

## CCRG - A Voice for Residents

2005 - 2024 - and into the future

ngā kainoho o te pokapū o tāmaki auckland city centre residents' group

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### 2005 - 2023

#### **Growing the Residents' Voice**

- Council EOI to residents to form a volunteer group to represent residents' interests on expenditure of CCTR
- 2005 City Centre pop c18,000
- Incorporated Society 2005 constitution, AGM, membership, E-news
- Foundation members (x2) of the City Centre Advisory Board
- Focus on submissions for public consultations and before committees
- 2012 CCMP becomes the focus & unifying kaupapa around which the group coalesces.
- Annual mission statements adopted based on CCMP and Auckland Plan



## Today

#### Our Mission

Is to provide a voice for and to advocate for city centre residents, to Auckland Council, the Waitematā Local Board and other relevant agencies & organisations.

To make known the concerns of residents, placing their interests and concerns at the centre of all decision making that affects residents in the city centre, and by doing so work towards achieving the best possible living environment.

- Resident population c40,000\*
- Engagement via membership, website, Monthly Meetings and E-Panui.
- 6 active Social Media Channels
- Database of residential buildings and contacts
- Increasing/daily demands and pressures on CCRG volunteer ability to provide a consistent and informed resident voice on large range of city centre wide issues.



## Future - Opportunity

#### What's Good for Residents, is Good for the City Centre

- CCMP 2020 confirmed, and continues as CCRG's unifying kaupapa
- 2022 CC Residents Survey highlights the wonderful, the good,
- and not so good pressure points Safety, Noise, Enforcement, Families
- City Centre Action Plan 2023 adopted clear Residential Ambitions Focus Area #3
- How can CCRG evolve to meet the needs of the 2020 CCMP and particularly, the highly desirable City Centre Action Plan?
- How can CCRG evolve to meet the needs of an increasing, and diverse population, and provide a continuous, consistent and trustworthy voice?



## Project Kainoho

#### CCRG's vision for Supporting the Actions Plan's Residential ambitions

- A volunteer resident advocacy and advisory model can not meet future needs
- CCRG propose moving to a more professional model
- A funded model annually agreed KPIs, auditing, yearly reporting
- An elected Board of resident city centre fanatics (eventually each representing one of the future city centre residential neighbourhoods), plus paid staff to deliver agreed outcomes/KPIs
- Funding recommend CCAP support an immediate review of CCTR funding mechanisms, with a view to increasing Residents' CCTR contributions
- Residents support a residents' voice, as well as the Focus Area#3 interventions required to be funded in the Action Plan



# 100K kainoho, here we come Pātai?



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