

**Local Group Assistant**

**Manawatū**

**Part-time role – 8 hours a month**

**Are you interested in self-advocacy for people with a learning (intellectual) disability?**

People First Manawatū is looking for an assistant to work alongside people with learning disability to:

* hold monthly meetings in Palmerston North
* perform the functions of a committee
* encourage learning about self-advocacy
* assist members to represent their peers in community forums
* promote the local group within the community.

****With your assistance, members will be able to:**

* gain self-determination
* advocate for themselves
* develop leadership skills
* get involved in their community
* be a contributing member of New Zealand society.

**For more information and to apply**

Contact Elizabeth Bennett, Central Region Coordinator: [elizabethbennett@peoplefirst.org.nz](mailto:elizabethbennett@peoplefirst.org.nz)

The job description is online at:   
[http://www.peoplefirst.org.nz under Join Us](https://www.peoplefirst.org.nz/join-us)

**Applications close:** Monday 15th May 2023