

Plans for \$5m shop complex

A \$5 million supermarket complex has been planned for Westown, New Plymouth.

The proposed supermarket would be sited in Borrell Ave, not far from the Woolworths supermarket in Tukapa St, the joint managing director of Progressive Enterprises, Graeme Kelly, said. Progressive En-

terprises owned the Foodtown supermarket chain and the proposed supermarket would bear that label.

The Foodtown chain had entered an agreement to buy the Borrell Ave site Mr Kelly said. Plans for a 2780-square-metre supermarket, 1480 sq m of shops and 338 car parks were expected to go before

the New Plymouth City Council shortly, as part of a town planning application.

As the land available was larger than needed for a supermarket, additional shops could be added, Mr Kelly said. The proposal was part of a move by the company into the southern half of the North Island.