Retirement Age Policy

The People's Party New Zealand (PPNZ) is committed to honouring the contributions and dedication of New Zealanders by ensuring their retirement years are comfortable, fulfilling, and financially secure. Recognizing the value of a well-earned retirement, the PPNZ has developed a comprehensive policy to support pensioners and provide them with greater opportunities to enjoy their golden years.

Lowering the Retirement Age

- The PPNZ proposes **reducing the retirement age from 65 to 60 years**.
- This initiative aims to give individuals more time to relax, pursue personal goals, and spend quality time with their families after years of hard work.

Enhanced Financial Support for Pensioners

1. **Increased Pension Payments**
    - Pensioners will receive a **weekly top-up of $100.00** to provide additional financial support.
2. **Weekly Payment Schedule**
    - Pension payments will be made **weekly** instead of fortnightly to improve cash flow and enable better financial management.

Recognition of Lifelong Contributions

The PPNZ acknowledges that the **average human lifespan** is approximately 100 years. By lowering the retirement age, the party ensures that New Zealanders can enjoy their retirement to the fullest while they are still active and healthy, rewarding their efforts and dedication throughout their working lives.

Policy Objectives

This retirement age policy is designed to:

- Promote the **well-being and happiness** of all pensioners.
- Recognize and **reward the contributions** of hard-working New Zealanders.
- Provide financial security and **empower pensioners** to live fulfilling, stress-free lives during retirement.

With these measures, the People’s Party NZ demonstrates its unwavering commitment to ensuring a dignified and enjoyable retirement for every New Zealander.