

PUBLIC NOTICE OF COUNCIL RESOLUTION ON ELECTORAL SYSTEM AND OF RIGHT TO DEMAND A POLL

Notice is given under Section 28 (1) of the Local Electoral Act 2001, that the Central Hawke's Bay District Council has resolved to hold the next triennial general election under the First Past the Post (FPP) electoral system. This electoral system will be used for the 2013 and 2016 triennial general elections of the Central Hawke's Bay District Council.

Electors of the Central Hawke's Bay District Council have a right to demand a poll to countermand the resolution to use the First Past the Post electoral system. Should a valid demand for a poll be received, a poll will be held on whether the First Past the Post or Single Transferable Vote electoral system will be used for the next two triennial general elections (2013 and 2016) of the Central Hawke's Bay District Council.

A valid demand must be:

- Made in writing;
- Signed by at least 5% of the number of electors enrolled as eligible to vote at the 2010 triennial general election of the Central Hawke's Bay District Council. This will require 467 elector signatures;
- Delivered to the principal office of the Central Hawke's Bay District Council, 32 Ruataniwha Street, Waipawa by 28 February 2012.

Every elector who signs a demand must also set out in it his or her full name and the address for which he or she is qualified as an elector of the Central Hawke's Bay District Council.

For further information, please phone 06 857 8060.

Dated at Waipawa this 11th day of August 2011.

John Freeman
Chief Executive