

Local Priorities 2008

LDC (listed alphabetically)	2008 Priorities
<p>Aoraki</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities Priority will be given to applications for projects that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Address, or decrease the effects of, rural isolation. • Improve the strength and well-being of families through programmes such as parenting, early intervention, literacy, etc. • Provide counseling and/or address relationships. • Are from organisations allowing youth to reach their potential. • Assist the elderly. <p>And: To optimise grants made for salary/wages or administration costs – priority will be given to groups which show evidence of collaboration or amalgamation. All else being equal, priority will be given to previous applicants represented at public meetings or who tendered an apology.</p>
<p>Auckland City</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Volunteers – training, expenses, administration, phone, computer costs, recognition for time, travel costs. • Transport – access to services, home visits, pick up for social events, petrol cost. • Advocacy Service – cultural and social integration. • Operational and compliance costs. • Training. • Youth Services – leadership training, youth development, child/youth protection & safety, childcare. • Seniors – social activities, access to events, safety in the home, isolation, respite care, elderly abuse. • Disability Services – youth services & support, across all needs, specialist childcare, abuse in homes. • Salaries & ongoing costs. • Men's and women's services – DV courses, referral, gay discrimination, emergency accommodation, increased gay migrant population. • Family Services – respite care, parenting skills, cultural stability, housing costs. • Ethnic specific services – Māori, Pacific, Migrant, Refugee. • Pregnant women and babies support/services Working women's issues. • Networking and Collaboration among similar services.

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<p>Canterbury Rural</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Volunteer Costs/expenses. • Local Travel Costs e.g. Senior Citizens. • Youth. • Coordinator costs. • Overhead costs e.g. rent, power etc.
<p>Central Otago</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <p>Wakatipu Older people/seniors, children, transport/travel, families, social isolation, rural isolation.</p> <p>Wanaka Training, travel, telephone, volunteers, admin, rent, older people/seniors, social isolation.</p> <p>Cromwell Families, mental health wellbeing, disability supports, transport/travel.</p> <p>Alexandra Volunteers, transport/travel, supervision, families, training.</p> <p>Ranfurly Rent, volunteers.</p>
<p>Chatham Island</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Providing experiences for young people • Bringing in Medical Health people that the hospital and Māori Community Health budget doesn't cover • Promoting Health and Well-being in the Chathams • Sporting events for small children • Voluntary costs for community groups • Broadening services for Community Facilities • Bringing in trainers to the Chathams or taking people out to get trained • St John services • Supporting the Elderly • Transport costs and power costs for community groups
<p>Christchurch City / Banks Peninsula</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <p>Alongside the National COGS priorities the Christchurch City/Banks Peninsula LDC gives priority to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parenting • Health and Mental Health • Housing
<p>Coastal Otago / Waitaki</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Volunteer's costs and expenses • Recruitment and retention of volunteers • Training and supervision for volunteers • Community forums and workshops, marketing and networking. • Operating/organisational costs • Digital technology - resources and tuition • Electricity (heating in winter) • Rates/rent relief and venue hire • Telecommunications - phones.

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Far North	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Volunteer Travel and Expenses. • Administration and Overheads (including Insurance and Audit expenses). • Collaboration and networking between groups – this needs to be demonstrated in the application. • Salary and Wages. • Training of volunteers – details of programme needs to be available with the application.
Great Barrier	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Employment. • Education. • Child & Youth development. • Families in crisis. • Affordable housing. • Budgeting services. • Drug & Alcohol services. • Isolation - especially the elderly.
Hauraki	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <p>Priority Groups:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Groups in need/ limited access to other funding, including new and small groups. • Sharing resources including multipurpose services. • High volunteer input • Groups who demonstrate a commitment to their philosophy/kaupapa <p>Priority Projects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Active involvement in community. • Whanau/family support and education. • Kaumatua/seniors. • Rangatahi and tamariki/youth and children • Budgeting • At risk members of the community
Hutt Valley	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <p>The Committee has reaffirmed the acceptance of the existing National Priorities, including family violence prevention, volunteers and youth. Please refer to the COGS Information Sheet.</p>
Kahungunu ki Heretaunga	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Family violence prevention • Youth issues • People, particularly children, who are physically or mentally challenged <p>Volunteer travel costs - due to increased petrol costs</p>
Kirikiroa / Hamilton	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supporting & strengthening families • Building stronger families • Building stronger (and safer) communities • To support communities from survival to self-determination • To acknowledge cultural diversity (and language) • To support at risk youth initiatives <p>To support services, programmes, and activities with disability and older persons sectors</p>

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<p>Manawatu / Horowhenua</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities Fielding 19 March 2008 Manchester House Fielding Focus Groups: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Older Senior Persons. • Youth. • People with Disabilities. • Rurally Isolated People. • People under Stress. • Family Violence / Bullying. • Alcohol & Drug in the Community Priorities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Salary/wages. • Travel. • Training & supervision costs. • Administration, Volunteer expenses. Levin 19 March 2008 Memorial Hall, Horowhenua Dist. Council Focus Groups: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth. • Older People. • People with Disabilities. • Pacific Peoples. • Women & Children. • Community Safety. • Economically Disadvantaged People Priorities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Travel. • Salary / Wages. • Training, Rent. • Volunteer expenses. • Administration, Mentoring Palmerston North 20 March 2008 DIA Office Focus Groups: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth & Children. • People with Disabilities. • Alcohol & Drug. • New, Refugee & Migrant Communities. • People under Stress. • Older People. • Young Mums. • People in Need of Low Cost Housing. • Health, Education. • Single parent families. • Literacy in all its forms (innumeracy, print, communication, languages). • Māori & Pacific Communities. Priorities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wages. • Travel. • Training. • Volunteer Expenses. • Administration / Operation </p>
<p>Manukau</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities Local Priority Group 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth • Seniors </p>

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<p>Manukau (continued)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Women/Men • Pacific • Special Needs • Children & Families • Other Ethnic Groups • Māori • Migrants/Refugees <p>Local Priority Group 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transport costs • Community Development • Volunteer/Volunteering
<p>Marlborough</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth • Families • Seniors • Volunteers • Migrants • Disabilities • Māori
<p>Mataatua</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities Whakatane – Meeting held 22 April 2008</p> <p>Priority Sectors</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maori Youth • People with disabilities • Volunteers • Children • Men • Women • Families • Rurally Isolated <p>Priority Purposes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Programmes contributing to quality of life and positive development (i.e.: dealing with issues around parenting, grief, anger management, budgeting etc) • Transport • Training • Support Services
<p>Nelson Bays</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <p>Alongside the National COGS priorities the Nelson Bays LDC gives priority to organisations providing services to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elderly. • Mothers and Children. • Mental Health. • Low Income families. • Travel. • Migrants. • Youth.
<p>North Taranaki</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children, Family, Whanau; • Aging Population; • Groups with high volunteer input; <p>Projects/Services that encourage community participation.</p>

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<p>Papakura / Franklin</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth & Children • Families • Seniors • Women/Men • Māori Communities • Pacific and Ethnic Communities • People with Disabilities • Rurally Isolated
<p>Rodney / North Shore</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <p>Community Identification of Priorities for Rodney 2008:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Family Violence (including the elderly). • Emergency Housing (including the elderly). • Women's Health. • Preventative Family Work (Parent Education/Relationship Counseling). • Early Intervention and Long-Term Support. • Advocacy. • Mental Health (including youth). • Support for Men, Men's Health. • Rural Isolation. • Transport. • Need for Family Centre. • Drugs & Alcohol – Youth. • Youth - Preventative programmes/community solutions involving a multi agency approach. • Food bank (for example, kids going to school without breakfast). • Teenage mothers (training and support). • Volunteers, volunteer awareness and volunteer recruitment. • Salaries. • Operational costs. • Rehabilitation. • Elderly (including elder abuse). • Family Support Services & Budgeting. <p>Community Identification of Local Priorities for North Shore 2008:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Family Violence Prevention - education, advocacy, refugee & migrant concerns, economic abuse. • Elderly - support for carers, abuse, housing, transport, health & safety issues for Chinese, refugee & migrant services for elderly, isolation. • Young people (lack of government agencies on North Shore) - health services, youth clinics, youth destinations, consultation with youth, disabilities - isolation, isolation, developmental programmes. • Refugee & migrant - information provision, mental health services, education. • Volunteering - provision of volunteers, support for organisations, national written priority. • Mental Health - drugs & alcohol, gambling, services. • Pasefika Services - family services, youth, existing service provision inclusion, health. • Parents & Family Support Services - education, information, counseling. • Advocacy - beneficiaries, refugee & migrants.

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<p>Rodney / North Shore (continued)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grandparents. • Housing - temporary, emergency. • Adult Disability Services - intellectual, support, ongoing education, advocacy clients & families. • Eating Disorders Support Services. • Women - health, support. • Men - health, support, well-being. • Services for Youth. <p>Community Identification of Local Priorities for Helensville 2008</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social support group - isolation, training & development (IT technology, information), support. • Rural isolation • Transport • Youth - capacity of sector, teenage mother support, access to services, performing arts. • Provision of information services - promotion of 'wellness services', access to physical activity services, referral options. • Support services - family (& children, men, women), budgeting. • Parenting skills - education, resources, information, men. • Support for men - counseling men and young men, accessible services. • Counseling and supervision - affordable, accessible, relationships & children. • Māori - mana whenua, kaupapa Māori, sector wide accessibility. • Cultural community development - culturally responsive, Toi Māori, employment, awareness, performing arts, strength based recognition of services. • Housing. • Family violence/Crime prevention. • Older adults. • Mental health services. • Drug & alcohol. • Disability awareness. • Self development. • Community development. • Collaborative Projects.
<p>Rotorua</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community led initiatives • Men's support services • Youth • Violence prevention
<p>South Taranaki</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <p>Stratford:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Services for elderly people / aged; • Before and after school care; • 12 - 24 year olds (youth); • Transport costs (travel costs to groups); • Information, advice and advocacy services.

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<p>South Taranaki (continued)</p>	<p>Hawera:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Suicide intervention/aftermath - 'fence at the top of the cliff' i.e. prevention and education; • Educational courses for abusers; • Young mothers i.e. education and guidance; • Youth - intervention/educational programmes (12-18 year age group).
<p>South Waikato</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <p><u>High Priorities</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Māori, Women. • Pacific communities. • Families • Youth and children • Men • Grandparents. • Caregivers. • People with disabilities. • Elderly. • Hands on services. • Volunteers. • Travel. • Training. • Counseling. <p><u>Low Priorities</u></p> <p>Sport, Arts, national and regional bodies.</p>
<p>Southland</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <p>Travel costs; Volunteers' expenses; Elderly services/advocacy; Rurally isolated: travel/servicing/training, pre-school services/training; Children/Youth: services, programmes, camps; Overhead costs: admin costs/salaries; Disabilities; Mental Health: youth servicing.</p>
<p>Tairāwhiti</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <p>Wairoa – Meeting held 15 April 2008</p> <p>Priority Sectors</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urban and Rural communities • Volunteers • Families • Youth • Elderly • People with disabilities <p>Priority purposes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transport and travel costs/reimbursements • Travel to National Conferences • Programmes contributing to quality of life and positive development (i.e.: life skills, parenting, after school, activities, homework etc) • Training of volunteers • Administration/Overheads <p>East Coast –Meeting held 16 April 2008</p> <p>Priority Sectors</p>

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<p>Tairawhiti (continued)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rurally isolated • Children/Youth • Kaumatua • Marae • People with disabilities <p>Priority Purposes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transport and travel costs/reimbursements • Training • Programmes contributing to quality of life and positive development (i.e.: after school/weekend activities, social wellbeing, advocacy and support, meals on wheels) <p>Gisborne –Meeting held 16 April 2008</p> <p>Priority Sectors</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth • Families • Elderly • People with disabilities • Rural communities • Volunteers <p>Priority Purposes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Programmes contributing to quality of life and positive development • Information • Advocacy • Transport and Travel • Part salary • Supervision <p>Support and Promotion</p>
<p>Tamatea / Tamaki-nui-a-rua</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Family violence prevention. • Youth issues. • Volunteers - recruitment and retention <p>Volunteer travel costs - due to increased petrol costs & extreme rural isolation</p>
<p>Tauranga Moana</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Volunteer costs / vehicle expenses / training • Salaries • Operating costs- generic • Youth programme costs
<p>Tongariro</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Families. • Youth & Children. • Rurally isolated. • People with Disabilities. • Seniors. • Māori, Pacific and other Ethnic communities • Groups who have limited access to other funding <p>Priorities to locally generated and driven projects/programmes. National/Regional organisations will only be considered if they have a local presence. Low priority would be given to projects/needs which were a direct Government responsibility such as Health, Education.</p>

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<p>Waikato West</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wages / Salaries Administration expenses • Volunteer Training Volunteer Travel • Tikanga <p><u>Types of groups</u> Community Groups Local Support Groups Rangatahi / Youth Kaumatua / Seniors Groups helping Whanau / Families in need.</p>
<p>Wairarapa</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities South Wairarapa 23 April 2008 Featherston Community Centre</p> <p>Focus Groups:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Older Persons. • Youth. • People with Disabilities. • Pacific Communities. • People with Literacy & Numeracy difficulties. • Holiday Programmes. <p>Comment: Youth & Adult literacy was highlighted as having become an inter-generational problem.</p> <p>Priorities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Salary/wages. • Travel assistance. • Operating costs. • Administration costs. • Training & supervision costs. • Volunteer expenses. • Mentoring. • Raising awareness / promotion. <p>Masterton 23 April 2008 Cody Lounge, Masterton District Council</p> <p>Focus Groups:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Men, Women, Youth, Older People. • Māori. • People with Disabilities. • Older People with Disabilities and carers. • Art & Culture <p>Priorities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Travel. • Administration. • Salary / Wages. • Rent. • Volunteer training expenses. • Operating costs. • Mentoring. • Raising awareness / promotion
<p>Waitakere City</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth. • Migrants/Refugees. • Seniors/Kaumatua - Grandparents raising grandchildren. • Preventative work. • Sexual abuse.

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<p>Waitakere City (continued)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Abuse in all areas. • Disabilities. • Pacific Island and Māori. • Children and babies. • Sustainable projects Volunteers - especially noting the increase in transport costs. • Education and training Unemployment. • Pregnancy. • Budgeting - poverty, debt reduction Volunteerism - liaising, advocacy. • Men. • Parenting. • Networking - resources, partnerships. • Building/strengthening marriages & relationships.
<p>Wellington</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities The Committee has reaffirmed the acceptance of the existing National Priorities, family violence and support for low income families. Please refer to the COGS Information Sheet.</p>
<p>West Coast</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities The following represents a summary of a very diverse range of feedback and discussions - supporting statement following each heading is an attempt to capture the essence of the feedback:</p> <p>Family / Whanau - Where an applicant provides a service, programme or project that supports the well-being of families and whānau.</p> <p>Youth / Children - Where an applicant provides a service, programme or project that encourages and supports the development of the younger person and youth participation in the community</p> <p>The Older Person / Isolation - Where an applicant provides a service, programme or project that meets the needs of the older person and/or addresses the issue of isolation</p> <p>Volunteers - Where an applicant provides a service, programme or project that supports and encourages the development of volunteers</p> <p>Community participation – where an applicant provides a service, programme or project that supports and encourages people to overcome barriers to active citizen participation, therefore contributing to an empowered community.</p>

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Waimarino /
Rangitikei**

Identified Local Priorities

Taihape 14 April 2008 Women's Club Taihape

Focus Groups:

- Older Persons, Youth, Children, Early Childhood (urban & rural), Leisure activities, Rurally Isolated People.

Priorities:

- Salary/wages, Travel, Volunteer Training, Administration, Rent.

Ohakune 14 April 2008 Anglican Church Hall Ohakune

Focus Groups:

- Travel.
- Youth.
- Older People.
- People with Disabilities.
- Women & Children.
- Community Events.
- Healthy Activities (e.g. aqua activities).
- Beneficiaries and Employment.

Priorities:

- Travel.
- Salary / Wages.
- Training.
- Volunteer expenses.
- Administration.
- Mentoring / Coaching.
- Community Resourcing.
- Community Events.
- Rent.
- Power.

Wanganui 15 April 2008 Community House, Wanganui

Focus Groups:

- Youth & Children, People with Disabilities, Alcohol & Drug, Migrant Communities, People under Stress, Older People, Reduce Violence, Literacy, Budgeting, Māori & Pacific Communities

Priorities:

- Wages.
- Travel.
- Training.
- Volunteer Expenses.
- Administration / Operation.

Marton 15 April 2008 Anglican Church Hall, Marton

Focus Groups:

Youth & Children, People with Disabilities, Older People, Literacy & Budgeting

Priorities:

- Travel.
- Salary/Wages.
- Volunteer Expenses.
- Administration.
- Promotion of sport, recreation, leisure activities.

Promotion of local community facilities, Relationship with Sport Wanganui.

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<p>Whangarei / Kaipara</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <p><u>Kaipara Priorities:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overheads/administration, training and attending AGM's • Advertising and promotion • Training for volunteers • Counselling services • Children/youth/families/seniors/disabled • 0800 costs • Rural isolations • Family violence • Seniors (40-60 years) • Salaries, wages • Travel across all sectors • Communication costs • Youth counselling • Pacific community groups • ACC levies/auditing <p><u>Whangarei Priorities:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintenance and resourcing of volunteers across all sectors • Salary • Travel costs • People with disabilities • Youth and disadvantaged children • Rural isolation • Communication costs • ACC levies • Audit costs • Travel, accommodation, training & attending AGM's • Rent/Lease costs • Venue hire • Contribution to the wellbeing of children and families • Family violence prevention • Older people/seniors
<p>Whitireia</p>	<p>Identified Local Priorities</p> <p>The Committee has reaffirmed the acceptance of the existing National Priorities and family violence. Please refer to the COGS Information Sheet.</p>