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Name	Helen Colvin
Support or oppose	Support
Reasons for support or oppose	I believe horses should be banned from the greater Opotiki township boundary for the following reasons: 1 Opotiki will never advance any further as a tourist attraction or attract further business with an uncivilised wild west persona. 2. It is only a matter of time before a serious accident occurs. 3. Owners are unable to provide adequate care, shelter and fencing currently. 4. It is a privilege not a right as so many believe. 5. Horses are not the primary mode of transportation within town therefore their presence is unnecessary. There is no other town of this population size where horses are so prolific. I believe change is long overdue and change is the only way forward in order for Opotiki as a whole to advance. 6. Horses belong in rural areas. 7. As a new ratepayer my opinion is horses no not in any way, shape or form, contribute to Opotiki being a better place to live. Rather, their urban presence poses danger and obstacles to the community image
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