



Specialist Area: Local Government – Community Outcomes Consultation

Under Section 91 of the Local Government Act, every council is required to carry out a process to identify community outcomes. The resulting statements are intended to guide the priorities of the council and other organisations and ultimately promote better co-ordination of community resources.

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APR Consultants has experience using a wide range of community participation and research methods to identify local and regional community outcomes. The general approach is to ensure key stakeholders have input to the process at an early stage, and that consultation methods are cost effective and 'fit for purpose'.

Methods include:

- Steering group facilitation.
- Stakeholder workshops.
- Community focus groups.
- Community surveys including web-based surveys.
- Public meetings.
- Public communication strategies.
- Computerised sorting of results from large-scale consultations.

APR staff have been involved in identifying Community Outcomes in the Waikato region, Hamilton City, Rotorua District and South Waikato District.

APR Consultants would be pleased to discuss your council's requirements.

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