The Potential of Neighbourhoods:

Unleashing capability & innovation at the frontline

A regional workshop
led by Jim Diers

Inspiring Communities

Nau mai, haere mai!

A development opportunity for funders, local and central government agencies, businesses, Iwi, social services, neighbourhood and community organisations and networks.

When: Friday 10th August, 9.30am-1.30pm

Where: Rotorua Convention Centre

Cost: Community organisations – $10 per person
All others - $40 per person
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"Neighbors can generate tremendous power when they come together as a community. They can influence the actions of government, developers, and other external forces. They can also mobilize their own assets—their passion, knowledge, skills, and relationships—in support of caring communities, revitalized neighborhoods, and a better world." ***Jim Diers***

Jim has had decades of neighbourhood-building experience in Seattle. His work has generated thousands of self-help neighbourhood projects and scores of community-driven plans which are showing results. Inspiring Communities is delighted to welcome Jim to Aotearoa New Zealand to share his learning with our communities, and to learn from us about our experiences.

- What have we all learned through working together around neighbourhood priorities such as environmental restoration and protection, local facilities, social and economic issues?
- What are the policies and practices that help cultivate the potential of neighbourhoods?
- What constructive roles can each of us play to support and unleash neighbourhood capability and energy?

The programme includes:
Presentations by Jim, interactive discussions, table sessions, and time for conversations and networking over morning tea and lunch.

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