

WAIROA DISTRICT COUNCIL ... IN FOCUS

18 July 2019

Kia Tū, Kia Māia



STAND - Nominations open 19th July!

COUNCIL IN FOCUS

WATER TREATMENT PLANT

Level Two Water Lab Confirmed

The Wairoa township water treatment plant has received final documentation confirming its continuation as a Ministry of Health (MOH) recognised Level 2 Laboratory.

The confirmation, by IANZ (International Accreditation New Zealand), means the plant has been confirmed as compliant for the next 12 months until the next annual review.

Wairoa District Council chief executive Steven May said keeping up with the new requirements was quite a challenge given the relatively short time frame given.

STEVEN MAY PRAISED THE WORK OF WAIROA'S WATER PRODUCTION BUSINESS UNIT TEAM.

The water plant's on-site recognised registered Level Two laboratory provides cost savings to the district's ratepayers.

The Council laboratory also carries out water testing for rural schools, cafés, organisations, clubs and members of the public who would have found it more difficult to use an out of town lab for micro tests considering the current timelines for couriers etc.

**24
HOUR
TIME FRAME**

**TESTING FOR
COUNCIL WATER SERVICES,
RURAL SCHOOLS, CAFES,
ORGANISATIONS, CLUBS &
MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC**

Meanwhile, Council is awaiting the outcome of the Government's Three waters review (drinking water, storm water and waste water).

It is expected that a new regulator will be set up by Central Government within weeks.

Mr May said Council is waiting to be informed as to how this new regulator will interface with regional and local Council operations and any additional compliance processes.

BUSINESS AWARDS

The Wairoa District Council is encouraging local businesspeople to enter this year's Pan Pac Hawke's Bay Business Awards.

They honour excellence in business and recognise businesses and organisations for their achievements in leadership, strategy, and customer focus.

Wairoa District Council chief executive Steven May said there is a range of Wairoa businesses which can definitely foot it on a regional and even national level.

"This is a chance to promote your business and celebrate success."

For more information and an entry form head to the website of the Hawke's Bay Chamber of Commerce.

www.hawkesbaychamber.co.nz

LOCAL ELECTIONS 2019

HAVE YOUR SAY

The local elections are being held in October this year. Residents and ratepayers will choose who will be on our local councils and health boards. Steven May, CEO says it's an important choice because councils and health boards make decisions about services we use every day like hospitals, water, roads, rubbish collection, parks and pools. With Council also implementing Māori wards for this election, it's important that when you vote that you carefully read the instructions. If you fill out the voting form incorrectly, your vote will be invalid. The voting process is by postal vote, so people need to be enrolled correctly by 16 August to get their voting papers in the mail.

**19TH
JULY**

Candidate Nominations Open

**16TH
AUG (NOON)**

Candidate Nominations Close

**20TH - 12TH
SEPT OCT
(NOON)**

Postal Voting

BELIEVE IN A STRONG WAIROA?



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EVERY ONE OF US COUNTS.

STAND, ENROL, VOTE!

Whatever you believe is best for Wairoa, make sure that your opinion is heard. Enrol and vote.

Wairoa. If it matters to you, it matters to vote.

**VOTE
2019**
LOCAL ELECTIONS

Visit Wairoa District Council's or District Health Board's website or vote.nz

FOR YOUR DIARY

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION

COUNCIL MEETING

Tuesday, 23 July: 1.30pm

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

Tuesday, 30 July: 1.30pm

FINANCE, AUDIT & RISK COMMITTEE

Tuesday, 6 August: 1.30pm



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PRIORITY BUILDINGS

Consultation on thoroughfares that warrant prioritisation

MAKE A SUBMISSION

Closes 19th July 2019

For more information & to find out how to make a submission visit

www.wairoadc.govt.nz,
search for #consultations

