

Community update - February 2021

A big thanks to everyone who completed the survey on the draft concept design for the Trentham Community Hub late last year. We had an excellent response (184 people) and lots of useful feedback.

Now that the caretaker and Council election period is over, the Project Advisory Group has resumed its work, chaired by ward councillor Brian Hood, and is meeting fortnightly. Council's project team, informed by the PAG, has analysed the community feedback and is making changes to the design to incorporate this feedback as much as possible. We're keeping up the momentum so the project can move along, whilst making sure we get the design right at this concept stage.

Once Councillors have had a chance to consider how the community feedback has been incorporated into the design, the amended design will be exhibited in another round of community engagement in coming months. After final feedback is incorporated, Council will consider adopting the concept plan. This enables Council to pursue external funding for the construction stage of the project, and the detailed design to be completed.