

# Long-term Plan 2024–34



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## Submission

### Is there anything else you'd like to tell us about this LTP?

The Kawakahia Community Group's submission focusses on the related topics of Stormwater Management and Flood Protection - and specifically in support of the Long Term Plan's title - "Building a Resilient Future for Kapiti" ... and the positive contribution to that goal, which will result from a proactive approach being taken to flood protection and stormwater management.

However, while we fully support that strategy, our experience in the severe 2021/2022 major flooding event in Peka Peka, highlighted the need for KCDC (and GWRC) to lift their respective games in terms of dealing with each other and responding to the community, set against the backdrop of policy and legislation in that area, plus the sometimes vying needs of the community, Iwi, and others.

This is a complex matter, so please refer to the attached PDF document, which catalogues the background to our flood journey, and the interactions with both Councils. We also reference the importance of Groundwater to the coastal hazards landscape.

The attached document forms the basis of our submission.

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