MCDA CRITERIA – RAA LANDSCAPE VALUES

Management	Pathway	Pathway Description			Landscape values	
Unit		Short term	Medium term	Long term	Score	Notes
Wharemauku)	1	Status Quo ¹ and Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴	Enhance existing protection structure ² , Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴ (Enhance)	Re-establish the line with a setback sea wall ⁹ (Retreat & Protect)		 In the short and medium terms, maintaining and reinforcing existing structures will continue to extend hard engineering structures within the context of existing modification. In the longer term, reinstating a coordinated seawall back from the present day shoreline will continue hard engineering within this modified coastal context. Limited existing or ongoing opportunities to restore natural character in context of ongoing modification.
9A: Raumati (North of Erosion Unit	2	Enhance existing protection structure ² , Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴ (Enhance)	Sea wall ¹² (Protect - Hard Engineering)	Re-establish the line with a setback sea wall ⁹ (Retreat & Protect)		 In the short term, reinforcing existing seawalls will continue to extend hard engineering influences within the context of existing modification. In the medium and longer terms, reinstating separate coordinated seawalls which are progressively setback from the present day shoreline will continue hard engineering within this modified coastal context. Limited existing or ongoing opportunities to restore natural character in context of ongoing modification.
	3	Enhance existing protection structure ² , Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴ (Enhance)	Re-establish the line with a setback sea wall ⁹ (Retreat & Protect)	Enhance Sea wall ¹² (Protect - Hard Engineering)		 In the short term, reinforcing existing seawalls will continue to extend hard engineering influences within the context of existing modification. In the medium and longer terms, reinstating and reinforcing a coordinated seawall will continue to modify the natural elements, patterns and process in this existing modified context. Limited existing or ongoing opportunities to restore natural character in context of ongoing and increasing modification.
Management Unit	4	Enhance existing protection structure ² , Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴ (Enhance)	Re-establish the line with a setback sea wall ⁹ & Dune reconstruction ¹¹ (Retreat & Protect)	Beach renourishment ¹⁰ (Protect - Soft Engineering)		 In the short term, reinforcing existing seawalls will continue to extend hard engineering influences within the context of existing modification. In the medium term, reinstating a coordinated seawall back from the present day shoreline will continue hard engineering within this modified coastal context. Restoring natural form and character of dunes would contribute to restoring natural character and combine nature based solutions alongside hard engineering forms in this modified coastal context. In the longer term, beach renourishment will introduce some ongoing modification alongside ability to maintain ongoing natural form of beach profile and dunes. Dunes and beach will occur in context of high levels of existing modification and appear more consistent with existing natural beach profile and form.

5	Sea wall ¹² (Protect - Hard Engineering)	Enhance sea wall ¹² (Protect - Hard Engineering)	Enhance sea wall ¹² (Protect - Hard Engineering)	 Establishing and reinforcing a coordinated seawall will continue hard engineering influences within the context of existing modification. Limited existing or ongoing opportunities to restore natural character in context of increasing modification.
6	Sea wall ¹² (Protect - Hard Engineering)	Re-establish the line with a setback sea wall ⁹ (Retreat & Protect)	Enhance sea wall ¹² (Protect - Hard Engineering)	 In the short term, establishing a new or replacement seawall will continue hard engineering within this modified coastal context. In the medium and longer terms, reinstating and reinforcing a coordinated seawall will continue within the context of existing modification. Limited opportunity to restore natural character in context of increasing modification.

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1	Status Quo ¹ (Current new seawall as outlined in LTP) and Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴	Enhance existing protection structure ² , Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴ (Enhance)	Sea wall ¹² (Protect - Hard Engineering)	 Establishing and reinforcing hard engineering will continue within the context of existing modification. Very limited ongoing opportunity to restore natural character in context of increasing modification.
2	Status Quo ¹ (Current new seawall as outlined in LTP) and Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴	Enhance existing protection structure ² , Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴ (Enhance)	Re-establish the line with a setback sea wall ⁹ & Dune reconstruction ¹¹ (Retreat & Protect)	 In the short and medium terms, maintaining and reinforcing a new seawall will continue a hard engineering structure within the context of an existing modified coastal environment. In the longer term, setting the wall back and enabling space for dune recreation provides some potential to reintroduce natural elements, patterns and process in this exiting modified context. Restoring natural form and character of dunes would contribute to restoring natural character and combine nature based solutions alongside hard engineering forms in this modified coastal context.
3	Status Quo ¹ (Current new seawall as outlined in LTP) and Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴	Sea wall ¹² (Protect - Hard Engineering)	Enhance sea wall ¹² (Protect - Hard Engineering)	Establishing and reinforcing hard engineering will continue within the context of existing modification. Very limited ongoing opportunity to restore natural character in context of increasing modification.
4	Status Quo ¹ (Current new seawall as outlined in LTP) and Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴	Re-establish the line with a setback sea wall ⁹ (Retreat & Protect)	Enhance sea wall ¹² (Protect - Hard Engineering)	 In the short term, establishing a new seawall will continue hard engineering within this modified coastal context. In the medium and longer term, setting sea wall back offers limited ongoing opportunity to restore natural character in context of increasing modification.
5	Status Quo ¹ (Current new seawall as outlined in LTP) and Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴	Re-establish the line with a setback sea wall ⁹ & Dune reconstruction ¹¹ (Retreat & Protect)	Beach renourishment ¹⁰ (Protect - Soft Engineering)	 In the short term, reinforcing existing seawalls will continue to extend hard engineering influences within the context of existing modification. In the medium and longer terms, reinstating a coordinated seawall back from the present day shoreline will continue hard engineering within this modified coastal context. Restoring natural form and character of dunes would contribute to restoring natural character and combine nature based solutions alongside hard engineering forms in this modified coastal context. In the longer term, beach renourishment will provide some ongoing modification alongside ability to maintain ongoing natural form of beach profile and dunes Dunes and beach will occur in context of high levels of existing modification and appear more consistent with existing natural beach profile and form.
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Raumati AA Inundation Unit	1	Status Quo ¹ and Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴	Enhance Existing Inundation Protection ³ and Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴ (Enhance)	Additional Hard Protection (e.g. Stopbanks ¹³ , Culverts ¹⁴ , Pumpstations ¹⁵) (Protect)	 Existing and ongoing hard engineering structures occur within the context of existing modification. In the longer term additional hard protection will increase the extent of modification evident in affected areas. 	
	2	Status Quo ¹ and Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴	Enhance Existing Inundation Protection ³ and Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴ (Enhance)	Flood proofing buildings and infrastructure ⁵ and/or Elevate floor levels of buildings ⁷ (Accommodate)	 Existing and ongoing hard engineering structures occur within the context of existing modification. In the longer term, adapting built form will have more limited impacts on natural elements, patterns and processes which may continue to operate. 	
Management Unit 9B: Rau	3	Status Quo ¹ and Community Education and Emergency Management ⁴	Additional Hard Protection (e.g. Stopbanks ¹³ , Culverts ¹⁴ , Pumpstations ¹⁵) (Protect)	Enhance New Inundation Protection ³ (Enhance)	Existing and ongoing hard engineering structures occur within the context of existing modification. In the medium and longer term additional hard protection will increase the extent of modification evident in affected areas.	

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