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CSG18: Karapiro – 14 October 2015

Community Engagement Session

1. Subgroup for community engagement report back
2. Questions developed so far
3. Further questions on policy
4. Volunteers to present at the open stakeholder workshop



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Subgroup for community engagement

- Subgroup met on 7 October and went over draft questions from CSG17
- Provided feedback and questions were refined as a result
- Next subgroup meeting is scheduled for Monday 19 October 11am-1pm to refine the questions developed at CSG18



Draft questions

- The questions shown at CSG17 were worked on by the subgroup, staff and engagement experts
- The redrafted questions include both questions that can be easily turned around and ‘free text fields’ for more in depth responses
- The handout contains all the questions drafted so far



Draft questions – feedback in small groups

- Are you comfortable with the questions as they are currently written [+ the policy questions we have just identified]? Are there any key questions that are of higher priority?
- What information would the open stakeholder workshop participants need in order to answer these questions?



Community workshops – what to focus on

Plan 6.30pm-8.30pm

- First 20-30 minutes as background, catch up
- Talking / presentation based on the following:
 - The pace of change (limits and targets),
 - Who pays and why
 - Suite of policies that the CSG are considering
 - What would it take for people to be reassured that change would happen?
- Questions at tables – people move between tables
- Subset of questions (compared with the 27/10 meeting)



Volunteers to present on 27 October

- Presentation sessions:
 - Catch up briefing for those new to the project (35 mins)
 - Scenarios we explored (20 mins) – Phil J?
 - Limits and targets (30 mins) – Phil J?
 - Policy mix presentation (15 mins)
 - First key policy area (15 mins)
 - Second key policy area (25 mins)
 - Next steps (10 mins)



Mandate to sign off on questions

- Subgroup?
- Backstop – Bill?



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Likert scale type questions

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements:

Strongly disagree, somewhat disagree, somewhat agree, strongly agree

1. The amount of cost a sector or community has to pay should be proportional to their share of the issues and be based on scientific information
2. Those who benefit from clean rivers and lakes should contribute to the cost of cleaning them up
3. Mitigating *E.coli* and Sediment: Subcatchments in which you can get the most 'bang for buck' should be prioritised
4. Mitigating nitrogen and phosphorus: We should prioritise 'upper' catchments before 'lower' catchments



Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

October 2015

				1	2	3
				CSG17		
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
				TLG	HRWO agenda	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
		CSG18		HRWO committee		
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Final resource development for engagement following CSG18 decisions						
			CW - Tokoroa	CW - Tuakau		
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Public Holiday		Engagement				
		Open Workshop	TRH	Local Govt / Water Supply sector		
				Council		

Notes:

**Move CSG 18 from 22/23 Oct to 13/14 Oct.
Have complete results for round 2 – including IA on 1/2 October.**

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November 2015

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Engagement					
	TLG			CW - Hamilton	HRWO agenda	
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		CW - Oto	Engagement			
	Focus session 2	Energy/Industry sector			HRWO committee	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	Turning around engagement feedback for next CSG					
	Agenda out	Rural profs sector				
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Verbal report on engagement					
	CSG19				HRWO agenda	
29	30	Notes:			Community engagement <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Online survey live from 26 Oct – 13 November 2. Open Workshop on 27 October at Mystery Creek 3. 3 week period for sector meetings 4. 3 week period for 4 community workshops 	

Dates for engagement

- All community workshops will run from 6.30pm-8.30pm
- Online survey open 27 Oct - 13 Nov
- Sector meetings over the 27 Oct – 13 Nov period

When	What / Where
27 October (Tuesday)	Open workshop at Mystery Creek
28 October (Wednesday)	Tokoroa, community workshop Tokoroa Events Centre 25 Mossop Rd
29 October (Thursday)	Tuakau, community workshop Tuakau Memorial Hall George St
5 November (Thursday)	Hamilton, community workshop Hamilton Gardens Pavilion
10 November (Tuesday)	Otorohanga, community workshop Otorohanga Club 107 Maniapoto St



Update – materials for engagement

- Project booklet
- Presentation for 27/10 and workshops
- Information sheets
 - Economic modelling
 - Integrated assessment
 - Matauranga Maori
 - Values and uses
 - MCI (macro invertebrate community index)
 - Freshwater Management Units (FMUs)
 - Policy Selection Criteria
 - Water quality (state and trends etc)
 - E.coli
- Your Waikato - out next week – front & back pages



Open Stakeholder Workshop plan

1. Project overview and matters covered to date presentation
2. Overview – includes ‘CSGs long term vision’
3. Scenarios we explored – description of the scenario modelling and IAF + description of the scenarios
4. Discussion at tables (no feedback)
5. Limits and targets – results of the scenarios, implications for potential limits and targets
6. Feedback on limits and targets
6. Lunch
7. Policy mix – overview of key policies
8. 1st key policy area presentation
9. Feedback on 1st key policy area
10. 2nd key policy area presentation
11. Feedback on 2nd key policy area
12. Reflection
13. Next steps and closing

Key considerations – sector/community engagement

- *What matters do you want feedback on – in order to provide input into your recommendations to project partners?*
- *What options/decisions do you want to get confidence in - by knowing whether the community either likes or doesn't like your option/decision?*



Engaging about policy options

- When thinking about what policy options to get feedback on from the public we must not only consider the key questions above but also ...
- **What is realistic to achieve in the time remaining?**
- So this prompts the question ...
- **Where is it best to focus our efforts?**



Integrated assessment – round 1

- *What matters do you want feedback on – in order to provide input into your recommendations to project partners?*
- *What options/decisions do you want to get confidence in - by knowing whether the community either likes or doesn't like your option/decision?*



Purpose

Open stakeholder workshop: water quality policies and solutions

Everyone is invited to attend this workshop, but places are limited and registration is essential.

The Collaborative Stakeholder Group, that represents you in the development of policy to protect our water, hopes to see you at this workshop, where you can:

- find out what's happening in Healthy Rivers: Plan for change/Wai Ora: He Rautaki Whakapaipai
- Get involved in discussions with the Collaborative Stakeholder Group and give them your thoughts, which they'll use in finalising their recommended solutions

Discussions will be on:

- Their long term vision for the Waikato and Waipa river catchments (restoring and protecting the water quality in the rivers, to achieve the community's values and the Vision and Strategy for the Waikato River
- Their thinking on limiting nitrogen, phosphorus, E.coli and sediment entering water, to achieve community values
- What timeframes (or 'targets') could look like for achieving the limits under different water quality scenarios
- Potential economic, social, environmental and cultural impacts under a range of water quality scenarios
- Policy options (regulatory and non-regulatory) being explored for achieving limits and targets



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