

Subject **Mapua Reserve Playground & Exercise Stations for Mapua Domain**



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Good evening Glenn,

I hope you are well and managed the civil defense efforts your were involved in during the covid 19 crisis without too much stress, and that you are now starting to get back to some form of a new normal.

I have a few questions to put to you if you wouldn't mind getting back to me please.

Mapua Reserve Playground Upgrade -

Has any progress been made?

Has Gordon got back to you with the design for the rubber mat yet?

Have you got an eta of when the equipment might be replaced?

Exercise Stations for Mapua Domain -

Following on from our conversation back in February the MDCA membership have agreed this is a project that MDCA would like to fund raise for.

I have undertaken some initial inquires with Geoff Devine from Devine Fitness Equipment and I have to say we have all been extremely surprised at how expensive the equipment is.

Geoff informed me of Nelson City Councils intention to replace the equipment that is currently installed at Tahuna Beach near the cafe at the back beach and I have placed an inquiry with NCC to see what they plan to do with the old equipment once it has been replaced, and I have asked them if they would be willing to donate it to MDCA.

Geoff Devine has quoted \$4000.00 per item to refurbish (repaint, replace the instruction panel, new seats, bearing etc) the equipment which seems a tad on the high side.

Assuming MDCA can secure the old Tahuna equipment, can you please let me know whether MDCA could use another contractor (if available) to undertake the refurbishment work.

Another option we are about to investigate is whether Exercise Stations can be sourced off shore are more cost effective rate.

Can you please let me know how TDC feel about this.

Thank you

Kind regards

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