

**30 June 2011  
Nelson College (Year 12)  
Framing Our Future Youth Workshop (2.15 – 3.15pm)**

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In our future we will see:

**1. Nelson in General:**

- **In Nelson 2061, we want to see a safer community for our upcoming generations – less criminal activity – we want to see our CBD expanded upwards not sideways – beach quality improved**
- **Public spaces – Increased ways to enjoy Nelson’s environment and culture**
- **Look to see a broad spectrum of diverse cultures and ages in Nelson**
- **Economy/ society**
- **History/ culture**
- **Residential area contained, close to the CBD – not far from anything – ‘up not out’**
- **Developed venues and scenic areas, with improved personal safety in these areas (tourism)**
  - Limit overseas people coming in
  - Controlled population
  - Want to see a broad spectrum of ages
  - Larger diversity in market pace for all ages – groups of people
  - Increase in older people
  - I wouldn’t want to see Nelson get too crowded
  - Better industries to keep more people in Nelson
  - Healthy tourist industry
  - Tourism - more hotels – museum is better - historic settings
  - Agricultural advances
  - Job availability
  - Jobs
  - Job opportunities open
  - Sustainable living – expansion of houses, business in the CBD
  - Bigger community – more branded shops – diverse
  - More ‘higherised’ buildings
  - Town gets bigger but closer together
  - CBD developed
  - Building higher
  - Nelson’s layout remodelled – housing is too spread out and no natural area
  - If sea level hasn’t risen, would like to see a developed waterfront
  - Skyscrapers – builders – office workers
  - Improved urban settlements, in concentration (CBD) but with hinterland
  - Areas of uninterrupted nature
  - More public spaces specifically designed for various social groups
  - Performing arts venues – other arts – impressive tourist architecture

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- Drinking culture eradicated so the city is more appealing to all age groups
- Wide pedestrian-only streets (are in place in European cities such as Madrid/ Paris)
- Decrease in power usage – lower rates
- Decrease in power and fuel leading to cheaper food and living costs
- Paying rates – house/ lifestyle
- Higher rates will happen
- Things will be worse
- Greater public services
- More preservation of Maori culture
- More history developed
- Keep the beach and sea clean
- Beach area around Nelson – preserving and maintaining Nelson’s landscape – is it achievable? If so, how?
- Don’t destroy swimming holes
- Still have landscapes we have today and more done to preserve them

## 2. Recreation – Sports Heritage and Arts - :

- **Preservation of parks and sports grounds such as Saxton Field, Neale Park plus the addition of new grounds**
- **Upgrade and maintenance of existing facilities and buildings**
- **Keep NZ’s culture vibrant within Nelson**
- **Increased quality of sports grounds and promotion of sport in younger age groups – golf courses and increased outdoor activities for young and old alike**
  - Preserved parks and places of popular value nowadays
  - Will want to take my children to the places I went
  - Keep lots of the places the same, so we can show our grandchildren where we grew up
  - Recreation areas still around e.g. parks, beaches
  - Out and about activities – all ages – more appealing
  - Better walkways/ biking tracks to improve our health
  - More animal control
  - Continue construction of bike tracks
  - Better water access e.g. boat ramps, jetties
  - More recreational water activities
  - Want to be able to play sports – to have my children play lots of sports if possible
  - Rugby – hockey – football – more ski fields
  - Better maintenance of sports grounds
  - Upgrade existing sport facilities
  - Re-lay Neale Park – change the soil
  - Improvements on sports grounds – move Neale Park to somewhere that doesn’t result in hospital visit if you scrape a knee
  - Fix Broads

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- Lots of sport/ hunting – kids playing sports
- Keep Nelson's heritage and Parks – more trails and historical places – access to history – museum that changes
- Earthquake proof buildings – checked and built – enough budget to do so?
- Old buildings are old/ unsafe – should be replaced
- Build taller buildings
- Expand Nelson with bigger buildings
- More arts introduced
- Street Art – roof graffiti but more artistic – hold onto the past with heritage sites – encourage creativity – public recreational areas like Wellington – clean up areas like ANZAC Park
- Festival – more events – RWC good starting point – develop Nelson further as a cultural Mecca
- Create more resources e.g. Viagra
- Legalise cannabis

### 3. Transport:

- **We would like to see lower vehicle usage acquired to reduce air pollution in 2061; more accessible biking tracks and walkways in the Nelson region; an upgrade in Nelson' public transport**
- **A more economical, more efficient and safe transportation system, and personal transport**
- **Public transport system improved and more accessible to other areas**
- **In 2060 we would like a completed and more efficient transport system in Nelson; examples of this are the completion of the deviation**
- **Increased public transport systems to accommodate Nelson's growing population, and lower fuel emissions, as well as making it more appealing**
  - Central city closed to cars – bike trails city-wide – bus/tram systems
  - Nelson relies on a large amount of energy – find other ways for transport – electric metro railway/ tram/ less fuel used
  - High levels of cycling in Nelson – public transport needs to change – cheaper and eco-efficient
  - A better transportation system
  - Going to drive a lot, and walk
  - Improving transport systems – less cars used = less pollution – less fuel used
  - Improved public transport
  - Better public transport – most people don't want to walk
  - There should be better public transport
  - Improved public transport
  - More public transport
  - Public transport – efficiency, environmentally friendly
  - More public transport – lowering of fuel – save dollars

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- More public transport, and even more bus lanes – upgraded and appealing – trains – better buses – no real major increase in roading
- More roads
- Improve dangerous intersections on Nelson’s roadways e.g. Appleby dairy intersection
- More roads
- Fuel source changed – zero emissions – bio fuels
- Efficient fuel use – new fuels
- Clean green image – research into reusable energy – biodiesel – public transport – train
- Push for bio fuels
- Lower petrol emissions
- Sustainable electric transport
- Electric/ solar transport system
- Electric cars
- Nuclear powered cars
- Oxygen run hovercrafts – stuff gas
- Metro/ subway underground system
- Small scale public aero transport – less roads/ traffic congestion – more reliant on electricity/ solar
- Pedal cars – tubes that suck you everywhere
- Cycling or a new form of personally powered transportation should be more heavily promoted
- Improved bike tracks so more people will bike to work/ school
- We won’t have a port anymore

#### 4. Biodiversity:

- **Clean native areas for bird and plant life – elimination of pest species**
- **Increased biodiversity in the wider Nelson area**
- **Increase conservation – maintain Brook sanctuary and promote maintaining of other outdoor locations such as Dunn Mountain**
- **We want monkeys and Theo Moores\***
  - Conservation of plants and animals, as without we have no medicine/ food/ water quality/ air quality – high diversity of animal and plants – natives
  - Increase flora and fauna – public spaces flourishing – Brook Sanctuary growing and developing
  - Brook Sanctuary fully revived
  - Want to see an abundance of biodiversity – native forests and animals for conservation
  - Preservation of native species, both plants and animals
  - Healthy environment to live in
  - Good biodiversity – healthy wildlife and national parks
  - Plants – conservational biodiversity – maintain access to food/water/ health(medicine) – maintain history
  - Area around us maintained and kept clean

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- Animals are still here
- Keeping native plants for animals – keeping vegetation near and around streams and waterways
- I want there to be lots of bush/ nature around
- Lots of plants and trees and animal around
- Less buildings – more plants and animals
- Monkeys
- Living Planets (Theo Moore)
- Deforestation uncontrolled – is illegal
- Lesser trees – deforestation
- No hunting – unless serious pests – relocation
- Have rivers/ stream banks re-vegetated
- Riparian growth planted on waterways
- More plant growth = improved air quality in the Nelson district
- Reintroduce seabirds to the Nelson ecosystem
- Improve aquatic ecosystem
- Replant areas around the region with native vegetation e.g. Rabbit Island

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## 5. Waste:

- **In Nelson 2061, we want landfill rubbish to have disappeared i.e. household rubbish to be reused as much as possible, or find an alternative to turn rubbish into something useful**
- **Recycle waste – dump rubbish in space**
- **Improved options for household reuse and recycling**
- **Recycling waste, and use our waste as resource**
  - Waste eliminated to near zero – saves fuel and emissions
  - Waste could be resource
  - Reduction in waste – recycle more – find ways to use differently/ more innovatively
  - Improved reuse and recycle
  - Compulsory recycling = lower pollution – not chucking away materials that can be used
  - Better waste management systems – more recycling/ no landfills/ all waste reused in some way/ rubbish processed locally
  - Efficient waste systems in which people can destroy waste themselves
  - Waste products disposed of properly
  - Good spot to dump waste – not in a hole or even on earth
  - Dump/ send rubbish into space
  - Pump waste in form of incinerated rubbish into valves in bored out rock
  - Landfills need to be banned – a more effective method of waste disposal needs to be produced
  - Efficient waste disposal – recycling where possible
  - Improve waste sites – turn them into resources
  - More rubbish reused
  - 100% of rubbish recycled

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- More controlled rubbish
- Improve recycling methods – more waste treatment plants – advances in treatment
- Recycling levels need to increase – need more effective ways to recycle – trend of waste beginning to increase – transporting waste somewhere else costs time and money
- Need to start recycling waste much more
- Recycling mandatory
- Food packaging and plastics need to be more efficiently recycled
- Lowering waste and promoting a lot of recycling – resources; reuse waste- promote products that can be reused as much as possible

## 6. Food:

- **In Nelson 2061, we would like locally produced, cheap, nutritious food and for consumers to grow their own vegetables**
- **Healthy, natural, local economical food**
- **More accessibility to healthy and natural foods**
- **More local produce that is also affordable**
  - Nelson becoming more of a food provider with more effective methods/ less reliance on fossil fuels
  - Local resources – wood/ food/ water etc
  - Food processing should be researched more intensely – natural foods should not be tampered with
  - Ways to produce food without using limited resources
  - Eat the same food; climate change will affect food – fresh food – less imported food
  - We will be having nutrition capsules instead of foods
  - Need abundance of food
  - I want to have access to good healthy food
  - The food that we eat to still be around in 50 years – healthy food
  - Lots of healthy affordable food
  - Affordable healthy food
  - Organic foods – natural pesticides
  - Need dollars for food
  - Cheaper food
  - Less importing/ less costs – promote self-growing of vege gardens – Farmer's Markets
  - More produce from local areas; less imported meat, fruit, vegetables
  - Community gardens for produce
  - Greater initiatives for home growing
  - Have consumers (me) grow their own vegetables (at home)
  - More good food grown locally
  - Foods and goods made in NZ
  - Higher production - more food crops
  - Ensure crops are provided
  - Forestry into crops for food – improved beef industry

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- More farming – milk/ beef
- Improve waste use
- Create an aquifer for water catchment

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## 7. Air quality- Health:

- **Absolutely minimal pollution of any type**
- **Clean as possible (no B.O.)**
- **Continued improvement in air quality**
- **Better health care and air quality**
  - Reduced petrol prices – petrol reliability – less emissions
  - More efficient vehicles
  - Better use of waste – make bio fuels
  - Higher level of medical care
  - Increased health care
  - Decrease in petrol consumption to further influence air quality
  - Better fireplaces = better air quality
  - Better air quality – less healthcare – better use of education – healthy workforce – more profitable businesses
  - Affects of health on residents – more sick means more doctors means more pay means more rates
  - Improve air quality – better health – less rates
  - Maintain air sheds around Nelson – regular test to keep pollution under control – do we need to bother? Is it important?
  - Air quality to not exceed the standard at any time
  - By 2060, Nelson's air quality should never exceed health standards – this could be achieved by creating a strong reliable public transport system
  - Air quality consequences/ repercussions – atmospheric gasses – diseases – preventability
  - Pure air – improve air quality standards beyond the current safe standards
  - Need good air quality
  - Better air quality
  - Air quality is high – clean, breathable
  - The 'awesomist' air quality
  - Air and water treatments to clean healthy air and water
  - Less wood/coal fires – compulsory heat pumps and warm homes built with double glazing/ batts etc
  - No log fires – more electric heaters (no gas power)

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## 8. Energy:

- **In Nelson 2061, we do not want to be dependent on energy produced by fossil fuels; more natural energy resource e.g. wind**
  - **More accessibility to green fuels and nuclear energy**
  - **Greater reliance on renewable sources of energy and reusing waste etc**
    - I hope a good alternative fuel will be created
    - Solar powered energy – electric cars – green fuel
    - Need to use green fuels – price of oil going up
    - Public transport improvements – exhaust/ fuel substitute – vehicle alternatives – fossil fuel non-existent
    - Combat lack of fossil fuels by researching easier ways to transform energy – pedal cars – Flintstones
    - Develop hydropower and solar initiatives “Solar City” – needs to be almost compulsory and more people develop their own
    - Move towards solar powered and other sources that have less impact – council support for solar power – if electric cars are more available, make Nelson accommodate this
    - Solar power should become the primary source of power
    - Local energy generators – solar panels- hydro generators
    - Greater alternative power options – solar/ wind/ tide/
    - Oxygen powered cars
    - Stop being nuclear free
    - Reduction in fuel tax
    - Fuel cards that give a maximum amount of fossil fuels per week – lower use of fuel – lower/ save dollars – lower pollution – Solar panels should be placed on every roof – each house could be individually powered
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## 9. Water:

- **In Nelson 2061, we want plenty of water and improved water quality**
- **Clean, to a point that it does not need treatment**
- **In 50 years time, we want to see more accessible and clean water reserves**
- **Clean and affordable water**
- **Improve our air and water resources and systems (efficiency)**
  - Want to see water more accessible in 50 years – basic human right – everything needs water
  - Water owned by all people
  - I don't want people to 'own' water – I want it to be clean too
  - Water recycled many times – if not, quality diminishes and in turn effects wildlife
  - Maintain water treatment and quality for health and biodiversity
  - Instant water filters
  - Clear (treated) water to drink – water for plants and animals
  - Clean water
  - Clean, healthy, sustainable

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- Affordable
  - Increase water catchment area – earthquake/ natural disaster preventative measures
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