

# Long-term Plan 2024–34



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## Personal information

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I'm providing a submission (choose one): as an individual

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## Submission

**Proposal 1: Three waters funding**  
Which option should we choose? (select one option)

Option 2: Fund \$4.7 million shortfall by taking on debt each year.

**Would you like to expand on your answer for option 2?**

Please record this message regarding proposed rate increases.

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**Proposal 2: Proactively reduce Council's debt**  
Which option should we choose? (select one option)

Option 3: Apply average rates increases of 6% per year from 2025/26 to 2033/34

**Would you like to expand on your answer for option 3?**

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**Proposal 3: Transfer Council's housing for older people  
Which option should we choose? (select one option)**

Option 3: Older persons' housing continues to be delivered by Council with no option to grow the portfolio

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**New climate action rate  
Which option should we choose? (select one option)**

Option 2: Make no change to how we allocate funding our climate change activities

**Would you like to expand on your answer for option 2?**

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