

Nau mai, haere mai Bula vinaka

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Our place, our future – it's time to

SHARE YOUR VOICE

about development in eastern Porirua

JOIN US FOR KORERO AND KAI:

Saturday 22 June, 10am–1pm
PIC HALL
207 Champion Street, Cannons Creek

Tuesday 2 July, 6.30–9pm
MUNGAVIN HALL
Mungavin Avenue, Rānui

Saturday 29 June, 10am–1pm
TAIRANGI SCHOOL HALL
3 Omapere Street, Waitaingirua

Tuesday 9 July, 6.30-9pm
HOROUTA MARAE
Whitford Brown Avenue

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TWO FAMILIAR FACES FROM EASTERN PORIRUA SHARE THEIR VIEWS ABOUT PORIRUA DEVELOPMENT.

Kas Govind, the local pharmacist for more than 20 years in Cannons Creek, is one of the biggest ‘champions’ for the area. He has supported local people and groups to make Cannons Creek the healthy and vibrant place the community and whanau want it to be.

He says the Porirua Development offers local people the potential for innovation – and the chance to go on this journey together.

The difference between this and other times, he says, is real change is coming:

“Now is the time to share your voice, get energised and get involved in any way you can. This is such an opportunity to change the destiny of so many people here.”

“If you have a dream, now is the time to voice it, see who shares it and do it together.”

Danny Mareko is a long-time advocate for employment and training for local people, and Pasifika homeownership.

Danny grew up in Hampshire St in the 1970s when half of it was covered in gorse awaiting new houses. “This was our playground, life was so hard,” he laughs.

His parents were able to buy their own home in Ascot Park through the home ownership schemes at the time.

Danny knows the difference employment can make to a family. He was a work broker through the Ministry of Social Development, creating opportunities so local people could get a hand up on the economic ladder.

Danny says to anyone who is hesitant to get involved in the Porirua Development: “We need all our people involved, to use their voice and have their say.”

And Danny has advice for those running the project: “Don’t miss the opportunity to create the best options for affordable homes and get your engagement right, make sure you reach as many people as you can and have the right people around the table when you make decisions.”



Danny Mareko (L) and Kas Govind (R)

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LET’S TALK ABOUT WHAT MATTERS IN YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD IN EASTERN PORIRUA

- housing
- getting around the area
- town centres and shopping
- parks and open spaces
- community facilities

We invite you, the people of eastern Porirua, to walk with us and talk with us as we begin this journey together.

MAHI NGĀTAHI: WORKING TOGETHER

This community korero will guide us as we form a comprehensive plan for how eastern Porirua will look in the next 25 years. We will make sure you have many opportunities to have a say, to get involved and be part of this planning, and to see the result.

Porirua Development

WHO ARE WE?

Porirua Development is a partnership between Porirua City Council, Ngāti Toa Rangatira and HLC (the development arm of Housing New Zealand). We will work alongside the community to plan how eastern Porirua will look as the development gets underway.

Contact us

Got a question about the development work in eastern Porirua? Call HLC on 0800 524 353

Got a query about your Housing New Zealand tenancy? Call HNZ on 0800 801 601

For more information www.poriruadevelopment.co.nz

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