## Orari Temuka Opihi Pareora Water Zone Committee ZIP Addendum

Goals, pathways and outcomes

## **GOALS**

Flood protection and river care

Safe drinking water

Provide more places to enjoy our waterways

Protect mahinga kai and cultural sites

Protect our native plants and waterway life

A reliable source of water contributes to our economy

## **PATHWAYS (RECOMMENDATIONS)**

Work together to clear vegetation and plant native species

Preserve natural direction and character of waterways unless flood protection is required

Ensure water abstraction isn't at the expense of environmental flows

Councils work together to protect drinking water supplies

Councils work together to protect upper catchments

Cap nutrient discharges at their current limit

Increase river flows to flush out algae

FEPs to consider biodiversity values

FEPs to consider mahinga kai values

Improve water quality so species can thrive

Ensure council rules and actions recognise and protect cultural sites

Encourage on-farm storage

Bring water in from outside of the zone in consultation with rununga

Prioritise the use of water from outside the zone ahead of surface and ground water

## WHAT IT WILL LOOK LIKE

- Waterways maintain their natural character
- The community is protected from floods
- The community has safe, reliable drinking water
- Freshwater quality standard met within 5 years
- The community has more places to enjoy swimming, fishing, boating, and food gathering
- Mahinga kai can be safely gathered from more places
- Cultural sites are recognised and preserved for future generations to enjoy
- A biodiversity corridor from the mountains to the sea is available for everyone to enjoy
- Native species are thriving in and alongside local waterways
- Irrigators have a reliable supply of water to help economic growth
- Irrigators are using water brought in from outside of the zone ahead of ground and surface water











