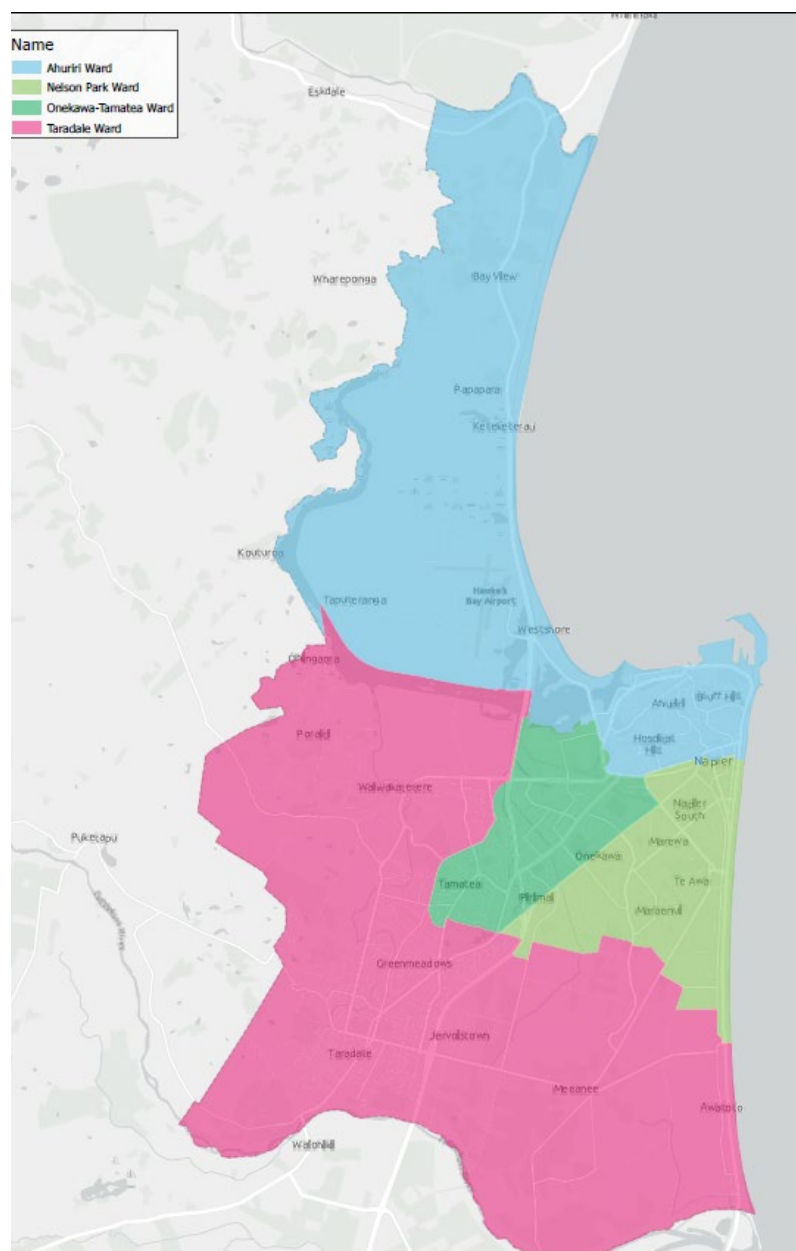
Current Ward Boundaries



Napier City Council Wards



Four Ward Option



Wards	Electoral population estimate	Number of councillors	Population per councillor		Within +/- 10%
Blue ward	10,250	2	5,125	-148	-2.80
Dark Green ward	9,550	2	4,775	-498	-9.44
Light Green ward	17,100	3	5,700	427	8.10
Pink ward	21,100	4	5,275	2	0.04
Sub total - general wards	58,000	11	5,273		
Māori ward	9,480	2	4,740		N/A
Total	67,480	13	5,191		N/A

Item 7 Attachment 1



