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Water demand management

1. Purpose

To advise the Committee of Greater Wellington Water's demand management initiatives.

2. Background

It is usual to advise the Committee each year of proposed water conservation strategies for the following summer. The timing of this advice has varied depending on the length of time to implement the strategies.

This year, a background report has been prepared to be followed by a further paper in about three months.

3. Water demand management

Attachment 1 reviews Greater Wellington Water's demand management initiatives and provides a context for the level and content of those activities. It traces the history of demand management in Wellington over the last 10 years or so, and then indicates what may be appropriate for the future.

4. Communications

There is no communication opportunity arising from the paper.

5. Recommendation

*That the Committee **receive** the report and **note** its contents.*

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Attachment 1: Greater Wellington Water's Demand Management Initiatives