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ORDINARY MEETING OF COUNCIL

Open Attachments (Under separate cover 1)

Meeting Date: Tuesday 10 September 2024

Time: 9.30am (Representation Review - Day 1)

Venue: Small Exhibition Hall
War Memorial Centre
Marine Parade
Napier

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Entry ID: 15	First Name: Anthony	Last Name: Creswell
Suburb: Ahuriri	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 18	First Name: Hannah	Last Name: Small
Suburb: Napier Hills	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 19	First Name: Tekira	Last Name: Lawrence
Suburb: Tamatea	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Don't know
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Don't know	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Don't know

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

I think Vote At Large is a better option for residents to allow more voting choices and encourage better voting turnout. The ward system is more preferable to the incumbents but not new candidates. When we need progressive change and mix of experience and new it is important to ensure encouragement of new councillors. Regarding Maori wards, I do not believe it is necessary anymore as Maori are already represented with our many councillors who are of Maori descent. The purpose of wards was to ensure representation of Maori which is already happening. On the current council out of 12 councillors there is already minimum of a quarter or our councillors of Maori heritage. The original purpose of Maori electorates has worked and Maori are standing forward for these governance positions and successfully serving. As a part Maori potential candidate who would run in general electorate, I feel this could potentially disadvantage any part Maori who is running in general when voting time comes. Voters may choose not to vote for individual based on their descent and in retaliation of the new race based wards. With the government changes, making the change for next year's election with potential that referendum may decide against the wards seems unnecessary at present until the people of Napier have decided.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 21	First Name: Leanne	Last Name: Arlidge
Suburb: Napier Hills	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 22	First Name: Dave	Last Name: F
Suburb: Greenmeadows	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? Do not have a race based system. I do not support separated Maori wards where voting can only be done by certain races.		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 23	First Name: Les	Last Name: Nash
Suburb: Tamatea	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

As we are one people, New Zealanders, we should be electing our representatives on that basis
The best option is at large councilors, at worst 8 ward councilors and 4 at large councilors. NO
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Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 24	First Name: James	Last Name: Matenga
Suburb: Onekawa	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Don't know	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?		
Does the Tiriti o Waitangi have priority in any decision you make? If Tiriti o Waitangi is a guiding document, how would article 2 play out since it reference Maori having ownership of Maori taonga? In regards to Maori Ward councilors?.		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 25	First Name: James	Last Name: Mcpetrie
Suburb: Napier South	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Don't know	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? All citizens need to be treated equally. I see no reason to establish separate Maori ward		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 26	First Name: Alec	Last Name: Cree
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
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Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

I was hoping that the reduction by one of the of the overall council to include the Mayor as she should be the one to go.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 27	First Name: Owen	Last Name: Cleverton
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
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Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? There should not be any separate Maori ward		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 28	First Name: Antony	Last Name: Steiner
Suburb: Napier Hills	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

Unnecessarily complicated. I would like to vote for the best candidates irrespective of which area they put their name down for. There should be an odd number of councillors to avoid stalemates

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 29	First Name: Anne	Last Name: Woolrich
Suburb: Meeanee-Awatoto-Te Awa	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

3 Wards 2 councillors per ward Maori Wards not required we are one people represented by one council. Concentrate on core council business. No more road bumps, waste of money and dangerous people drive down middle of roads now one wheel on each road bump. Spend our money wisely.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 30	First Name: Laleshni	Last Name: Kumar
Suburb: Meeanee-Awatoto-Te Awa	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? A more streamlined and cost effective council will be better		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 32	First Name: Daniel	Last Name: Veerkamp
Suburb: Tamatea	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
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Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 33	First Name: Gordon	Last Name: Anderson
Suburb: Onekawa	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

In 1849 a treaty was signed that gave all NZers the same and equal rights. for NCC to continue with race based policies is a move against democracy that I and many NZers treasure. Currently about 25- 30% of current council members acknowledge their Māori heritage and Whakpapa, this shows that the electoral system is alive and working. The NCC has no responsibility to think it has an obligation under the 1840 treaty or the commonly misunderstood belief that the treaty was a partnership or its pseudo fraudulent principals, why they dont exist in the treaty, stop pushing policies that promote separatism. The issue as to why there are not more Maori on the council is not because they dont have the opportunity , its because they are not interested in voting, the future may be different and I hope it is. We are not and it was never intended at the signing of the treaty that we would become apartheid nation or a nation where central government and local government, promote separatism by having separate wards, committees and the such like. "He iwi tahi tatou" we are now one people. Let us build this nation and our city on that principle for the benefit of all without the smear and taint of separatism

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 34	First Name: Jacinda	Last Name: English
Suburb: Marewa	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 37	First Name: Catherine	Last Name: Hollands
Suburb: Napier South	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Don't know
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 38	First Name: Phil	Last Name: Coker
Suburb: Greenmeadows	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

It's not democratic to establish maori wards without having a referendum to consult with ALL the ratepayers not just the maori ones

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 39	First Name: Ruth	Last Name: Smithies
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system?	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Don't know	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
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Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

1 Good to see one city-wide Maori ward with 2 councillors as that ward is clearly a community of interest. 2 The Central ward is covering the most diverse communities of interest, perhaps too diverse? 3 A Maraenui Community Board may be a good way to make sure that the voice of that community is well represented and heard. I

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 40	First Name: Elizabeth	Last Name: Wallis
Suburb: Pirimai	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
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Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 41	First Name: A	Last Name: Person
Suburb: Napier South	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No to Maori Wards		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 42	First Name: Mark	Last Name: Scofield
Suburb: Meeanee-Awatoto-Te Awa	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

I do not agree with Race based segregation. All ethnicities should have equal rights to represent our people. Speaking of Maori Wards we have several Maori in general wards already operating very successfully. I does seem a bit disjointed to have Meeanee Awatoto in the Ahuriri Ward. Prefer at Large so we can vote for the people of our choice that we think will do a good job for everyone.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 43	First Name: Jay	Last Name: Lamburn
Suburb: Meeanee-Awatoto-Te Awa	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Don't know
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? Very pleased to see a Maori ward with 2 councillors. Very pleased to see no 'at large' councillors		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 44	First Name: Rachel	Last Name: Haydon
Suburb: Napier South	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
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Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 46	First Name: Gary	Last Name: Curtis
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
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Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 47	First Name: Chris	Last Name: Comber
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? For more even representation the general wards should have 4 councillors each or drop them to 2 each and 1 for the Māori ward - that would save costs.		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 48	First Name: Anthony	Last Name: Stretch
Suburb: Napier Hills	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
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Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 49	First Name: Murray	Last Name: Murdoch
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? I think this is a fair proposal as all representatives are elected by democratic voting.		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 50	First Name: Christine	Last Name: Briasco
Suburb: Napier South	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system?	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

I am fully in favour of at least 2 Maori councillors in a single Maori ward although I would be happier with 3. I am not at all concerned that the population for the Maori ward is smaller than for each of the other 3 wards if it improves equity of voice for Maori. Thank you for the opportunity to have my say

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 51	First Name: Chelsea	Last Name: Wyatt
Suburb: Meeanee-Awatoto-Te Awa	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

If the change is to occur: - the wards need to be the same size, you can't have Ahuriri in such a large space! Have 4 wards and have 4 councillors only, 1 for each section. We shouldn't be paying for extra people for no reason other than to spend the money we give. The Māori ward! Why continue to create a separation between Maori and other!!!!!! Why can't we all be the same. I am very against Māori having their own, this is a terrible decision!

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 52	First Name: Susie	Last Name: Chapman
Suburb: Marewa	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Don't know	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 53	First Name: Syeda Narjis	Last Name: Khurram
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? Yes	
Name of group or organisation? Pakistan Association Hawkes Bay		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? If community ward is establishing then not only in Maraenui it should be in Taradale as well		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 54	First Name: Leonie	Last Name: Caskey-Hatton
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? I support not rescinding, to proceed as planned, in the hope that Napier will support a Maori ward system ahead. Lets be positive!		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 55	First Name: Paul	Last Name: Major
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? I disagree with race based politics and believe all councilors should be elected based on votes recieved		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 56	First Name: Glynis	Last Name: Cooper
Suburb: Bay View	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Don't know

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

It is important that Napier CC ensures that Maori Wards are here to stay. For the future of this country and our mokopuna we must respect tangata whenua by upholding Te Tititi o Waitangi.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 59	First Name: Nelly	Last Name: Vermunt
Suburb: Bay View	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 60	First Name: Ellen	Last Name: Hawkins
Suburb: Not stated	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Don't know	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? Why can I not vote on who takes these two maori seats, I will not change from general to maori role just to vote for whoever will represent me it is in your power to change this rule so all maori in Hawkes Bay can vote on these two seats		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 61	First Name: G	Last Name: K
Suburb: Marewa	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Don't know
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Don't know	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? Council is gonna do whatever they want. Regardless! I think it's a dumb idea. Why is there only 2 for maori ward and the rest have 3? Are you slowly pushing maori out? Wtaf? Disappointing!		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? Yes	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 62	First Name: Stephen	Last Name: Jacobi
Suburb: Napier Hills	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Don't know	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

1 Since Napier Central is not in the Napier Central Ward, I suggest a new name should be found to avoid confusion. 2 Your paper does not provide any information on the views of Māori on the proposed one ward. I believe the views of our Treaty partner should be paramount here. I strongly support the concept of Māori wards.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 64	First Name: Jennifer	Last Name: Pescini
Suburb: Ahuriri	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 66	First Name: Romy	Last Name: Rouse
Suburb: Maraenui	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Don't know	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 68	First Name: Greg	Last Name: Walker
Suburb: Napier Hills	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

I do not agree with having Maori Wards, especially with two councillors. We are all New Zealanders, and must not be divided by race. In Parliament we have race based seats, and the Maori Activists have taken them over and are a divisive circus. I do not want to see this happen to my local Council. People of merit will get voted in, based on their ability not race. This is a Democracy and everybody has equal rights and responsibilities. Before you call me a racist, I am part Maori, but want to see the best for this city and am not influenced by "skin colour". We live in a DEMOCRACY and long may that remain. If somebody suggested that there should be European Wards, Indian or Asian Wards, there would be hell to pay!

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 69	First Name: Anneke	Last Name: Knechtmans
Suburb: Tamatea	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Don't know	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Don't know
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

With the Council proposal set to merge the wards, I strongly suggest the establishment of Community Boards across Napier (not just for Mareanui) to ensure greater public engagement citywide. I strongly oppose maori specific wards with maori specific Councillor seats. Any New Zealand resident is able to run for Council, including maori. In creating maori specific seats, the council will be discriminating against other ethnic communities in the city. In addition, I would like to see a slight boundary change, with the whole of Parklands being merged into the Tamatea/Onekawa ward. Or else, the five houses and the church along Tamatea Drive should be merged into the Taradale ward where Parklands currently sits. Thank you for considering my feedback.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 70	First Name: A	Last Name: Butt
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

Rescind Maori Wards Refer how many residents were against and how many were for. Council went against their rate payers wishes. If you can put it in with pressure from the minority, Heather and the crew, you can take it out.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 71	First Name: Rob	Last Name: Mackay
Suburb: Napier South	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No to Maori Ward/councillors, rescind.		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 72	First Name: Gerard	Last Name: Averous
Suburb: Greenmeadows	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 73	First Name: Brent	Last Name: King
Suburb: Pirimai	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

There Should be no race based wards AT ALL.. that is not democratic and should be scrapped before it begins. democracy is where the people can vote... all of them.. this should be delivered to every rate payer and then submissions be done. simply put out with your rates notice.. those who are not rate payers should not have the ability to influence decisions. if this is not the case then those who decide against this metho should be sacked or removed from office. Having lived in many countries where they decided to do RACE based things and have watched them slide into serious decline.. get it voted on by ALL of the rate payers intead of trying to do this covertly behind closed doors BIN RACE BASED ANYTHING

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? Yes
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Entry ID: 74	First Name: Kevin	Last Name: Campbell
Suburb: Napier Hills	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Don't know	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Don't know

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

I am opposed to any proposal which gives any special consideration to people based upon ancestry. I do not subscribe to a belief that Maori wards are necessary because that group are not capable of standing on their own merits. There is ample evidence that Maori are very capable people and can be elected on quality rather than heritage. The number of Maori holding political office, especially in Central Government, is testament to this. If there is to be any implementation of Maori Wards then I believe the establishment should return to the system of a referendum, as it was before the last Labour led government removed this democratic way of finding our representatives.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 77	First Name: Albert	Last Name: Perfect
Suburb: Maraenui	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

We do not need a Maori ward they are divisive they are not compulsory and will inevitably cost more to have. STOP wasting money on speed humps it is the first time in 81 years I hate driving in my city.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 79	First Name: David	Last Name: Hannay
Suburb: Maraenui	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

I guess that you have had a flood of people giving their feedback that don't understand equity over equality. Us ratepayers will never know the real numbers of people responding to these studies that are quoted at us, to back up your new proposed schemes. What I do know is without an at large candidate, the bigger picture is forgotten and only ward issues will be discussed. I also know you have removed the only ward that Māori have ever been elected in, and you are guaranteeing that Māori will never be elected again - further marginalized in an open system. The worry is that a group will over submit to remove Māori wards and Council will still go with the three-ward system. Today we are lucky to have so many more cultures moving here, I wonder if it's time for the ward system to be based on suburbs where one or two candidates stand, hopefully resulting in more cultural diversity. The council will again go back to looking like a homogenized collective of well off old white people. Equality, Diversity is what they quote, but the new system they are proposing is far from that. One has to ask if this is just a ploy to start division, to have us argue over changing cultural equality and community diversity, when there are so many issues facing us that aren't even being talked about. You have a majority of our population - 67% that are not even engaged, who don't even vote - that's a huge issue and one surely would have to also apply that percentage to the Council studies that this and many other things are based on. If all your feedback has come to you on the same flawed studies then god help us all. Even though Council has seen the decline in voter turnout, they still have postal ballots but yet we have a reduction of post boxes, we don't even have a city post office! It would seem council don't really care about the lack of engagement. It is embarrassing that councilors are only elected on to council with the smallest of margins. It's also embarrassing agreeing to do anything when it's based on such poor participation. Council are punishing the people they claim to represent, particularly the elderly who are on fixed incomes with rate hikes based on the level of councils incompetence. I believe management could talk you guys into anything. One of the most expensive things is the cost of controlling the narrative. Council tells us to reduce waste and then a few weeks later created / printed off tons of junk mail. Is this what our council has become and is this what we have to look forward to, but on steroids with the added revenue (debt) you are hell bent on spending? If you want to do the right thing, get your population engaged by getting your communities genuinely engaged. Stop the ever-climbing cost of neoliberalism. Council are destroying community groups either by not replacing them or replacing with substandard services at a huge cost to ratepayers

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 81	First Name: Paul	Last Name: Rouppe van der Voort
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? I support Māori participation in decision making for the Napier City. Māori participation is also available via other development and rules legislation. I am concerned about minority influenced decision making, and the radical component being installed in an overarching ward. By all means consult with Tangara Whenua, but ensure a community wide vision.		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No		Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No

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Entry ID: 82	First Name: John	Last Name: Pryor
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Don't know	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 85	First Name: Noel	Last Name: Mayo
Suburb: Greenmeadows	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Don't know

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

Yes, get rid of the councillors who have been there far too long and are simply using their position as a meal ticket. I can assure you there are a LOT of residents who feel the same way and discuss matters amongst themselves and are reluctant to express their feelings in the wider circle. Yes, Zi know that is wrong but never the less, it is what is happening. The Māori ward business is discussed as just as much unwanted and the feeling is why rates should be directed to to involve A particular group rather than purely elected rate payers whom the community want.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 86	First Name: Geoffrey	Last Name: Nauer
Suburb: Onekawa	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Don't know	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Don't know	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 87	First Name: Mike	Last Name: Koch
Suburb: Greenmeadows	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No to Maori wards, undemocratic!		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 88	First Name: Judith	Last Name: Goninon
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 89	First Name: Leanne	Last Name: Havill
Suburb: Napier Hills	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Don't know
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 91	First Name: William Garrick	Last Name: Ravenwood
Suburb: Meeanee-Awatoto-Te Awa	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Don't know
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Don't know
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? Very much like the present ward system so that we have direct councilors acting for us		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 92	First Name: Claire	Last Name: PROCTER
Suburb: Pirimai	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 94	First Name: Andrew	Last Name: Condon
Suburb: Napier South	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? Continue to do anything to decrease cost and promote a focus on core services.		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 96	First Name: Beverley	Last Name: Kemp-Harmer
Suburb: Outside Napier	City: Hastings	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation?	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

This is a very well thought arrangement and I am very pleased. E mihi ana ki a koutou o Te Kaunihera o Ahuriri

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 98	First Name: Steve	Last Name: Wattie
Suburb: Bay View	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? I think it should remain the same, stability is what we need.		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 99	First Name: Julie	Last Name: Smith
Suburb: Greenmeadows	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

Just doing the numbers for equal representation, if you are planning to proceed with a Maori ward with 2 councillors for roughly 10,000 people you should really have 4 councillors (not 3) for each of the other wards representing roughly 20,000 people each, right?

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 100	First Name: Kaylene	Last Name: Green
Suburb: Greenmeadows	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 101	First Name: Robin and Margaret	Last Name: Gwynn
Suburb: Not stated	City: Napier	Age group:
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system?	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement?	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward):
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors:	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor):	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board?

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

We do not need more consideration of "the number of wards, their boundaries, and whether to introduce 'at large' councillors". These matters have been exhaustively discussed in recent years. What we do urgently need is ways of making the wards more effective. For example, we have properties in the Napier central city, and in Greenmeadows. When was the last ward meeting held in either area? So far as we are aware, there have been no ward meetings in the areas savaged by Cyclone Gabrielle to discuss their future needs and planning. Robin's sister happens to be a past Mayor of Northampton in the United Kingdom, which has a ward system covering the whole town. In her own ward and all others there is a regular, advertised hour every month when any member of the ward can discuss with their ward councillor matters affecting their wards. That is one effective way of making the ward system meaningful to all residents. Where is our equivalent? Let's focus not on re-inventing the wheel, but on making what we have relevant and effective.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 102	First Name: Teresa	Last Name: Haggerty
Suburb: Ahuriri	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Don't know
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 104	First Name: Bruce	Last Name: Macaulay
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

re Maori wards on Napier city council. In 2021 after 1300 submissions re the Maori wards, the council voted 11 yes and 1 abstained to progress with the wards in the 2025 elections. Re the council web site the wording change seems very suspect "of all the submissions, over 50% did not want Maori wards, but 95% of Maori submissions were positive". It would appear to me by the wording, the the council totally ignored the wishes of "all" rate payers and voted in Maori wards? If this is true, then this type of non Democratic, race based decision, is why the current Government is giving the decision making back to "all" rate payers. If my assumption is wrong, please feel free to correct me, by suppling the full numbers from 2021? My contention now is that, with the the new coalition Govt repealing the local council decision to decide who can change the local voting structure, and we will go back to the original system i.e a public petition of 5% of the rate payers, will require a referendum at the next election. It appears the council now have the opportunity to repeal the current decision or you will be forced to have a referendum (which in the past in NZ have generally, been heavily rejected) at the next election at possibly \$50-\$100,000 cost to rate payers? I understand we are one the smallest geographic cities in NZ, so it would appear to me that we still appear to have a large number of councillors (the recent Tauranga election have a Mayor and 9 councillors) for the size of the city? I would put forward that if there was a move to have less councillors that would increase the remuneration of the current and future councillors (making public service a more attractive option to a wider range of professions?), but more importantly allow better communication and decision making. Again for the size of the city, I would move away from wards and move to general city councillors, which would increase the pool of prospective candidates to stand for council, which is currently restricted by geographic borders. Inside the council the Mayor can still delegate wards to councillors if required. Wish you all well going forward, and thank you for your service. Kindest Regards Bruce Macaulay bennie@xtra.co.nz

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 105	First Name: Josh	Last Name: McIntyre
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Don't know	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? Yes	

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Entry ID: 106	First Name: Craig	Last Name: Jones
Suburb: Poraiti	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

My preference is option 4 the favoured one of NCC. I do not agree with process that was followed and the introduction of the Maori ward. I believe this earlier decision should be rescinded and a poll undertaken at 2025 elections.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 108	First Name: Rob	Last Name: Best
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

11 Councillors, no to Maori wards, no to 2 Maori wards representatives. Majority voted no to Maori wards and Council listened to the minority, based on a lot of influence from a non-rate payer. The climate on this has changed. People want to live in a democracy. Please act democratically in future. Please review all undemocratic actions. Make the people respect their elected representatives. Thank you.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 109	First Name: John	Last Name: Conneely
Suburb: Napier Hills	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 110	First Name: Philip	Last Name: L
Suburb: Not stated	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Don't know
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Don't know

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

Based on the need to have 2 seats in the Maori ward, maintaining the same 1:4400 ratio there should be an additional non-maori ward comprising 3 councillors to maintain the same representation level or abolishing the ward scheme for non-maori wards and adding three councillors to make 14 total. In this way each person has an equal value vote.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 111	First Name: Jill	Last Name: Plimmer
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

The latest changes to the Local Electoral Act 2001 now require council to resolve to disestablish its Māori ward by September 6 this year, or hold a binding poll at next year's election. Rescind to save money and \$ to the rate payer. Reduce to 11 councilors, no to Maori wards. People can vote for the best candidate. Maori wards are biased.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 112	First Name: Keith	Last Name: Butzbach
Suburb: Meeanee-Awatoto-Te Awa	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Don't know
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Maori ward		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 114	First Name: Catherine	Last Name: Hawkins
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? Yes	
Name of group or organisation? Taradale Residents Association		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Don't know	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

We would like to see a new consultation for the 2028 local body elections around the Māori wards as this was forced by the last government across the board and does not necessarily reflect the view of the community. The numbers for the allocation of 2 seats are also quite a bit lower than for general roll allocations. We also feel that we have good strong Maori leaders elected through the current process and representation on both Napier and regional council.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 117	First Name: Chris	Last Name: Flannery
Suburb: Napier South	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 119	First Name: Sally	Last Name: Ann
Suburb: Napier South	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Don't know	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

We should just stick with 3 wards for all Napier residents with NO additional wards based on race alone. When rates are impossibly high and rising, all attempts to reduce bureaucracy and paid personnel

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 120	First Name: Neil	Last Name: Dunn
Suburb: Ahuriri	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 121	First Name: Catherine	Last Name: Hartland
Suburb: Poraiti	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Don't know
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 122	First Name: Clare-Louise	Last Name: Gerbault
Suburb: Marewa	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Don't know	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Don't know	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Don't know	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 123	First Name: Margaret	Last Name: Markham
Suburb: Poraiti	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

No to any decision made by the council that divides a city on racial terms. We are all New Zealanders.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 124	First Name: Mike	Last Name: Lacey
Suburb: Meeanee-Awatoto-Te Awa	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? To propose Maori wards is divisive and I find it repulsive. Every one has exactly an equal vote regardless of birth. This is what I call democracy. It is every person's duty to vote.		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 125	First Name: Alan	Last Name: Wakefield
Suburb: Napier South	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 126	First Name: George	Last Name: Simmons
Suburb: Napier South	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

3 ward system, 9 councillors only, no to Māori wards and representatives, they are part of our whole community so can stand for the 9 positions. There is an over-representation in the current Council already that favours e.g. Mayor's Portfolio: Māori/ iwi partnerships, a Councillor having a significant interest in Mana Ahuriri and a committee. We don't need it. Keep the costs down to keep the ratepayers happy, elected members.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 127	First Name: Juliet	Last Name: Allen
Suburb: Napier Hills	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

I don't agree with any maori wards, and no community board. Our rates are high enough, and we're not receiving value for money. The council needs to stick to its core business instead of their woke ideas at the rate payers expense and like any business look and reducing over heads instead of the easy option of just increasing rates. Bring on the next election

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 128	First Name: Malcolm	Last Name: Reeves
Suburb: Poraiti	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system?	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

Regardless we need democracy based on equality. All have a a representation weighting that is about as equal as the boundaries allow. That is the same number of people per councillor as possible. Also no race based politics for Napier. How about democracy. Race does not matter. No race should have selective representation be they Chinese, people of Indian origin, French, Maori etc. for there are so many mixed race people/people of mixed heritage in our community that having one group selected out only serves to divide us. Our country already is too divided and continuing with Maori wards will only help to keep division and politics based on "supposed" racial lines.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 129	First Name: Robert	Last Name: Hepi
Suburb: Onekawa	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

I would like to commend this initial proposal from our council for four reasons: First, is that I absolutely support the provision of a single Māori ward for our city having two councillors to represent the constituency of all Māori, both Mana Whenua and Rāwaho (Māori from other areas outside of Te Whanganui-a-Orotu.) I feel that it is the right time that the approximately 17,000 Māori in Napier (who represent 26% of the city's population) are guaranteed both a voice and a platform at the council table, free from the vagaries of local election turnouts and ward boundaries, with an absolute charge to represent Māori interests - no matter where we live in this beautiful city of ours, and irrespective of whether we affiliate to local hapū or not. Māori have much to contribute to the future of our community, and a Napier wide Māori ward gives us that opportunity. Second, is my support of the creation of three General wards with an equal number of councillors per ward. The ward system we have operated under this last decade has always favoured one section of the city over the rest by giving that section a larger representative vote, whereas the new ward boundaries seem more natural and reasonable. Third, I absolutely support the reduction in councillors by 1. A council of 11 and 1 mayor means that the chances of a tied vote is reduced. And then there is the matter of reduced cost for ratepayers. While a minor savings, the current challenges facing our area mean that every saving will count. And finally I support the decision not to establish community boards in our city. We live in a city which is not that large in area. As a community with a predominantly Māori population, I feel that Maraenui and surrounds will be better served by having two Māori councillors who sit at the decision making table, rather than a community board with no real power. Beyond this, I feel that the ratepayers of Napier can ill afford the expense. A kaati. Me mihi tonu atu ahau. Tena koutou.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 130	First Name: Ruth	Last Name: Hereora
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? Yes	
Name of group or organisation? Te Peka o Rua te Paia Māori Women's Welfare League		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Don't know	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? Yes	

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Entry ID: 131	First Name: Tim	Last Name: Henderson
Suburb: Outside Napier	City: Hastings	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 132	First Name: Anthony	Last Name: McLagan
Suburb: Napier South	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

Council's initial proposal, to include Māori wards, is racist and should be rescinded. The proposal is also undemocratic in that candidates in a ward can get substantially less votes than a losing candidate in another ward and still be elected. At Large The At Large option, as detailed in the 2023-2024 Representation Review, ensures that ALL candidates are vetted by ALL voters. My recommendation is for 12 Councillors to be voted for At Large.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 133	First Name: Joe	Last Name: Walker
Suburb: Maraenui	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? Yes	
Name of group or organisation? Maori Womens welfare league		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Don't know	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 134	First Name: Marie	Last Name: SCOTT
Suburb: Ahuriri	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Don't know	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Don't know	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Don't know
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

The NCC Representation Review process operated under the now old legislation. Thereby he Elected Members voted in favour of the establishment of Māori wards on 20 October 2021, in time for the 2025 elections. However the Government has reversed the legislation. There should be consideration of NO Māori Wards. Other Councils in NZ have now reversed their Maori Ward decision. The Council is well aware of the public opinion, and the ratepayers should be considered as the Mayor and Councilors represent the ratepayers. The survey logo was "Have Your Say Napier". Napier ratepayers now want their democratic say. Why didn't the Council consider a 'non of the above option' is this survey? The options all contained Maori Wards - even when the council knew legislation was going to be read in parliament. To establish Maori wards at the 2025 election, and to have a vote re this will obviously be ignoring the ratepayers. The Mayor must listen to the ratepayers - one vote one person and no separate voting system.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 136	First Name: Chris	Last Name: Denby
Suburb: Tamatea	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Don't know	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

I am pleased to see that it is proposed that the number of councillors in each general ward will equalise at three apiece. I have always believed that having two councillors in my ward, compared to four in two other wards, is undemocratic. We have the situation where one household gets to vote for only two councillors, but across the road another household gets to vote for four councillors because they are across an arbitrary boundary and in another ward. In my ward the two councillors out of twelve represents only 17% of the councillors, while others are represented by 33% of the councillors. Under the proposed new system, all of us in general wards would have three out of eleven councillors, or 27%. That is at least an improvement. This submission replaces my earlier submission from this morning - it contains the correct percentages. Please disregard the earlier submission.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 137	First Name: Taiatini	Last Name: Lepaio
Suburb: Onekawa	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

Ko Tamatea Arikunui Ko Ruamano te taniwha Ko Takitimu te waka tipua Ko te tohunga ko Ruawharo e! -T.Taurima Tikanga teaches that hapū o Ngāti Kahungunu have always implemented mana bestowed through generations. Have exercised authority over the remaining lands claimed through raupatu. Have accepted care & protection, kaitiakitanga amongst awa, moana, ngahere. Confirming Tino Rangatiratanga, exercising governance I'm accordance to tikanga. -NKL 1. I don't agree with moving to a 3 ward system if it takes away the social economic voice for Maraenui. Maraenui is the most under developed suburb in Ahuriri/ Napier. In 2013, housing was removed which provided an opportunity for a community hub to be established. I was very proud to be apart of the mahi, on the ground engaging with whānau to keep them informed. It is 2024, we are still waiting. This is also the area with the least engagement from Māori and Pasifika. Changes need to be made but not from the top down approach. That is not how Māori stay connected to social issues especially within council. 2. I agree to having 2 councillors working alongside each other to tautoko the voice of Māori who are under represented within communities. I agree to supporting in any way I can to push this kaupapa over the line. Our people are disengaged, they need adequate support from a cultural perspective, from people that have experienced similar injustices as they have. The value in having Māori wards is not the same as having councillors that represent everyone in their wards/ zones. Tauwiwi/ non-Māori are happy to shut down Māori wards based on race and do not see cultural value. Tauwiwi/ non-Māori are happy to take away representation that echoes our voice of Tangata Whenua, who contribute to valuable decision-making in response to Te Tiriti o Waitangi me He Whakaputanga. Tauwiwi/ non-Māori do not value kaupapa Māori, Māori views and aspirations, as they continue to drag us down within local and national government systems. Thirty-five councils across Aotearoa (may have changed) voted to establish Māori wards including Hawkes Bay Regional Council, Gisborne District Council, Hastings District Council & Wairoa District Council. Napier lacked the support for it to be carried through (back then). Hei aha, after attending hui at Pukemokimoki marae, I see the council are active in their approach, ready to stand alongside in support of Māori wards. As a wāhine Māori, a māmā, a community member, a supporter of many kaupapa within Hawkes Bay, it hurts to know that we face racial discrimination within our own back yard and that Māori culture, my culture, my son's and mokos culture is not valued by people in our surrounding communities. No reira, thank you for reading my kōrero. Ngā manaakitanga, Nā Taiatini Lepaio

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? Yes
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 138	First Name: Maree	Last Name: Brown
Suburb: Greenmeadows	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 139	First Name: Parris	Last Name: Greening
Suburb: Ahuriri	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 140	First Name: Taryn	Last Name: Taurima
Suburb: Maraenui	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? Māori are under-represented at all levels of government and its no wonder policy fails to deliver a positive outcome for Māori. When we are sitting at the same decision making table instead of being invited to the after function I believe we may start seeing positive progress toward true partnership which benefits everyone.		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 141	First Name: Tara	Last Name: Brown
Suburb: Maraenui	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? Yes	
Name of group or organisation? Mana Ahuriri Trust		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Don't know	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 143	First Name: Murray	Last Name: Langman
Suburb: Maraenui	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement?	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 144	First Name: Caron	Last Name: Taana
Suburb: Tamatea	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor):	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 145	First Name: Victoria	Last Name: Truman
Suburb: Maraenui	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? Yes	
Name of group or organisation? Tu Tangata Maraenui Trust		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

We feel Maraenui should have a community board to allow adequate community representation. The name Napier Central isn't very imaginative, some thought into the name would be preferred.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 147	First Name: Anthony	Last Name: Roberts
Suburb: Napier Hills	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 149	First Name: Kelly	Last Name: Rangi
Suburb: Napier South	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Don't know	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Don't know	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Don't know
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Don't know	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Don't know
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 150	First Name: Anon	Last Name: Anon
Suburb: Not stated	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

I feel I have to anonymously post my views to Council. I oppose Maori wards and believe that they should be rescinded. They were voted in due to pressure from a minority voice of Napier, despite a majority of people opposing them. Council needs to focus on its core responsibilities and needs representation that considers the wellbeing of the whole community and Council staff, rather than the minority view of the majority of the elected members. The people of Napier voted you in and the people of Napier will let you know in 2025 if Council is truly representative of their ratepayers when they vote. Listen to your people. Respect them. Respect their views. If you ask them to have their say, listen, and don't sway the data to suit your narrative. Spend money wisely not wastefully, especially in the current economic climate. Thank you.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 151	First Name: Louis	Last Name: Waihape
Suburb: Napier South	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Don't know	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Don't know	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Don't know
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Don't know	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Don't know
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 152	First Name: Rob	Last Name: Duckworth
Suburb: Ahuriri	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Don't know	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

Wasting ratepayers money. The NZ Government has just passed legislation requiring a referendum to be held by councils, or else Maori Wards must be disestablished or not put in place. History shows that this Referendum will return a result that says only 25% of the people of Napier will want a race based Maori ward. In the light of this I strongly object to the NCC wasting effort and ratepayer money to push this lost cause. I also object to the NCC neglecting to have a "No Maori Wards" option in the last 2 pieces of communication that have been sent out to the public. Why is NCC pushing the racist stance of creating representation based on race when Napier is an amalgam of many races, all guaranteed equal rights to representation under the Treaty of Waitangi.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Entry ID: 153	First Name: Suzanne	Last Name: Roberts
Suburb: Napier Hills	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Maori ward necessary at all. We don't need three councillors per ward either.		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 154	First Name: Paul	Last Name: Mundt
Suburb: Outside Napier	City: Opunake	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Don't know	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Don't know
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? New Zealand does not need a separate Maori ward as that is racist		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 155	First Name: Ravi	Last Name: Patel
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 18-44
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Don't know	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 156	First Name: Kay	Last Name: Elmsly
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

Anyone can put themselves up for council elections no matter what colour or race you are if you are a new zealand citizen and live in the area. I will vote for the best candidate that can do the job required.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 158	First Name: Ian	Last Name: Elmsly
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? No	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? Ethnicity should not be the basis for democratic elected roles. I will vote for the best candidate regardless of perceived colour.		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 160	First Name: Robert Stewart	Last Name: Anderson
Suburb: Poraiti	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? just leave everything the same as currently in place		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 162	First Name: Bronwen	Last Name: Chang
Suburb: Bay View	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

Napier people have already voted to establish a Maori Ward. Central Government should NOT be trying to overthrow our vote. They should NOT impose the Coalition's anti-Maori agenda on local voters who have already made their views clearly and democratically. They should NOT be imposing the cost of a referendum on Napier people (or any others.) Voting to continue having a Maori ward gives weight to a crucial issue for local government democracy by reinforcing our earlier decision.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 163	First Name: Peter	Last Name: Chang
Suburb: Bay View	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 164	First Name: Margie	Last Name: Wong
Suburb: Outside Napier	City: Hastings	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Don't know	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Don't know	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Don't know	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Don't know
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 165	First Name: Peter	Last Name: Brown
Suburb: Marewa	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system?	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement?	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward):
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors:	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor):	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board?
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 166	First Name: Belinda	Last Name: Brown
Suburb: Marewa	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

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Entry ID: 167	First Name: Jason	Last Name: Smith
Suburb: Napier Hills	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: Māori Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? I fully support the establishment of a Maori Ward, and would see any move not create the ward as undemocratic.		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 168	First Name: Alex	Last Name: Smith
Suburb: Napier Hills	City: Napier	Age group: 65 and over
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

Poor decision from councillors on having maori wards at this point knowing it goes to referendum

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 169	First Name: Ben	Last Name: Kingsford
Suburb: Napier South	City: Napier	Age group: 17 and under
Electoral roll: Not enrolled	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? Yes	
Name of group or organisation? Napier Youth Council		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

Napier Youth Council believes that the name of the 'Ahuriri' ward is not appropriate to the land that it makes up. When people hear 'Ahuriri' they think of the region of Napier West from the Port. Since the proposed ward has much more than this area, we believe the name should be reconsidered. We do not propose any alternative name. Napier Youth Council opposes the name of the Māori Ward – Te Whanga. The name of this ward should not be shortened from the original name, Te Whanganui ā Orotu. Māori naming protocols state that there is no situation in which it is appropriate to shorten the name of a place (even if the intention is good or it is to stop the name from being mispronounced). We believe that Māori culture should not be whitewashed, simplified, or minimised to make it marketable. Instead of whitewashing the name, we need to be vigilant, help and correct those who mispronounce it, and be proud of Napier's vibrant Tikanga, history, and culture. Napier Youth Council strongly supports the establishment of a Māori Ward, with 2 Māori Ward Councillors. Having Māori Ward Councillors would ensure that the tangata whenua of Napier have a guaranteed say and two seats at the council table. Māori have been disenfranchised and marginalised from the electoral system for decades. This has resulted in Māori having statistically worse life expectancy, education, and poverty metrics, and them being disconnected from their culture. Māori wards will partially start to remedy some of these extreme issues, and Napier Youth Council resolutely and fervently supports their implementation.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? Yes
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Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 172	First Name: Philipp	Last Name: Otto
Suburb: Taradale	City: Napier	Age group: 45-64
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? Yes	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): Yes
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: Yes	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): Yes	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? Yes
Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal? No Comment		
Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission? No	

Napier City Council 2024 Representation Review Submissions

Entry ID: 173	First Name: David	Last Name: Carter
Suburb: Napier Hills	City: Napier	Age group:
Electoral roll: General Roll	Feedback on behalf of a group or organisation? No	
Name of group or organisation?		
Agree with retaining a full ward system? Yes	Agree to moving to a three general ward arrangement? No	Agree with the names of the general wards being as described on the map? (Ahuriri Ward Napier Central Ward Taradale Ward): No
Agree with one city-wide Maori ward (known as Te Whanga) with two Maori ward councillors: No	Agree with 11 councillors plus the Mayor? (A reduction from 12 plus the Mayor): No	Agree with not establishing a Maraenui community board? No

Is there anything else you would like to tell us about Council's initial proposal?

Reasons: (1) In the information provided there are reasonable explanations of WHAT is intended but NOWHERE that I have been able to find amongst the plethora of the web site is there a reason WHY!??? Is this just because it seems like there is a need for change and is it driven by councillors or by the functionaries. (2) You are proposing to add 4 new councilors to the existing 12. We are in a period of financial stringency and an additional 4 cost centres seems excessive!! My rates have increased by nearly \$1,000 per year and I understand we are due a similar rise in coming years. And also the proposed new council offices and library will need paying for. What we do not need is more councillors = more expense. We are a city of 64,000 people which give a ratio of 1:5k approx. More than sufficient given the number of contacts required. (3) Councillors without wards will be as much use as list MPs and will further erode our already fragile democracy. Why would we be asked to fund representatives who have no base in the population when the list MPs have proved time and again what a scandal this is. (4) I have some deep reservations as to the efficacy of separate Māori wards which I shall keep to myself.

Do you have files to attach to this submission? No	Do you want to come and speak to your submission?
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