

Frequently Asked Questions – Draft Marton Park Management Plan



Who will be responsible for implementing the projects?

The draft Plan allows both Council and the Community to develop and implement projects at Marton Park.



Who will decide on which projects can go ahead?

Improvements which Council is funding or part-funding will be approved by Council through its annual budgeting process. Council, through the Chief Executive, will also have the final decision on which projects can be implemented by the community. The projects will need to be consistent with the objectives and policies identified in the Marton Park Management Plan. A project form has been developed which will need to be submitted to the Chief Executive for approval.

I have a project I want to get involved with, how can I get involved?

If you have a project you want to implement, please contact Katrina Gray katrina.gray@rangitikei.govt.nz or 06 327 0099.

When will the projects be implemented?

Once approved by the Chief Executive, projects will be implemented as Council or community resources allow.

Who will pay?

Council will implement priority projects as budgets allow. The community is also able to fundraise and pay for projects they want to implement. Council may be able to provide 33% of the costs of compliant, community projects through its Park Upgrade Partnership Fund (contact Gaylene Prince gaylene.prince@rangitikei.govt.nz or 06 327 0099).

I've heard that there is a heritage restriction over Marton Park, how will this influence development.

Yes, Marton Park is a heritage area. This means that alterations to Marton Park require a resource consent. The resource consent process has costs involved which will need to be factored into the project development process. If a project you would like to be involved with will be an alteration to the Park, please contact Katrina Gray katrina.gray@rangitikei.govt.nz or 06 327 0099.

What about Health and Safety of volunteers?

A Health and Safety Assessment will be completed prior to any community project occurring.