To the chief executive of the Manawatu District Council: We the undersigned request the Manawatu District Council hold a poll regarding the introduction of a Maori ward.

Full name	Full residential address	Signature

Manawatu District Councillors have voted to create Maori ward(s) for 2019 and 2022. This proposal may be challenged. If you are on the Manawatu District electoral roll and want voters to decide this important question then please sign the above petition and encourage others (neighbours, family, friends, workmates) to sign as well. A total of 1,004 signatures must be delivered to Manawatu District Council by 5pm on February 21, 2018, to trigger a poll which would be held between February and May of 2018. *THANK YOU!*

We believe that Maori ward(s) are not necessary for council decisions which are mainly to do with roads, clean drinking water, sewage, drainage, libraries, sports facilities and cultural centres, all of which are for the benefit of everyone irrespective of ethnicity.

Please mail signed forms immediately to: Maori Wards Petition, P.O. Box 84, Feilding, 4740.

To download this form please go to: www.hobsonspledge.nz under the Campaigns page titled “Signatures needed for petitions on Maori wards”, Manawatu District Council.