

# Newsline



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## Cycle trail links in place for the Christmas holiday

**Construction of the 'Coastal' section of Tasman's Great Taste Trail is moving along rapidly with the opening of the bridge over the Waimea River effectively linking the sections of completed trail from Nelson all the way through to Mapua, and inland to Wakefield.**

New Zealand Cycle Trail project manager Jonathan Kennett visited Tasman recently to check out local progress – and was impressed. Here is his report:

"Contractors are working overtime to provide holidaymakers with a fantastic Christmas present this summer – a fully connected cycle trail from the centre of Nelson right around Waimea Estuary and across Rabbit Island to Mapua. This 33km section of Tasman's Great Taste Trail is set to be finished on 18 December 2012, just in time for the Christmas break. Last Friday I caught the flat-bottomed ferry from Mapua to Rabbit Island and rode this section to Nelson.

The 11km section weaving through Rabbit Island's pine forest is looking just as good as the day it was opened late last year. From the island a brand new trail heads across farmland to Pearl Creek, a renowned wildlife area, and then to an impressive 100m-long bridge across the

Waimea River. Contractors just finished building the bridge last week and have done a fantastic job.

From the river the trail follows a stopbank before dropping down to Queen Street. A temporary trail then leads beside the road for a few hundred metres before skirting around the Waimea Estuary and into Nelson on an historic rail trail. We had to walk our bikes past a couple of boardwalks that haven't quite been finished (these have since been finished), but otherwise the trail looked very close to completion and was a great ride. Given that Nelson is such a popular holiday destination, this section of Grade 1 trail is bound to get a lot of use this summer by riders of all ages and abilities.

If you have the opportunity this summer, jump on a bike and check it out."

**For more information go to Council's website  
[www.tasman.govt.nz](http://www.tasman.govt.nz)**

# Message from the Mayor

**It's the end of another busy year – a time when we look forward to great weather, family time and the festivities of the season.**

It is also the time where we can enjoy the unique features Tasman has to offer with the thousands of visitors the area receives. It is difficult to imagine now but a year ago to this very week we were experiencing one of, if not the biggest natural disasters the District has ever experienced. The scars are still visible in many places, but due to the hard work of Council staff, contractors, affected communities and volunteers the large majority of the restoration work is complete. There is still work to do and there are people still affected in a major way, such was the ferocity of the event and to these people we extend our thoughts and best wishes.

Our District is still the best place to live, work and relax in the country, and I look forward to a busy and productive 2013 making it an even better place.

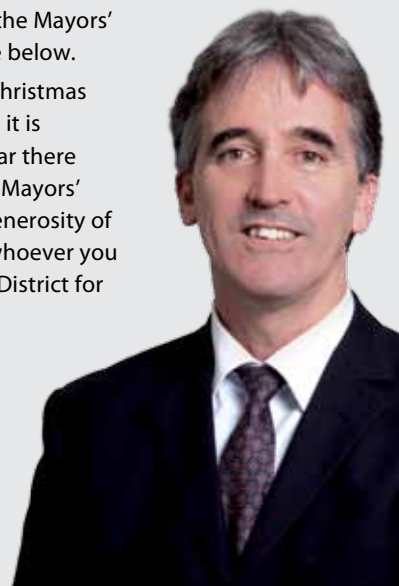
To those who are spending Christmas alone this year I invite you

to join me on Christmas Day for the Mayors' Christmas Dinner. The details are below.

For those of you who think the Christmas spirit is on the wane, I can assure it is alive and well in Tasman. This year there will be ten people attending the Mayors' Christmas Dinner through the generosity of an anonymous donor – to you, whoever you are, I thank you on behalf of the District for your kind gesture.

For now, stay safe, and look after each other – on behalf of my fellow Councillors and staff I wish you and your families all the best for a successful year ahead.

**Mayor Richard Kempthorne**



**Tickets are now available for the Mayors' Christmas Dinner. Hosted by the Region's Mayors on Christmas Day at the Trafalgar Centre this is an opportunity for senior citizens likely to be alone on Christmas Day. Live entertainment, drinks, sing-a-long, Christmas dinner, and surprises. Tickets are \$15 and are available from the Tasman District Council Service Centre in Richmond, Nelson City Council Civic House and the Stoke Library.**

# Message from the CEO

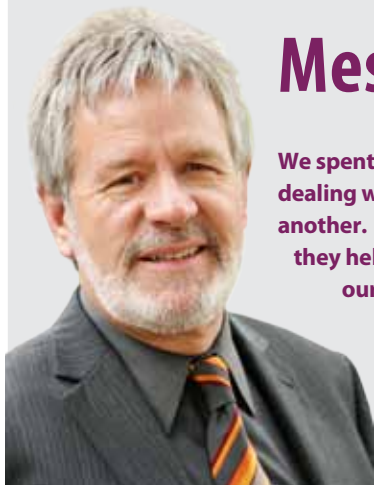
**We spent a lot of time during the past year dealing with challenges of one sort or another. These challenges are good for us – they help us improve our District and our organisation.**

The Council has many positive and crucial aspects to its work – people are central to success in all of them.

The Council does not achieve everything by itself. A large number of people in our communities work with us helping to set goals and give us direction through submissions and feedback, doing the work required of contractors and bringing their skills, expertise and professional care as members of staff.

The holiday season is a good time to contemplate our challenges; to reflect and recharge for the year ahead.

So in 2013 we look forward to continuing to put people at the heart of our business, and making this an even better District.



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# Outstanding natural landscapes and features identified

The programme to identify Golden Bay's Outstanding Natural Landscapes and Features (ONLF) is now in the hands of a small working group.

The group, consisting of representatives of development, farming, marine, Iwi and environmental groups, has met four times and is working through various reports and information supplied by the Council and landscape experts.

There have not been any decisions or outcomes reached by the group at this stage as they are focused on fine-tuning

the process. The group is now discussing ONLFs in the Bay by area. The differing points of view have been aired and discussed in professional and constructive meetings ensuring all of the group's concerns are being worked through. The process will continue with several meetings planned for early next year.

The community-based and driven process is different from the usual Council-led and Environment Court-decided decisions enabling a greater level of local ownership and understanding of the outcome and process.

## Blocked road reopens

The Graham Valley road is finally open, after a five-month effort to clear a slip that occurred on 24 June 2012 that blocked one of the main access routes to Kahurangi National Park.

Contractors removed more than 30,000 cubic metres of material from the 60m-long slip, says Selwyn Steedman, Council's Transportation Network Engineer. About 40,000 cubic metres in total came down off the cliff-face, including slips in subsequent heavy rain.

During a tricky restoration, dangerous rock had to be blasted from the top of the slip, which Selwyn described as "massive, height-wise".

The road is now fully restored and already "flat out" since the reopening on Saturday 1 December 2012, he says. A rock crusher will be taken up early next year to process remaining spoil, which will be stockpiled for road repairs and track work by the Department of Conservation. (DoC cannot use river stone because it may contain noxious plant material.)

The NZ Transport Agency has borne most of the \$300,000-plus bill for clearing the slip, with the remainder shared by DoC and the Tasman District Council, which jointly manage the road.



## Exhibition charts transport in Golden Bay

A small party of Motupipi coal-miners began the permanent European settlement of Golden Bay. Sailing ships, and the wharves to accommodate them, soon sprang up.

The development of transport in the Bay, from the unrecorded times of Maori waka and primitive bush tracks, to the dominance of the motor car, is charted in Way To Go, the summer exhibition at Golden Bay Museum in Takaka.

In the century after European miners, millers and farmers arrived, economic growth was accompanied by necessary forms of transport. Coastal traders serviced the Bay from Wellington and Nelson. On inland routes, horse and cart gave way to mailcar, service car and eventually private automobiles.

By the 1930s, shipping was being superseded by trucks with the power to negotiate Takaka Hill.

The exhibition runs until April 2013, complementing the existing displays on Abel Tasman, Maori and European settlement, plus the spectacular geology of the Bay. The museum is open Monday to Friday 10.00 am to 4.00 pm, Saturday 10.30 am to 1.30 pm and Sunday 10.00 am to 4.00 pm.

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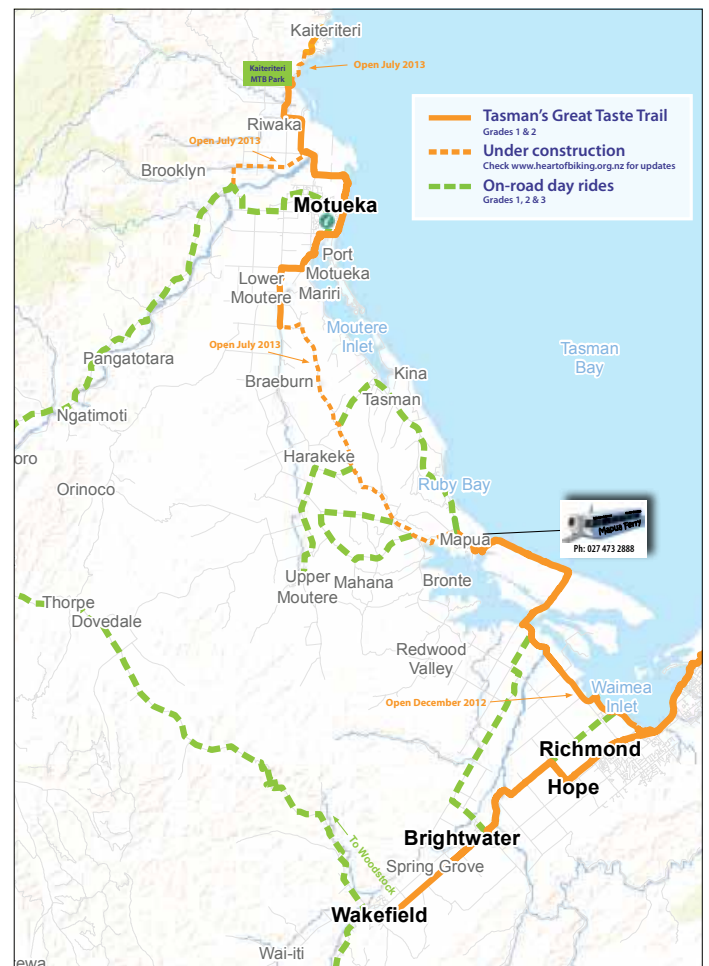
Tasman-Nelson cyclists and visitors are in line for an early Christmas present. From 18 December 2012 they will be able to ride all the way from the ASB Aquatic Centre in Richmond to Mapua with just one short stretch on a public road, the little-used Lower Queen Street beyond the speedway track.

Tasman's Great Taste Trail now encompasses the Deviation path, heads around the estuary to the Resource Recovery Centre, across to Sandeman Road, partly uses boardwalks behind Nelson Pine Industries to reach a path beside Lower Queen Street from the Ravensdown plant to Landsdowne Road, follows Lower Queen Street to the new Waimea River suspension bridge, (to be officially opened and named on 26 January 2013) then proceeds along stopbanks to the Rabbit Island path leading to the Mapua ferry.

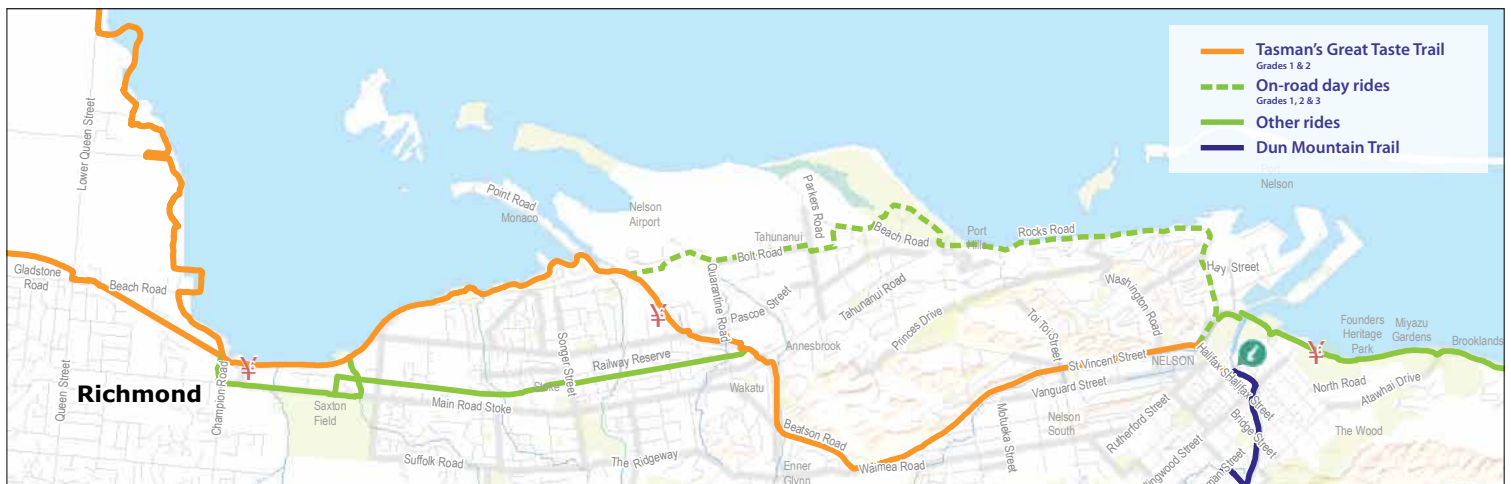
Dugald Ley, project engineer for the Tasman District Council, says the Riwaka to Kaiteriteri route should be complete within 3-4 months. "The Nelson Tasman Cycle Trails Trust has made some huge efforts to complete contracts to have the trail available for all to enjoy over the summer season."

The link to Wakefield from Brightwater along the southern extension of Higgins Road will also be completed before Christmas.

Meanwhile, Hope-based builder Mark Brown has donated \$500 to the trail as a way "to thank all the people who supported him", says Dugald. The cheque has been forwarded to the Trust.



For more information go to [www.heartofbiking.org.nz](http://www.heartofbiking.org.nz)



## Good Access = Good Business

**Cluttered aisles cramping your Christmas shopping? Struggling to reach the goods on the top shelves? The Accessibility 4 All (A4A) Forum knows how you feel, Chair Judene Edgar said at the launch of its accessibility checklist.**

The regional Forum launched the accessibility checklist to help businesses to meet the needs of customers with accessibility issues, which is pretty much all of us at different times and stages throughout our lives - parents with strollers, sportspeople with injuries, the vertically challenged, or just those of us who don't want to knock half the stock off the shelves when trying to walk down an aisle.

The checklist, Good Access = Good Business is a self-assessment guide covering 10 key areas that businesses may wish to consider to

improve their accessibility and consequently attract more customers.

"We wanted to provide a tool that supported businesses to consider accessibility, rather than dictated to them; Good Access = Good Business", said Judene.

As part of the launch, held at Tasman District Council on Friday 7 December 2012, four businesses from throughout the region that have already demonstrated good awareness of accessibility were acknowledged; NZ Post Shop, Astrolabe in Motueka, McGlashen's Pharmacy in Richmond and Golden Bay Museum.

The A4A Forum is supported by Tasman District Council and the printing of the checklist was funded by Nelson City Council.

# Revised Development Contribution Policy out for consultation

In June this year when the Council released its Long Term Plan, Councillors and staff received considerable feedback on the changes to the Development Contribution policy, particularly from the development sector.

In response, a series of meetings were held with representatives of the development community, which allowed them and Council staff to discuss the issues. At the same time Councillors decided that the discounts available to first home builders in the previous policy would be retained.

During the consultation process developers raised an additional concern. They felt the ability for the Council to charge "top up" payments on Development Contributions depending on when the development occurred was unfair, even though it is permissible in law. The revised policy, which is open for consultation until 14 January 2013, has addressed this concern with the inclusion of a "Once Paid, Always Paid" principle.

Development contributions are an acknowledgement of the increased cost

to the Council and ratepayers to ensure infrastructure is in place to cater for new developments. The costs are identified by modeling the growth the District will experience over the next ten years. The policy is designed to ensure the costs are equitably shared amongst those who benefit from the development and that they do not fall unfairly onto Tasman ratepayers.

Tasman is one of the fastest growing districts in the country and development will be ongoing. It has been acknowledged throughout this process that the need to work together is essential if this growth is going to benefit the District as a whole.

Working in partnership - acknowledging the roles of both the development sector and the Council - is necessary to deliver sustainable, well planned growth. We believe this process and the resulting policy have been a good step in that direction.

The policy is open for consultation until 14 January 2013 with copies of the Statement of Proposal and the Statement of Information available in Tasman District Council service centres and libraries and online at [www.tasman.govt.nz/link/dc-review](http://www.tasman.govt.nz/link/dc-review)

## Revised Development Contributions Policy – Summary of Information

### Introduction

Development Contributions are charges to pay for the capital expenditure needed to cope with the demands of population growth. The Development Contributions Policy (DCP) covers residential, commercial, retail or industrial developments.

The Tasman District Council is proposing a change to its DCP. The proposal is to adopt a "Once Paid Always Paid (OPAP)" system which recognises any previous payment of a Development Contribution as being the full and final for that specific DC requirement.

Submissions are now invited on this proposed change to the policy.

Council is required under the Local Government Act 2002 to seek public feedback through a Special Consultative Procedure on this Statement of Proposal as part of the process to consider this revised Policy.

### Background

The Council adopted its Long Term Plan (LTP) on 27 June 2012. The LTP lays out Council's intentions for the District over the next 10 years and includes key information on projects and finance. The LTP provides for \$404.8 million of capital expenditure over the next ten years. Of this \$45.0 million is required to meet the increase in population from 48,100 in 2011 to 53,200 by 2031.

Included in the plan is a Development Contributions Policy (DCP); this policy shows how Council will recover money to pay for this growth.

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## Revised Development Contribution Policy – Summary of Information (cont.)

The DCP in the LTP included the following changes from the previous policy:

1. A 67% discount on water, wastewater and stormwater development contributions which was available to individuals developing land by constructing a first dwelling on a title was removed.
2. Council introduced the ability to charge interest on outstanding debt from Development Contributions.
3. A 5% discount available to those paying their full DC at the time of collecting the associated Building Consent was removed.

The intention of these changes was to make the policy more equitable.

Councillors and staff received considerable feedback from the development community on the changes to the DCP following adoption of the policy at the end of June. It was apparent that developers felt the changes had not been adequately notified to them and as they lacked the information they had been unable to submit effectively on the LTP.

In response to this concern Council at a meeting on 19 July 2012 resolved to retain the discounts for those building a first dwelling on a title that were in place in the previous DCP until a review of the new DCP had been completed. This review was conducted with input from staff and stakeholders in the development community. During this consultation process developers raised an additional concern, in that they felt the ability for council to charge “top up” payments on DCs was unfair even though it is permissible in law.

### Detail of Proposal

Council has subsequently agreed that the Development Contribution Policy be reviewed on the basis of adopting a “Once Paid Always Paid” Policy (OPAP)

An OPAP policy would mean that a first residential dwelling on a title where a DC has been paid previously for a specific purpose i.e. roading, stormwater, water or wastewater, would not be required to pay an additional DC for that purpose at time of building. This would only apply to residential dwellings; commercial buildings would continue to be subject to the current methodology i.e. the Household Unit of Demand (HUD) system (refer to the full policy).

The introduction of the OPAP policy would remove a system that is considered unfair by most developers and the administration of DCs would be more straightforward for both developers and council staff. A disadvantage is that less income would be received and if there is DC under-recovery for any reason this would have to be made up from other sources or projects delayed or cancelled. An estimate shown in the report indicated that this could be in the region of \$1,450,000 per year, however this is impossible to quantify with complete accuracy as a significant amount of future forecasting is required when estimating income.

As Council indicated that the DCs should be collected as provided for in the LTP no other changes are proposed to the existing policy i.e. the discount is not proposed to be reinstated. A copy of the full policy is available on the Council’s website, at Council offices or on request.

### Copy of the full Proposal

This summary outlines the main points to the proposal to amend the Development Contributions Policy. The full proposal, including the options that Council considered, is available for inspection at the Council’s Service Centres in Richmond, Motueka, Takaka and Murchison, as well as at the Council libraries in Richmond, Motueka and Takaka. Copies of the full proposal are available in these locations as well and also from the Council’s website [www.tasman.govt.nz](http://www.tasman.govt.nz)

### Opportunity to make Submissions

**Submissions on this proposal must be in writing and addressed to the Council. Submissions can be made in writing or online at [www.tasman.govt.nz](http://www.tasman.govt.nz)**

Written submissions can be sent to either the Chief Executive Officer

Private Bag 4, Richmond 7050

or by email to [info@tasman.govt.nz](mailto:info@tasman.govt.nz)

**Submissions must be received no later than 4.00 pm on 14 January 2013.**

Any person or organisation that makes a submission has a right to be heard by the Council. Submitters who wish to be heard must request this in their submission. Hearings will be held on 24 January 2013 at Richmond. Submissions will be acknowledged by the Council in accordance with the LGA 2002.

The LGA 2002 requires the Council to make all written submissions on this consultation available to the public. This requirement is subject to the provisions of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987. If you consider there to be compelling reasons why your contact details and/or submission should be kept confidential, you should advise within your submission.

**The consultation process dates are as follows:**

**29 November 2012 –**

adopts statement of proposal and summary of proposal

**1 December 2012 –**

public notice of proposal and consultation process

**14 January 2013 –**

submissions close at 4.00 pm

**24 January 2013 –**

submissions heard.

**7 February 2013 –**

Council considers outcome of consultation process

**9 February 2013 –**

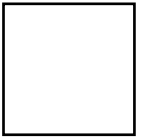
public notice of final decision following Council meeting

**11 February 2013 –**

decision comes into effect.

## Submission Form to

# Proposal for a Revised Development Contributions Policy



### Submitter details (please print clearly):

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Your postal address: Street: \_\_\_\_\_

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Your daytime phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

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Would you like to speak to your submission at a Council meeting to be held in Richmond for this purpose?

YES  NO

Are you writing this submission as:  an individual or  on behalf of an organisation

If an organisation, please name the organisation and your position: \_\_\_\_\_

Your submission on the Proposal for a revised Development Contributions Policy (*please continue overleaf if you require more space*):

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*Please note: All written submissions will be made available to Councillors and the public.  
Please write clearly, as all submissions are photocopied.*

Please send your submission to:

**Submissions on Revised Development Contributions Policy**  
**Tasman District Council**  
**Private Bag 4**  
**Richmond 7050**

or drop your submission into Council at 189 Queen Street, Richmond, or your local library or service centre. Alternatively email your submission to: [info@tasman.govt.nz](mailto:info@tasman.govt.nz)

**We need to receive your submission by 4.30 pm Monday 14 January 2013.**

The Summary of Information and a Statement of Proposal is available at Council offices/service centres, libraries and on the Council website ([www.tasman.govt.nz](http://www.tasman.govt.nz)).

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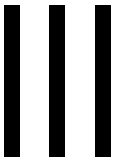
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# Control of Liquor Bylaw in place

**Police will be given wider powers to control alcohol in public places in Tasman District. The Council's new Control of Liquor in Public Places Bylaw will apply 24 hours a day in some locations.**

The new bylaw will come into effect on 14 December 2012, and has resulted from requests for greater controls from Police, says Environmental Health Co-ordinator Graham Caradus. Changes from the existing bylaw include an extension of the hours that apply in the Richmond, Motueka and Takaka CBDs to 24 hours a day, and a 7.00 pm to 7.00 am overnight ban has been included in most urban areas as well as other smaller communities in the District.

The intent of the Bylaw is to meet Police needs by providing a useful tool to combat alcohol-related harm. The vast majority of people will remain unaffected by the controls in the bylaw, said Mr Caradus.

People will still be able to purchase and deliver unopened bottles

of alcohol through liquor ban areas, and the bylaw has no effect on the operation of licensed premises such as pubs and cafés. It is also generally understood that the police focus is on alcohol-related harm, and people enjoying a quiet drink for example, with a picnic in a park within an alcohol ban area, are unlikely to attract Police attention unless there is antisocial behaviour also occurring.

The bylaw does provide for exemptions to be issued by the Council free of charge, should people have more formal occasions that they wish to have certainty over, such as street parties, or perhaps a wedding party wishing to consume some bubbles during a photo session in locations like Council's parks or reserves, or popular beaches such as Kaiteriteri.

The new bylaw can be viewed on Tasman District Council's website, or at Council Service Centres.

## Tasman Street Ambassadors

**The Tasman Street Ambassador (TSA) service is underway for the summer season, with experienced youth workers having a presence in the Richmond and Motueka CBD between 8.30 pm and 2.30 am on Friday and Saturday evenings.**

The service works in partnership with the local Police, night patrol, and Maori wardens to ensure that young people in Tasman enjoy their nights out on the town in a responsible and safe way. While predominately based in Richmond and Motueka, the mobile service will go wherever it is needed – including regional events.

The TSA service has the backing of Tasman District Council and Council's Community Recreation Officer Paul McConachie is very supportive of the role the TSA plays in our community.

"The TSA is never going to be able to be everywhere all the time, but by working in partnership with the other agencies, they are able to react proactively to situations, and help prevent unnecessary harm and disorder from escalating".

The service runs through until the first weekend in February 2013.

TSA is provided by the not for profit youth organisation HYPE-GS, which has been involved in the Safer Streets initiative since its inception in 2010.

## Christmas and New Year closures

**Tasman District Council's Office and Service Centres in Richmond, Motueka, Takaka and Murchison will close over the Christmas and New Year period, but the emergencies hotline is always available.**

Richmond, Takaka and Motueka close at 3.00 pm on Monday 24 December 2012 and reopen at 8.00 am on Thursday 3 January 2013.

Murchison will be closed from Monday 24 December 2012 and will reopen Thursday 27 December 2012. Murchison closes again on Monday 31 December 2012 and reopens on Thursday 3 January 2013.

Council's 24-hour emergency service operates at all times over the Christmas/New Year break. Just phone your local Council office.

Libraries in Richmond, Motueka, Murchison and Takaka will be closed on Christmas and Boxing Days, 25–26 December 2012, plus Tuesday 1 January 2013 and Wednesday 2 January 2013.

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## Public Notices

### Navigation Safety Bylaw: Temporary Reservation for swim races, Tata Beach, 5 or 6 January 2013

Tasman District Council's Harbourmaster has granted a temporary reservation of part of the waters that lie between Ngawhiti Island and Tata Beach for sea swim racing between 8.30 am and noon on either Saturday 5 or Sunday 6 January 2013. The effect of the temporary reservation will be to prevent other activities, including water skiing, from occurring within that area for the time specified. The water ski access lane will be closed for the duration of the event.

A number of conditions have been imposed on the organisers of the event. These conditions may be viewed by emailing [gbswimming@gmail.com](mailto:gbswimming@gmail.com), or calling Tasman District Council's Harbourmaster on Ph. 03 543 8400.



## Public Notices

### Cardboard Boat Race, Tata Beach or Ligar Inlet, 13 or 27 January 2013

Tasman District Council's Harbourmaster has granted a temporary reservation of the waters of the inner Ligar Bay inlet and an approximately 500m length of Tata Beach out to 200m from shore for the annual Tata Titanic Cardboard Boat Race between 9.00 am and 11.30 am on Sunday 13 or Sunday 27 January 2013.

The effect of the temporary reservation will be to prevent all other water activities, including launching or retrieving vessels at the Tata Beach boat ramp or water skiing, from occurring within that area for the time specified. The water ski access lane will be closed for the duration of the event (unless the Ligar Bay inlet option is used).

A number of conditions have been imposed on the organisers of the event. These conditions may be viewed by asking an Event official on site.



## Resource Consent Applications

The Council has received applications for resource consent, which have been publicly notified in The Nelson Mail. The applications and supporting information may be examined in any Council office. The full public notice may be found online at Council's website [www.tasman.govt.nz](http://www.tasman.govt.nz). Any person may make a submission on the applications in accordance with Section 96 of the Resource Management Act 1991. Submission forms are available from Council Service Centres and on Council's website. Please note that the following is an abridged advisory notice only.

**Applicant:** Boot Hill Vineyards Limited

**Location:** Moutere Highway & Gardner Valley Road corner, Moutere Valley

**Consent Type, Application Number and Proposal:**

**Subdivision Consent (Application RM100077)**

To subdivide a title containing 15.1766 hectares located in the Rural 1 Zone, to create the following:

- proposed Lot 1 comprising 3340 square metres as Road to Vest;
- proposed Lot 2 comprising 13.4 hectares;
- proposed Lot 3 comprising 8100 square metres;
- proposed Lot 4 comprising 6500 square metres.

**Land Use Consent (Application RM100859)**

To construct a new dwelling on each of proposed Lots 3 and 4 to be created by subdivision consent RM100077.

**Submissions due:** 4.30 pm on Monday 21 January 2013.

## Road Closures

### Road Closure – Kaiteriteri

Tasman District Council advises that the Kaiteriteri-Sandy Bay Road will be closed for New Year celebrations from Martin Farm Road to Kakapa Point from 6.00 pm on Monday 31 December 2012 until 3.00 am, Tuesday 1 January 2013.

### 24 Hour Assistance – Phone your local office

**Richmond** 03 543 8400  
**Murchison** 03 523 1013  
**Motueka** 03 528 2022  
**Takaka** 03 525 0020



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## Public Notices

### Adoption of Bylaws

#### Tasman's Great Taste Trail Bylaw 2012

Tasman District Council Consolidated Bylaw: Chapter 11 – Tasman's Great Taste Trail Bylaw 2012.

The Council resolved that this bylaw be adopted and come into force on 5 December 2012 – Chapter 11 – Tasman's Great Taste Trail Bylaw 2012.

#### Control of Liquor in Public Places Bylaw 2012

The Tasman District Council Consolidated Bylaw Chapter 3: Control of Liquor in Public Places Bylaw 2012 was passed for adoption at the Council meeting of 29 November 2012 and will come into effect on 14 December 2012.

These Bylaws are now available for viewing during normal Council hours at the following Council Service Centres:

Richmond, 189 Queen Street, Richmond

Motueka, 7 Hickmott Place, Motueka

Takaka, 78 Commercial Street, Takaka

Murchison, 92 Fairfax Street, Murchison

And libraries:

District Library, Queen Street, Richmond

Motueka Library, Pah Street, Motueka

Takaka Memorial Library, Commercial Street, Takaka

The bylaws are also available on the Council's website at: [www.tasman.govt.nz](http://www.tasman.govt.nz)

## Public Notices

### Commercial Subcommittee Member

- Commercially astute with strong financial acumen?
- Innovative and forward thinking?

As one of three non-elected members of Tasman District Council's newly created Commercial Subcommittee this is a great opportunity to apply your skills and make a tangible difference to your community and the region.

The Subcommittee's role will be to monitor and improve the performance of Council's commercial portfolio which includes Forestry, Camping Grounds, Aerodromes and Commercial Property. The Subcommittee will also identify opportunities to increase this portfolio.

Key to your success will be your extensive commercial experience, proven business management capabilities and demonstrated ability to optimise performance and deliver tangible results. A grounded, collaborative, engaged approach and ability to communicate constructively and effectively with fellow members is essential.

With strong commercial and financial acumen you will have the ability to objectively analyse key drivers, opportunities and competitive advantages to assist in the development of strategies that will ensure Tasman District Council continues to deliver tangible benefits to Ratepayers.

Preference will be given to prospective Members who are based in or have strong ties to the Nelson Tasman Region.

To find out more or to apply, please contact Jessica Rolinson, Senior Consultant, Faselow Bell Ltd, by Monday 14 January 2013.

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## Christmas rubbish and recycling

Most people have more recycling over Christmas. You can help our collectors by using only official Council bins and by putting glass in one recycling bin and the rest of your recycling in the other. Recycling bins are available from Council Service Centres if you need one.

	<b>Monday 24 December 31 December</b>	<b>Tuesday 25 December 1 January</b>	<b>Wednesday 26 December 2 January</b>	<b>Thursday 27 December 3 January</b>	<b>Friday 28 December 4 January</b>	<b>Saturday 29 December 5 January</b>	<b>Sunday 30 December 6 January</b>
<b>Kerbside collections</b>	Normal collection	<b>No collections</b>	Tuesday collections	Wednesday collections	Thursday collections	Friday collections	No collections
<b>Kaiteriteri collections</b>	Refuse collection	<b>No collections</b>	Refuse and recycling	Refuse collection	Refuse collection	Refuse and recycling	Refuse collection
<b>Resource Recovery Centres</b>	Open	<b>Closed</b>	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open

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# Communityrecreation

## The Get Moving Big Bike Tune Up

Does a flat tyre, squeaky chain or worn out brake mean your bike has taken up residence in the shed? Now is the time to get your bike out and come to one of our free Big Bike Tune Ups during January 2013.

The Get Moving Big Bike Tune Up (BBTU) is a chance to get your bike back on the road in time for the Get Moving Family Fun Rides starting in February and so you can explore Tasman's Great Taste Trail.

Mechanics at the BBTU events will give your bike a quick maintenance check and tune up to make sure it's safe, road-worthy and fits you. If the work required is more than a tune up they will advise on what's involved and contacts for the local bike shops.

The BBTU's are being run in partnership with the Tasman Skatepark Tour! See you with your bike at the dates, times and venues below. Look for the Get Moving flags.

## Tasman Skatepark Tour expanded this summer

The legendary Tasman Skatepark Tour (TST) will be back this summer, with eight competitions scheduled for January 2013.

The tour begins in Takaka on Saturday 5 January 2013, before weaving its way across the District, stopping in at Mapua, Wakefield, Tapawera, Motueka, Brightwater, Nelson, and concluding with the finale in Richmond on Saturday 26 January 2013.

There will be skate, BMX and scooter open jam competitions with junior groms, senior pros and open veterans categories. The TST championship leaderboard format will see riders across all ages and

disciplines competing for competition points gained from placings at respective heats. Competitors will be vying for a slice of over \$5,000 worth of prizes, generously provided by exclusive tour sponsors; Cheapskates and Village Cycles.



Park	2013 Dates	Time	Location
<b>Takaka</b>	<b>Saturday 5 January</b>	2.00 pm – 4.00 pm	Takaka Skatepark
<b>Mapua</b>	<b>Wednesday 9 January</b>	5.00 pm – 7.00 pm	Mapua Skatepark, Mapua Domain
<b>Wakefield</b>	<b>Saturday 12 January</b>	10.30 am – 12.30 pm	Whitby Way Car Park, Wakefield
<b>Tapawera</b>	<b>Wednesday 16 January</b>	5.00 pm – 7.00 pm	Tapawera Skatepark Tapawera Recreation Reserve
<b>Motueka</b>	<b>Saturday 19 January</b>	2.00 pm – 4.00 pm	Motueka Skatepark, Old Wharf Road, Motueka.
<b>Brightwater</b>	<b>Wednesday 23 January</b>	5.00 pm – 7.00 pm	Brightwater Skatepark, Brightwater Domain
<b>Nelson</b>	<b>Friday 25 January</b>	5.00 pm – 7.00 pm	Neale Skatepark, Nelson
<b>Richmond</b>	<b>Saturday 26 January</b>	2.00 pm – 4.00 pm	Richmond Skatepark, Jubilee Park

Bike tips, information on upcoming events and giveaways will be available for participants on the day.



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