

# *Save Our River Trust*

PO Box 110, Foxton.



To Whom it May Concern

I write on behalf of Foxton's Save our River Trust.

We are an organisation of volunteers committed to the restoration of the Manawatu river loop at Foxton (Piriharakeke). Our Trust has its origins in an initiative to bring life back to our part of the Manawatu river started in Foxton in 1986 and continuing to this day.

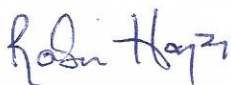
This letter serves to express our organisations support for the Wildlife Foxton Trust and their endeavour to establish a wildlife centre located in Foxton. We believe this initiative has the potential to be of significant value to our town, our region and our nation.

It is our intention to work with the Wildlife Foxton Trust in any practical way we can to advance this initiative. A wildlife centre located adjacent to Foxton's Manawatu river loop will complement the work being conducted by many volunteers to restore this part of our river.

We are a small, low decile community and we believe that the potential of this initiative will attract environmental, economic, social and cultural benefits. It is for these reasons we are confident that the initiative will receive widespread community support and endorsement.

Foxton's Save our River Trust also has a range of aims and objectives in common with the Wildlife Foxton Trust which we propose to advance jointly and severally where appropriate and in the interests of our community and the Manawatu river loop at Foxton.

Yours sincerely



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Chairman