

Regional Food Security & Food Systems Planning

DECISION MAKING TOOL FOR COUNCILS

Planning for food security, local food supply and food infrastructure will ensure everyone in the region has access to nourishing food, as well as lead to higher resilience when facing an adverse event. The following tool correlates with the Regional Food System Plan. When planning and work within councils is viewed through a “food lens,” outcomes become richer and more vibrant.

Review the examples and come up with your own ideas that are unique to your area and council!



EXAMPLES

Ways councils can implement food system planning within existing projects

PATHWAYS

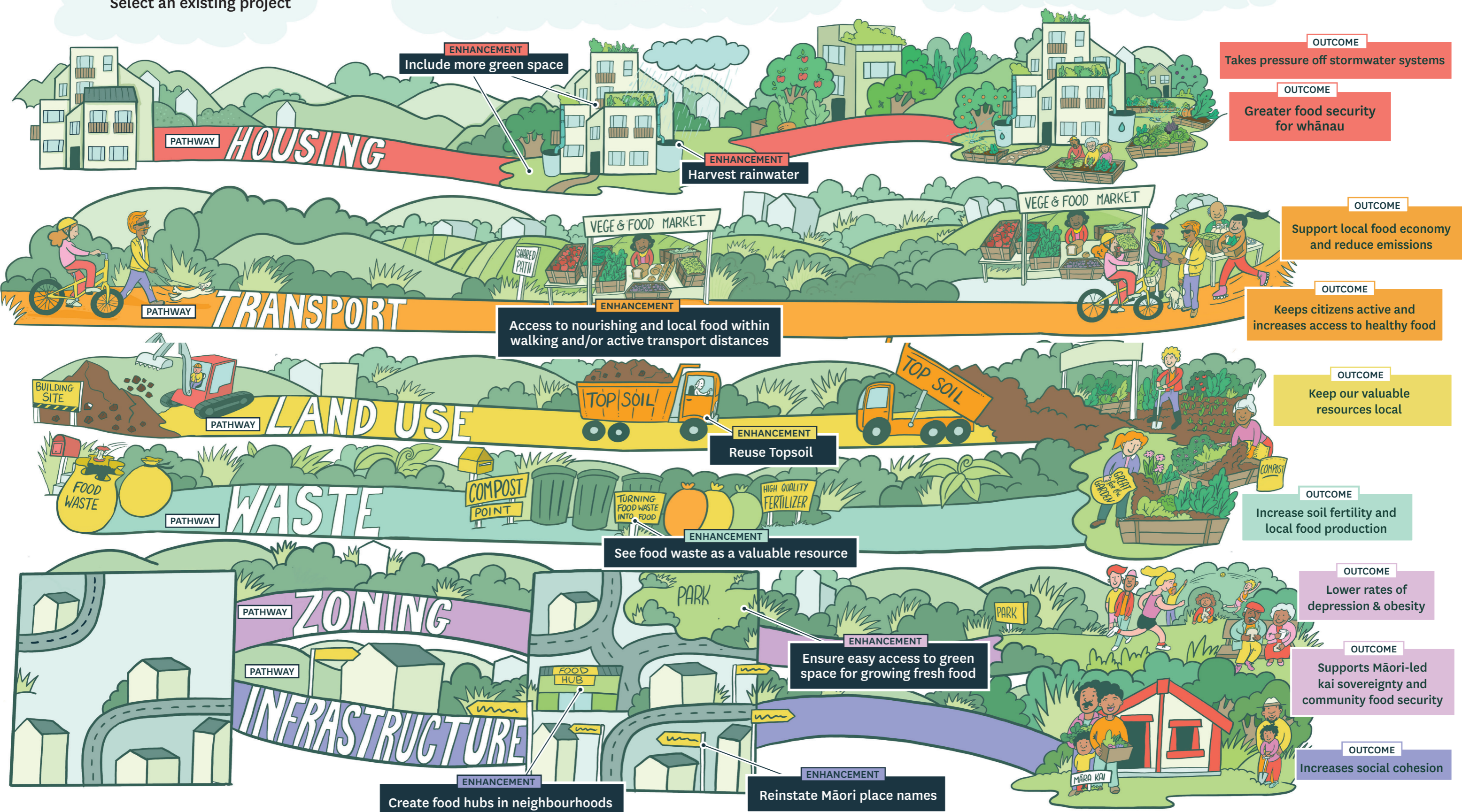
ENHANCEMENT (EXAMPLES)

OUTCOMES

Select an existing project

Enhance the project by looking at it through a food lens

Create greater resilience & wellbeing



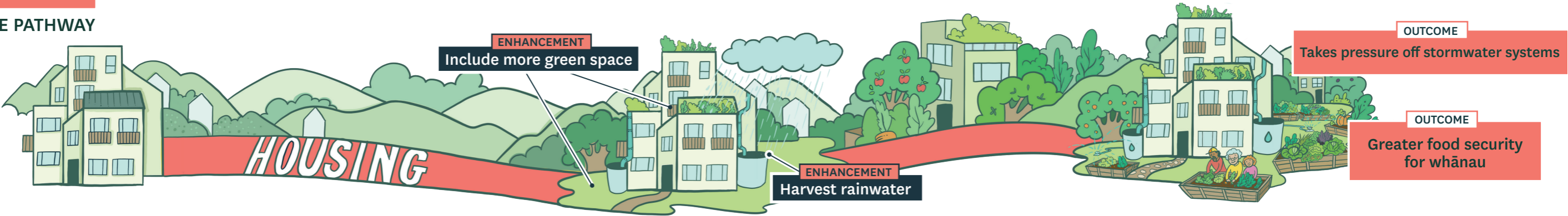
Many Māori placenames describe the soil, the mahinga kai and the natural environment, connecting people with their food sources.

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HOUSING

EXAMPLE PATHWAY



PROJECT

What are some Housing projects you are working on?

FOOD SYSTEM ENHANCEMENT

How could they be enhanced to incorporate food system thinking?
Select from the list of enhancements.

OUTCOME

What wellbeing outcomes will each enhancement deliver?

- Oranga Tangata (social and cultural wellbeing)
- Oranga Taiao (environmental wellbeing)
- Mana motuhake (locally-led, economic wellbeing)

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TRANSPORT

EXAMPLE PATHWAY



ENHANCEMENT
Access to nourishing and local food within walking and/or active transport distances

OUTCOME
Support local food economy and reduce emissions

OUTCOME
Keeps citizens active and increases access to healthy food

PROJECT

What are some Transport projects you are working on?

FOOD SYSTEM ENHANCEMENT

How could they be enhanced to incorporate food system thinking?
Select from the list of enhancements.

OUTCOME

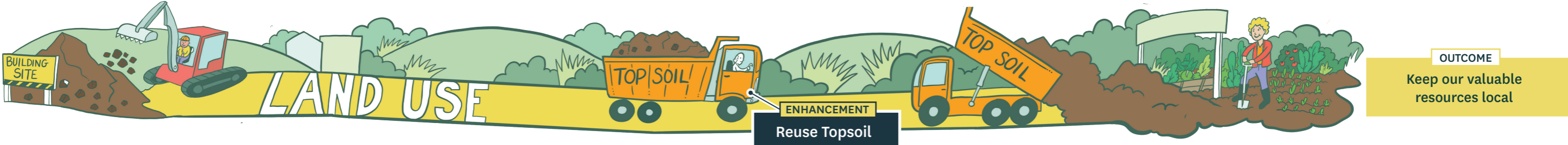
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LAND USE

EXAMPLE PATHWAY



PROJECT

What are some Land Use projects you are working on?

FOOD SYSTEM ENHANCEMENT

How could they be enhanced to incorporate food system thinking?
Select from the list of enhancements.

OUTCOME

What wellbeing outcomes will each enhancement deliver?

- Oranga Tangata (social and cultural wellbeing)
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WASTE

EXAMPLE PATHWAY



PROJECT

What are some Waste projects you are working on?



FOOD SYSTEM ENHANCEMENT

How could they be enhanced to incorporate food system thinking?
Select from the list of enhancements.



OUTCOME

What wellbeing outcomes will each enhancement deliver?

- Oranga Tangata (social and cultural wellbeing)
- Oranga Taiao (environmental wellbeing)
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ZONING

EXAMPLE PATHWAY



PROJECT

What are some Zoning projects you are working on?

FOOD SYSTEM ENHANCEMENT

How could they be enhanced to incorporate food system thinking?
Select from the list of enhancements.

OUTCOME

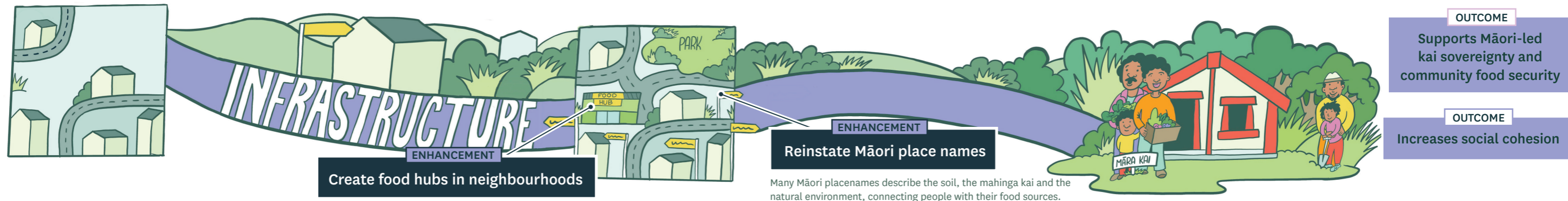
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INFRASTRUCTURE

EXAMPLE PATHWAY



PROJECT

What are some Infrastructure projects you are working on?

FOOD SYSTEM ENHANCEMENT

How could they be enhanced to incorporate food system thinking?
Select from the list of enhancements.

OUTCOME

What wellbeing outcomes will each enhancement deliver?

- Oranga Tangata (social and cultural wellbeing)
- Oranga Taiao (environmental wellbeing)
- Mana motuhake (locally-led, economic wellbeing)