

Submission form for Draft Stormwater Strategy



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Hearing

The Council will hear submissions at a public meeting on 19 August 2026.

Do you want to speak to Council in support of your submission?	No
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Challenges we are facing

Stormwater flooding risk	Yes, I agree.
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Affordability - costs of managing stormwater	Yes, I agree.
Changes to natural water processes	Yes, I agree.
Diminished mauri (life force)	Yes, I agree.
Future stormwater impacts from climate change	Yes, I agree.
Reform of legislation that relates to stormwater	Not sure.
Thinking beyond our city, work and private property boundaries	Yes, I agree.

Priority actions

Investing in stormwater technical capability & capacity	Yes, I agree.
Using the tools we already have	Yes, I agree.
Increasing our understanding of stormwater	Yes, I agree.
Investigating future stormwater management options	Yes, I agree.
Which priorities matter most to you?	Using the tools we already have Investigating future stormwater management options
Is there anything else that you would like to tell us?	The membership of ENM agrees with the main thrust of the document. In particular the emphasis on partnership with Mana Whenua and a holistic approach informed by Mātauranga Māori. The specific focus on Whānau ora is welcome, as the wellbeing of local families must be at the core of all decisions relating to stormwater. The draft strategy allows for a diverse range of interventions that would improve the state of native biodiversity in the city. For these reasons, ENM supports the main aims and interventions detailed within the draft document.

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