

# Wood Street Revitalisation 2020 Community Design Workshop

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<p><b>Welcome</b></p> <p><b>Setting the Scene</b></p> <p><b>Question</b></p> <p><b>What is your vision for the Wood Street town centre in five years time?</b></p> <p><b>What are your ideas to make this a successful place?</b></p>	<p>Richard Gunson welcomed everyone to the session, gave the background to the summer trial last year and introduced Gail as the facilitator of the session.</p> <p>Gail introduced the ground rules for collaboration ( see below) in this community design process that will result in initially a five-year vision for the town centre, followed up with a functional plan to be implemented and tested from December 2020 through to a second summer. This is 90% funded through Waka Kotahi (NZTA) Innovating Streets Funding.</p> <p>Everyone was asked to think of their answer to the two key questions and these were then shared with the full group and recorded.</p> <p><b>From the Summer Trial Generating Ideas Workshop</b> (Numbers in brackets show agreement by others in the room who think these are still relevant)</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="357 808 1522 1384"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="357 808 839 875">Value or theme</th> <th data-bbox="839 808 1522 875">What would this look like?</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="357 875 839 943">Accessibility (5)</td> <td data-bbox="839 875 1522 943">More off-street parking (8)</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="357 943 839 1010">Remain a destination (3)</td> <td data-bbox="839 943 1522 1010">More food places (3)</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="357 1010 839 1077">Uniqueness (3)</td> <td data-bbox="839 1010 1522 1077">More facilities e.g. public toilets (4)</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="357 1077 839 1144">Slow street (4)</td> <td data-bbox="839 1077 1522 1144">Clear signage (3)</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="357 1144 839 1211">Cohesive (1)</td> <td data-bbox="839 1144 1522 1211">Least hazardous traffic management plan (9)</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="357 1211 839 1279">“A theme” (1)</td> <td data-bbox="839 1211 1522 1279">No flooding (3)</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="357 1279 839 1346">Warm and inviting (5)</td> <td data-bbox="839 1279 1522 1346">Greenery (8)</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="357 1346 839 1384"></td> <td data-bbox="839 1346 1522 1384"></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Value or theme	What would this look like?	Accessibility (5)	More off-street parking (8)	Remain a destination (3)	More food places (3)	Uniqueness (3)	More facilities e.g. public toilets (4)	Slow street (4)	Clear signage (3)	Cohesive (1)	Least hazardous traffic management plan (9)	“A theme” (1)	No flooding (3)	Warm and inviting (5)	Greenery (8)				
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	De-emphasise alcohol	Retain some parking close to shops
	Public space for re-cycling	Traffic not distributed to residential streets
	Dynamic space/flexibility (1)	Formalise safe routes for pedestrians
	One-way supports structured parking	4Square parking
	Maintain convenience	Public toilet at fire station site
	Attractive space	Pedestrian mall
	Viable	Business car parking
		Motorbike parking to replace bollards area (corner of Wood/Ellen)
		Parking at Molesworth Drive and speed control
		Upgrade to surrounding streets
		Block of Ellen (50/50)
		Speed control on Margaret Street
		E.V charging station
<b>Mapping the vision</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participants worked in small groups around tables– each with the same aerial view map of the town centre area.</li> <li>• After discussion the group drew what some of the key elements could look like on the ground.</li> </ul>	
<b>Maps shared</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Every table took a turn to share their maps with the others in the large group</li> <li>• The final task - having heard the other group's ideas – each group could amend or add in more details to their original map. (red pens)</li> </ul>	
<b>Next Steps in Design Process</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Long-term vision map presented for feedback</li> <li>• Interim treatments mapped</li> <li>• Technical team prepare design</li> <li>• Design feedback – Open House</li> <li>• Technical team prepare Final Design</li> <li>• Final Design shared</li> </ul>	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Fabrication and construction plan</li><li>• Community Participation opportunities</li></ul>
<b>Final Words</b>	<p><b>Date of next sessions:</b></p> <p><b>Thursday 30 July 6.30-8.30pm</b> at Fagan Place Senior Citizens Hall</p> <p>Vision map shared and interim treatment maps designed.</p> <p>13 (or 15) August - Design Open House -feedback on interim maps.</p> <p>29 August- Final Design shared before implementation phase.</p>

### Ground Rules for Collaboration

#### Civility

- ✓ Share airtime
- ✓ Try to understand others' assumptions
- ✓ Do not blame
- ✓ Represent those not present

#### Inquiry

- ✓ Seek the community's highest good
- ✓ Commit to common solutions
- ✓ Find multiple victories

#### Creativity

- ✓ Balance knowledge and intuition
- ✓ Propose something better
- ✓ Change your mind in view of new information
- ✓ Explore unconventional approaches