

Masterton Trust Lands Trust

BOARD PACK

for

MTLT (Open) Monday, 19 July 2021

4:30 pm

Held at:

MTLT Board Room 189 Queen Street, Masterton

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AGENDA

MTLT (OPEN)



Name:	Masterton Trust Lands Trust
Date:	Monday, 19 July 2021
Time:	4:30 pm to 5:00 pm
Location:	MTLT Board Room, 189 Queen Street, Masterton
Board Members:	Leanne Southey (Chair), Christine Brewster, John Bunny, Gary Caffell, Tom Hullena, Bex Johnson, Sandy Ryan
Attendees:	Andrew Croskery (GM), Stephanie Rix (Secretary)
Apologies:	Frazer Mailman

MEETING OPENING.

1.1 Apologies.

Frazer Mailman.

1.2 Late items.

Members to advise of any late items they wish to be considered.

If a Trustee wishes to bring an item to the board meeting, it must be notified to the office by the Monday prior to the board meeting, for inclusion and distribution in the agenda. Items defined as late items (i.e. received after the agenda has been prepared and eligible for consideration by Trustees) are only those items which cannot be left until the following meeting.

1.3 Declaration of interest.

The Chair to ask Trustees present to declare any agenda items in the Open meeting in which they may have either a financial conflict of interest or the appearance of possible bias, and acknowledge receipt of the Register of Interests (attached).

Supporting Documents:

Register of Interests - July 2021.pdf	6
	Register of Interests - July 2021.pdf

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING.

2.1 Minutes of meeting held 14th June 2021.

Minutes of previous meeting to be confirmed (attached).

Supporting Documents:

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2.2 Matters arising.

3. USE OF SEAL.

3.1 Approval of affixing of the common seal.

The affixing of the common seal by Trustees/General Manager to the following be approved:

- QUE392/9+10 Grainhub Limited Deed of Lease
- QUE397/2 Tile Warehouse Deed of Renewal and Rent Review
- QUE108/11+12 Scoops Cafe & Ice Cream Deed of Assignment and Variation
- QUE108/6 Spices of India Deed of Variation, Renewal and Rent Review

FINANCE.

4.1 Financial reports.

- a. Profit and loss statement year to date 31st May 2021 (attached).
- b. Balance sheet year to date 31st May 2021 (attached).

Supporting Documents:

4.1.a	Profit and Loss - May 2021.pdf	13
4.1.b	Balance Sheet - May 2021.pdf	14

5. CORRESPONDENCE.

5.1 Correspondence received.

The following correspondence has been received:

- a. Masterton Action Group Letter re. new civic centre proposal (attached).
- b. Autism Wairarapa Letter of thanks (attached).
- c. Sam Milligan Letter of thanks (attached).
- d. Greytown District Trust Lands Trust Announcement of new Trust Manager (attached).

Supporting Documents:

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5.1.a	Masterton Action Group - Letter - 22.6.2021.pdf	15
5.1.b	Autism Wairarapa - Letter of thanks - 24.6.2021.pdf	17
5.1.c	Sam Milligan - Letter of thanks - 5.7.2021.pdf	18
5.1.d	Greytown Lands Trust - Trust Manager announcement - 5.7.2021.pdf	19

6. LATE ITEMS.

6.1 Late items as advised from 1.2 above.

GENERAL BUSINESS.

7.1 General business.

8. MOVE INTO COMMITTEE.

8.1 The Chair to move that the meeting moves into committee.

That the public be excluded from the following parts of the proceedings of this meeting, namely:

Finance items, Grant requests, Property items, Staff matters.

The general subject of each matter to be considered while the public is excluded, the reason for passing this resolution in relation to each matter, and the specific grounds under section 48(1) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 for the passing of its resolution are as follows:

General subject of each matter to be considered	Reason for passing this resolution in relation to each matter	Ground(s) under section 48(1) for the passing of the resolution
Property items	Commercial sensitivity	7(2)(b)(ii)
Finance items	Commercial privacy	7(2)(b)(ii)
Grant requests	Privacy	7(2)(a)
Staff matters	Privacy	7(2)(a)

This resolution is made in reliance on section 48(1)(a) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 and the particular interest or interests protected by section 7 of that Act.

9. ITEMS TRANSFERRED FROM IN-COMMITTEE.

9.1 Items transferred from In-Committee.

10. CLOSE MEETING.

10.1 Next meeting date.

Next meeting: MTLT (Open) - 13 Sep 2021, 3:30 pm



Masterton Trust Lands Trust

Register of Board Membership Interests

Masterton Trust Lands Act (2003)

	Trustee: Leanne Southey	Partner: Peter McKenna
Occupation:	Chartered Accountant in Public Practice (Southey Sayer Ltd)	Owner - Screen printing business (Mangan Graphics), Masterton
Interests in Land:	 52 Perry Street, Masterton (owned by family trust) 12A McKenna Street, Masterton (part-owned by family trust) 110 Dixon Street, Masterton – leased by Southey Sayer Ltd Unit 8, 392 Queen Street, Masterton – leased by Mangan Graphics Ltd (from MTLT) Apt 9, Chews Lane, Wellington (owned by family trust) 	
Investments in Companies,	Southey Sayer Ltd	
Partnerships (not public company):	Mangan Graphics Ltd (tenant of MTLT)	
Directorships:	 Southey Sayer Ltd Academy Trustees Ltd Sadler Oakly Newman Trustees Ltd Dixon Street Trustees Ltd Wellington Water Ltd. 	
Memberships of Community Organisations:	Masterton Trust Lands Trust Masterton (Chair) Trade Aid, Masterton (tenant of MTLT) Red Star Squash Club	
	 Wairarapa Community Health Board Wairarapa District Health Board Wellington Free Ambulance Board 	

	Trustee: Christine Brewster	Partner:
Occupation:	Hairdresser	
Interests in Land:	46B Essex Street, Masterton	
Investments in Companies, Partnerships (not public company):		
Directorships:		
Memberships of Community Organisations:	 Masterton Trust Lands Trust Masterton (Deputy Chair) Wairarapa Justice of the Peace Assn (Member) Masterton South Rotary Club (Member) 	

	Trustee: John Bunny	F	Partner: Judi Bunny
Occupation:	Retired		
Interests in Land:	97 Manuka Street, Masterton		
Investments in Companies,	J R Bunny Agencies Ltd		
Partnerships (not public company):	Joribee Trust (Trustee)	•	Trustee
Directorships:	J R Bunny Agencies Ltd	•	Director
Memberships of Community	Masterton Trust Lands Trust Masterton (Trustee)		
Organisations:	Wairarapa Justice of the Peace Council (Board member)		
	Wairarapa Rescue Trust (Chair)		
	St. Patricks Church Committee (Chair)		
	M.S.D. – Benefit Review Committee		
	C.A.B. – Volunteer interviewer.		
	Wairarapa Parish Finance Committee.		

	Trustee: Frazer Mailman	Partner: Marion Mailman
Occupation:	Retired	Retired
Interests in Land:	19 Liverpool Street, Masterton	19 Liverpool Street, Masterton
Investments in Companies,		
Partnerships (not public company):		
Directorships:		
Memberships of Community	Masterton District Council (Councillor)	
Organisations:	Masterton Trust Lands Trust (Trustee)	
	Wairarapa Youth Charitable Trust (Acting Chair)	

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	Trustee: Sandy Ryan	Partner: Dave Ryan
Occupation:	People First NZ	Self-Employed
Interests in Land:	19 Ardsley Lane, Masterton12B Norwich Avenue, New Plymouth	19 Ardsley Lane, Masterton12B Norwich Ave, New Plymouth
Investments in Companies, Partnerships (not public company):		
Directorships:	Concretextra Ltd	Concretextra Ltd
Memberships of Community Organisations:	 Masterton Trust Lands Trust Masterton (Trustee) Wairarapa Resource Centre (Trustee) Masterton District Council (Councillor) Lansdowne Residents Assn (Member) 	

	Trustee: Bex Johnson	Partner: Bill Johnson
Occupation:	Self Employed	Manager, Masterton Club
Interests in Land:	1 Rewa Place, Lansdowne, Masterton	
	38 Edith Street, Masterton	
	70B Bannister Street, Masterton	
Investments in Companies,		
Partnerships (not public company):		
Directorships:		
Memberships of Community	Masterton Theatre Company (Member)	Masterton Club (Member)
Organisations:	Masterton Club (Member)	NZMCA (Member)
	Masterton Trust Lands Trust Masterton (Trustee)	
	Masterton District Council (Councillor)	
	Masterton Community Trust (Trustee)	
	SPCA Wairarapa	

	Trustee: Gary Caffell	Partner: Barbara Caffell
Occupation:	Retired	
Interests in Land:	2B Second Street, Masterton	2B Second Street, Masterton
Investments in Companies, Partnerships (not public company):		
Directorships:		
Memberships of Community Organisations:	 Masterton Trust Lands Trust Masterton (Trustee) Masterton District Council (Councillor) Masterton Bowling Club (President) 	

	Trustee: Tom Hullena	Partner:
Occupation:	Education Consultant	Sellar & Sellar (Business Mger)
	Project Lead – Nga Pumanawa Tupuna	
Interests in Land:		
Investments in Companies,		
Partnerships (not public company):		
Directorships:		
Memberships of Community	Masterton Trust Lands Trust Masterton (Trustee)	Netball Wairarapa (Treasurer)
Organisations:	Nga Pumanawa Tupuna	
	Wairarapa Economic Development Skills Group (WEDS)	
	Eastern & Central Community Trust	

	General Manager: Andrew Croskery	Partner: Nic Rivers
Occupation:	General Manager, Masterton Trust Lands Trust	Wairarapa DHB
Interests in Land:	136 Blakes Road, Carterton	
Investments in Companies,		
Partnerships (not public company):		
Directorships:		
Memberships of Community	Wairarapa Rescue Trust (Trustee)	
Organisations:		

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MINUTES (in Review) MTLT (OPEN)



Name:Masterton Trust Lands TrustDate:Monday, 14 June 2021Time:3:30 pm to 5:05 pmLocation:MTLT Board Room, 189 Queen Street, MastertonBoard Members:Leanne Southey (Chair), Christine Brewster, John Bunny, Gary Caffell, Bex Johnson, Frazer Mailman, Sandy RyanAttendees:Andrew Croskery (GM), Stephanie Rix (Secretary)Apologies:Tom Hullena

MEETING OPENING.

1.1 Apologies.



Resolution:

That the apology from Tom Hullena be accepted.

Decision Date: 14 Jun 2021

Mover: Christine Brewster

Seconder: Gary Caffell

Outcome: Approved

1.2 Late items.

The Chair asked Trustees to advise of any late items they wish to be considered.

None advised.

1.3 Declaration of interest.

The Chair asked Trustees present to declare any agenda items in the Open meeting in which they may have either a financial conflict of interest or the appearance of possible bias, and acknowledge receipt of the Register of Interests included with the board pack.

None advised.

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING.

2.1 Minutes of meeting held 27th April 2021.

MTLT (Open) 27 Apr 2021, the minutes were confirmed as presented.



Resolution:

That the minutes of the meeting held 27th April 2021 be confirmed as a true and correct record.

Decision Date: 14 Jun 2021

Mover: John Bunny
Seconder: Frazer Mailman
Outcome: Approved

2.2 Matters arising.

Remuneration review:

Leanne Southey advised she had met with Sandy Ryan and it was agreed that the remuneration for the position of Chair, Community Property & Grants Committee will decrease by \$2,000 pa effective 1st June 2021. This will be reviewed again on 1st April 2022.

USE OF SEAL.

3.1 Approval of affixing of the common seal.



Resolution:

That the affixing of the common seal by Trustees/General Manager to the following be approved:-

- DIX057 - FMG - Deed of Renewal and Rent Review

Decision Date: 14 Jun 2021

Mover: John Bunny
Seconder: Christine Brewster

Outcome: Approved

FINANCE.

4.1 Financial reports.

The following financial reports were received:

- Profit and loss statement year to date 30th April 2021.
- Balance sheet year to date 30th April 2021.

LATE ITEMS.

5.1 Late items as advised from 1.2 above.

No late items.

GENERAL BUSINESS.

6.1 General business.

Ngā Pūmanawa Tūpuna - Letter of support:

Trustees noted the letter of support provided for Ngā Pūmanawa Tūpuna to assist with a funding application.

MOVE INTO COMMITTEE.

7.1 The Chair to move that the meeting moves into committee.



Resolution:

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Staff matters	Privacy	7(2)(a)

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Decision Date:14 Jun 2021Mover:Leanne SoutheySeconder:Bex JohnsonOutcome:Approved

ITEMS TRANSFERRED FROM IN-COMMITTEE.

8.1 Items transferred from In-Committee.

a) Audit 2019/20:

Resolution:

That the Audit NZ "Report to the Board on the audit of Masterton Trust Lands Trust - year ended 31st March 2020" be accepted.

MOVED: John Bunny / SECONDED: Christine Brewster / APPROVED

b) Financial accounts 2020/21:

Resolution:

That the "Draft annual report for the year ended 31st March 2021" be approved, subject to audit.

MOVED: John Bunny / SECONDED: Christine Brewster / APPROVED

c) Policies:

Resolution:

That the following policies be adopted:

- POL110 Trustee/Staff Continuing Education and Development Policy
- POL801 Archive Policy
- POL109 Bad Debt Policy
- POL112 Retention and Distribution Policy

MOVED: John Bunny / SECONDED: Christine Brewster / APPROVED

d) Education grants 2021/22:

Resolution:

That a Whakaoriori wellbeing project grant of \$39,008 be approved to Fernridge School / Solway College for the Zones of Regulation programme.

MOVED: Leanne Southey / SECONDED: Bex Johnson / APPROVED

Resolution:

That the 2021/22 roll-based grant be confirmed at \$49,370 (4,937 students @ \$10 per student).

MOVED: Bex Johnson / SECONDED: Frazer Mailman / APPROVED

Resolution:

That the schedule of community education grants attached totaling \$101,726 be approved.

MOVED: Bex Johnson / SECONDED: John Bunny / APPROVED

The following conflicts of interest were noted in respect of the community education grant applications:

- Sandy Ryan People First New Zealand Inc Ngā Tāngata Tuatahi
- · Leanne Southey Life Education Trust

Resolution:

That a school event grant of \$1,000 be approved to the Wairarapa Maths Association for the 2021 Matharapa competitions.

MOVED: Bex Johnson / SECONDED: John Bunny / APPROVED

e) Civic grant 2021/22:

Resolution:

That a civic grant of \$18,600 be approved to the Masterton District Council (Library) for the purchase of resources (books, discovery kits, e-books, etc) and to support literacy programmes.

MOVED: John Bunny / SECONDED: Christine Brewster / APPROVED

The following conflicts of interest were noted in respect of the civic grant application:

Sandy Ryan, Frazer Mailman, Gary Caffell, Bex Johnson - MDC councillors.

f) Masterton Theatre Company:

Resolution:

That a grant of \$10,000 be approved to the Masterton Theatre Company for the concept design stage of the proposed new theatre facility at the Dixon Street site. This grant is subject to MTC securing funding to cover the entire cost of the first stage estimated to be \$25,000 as outlined in MTC's letter dated 6th June 2021.

MOVED: Frazer Mailman / SECONDED: Sandy Ryan / APPROVED

9. CLOSE MEETING.

9.1 Next meeting date.

Next meeting: MTLT (Open) - 19 Jul 2021, 4:30 pm

Note: The board meeting scheduled for 19th July 2021 will commence immediately after the AGM which starts at 4.00pm.

Frazer Mailman advised his apology for the next meeting.

Meeting closed at 5.05pm.

Signature:	Date:

Profit & Loss Masterton Trust Lands Trust April 2021 to March 2022

	Apr-21 Actual	May-21 Actual	YTD
	\$	\$	\$
Income			
Other revenue	87 <i>,</i> 784	126	87,910
Recoveries	49,831	51,220	101,051
Rent	443,061	438,085	881,146
Total Income	580,676	489,431	1,070,107
Gross Profit	580,676	489,431	1,070,107
			0
Less Operating Expenses			0
Administration Costs	-6,597	61,762	55,165
Property costs	275,647	267,312	542,959
Total Operating Expenses	269,050	329,074	598,124
Operating Profit	311,626	160,357	471,983
Non-operating Expenses			
Interest cost	57,934	120,251	178,185
Grants			
Civic Grants			0
Concessional rent grants	55,091	55,091	110,182
Covid-19 Community Assistance Fund	-7,000	7,000	
Education grants	-3,000	2,980	-20
Grant Recovery	0	0	0
Total Grants	45,091	65,071	110,162
Total Non-operating Expenses	103,025	185,322	288,347
Net Profit	208,601	-24,965	183,636

Balance Sheet

Masterton Trust Lands Trust As at 31 May 2021

	31 MAY 2021
Assets	
Bank	
Transaction account	369,079
Grant - project reserve	60,168
Maintenance Reserve	458,459
MTLT Maintenance TD 1005	500,000
MTLT Maintenance TD 1006	500,000
Total Bank	1,887,707
Current Assets	
Accounts Receivable	209,692
Total Current Assets	209,692
Fixed Assets	
Land & Buildings (Investment Portfolio)	81,814,000
Property, plant & equipment	192,609
Property, plant & equipment - accumulated depreciation	(49,257)
Total Fixed Assets	81,957,352
Total Assets	84,054,751
Liabilities	
Current Liabilities	
Accounts Payable	293,468
ANZ term loan	21,588,765
GST payments & receipts	39,148
Interest Accrued	120,251
Other income in advance	7,272
Roundings	-
Total Current Liabilities	22,048,904
Non-current Liabilities	
Derivative Financial Instruments	492,057
Total Non-current Liabilities	492,057
Total Liabilities	22,540,961
Net Assets	61,513,790
Equity	
Current Year Earnings	183,635
Retained earnings	61,330,155
Total Equity	61,513,790

The Chairperson and Trustees Masterton Trust Lands Trust Queen Street Masterton

22nd June 2021

cc A Croskery

New Civic Centre Proposal

You will be aware we are a group of Masterton residents who are concerned about the proposed new Civic Centre at the northern end of the town.

There have been numerous letters to the editor of the local paper, posts on face book and other social media from various people within the Masterton District that are totally opposed to what MDC are proposing.

We note the MTLT needs to abide or work within the Masterton Lands Act 2003. One would hope somewhere within this Act, it would include not participating, or being actively involved in anything that goes against the wishes of the Masterton community.

Knowing the amount of discord within the community over this issue, we ask you to question any decision the MTLT have in supporting this MDC proposal to move. We believe it would be morally and ethically wrong to do so.

We also cannot stress enough, the strength and level of support we have had and continue to receive from those residing in the Masterton district, both young and old.

The recent Times Age Survey that was taken showed a huge 86% against what MDC is proposing and validates our actions. We urge each one of you not to assist in this project, hence this letter.

Yours faithfully

The Masterton Action Group

G C Stewart

G H Harrison

C J Gollins

A T Slight

S J Hart

W G Delmonte

D R Borman

R J Miller

G D Dick

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NEW & RESTORED CIVIC

belong on the

CURRENT SITE

of our

TOWN SQUARE
& ____
MUNICIPAL
BUILDING?

The latest Times-Age Facebook poll asked 'Do you support MDC's \$30M civic facility plans?' 86% said NO.

- We owe ourselves and more importantly future generations, the chance to retain and restore our beautiful, historic Municipal building.
- We can demolish the earthquake-prone hall that sits behind the Municipal building.
- Then, build an 800-seat multi-use auditorium/civic centre to combine with the Municipal building.
- This will cost 50% of the MDC LTP proposal including strengthening work, equating to 50% less rates increase.
- The strengthened Municipal building could be used for council staff, archives, I-Site, etc, saving rent that's being paid for other sites.
- It's adjacent to Waiata House. Having staff and the Mayor's office in one area saves costs.
- Perry Street, Times-Age, Public Trust and the Town Hall are in our Heritage Precinct. Let's save it.
- This site has been blessed, used for civic occasions, cultural events, funerals, dancing, plays and more. Why move?
- The area has parking and room for more parking, plus easy vehicle access.
- You own this land. Why incur exorbitant costs associated with the purchase of a new site?
- Use local architects and tender the job to local contractors.
- This can be a community project that everyone can get behind, knowing they are not wasting money.
- Some years ago the community helped raise funds for the Town Square. Don't let this go to waste.
- Restore our Town Hall and Municipal building and give it back its mana. It's waiting.

THE LIBRARY...

- Refurbish and extend our library this is what the land next to the library was purchased for.
- It's an architecturally designed library that's well-suited and well-loved.
- Extension and refurbishment would cost no more that \$5-6M.
 That's a \$10M saving, and less rates increase.



Your town, and your building needs your support.

Please join hands at the Town Hall, Wednesday 30 June at 12 noon. See you there.

MASTERTON ACTION GROUP

Unit 11/392 Queen Street, Masterton. 5840 P O Box 214, Masterton Telephone: 06 370 4590

To Masterton Trust Lands Trust 189 Queen Street Masterton

Dear Trust Members

We, the Board at Autism Wairarapa Charitable Trust, wish to thank you for the Concessional Rent Grant.

We are snowed under with requests from families for help at the moment and having to see if we can increase Wendy's hours. Your generous grant is extremely helpful and allows us to further meet the needs of whanau in our community.

Kind regards

Ange Compton (AWCT Chair)

From: Sam Milligan <sammilligan@xtra.co.nz>

Sent: Monday, 5 July 2021 9:28 AM

To: Andrew Croskery acroskery@ltm.org.nz>

Subject: Thankyou Letter

Hi Andrew,

On behalf of the following groups I would like to thank the Masterton Trust Lands Trust for its support in providing the vacant shop

at 100 Queen Street, for the groups to use as a Pop up Shop.

Wairarapa Rescue Trust, Wairarapa Search & Rescue Inc, Alzheimers Wairarapa, Wairarapa Autism Charitable Trust, Age Concerned Wairarapa and the Riversdale Beach Surf Life Saving Club.

The aim of the exercise was to make members of our community more aware of the services provided by each group, in providing

displays, information and local contacts. The shop was open for four weeks and during this period each group had either staff or volunteers

on hand to offer advice and assistance as required.

The event was a success thanks to the generosity of Masterton Trust Lands Trust.

Regards.

Sam

Sam Milligan 213 Westbush Road RD 8 Masterton

Phone: 06 370 9322 Cellphone: 0274 475 072 From: Greytown Trustlands Trust <admin@greytowntrustlands.org.nz>

Sent: Monday, 5 July 2021 1:06 PM

To: Andrew Croskery <acroskery@ltm.org.nz>; Stephanie Rix <stephanie@mtlt.org.nz>

Cc: gm@greytowntrustlands.org.nz; Phil Holden <phil@pwhconsulting.co.nz> **Subject:** Greytown District Trust Lands Trust announces new Trust Manager

Hi Andrew and Stephanie,

Please see below update regarding changes at the Trust. Andrew, I believe Paul has already briefed you on this.

I will be in touch shortly to see if we can organise a suitable date for a get together here in Greytown for both Trusts – Management and Trustees.

Cheers Helga

Greytown District Trust Lands Trust announces new Trust Manager

Helga Perry has been appointed to the role of Trust Manager of Greytown District Lands Trust.

Board Chair, Phil Holden, is delighted to confirm the appointment. "Helga has been the Trust's administrator for the last eight years and has an intimate knowledge of the operational activities of the organisation," explained Holden. "She is well known in the local community, and we see this as another positive move in our drive to achieve a higher level of engagement with our stakeholders.

"We have recently put in place a new strategic plan and investment strategy, and this will provide the organisation with a clear direction as the Trust heads into its 150th year. We've listened and taken feedback from our community. Our new strategic goals reflect this, and we are determined to deliver on outcomes that make a real difference for our beneficiaries, while ensuring the business is ready for its next 150 years," he said.

"Interim General Manager, Paul Broughton, has done an excellent job in addressing some of the portfolio issues and has been retained by the board as its property advisor.

"These changes enable us to put in place a management cost structure that reflects where we are in terms of our current investment portfolio," added Holden. "Helga's appointment is an important step towards the next phase of the Trust's journey."

Perry will step into the role from 1 July.

Helga Perry

Trust Manager Greytown District Trust Lands Trust

