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## **Wellington Metropolitan Emergency Water Supply Planning Group - Progress to Date**

### **1. Purpose**

To provide information on the establishment and the preliminary findings of the Wellington Metropolitan Emergency Water Supply Planning Group.

### **2. Introduction**

The group has worked together very co-operatively to produce a substantive draft strategy for the planning and physical work necessary to minimise the impact of a major earthquake on the water supply systems.

When the strategy document is complete, the intention is that appropriate parts will be incorporated in the asset management and emergency response plans of each of the authorities, so that the progress that has been made over the last decade can continue.

The investigations have again highlighted the need for self-reliance and that the message of "more stored water for longer" for households and workplaces must be emphasised.

### **3. Attachment 1**

Attachment 1 is a report that has been prepared by Mr Dave Brunson, the Consultant engaged to co-ordinate this project.

The report has been circulated to members of the group, who have indicated that they are in agreement with the contents of the report.

**4. Recommendation**

*That the report be received and the information noted.*

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Attachment 1

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