



# **ATTACHMENTS**

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ARTS AND CULTURE

Submission	Name or Organisation	Summary of submission points raised	Council's proposed response
638	Robin Haslett	Submitter does not support building a new museum.	The museum, as part of the Te Manawataki o Te Papa development, was consulted on through the Long-term Plan amendment in 2022. Following that consultation, the decision was made to proceed with the development of a new museum. There is no intention to revisit that decision. Construction is expected to commence in 2024 and the museum to be open in 2028.
<b>Other submissions that align with this theme</b> <b>671, 700, 1271, 1585</b>			

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644	Michael Baxter	Submitter suggests continued council funding for the arts sector such as Historic Village.	Council is committed to contributing towards a vibrant arts and culture scene in the city and does this through its funding arrangements with various organisations.
1089	John Coster	Submitter (member of the Tauranga Historical Society) requests support from Council for the Tauranga Historical Society.	Council notes the Historical Society is currently in abeyance pending an AGM in March 2024. Prior to going into abeyance, a new strategic plan for the Society was being developed and Council supports the Society to complete this planning process once it has some certainty of structure following its AGM in March.
1428	Liz Cooper	Submitter seeks implementation of the Public Art Framework and support of the arts and culture sector.	The Public Art Framework will be implemented in the first half of 2024. The appointment of a new Community Arts Advisor in December 2023 means Council is well positioned to roll out the new framework in line with the LTP funding and this will be a priority for this new role. Council is committed to working with organisations such as Font and Creative Bay of Plenty to facilitate a vibrant arts and culture scene in Tauranga. Council is also committed to working with Tauranga Art Gallery as a key relationship and cornerstone component of Te Manawataki o Te Papa.

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1513	Katheryn Lellman	Submitter compares regional arts festivals across New Zealand and the levels of local council support each receives.	For the 2023 Arts Festival, Council departments including City Development; Event Development and Arts, Culture and Heritage provided a total \$152,259 of funding, \$17,259 of which was value in-kind. Council believes that the arts festival is an important event in the region and will work with the Arts Festival staff and Board to understand how we can support the delivery of the event with value in kind.
1520	Cara Paterson - Creative New Zealand	Submitter raises several creative suggestions for consideration while developing this Long-term Plan.	Council appreciates the time you have put into commenting on the arts, culture and heritage components of the LTP and notes the observations and recommendations made in your submission.
1543	The Bay of Plenty Creative Organisation Alliance	Submitter has given a range of examples that they support in the Long-term Plan and encourages council to continue and grow the arts and culture sector.	Council appreciates your support for the Arts, Culture and Heritage Action and Investment Plan and the Public Art Framework. The appointment of a new Community Arts Advisor in December 2023 will assist the rollout of both strategies and Council looks forward to working with your constituent organisations to deliver the outcomes we all aspire to for arts and culture in Tauranga. Thank you also for your support of Te Manawataki o Te Papa and your comments about operational funding. Museum staff are currently developing a detailed Project Plan for opening day of the facility and beyond, with an emphasis on sustainable delivery of high-quality exhibitions and public programmes.
1564	Tanya Trass - The Incubator Creative Hub	Submitter has suggestions for council with regards to staffing and Arts and Culture.	At Council, Arts and Culture activity is appropriately resourced and the staff members involved are experienced and respected galleries, libraries, archives, and museums sector professionals. The current staffing structure is more than capable of delivering on the Arts, Culture and Heritage Action and Investment Plan and the Public Art Framework. Council will continue to demonstrate its commitment to arts and culture in the community in many ways, including by strengthening our already strong and robust relationships with the sector locally and nationally, including with Creative New Zealand.
1578	Annie Hill – Creative BOP	Submitter seeks discussion to identify how to increase Council funding from 2026/27 (Y3) within this LTP process.	In the recently adopted Community Funding Policy, Creative BOP is recognised as one of four cornerstone community partners of Council. This will provide the opportunity for Creative BOP to negotiate a

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			3+3 year funding agreement that will provide planning certainty for the organisation. Discussions will be held in the coming months between Council and Creative BOP to agree on the details of the partnership agreement for the next three years.
1581	Andrew Gregg – The Elms Foundation	The Elms Foundation would like to formally acknowledge and thank Tauranga City Council for its support over the past three years, and congratulate council for developing its new community funding policy.	Council values its relationship with the Elms Foundation and recognises the central importance of the Elms to the heritage sector of Tauranga. Council has demonstrated its ongoing commitment to the Elms by selecting it as a recipient of a multi-year funding agreement and looks forward to negotiating an agreement that assists the Foundation to be sustainable into the future. Council commends the Elms Foundation for its forward-looking approach and its commitment to further enhancing the visitor experience on the site, including the planning for a new visitor centre and related amenities. With the opening of Te Manawataki o Te Papa a matter of a few years away, including a new Museum and Exhibition Centre, there is a need for more high-quality visitor attractions in the city to complement those being built by Council. The Elms is well positioned to become an important component of a vibrant visitor destination and to create products and services that will enhance the Foundation's ability to be self-sustaining and viable. Council looks forward to a future of continued cooperation and mutual-support with the Elms.
1668	Sonya Korohina – Tauranga Art Gallery Toi Tauranga	Submitter commends council on decisions made in city centre and is proud to work with Council on enhancing the arts sector in Tauranga.	The Tauranga Art Gallery is a critical partner for Council in the delivery of high-quality arts and culture opportunities for the people of Tauranga and visitors to the city. The Gallery is also a key component in the development of a world-class cultural precinct in Te Manawataki o Te Papa and Council will continue to support the Gallery in its ongoing development and evolution.

































































































































































































































































































































































































