# COLVILLE COMMUNITY FACILITIES PROJECT



#### **PROJECT PARTNERS**

Colville Community Health Trust (CCHT) & Colville Social Service Collective (CSSC) are working together to achieve the best outcomes for the communities in the northern Coromandel Peninsula.

#### **OUR VISION**

Northern Coromandel communities that have the infrastructure to support the provision of services and opportunities which contribute to their long-term wellbeing & sustainability.

#### **OUR MISSION**

To develop and build community facilities which enable ongoing community access to a wide range of services and accommodation options.



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### Yay the Feasibility Study is completed!

Following our extensive consultation we are pleased to say the outcome of the study was very positive. In summary, it concluded we have the need for the facilities and the Trusts have the capacity to both bring the project to fruition and to manage the facilities long term. While the full study runs to 170 pages, the executive summery is now on our website.

The project has been divided into 3 stages.

- 1 The Wellness and Education building which will house medical, social and educational services.
- 2 Housing for those working and training at the facility.
- 3 Community need assisted living or who want to remain in the district but for whom housing is not available.

Previously the Team have been very open minded as to where the facility would be located in our area. However one of the things which the Feasibility Study bought out was our people felt it should be located in or near Colville Village as the acknowledged hub of the northern Coromandel.

Accordingly we are now working closely and positively with TCDC, Coromandel Colville Community Board and land owners to identify a suitable site. From the four sites offered we have identified one as our prefered site. We are now looking at this site in detail with TCDC staff to ensure it is possible within the District Plan.

The Trusts applied for and have been granted \$3,200 worth of support by BECA, an infrastructure consultancy company. Once we are sure our plan fits within the District Plan, we will negotiate what support BECA will provide. Then we can start planning the infrastructure needs and designing the Wellness and Education Centre.

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