

Final proposal – Representation arrangements for local body elections 2025

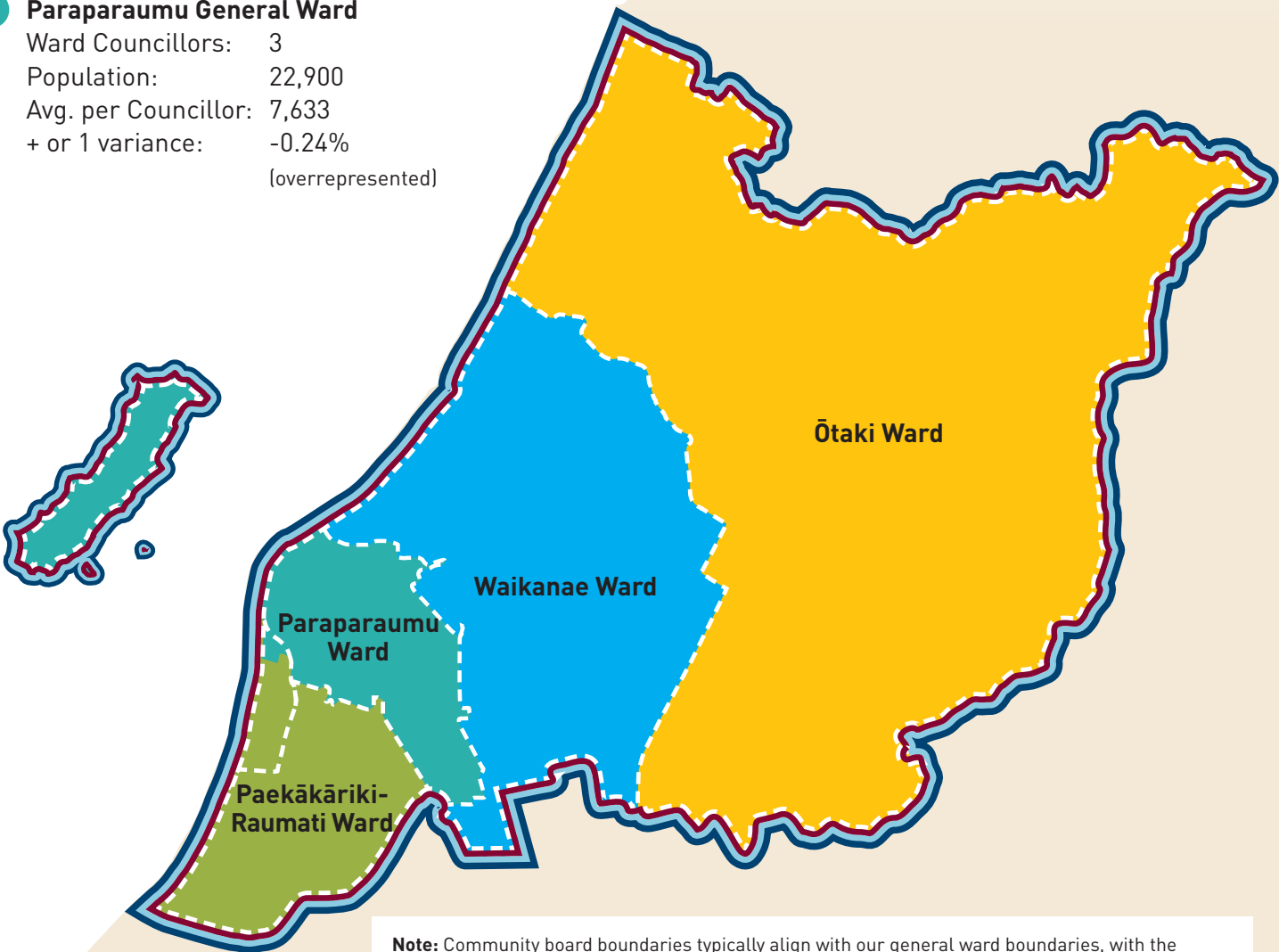
- Mayor:** 1
- Districtwide Councillors:** 2
- Kapiti Coast Māori Ward**
 - Ward Councillor: 1
 - Population: 4,930
 - Avg. per Councillor: 4,930
 - + or 1 variance: Does not apply
- Ōtaki General Ward**
 - Ward Councillor: 1
 - Population: 7,410
 - Avg. per Councillor: 7,410
 - + or 1 variance: -3.16% (overrepresented)
- Waikanae General Ward**
 - Ward Councillors: 2
 - Population: 14,950
 - Avg. per Councillor: 7,475
 - + or 1 variance: -2.31% (overrepresented)
- Paraparaumu General Ward**
 - Ward Councillors: 3
 - Population: 22,900
 - Avg. per Councillor: 7,633
 - + or 1 variance: -0.24% (overrepresented)

- Paekākāriki-Raumati General Ward**
 - Ward Councillor: 1
 - Population: 8,300
 - Avg. per Councillor: 8,300
 - + or 1 variance: 8.48% (underrepresented)

Community Boards

The Kāpiti Coast District will comprise five community boards with the boundaries remaining the same for all community boards except for the Paraparaumu and Paekākāriki Community Boards. These board boundaries will change to reflect the new Paraparaumu and Paekākāriki-Raumati General Ward boundaries.

The membership of all five community boards remains at four elected representatives each. Council has decided to appoint one General Ward Councillor or the Māori Ward Councillor to each of the community boards. Following the elections in October 2025, the new Council will make these appointments.



Note: Community board boundaries typically align with our general ward boundaries, with the exception of Paekākāriki and Raumati which are two separate community boards. The Raumati Community Board straddles both the Paekākāriki-Raumati and the Paraparaumu General Wards.