

# COLVILLE COMMUNITY FACILITIES PROJECT



## PROJECT PARTNERS

Colville Community Health Trust (CCHT) & Colville Social Service Collective (CSSC) are working together to achieve the best outcomes for the communities in the northern Coromandel Peninsula.

## OUR VISION

Northern Coromandel communities that have the infrastructure to support the provision of services and opportunities which contribute to their long-term wellbeing & sustainability.

## OUR MISSION

To develop and build community facilities which enable ongoing community access to a wide range of services and accommodation options.

## NEWSLETTER #2 - APRIL 2017

### UPDATE ON PHASE ONE:

#### Feasibility Study

Since our last Newsletter, we have been out and about continuing with our consultation phase.

Over February and March this saw us:

- closing our on-line visitor and community surveys
- consult with parents of youth and young people from the northern Coromandel Peninsula (survey)
- consult with staff and trustees from Colville School and Colville Bay Pre-School (meeting)
- consult with the youth of the northern Coromandel Peninsula (online survey)
- make initial contact with iwi groups

We also presented an update of where-we-are-at to the Coromandel Colville Community Board and continue to engage with Ruth Hungerford, (our Feasibility Study Consultant), who along with her team, are busy analyzing all this recent collected data.

In the next six weeks we also plan to meet with the Department of Conservation, and our local Rural Women NZ committee. We also aim to hold our first Housing Advisory Group Meeting, and will be contacting people who indicated their interest in participating when they completed the consultation survey.

***If you were unable to complete a survey but are interested in being involved, please contact: Roy Fraser 07 866 6920***

### WINNERS ANNOUNCED - CONGRATULATIONS

**Aimee Bearda - Online Community Survey for \$20**

**Mischa Mc Cauley Youth Survey for \$50**

**Karen McMillian - Online Community Survey for \$20**

Our Feasibility Study will be completed by early May 2017. Thanks to all who have contributed.



***The new Caravan Space  
at Colville Social Service  
Collective***

## A SNIPPET OF INFORMATION GATHERED

**89%** of visitor- respondents think the proposed facilities would be of benefit to the local Northern Coromandel Peninsula communities

**56%** of visitor- respondents believe the proposed facilities would be of benefit to themselves as visitors to the northern Coromandel Peninsula communities

**100%** of visitor-respondents said they felt safer knowing there is a St John First response Team in the northern Coromandel Peninsula

When asked how important is to them that the Northern Coromandel Peninsula has a medical facility with the following capacity, visitor-respondents answered that it was Important or Very Important that: (multiple answers allowed)

**67%** Doctor can see visitors for emergencies

**56%** Nursing service can see visitors for emergencies

**56%** Clinic can administer IV fluid / antibiotics if needed

## PHASE TWO: Feasibility Infrastructure

It is an exciting time as we consider how the Facilities Project can transition from Phase One: Feasibility Study, into Phase Two: Feasibility Infrastructure.

**Land:** The initial part of this phase involves considering site/land opportunities. The requirement for land will be driven by the results of our Feasibility Study, which will contribute evidence relevant to community priorities, stakeholder interest, opportunities and limitations of the proposed project, and the like.

Issues of land may mean a need to consider multiple sites for different aspects of the project, or a single site if suitable and achievable.

In order to further this phase, we will be looking to:

- further investigate models of land ownership that support community retention of the land-asset
- work with our local communities to identify possible sites
- work further with the Coromandel Colville Community Board
- seek expressions of interest from potential investors and donors.

***If you are interested in investing in this project, discussing a land-package or making a donation towards land purchase, please contact:***

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## FINAL WORD OF THANKS

We are extremely grateful to all of you who have made donations or contributions to the project so far. We are aware that without the generosity of our community, this project would not be moving forward with such great momentum - Thank You!

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