

# Annual Budget Submission Form



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What, if anything, would you like to see changed?

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Have your say on our **draft Annual Budget for 2025/26** 25

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**Submission: Support for the Highbury Cultural Hub Proposal**  
**Location: Te Pātikitiki**

I, the undersigned, support the proposal to establish a Cultural Hub at Te Pātikitiki. I believe this space will serve as a vital and inclusive place for our community, celebrating our history, supporting cultural practices, and meeting the diverse needs of Highbury residents.

I acknowledge the importance of the historical hāngī pit as a central feature of the Hub and support the inclusion of facilities such as break-out rooms and a commercial kitchen to enhance community use.

**Full Name:** Lynaire Hartley

**Signature:** 

**Date:** 16/4/25

**Connection to Highbury:** Work and run wānanga with Whānau in Highbury.

The Highbury Advisory Rōpū and those passionate about the community of Highbury have proposed the building of a Cultural Hub at the rare and special site of Te Pātikitiki.

We propose the Cultural Hub be built at Te Pātikitiki due to the cultural and historical significance of the site, particularly the presence of a historical hāngī pit. This hāngī pit will be at the heart of the Hub, serving as a physical and symbolic gathering space that brings people together, regardless of background or beliefs. It reflects the values of *aroha ki te tangata* (love for the people), *manaakitanga* (hospitality, kindness), and a collective spirit of community.

At present, there are limited venues available that can meet the diverse needs of our community. Those that do exist often come with barriers such as high costs, faith-based restrictions, or limited availability. A dedicated Cultural Hub would provide a welcoming, inclusive, and accessible space for all, a place to host wānanga, hui, cultural celebrations, and everyday community connection.

The proposed Hub would include flexible break-out rooms to support a variety of gatherings, workshops, and support services, as well as a commercial kitchen to enable community cooking, shared meals, catering opportunities, and food sovereignty initiatives.

This proposal is grounded in the vision of uplifting our people through shared history, shared space, and shared purpose. The Highbury community deserves a place that reflects its strength, diversity, and aspirations for the future.

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**Full Name:** Nick Whatuira

**Signature:** 

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