


Table 1A: Climate change objectives and titles of policies and methods to achieve the objectives

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<p>Objective CC.1 </p> <p>By 2050, the Wellington Region is a low-emission and climate-resilient region, where <i>climate change mitigation and adaptation</i> are an integral part of:</p> <p>(a) <u>sustainable air, land, freshwater, and coastal management,</u></p> <p>(b) <u>well-functioning urban environments and rural areas, and</u></p> <p>(c) <u>well-planned infrastructure.</u></p>	All CC policies and methods apply to this objective.					
	<i>The following policies are overarching or specifically relate to climate-resilience:</i>					
		Policy CC.4: Climate-responsive resilient development urban areas – district and regional plans		Method 1: District plan implementation	City and district councils	
				Method UD.2: Future Development Strategy	Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils	
		Policy CC.4A: Climate-responsive resilient development – regional plans		Method UD.1: Development manuals and design guides	Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils	
		Policy CC.14: Climate-responsive resilient development urban areas – district and city council consideration		Method 4: Resource consents, notices of requirement and when changing, varying or reviewing plans	Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils	
				Method 2: Regional plan implementation	Wellington Regional Council	
		Policy CC.14A: Climate-responsive resilient development – regional council consideration		Also see – and consider –		
	Policy IM.2 Equity and inclusiveness – consideration					
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	<u>Policy IM.1: Integrated management - ki uta ki tai – consideration</u>		<u>Method IM.1: Integrated management - ki uta ki tai</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method IM.2: Protection and interpretation of Mātauranga Māori and Māori data</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Method 37: Involve tangata whenua in resource management decision making</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council and city and district councils</u>	
			<u>Also see – and consider –</u>		
	<u>Policy 55: Providing for appropriate urban expansion Maintaining a compact, well designed and sustainable regional form – consideration</u>		<u>Method 1: District plan implementation</u>	<u>City and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method 4: Resource consents, notices of requirement and when changing, varying or reviewing plans</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method UD.2: Future Development Strategy</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils</u>	
			<u>Also see – and consider –</u>		
	<u>Policy 56: Managing development in rural areas – consideration</u>		<u>Method 1: District plan implementation</u>	<u>City and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method 4: Resource consents, notices of requirement and when changing, varying or reviewing plans</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method UD.2: Future Development Strategy</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils</u>	

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			<u>Also see –</u>		
			<u>and consider –</u>		
	<u>Policy 57: Integrating land use and transportation – consideration</u>		<u>Method 1: District plan implementation</u>	<u>City and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method 4: Resource consents, notices of requirement and when changing, varying or reviewing plans</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council and city and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method UD.2: Future Development Strategy</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils</u>	
			<u>Also see –</u> <u>and consider –</u>		
	<u>Policy FW.8: Land use adaptation – non-regulatory</u>		<u>Method 14: Information about on natural hazards and climate change</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council* and city and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method 22: Integrated hazard risk management and climate change adaptation planning</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council* and city and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method CC.8: Programme to support low- emissions and climate-resilient agriculture-non-regulatory methods</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Method 48: Water allocation policy review</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Also see –</u> <u>and consider –</u>		

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<p>Objective CC.2</p> <p>The costs and benefits of transitioning to a low-emission and climate-resilient region are shared fairly to achieve social, cultural, and economic well-being across our communities.</p>	<u>All CC policies and methods apply to this objective.</u>				
	<u>Policy EIW.1: Promoting affordable high quality active mode and public transport services – Regional Land Transport Plan</u>		<u>Method CC.1: Climate change education and behaviour change programme</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Method CC.10: Establish incentives to shift to active low and zero-carbon multi modal transport and public transport</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
	<u>Also see –</u> <u>and consider –</u>				
	<u>Policy IM.2: Equity and inclusiveness – consideration</u>				
		<u>Also see –</u> <u>and consider –</u>			
	<u>Policy CC.16: Climate change adaptation strategies, plans and implementation programmes – non-regulatory</u>		<u>Method UD.2: Future Development Strategy</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council and city and district councils</u>	
		<u>Also see –</u> <u>and consider –</u>			
	<u>Policy CC.17: Iwi climate change adaptation plans – non-regulatory</u>				
		<u>Also see –</u> <u>and consider –</u>			

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<p>Objective CC.3 To support the global goal of limiting warming to 1.5 degrees Celsius, net greenhouse gas emissions from transport, agriculture, stationary energy, waste, and industry in the Wellington Region are reduced:</p> <p>(a) By 2030, to contribute to a 50 percent reduction in net greenhouse gas emissions from 2019 levels, including a:</p> <p>(i) 35 percent reduction from 2018 levels in land transport-generated greenhouse gas emissions, and</p> <p>(ii) 40 percent increase in active travel and public transport mode share from 2018 levels, and</p> <p>(iii) 60 percent reduction in public transport</p>	<p>Policy CC.1: Reducing greenhouse gas emissions associated with transport demand and infrastructure – district and regional plans</p>		<p>Method CC.2: Develop carbon emissions offsetting guidance</p>	<p>Wellington Regional Council</p>		
			<p>Method CC.7: Advocating for the use of transport pricing tools</p>	<p>Wellington Regional Council</p>		
			<p>Method CC.10: Establish incentives to shift to active low and zero-carbon multi modal transport and public transport</p>	<p>Wellington Regional Council</p>		
			<p>Also see – and consider –</p>			
				<p>Method CC.3: Travel choice assessment demand management plans</p>	<p>Wellington Regional Council</p>	
		<p>Policy CC.2: Travel choice assessment demand management plans – district plans</p> <p>Policy CC.2A: Travel choice assessment local thresholds – district plans</p>		<p>Also see – and consider –</p>		
		<p>Policy CC.3: Enabling a shift to low and zero-carbon emission transport – district plans</p>		<p>Method CC.1: Climate change education and behaviour change programme</p>	<p>Wellington Regional Council</p>	
				<p>Method CC.10: Establish incentives to shift to active low and zero-carbon multi modal transport and public transport - non regulatory method</p>	<p>Wellington Regional Council</p>	
			<p>Also see – and consider –</p>			


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(b) <u>By 2050, to achieve net-zero emissions.</u>	<u>Policy 2: Reducing adverse effects of the discharge of odour, smoke, dust, and fine particulate matter, and reducing greenhouse gas emissions – regional plans</u>		<u>Method 2: Regional plan implementation</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Method 6: Information about reducing air pollution</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council and city and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method 26: Prepare airshed action plans</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Method 31: Protocols for management of earthworks and air quality between local authorities</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council and city and district councils</u>	
		<u>Also see –</u> <u>and consider –</u>			
	<u>Policy 11: Promoting and enabling energy efficient design and small scale renewable energy generation – district plans</u>		<u>Method 1: District plan implementation</u>	<u>City and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method 10: Information about energy efficient subdivision, design and building development</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council* and city and district councils</u>	
		<u>Also see –</u> <u>and consider –</u>			

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	<u>Policy 7: Recognising the benefits from renewable energy and regionally significant infrastructure – regional and district plans</u>		<u>Method 1: District plan implementation</u>	<u>City and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method 2: Regional plan implementation</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Also see – and consider –</u>		
	<u>Policy 9: Promoting greenhouse gas emission reduction and uptake of low emission fuels – Regional Land Transport Plan Strategy Reducing the use and consumption of non-renewable transport fuels, and carbon dioxide emissions from transportation</u>		<u>Method 3: Wellington Regional Land Transport Plan Strategy implementation</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Method CC.1: Climate change education and behaviour change programme</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Also see – and consider –</u>		
	<u>Policy 39: Recognising the benefits from renewable energy and regionally significant infrastructure – consideration</u>		<u>Method 4: Resource consents, notices of requirement and when changing, varying or reviewing plans</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council and city and district councils</u>	
			<u>Also see – and consider –</u>		
	<u>Policy 57: Integrating land use and transportation – consideration</u>		<u>Method 1: District plan implementation</u>	<u>City and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method 4: Resource consents, notices of requirement and when changing, varying or reviewing plans</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils</u>	


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			<u>Also see – and consider –</u>		
	<u>Policy CC.9: Reducing greenhouse gas emissions associated with subdivision, use or development transport infrastructure – consideration</u>		<u>Method CC.1: Climate change education and behaviour change programme</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Method CC.2: Develop carbon emissions offsetting guidance</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Method CC.7: Advocating for the use of transport pricing tools – non regulatory method</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Method CC.10: Establish incentives to shift to active low and zero-carbon multi modal transport and public transport - non regulatory method</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Method CC.3: Travel choice assessment demand management plans</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Also see – and consider –</u>		
	<u>Policy CC.10: Freight movement efficiency and minimising greenhouse gas emissions – consideration</u>				
	<u>Policy CC.11: Encouraging whole of life carbon emissions assessment for transport infrastructure – consideration</u>		<u>Method CC.3A: Whole of life carbon emissions assessment</u>		
			<u>Also see – and consider –</u>		

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	<u>Policy CC.8: Prioritising greenhouse gas reduction over offsetting – district and regional plans</u>		<u>Method CC.2: Develop carbon emissions offsetting guidance</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
	<u>Policy CC.5: Avoiding increases in agricultural greenhouse gas emissions– regional plan</u>		<u>Method CC.8: Programme to support low-emissions and climate-resilient agriculture</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Method CC.5: Review regional response to reducing agricultural greenhouse gas emissions</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Also see – and consider –</u>		
	<u>Policy CC.13: Managing agricultural gross greenhouse gas emissions – consideration</u>		<u>Method CC.8: Programme to support low-emissions and climate-resilient agriculture</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Method CC.5: Review regional response to reducing agricultural greenhouse gas emissions</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
	<u>Policy 65: Supporting and encouraging Promoting efficient use and conservation of resources – non-regulatory</u>		<u>Method 10: Information about energy efficient subdivision, design and building development</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council* and city and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method 11: Information about water conservation and efficient use</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council and city and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method 17: Promote and assist actions on waste management Information about waste management</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council, iwi authorities, city and district councils.</u>	

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			<u>Method 34: Prepare a regional water supply strategy</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council* and city and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method 48: Water allocation policy review</u> Investigate the use of transferable water permits	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Also see –</u> <u>and consider –</u>		
	<u>Policy EIW.1: Promoting affordable high quality active mode and public transport services – Regional Land Transport Plan</u>		<u>Method CC.1: Climate change education and behaviour change programme</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
		<u>Method CC.10: Establish incentives to shift to active low and zero-carbon multi modal transport and public transport - non regulatory method</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>		
		<u>Also see –</u> <u>and consider –</u>			
	<u>Policy 33: Supporting well-functioning urban environments and a reduction in transport related greenhouse gas emissions – Regional Land Transport Plan</u>		<u>Method 3: Wellington Regional Land Transport Plan Strategy implementation</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
		<u>Method UD.1: Development manuals and design guides</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils</u>		
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	<p><u>Policy CC.7: Protecting, restoring, and enhancing and sustainably managing ecosystems and habitats that provide nature-based solutions to climate change – district and regional plans non-regulatory</u></p>		<p><u>Method CC.6: Identifying nature-based solutions for climate change</u></p> <p><u>Method CC.9: Support and funding for protecting, enhancing, and restoring indigenous ecosystems and nature-based solutions</u></p>		
	<p><u>Policy CC.6: Increasing regional forest cover and avoiding plantation forestry on highly erodible land – regional plans</u></p> <p><u>Policy CC.18: Increasing regional forest cover to support climate change mitigation: “right tree-right place” – non-regulatory</u></p>		<p><u>Method CC.4: Prepare a regional forest spatial plan</u></p>		
<p>Objective CC.4  FW</p> <p><i>Nature-based solutions are an integral part of climate change mitigation and climate change adaptation, improving the health, well-being and resilience of people, biodiversity, and the natural and physical resources environment.</i></p>	<p><u>Policy CC.15: Improve rural resilience to climate change – non-regulatory</u></p>		<p><u>Method CC.8: Programme to support low-emissions and climate-resilient agriculture-non-regulatory methods</u></p>	<p><u>Wellington Regional Council</u></p>	
	<p><u>Policy CC.6: Increasing regional forest cover and avoiding plantation forestry on highly erodible land – regional plans</u></p>		<p><u>Method CC.4: Prepare a regional forest spatial plan</u></p>	<p><u>Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils</u></p>	
			<p>Also see –</p> <p>and consider –</p>		

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	<u>Policy CC.7: Protecting, restoring and enhancing and sustainably managing ecosystems that provide nature-based solutions to climate change –district and regional plansnon-regulatory</u>		<u>Method CC.6: Identifying nature-based solutions for climate change</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Method CC.9: Support and funding for protecting, enhancing, and restoring indigenous ecosystems and nature-based solutions</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Also see – and consider –</u>		
	<u>Policy CC.12: Protect, enhance and restore ecosystems that provide nature-based solutions to climate change – consideration</u>		<u>Method CC.9: Support and funding for protecting, enhancing, and restoring indigenous ecosystems and nature-based solutions</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			<u>Also see – and consider –</u>		
	<u>Policy CC.4: Climate-responsive resilient development urban areas – district and regional plans</u> <u>Policy CC.4A: Climate-responsive resilient development – regional plans</u> <u>Policy CC.14: Climate-responsive resilient development urban areas – district and city council consideration</u>		<u>Method 1: District plan implementation</u>	<u>City and district councils</u>	
<u>Method 2: Regional plan implementation</u>			<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>		
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	Policy CC.14A: Climate-responsive resilient development – regional council consideration				
Objective CC.5  By 2030, there is an increase in the area and health of permanent forest, preferably indigenous forest, in the Wellington Region, maximising benefits for carbon sequestration, indigenous biodiversity, land stability, water quality, and social, cultural and economic well-being.	Policy CC.6: Increasing regional forest cover – regional plans		Method CC.4: Prepare a regional forest spatial plan	Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils	
	Policy CC.18: Increasing regional forest cover to support climate change mitigation: “right tree-right place” – non-regulatory		Also see – and consider –		
Objective CC.6 Resource management and adaptation planning increase the resilience of communities, infrastructure and the natural environment to the short, medium, and long-term effects of climate change.	Policy FW.5: Water supply planning for climate change and urban development – consideration		Method 34: Prepare a regional water supply strategy	Wellington Regional Council* and city and district councils	
	Policy 29: Avoiding inappropriate Managing subdivision, use and development in areas at risk from natural hazards – district and regional plans		Method 22: Integrated hazard risk management and climate change adaptation planning	Wellington Regional Council* and city and district councils	
			Also see – and consider –		
	Policy 51: Avoiding or Minimising the risks and		Method 14: Information about natural hazard and climate change effects	Wellington Regional Council* and city and district councils	

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	<u>consequences of natural hazards - consideration</u>		<u>Method 22: Integrated hazard risk management and climate change adaptation planning</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council* and city and district councils</u>	
			Also see – and consider –		
	<u>Policy 52: Avoiding or Minimising adverse effects of hazard mitigation measures – consideration</u>		<u>Method 14: Information about natural hazard and climate change effects</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council* and city and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method 22: Integrated hazard risk management and climate change adaptation planning</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council* and city and district councils</u>	
			Also see – and consider –		
	<u>Policy CC.15: Improve rural resilience to climate change – non-regulatory</u>				
			Also see – and consider –		
	<u>Policy CC.4: Climate-responsive resilient development urban areas – district and regional plans</u>		<u>Method 1: District plan implementation</u>	<u>City and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method UD1: Development manuals and design guides</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils</u>	
	<u>Policy CC.4A: Climate-responsive resilient development – regional plans</u>		Also see – and consider –		
	<u>Policy CC.14: Climate-responsive resilient development urban areas – district and city council consideration</u>		<u>Method 1: District plan implementation</u>	<u>City and district councils</u>	
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	Policy CC.14A: Climate-responsive resilient development – regional council consideration				
	Policy CC.16: Climate change adaptation strategies, plans and implementation programmes – non regulatory		Method UD.2: Future Development Strategy	Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils	
			Also see – and consider –		
	Policy CC.7: Protecting, restoring, and enhancing and sustainably managing ecosystems and habitats that provide nature-based solutions to climate change – district and regional plans non-regulatory		Method CC.6: Identifying nature-based solutions for climate change	Wellington Regional Council	
			Method CC.9: Support and funding for protecting, enhancing, and restoring indigenous ecosystems and nature-based solutions	Wellington Regional Council	
	Policy CC.17: Iwi climate change adaptation plans – non- regulatory		Also see – and consider –		
	Policy 55: Providing for appropriate urban expansion Maintaining a compact, well designed and sustainable regional form – consideration		Method 1: District plan implementation	City and district councils	
			Method 4: Resource consents, notices of requirement and when changing, varying or reviewing plans	Wellington Regional Council and city and district councils	
			Method UD.2: Future Development Strategy	Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils	
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<p>Objective CC.7 <u>People and businesses understand what the current and predicted future effects of climate change, and how these may impact them, means for their future how to respond to the challenges of climate change, and are actively involved in planning and implementing appropriate mitigation and adaptation responses.</u></p>	<p><u>Policy CC.16: Climate change adaptation strategies, plans and implementation programmes – non regulatory</u></p>		<p><u>Method CC.1: Climate change education and behaviour change programme</u></p>	<p><u>Wellington Regional Council</u></p>		
			<p><u>Method CC.8: Programme to support low-emissions and climate-resilient agriculture</u></p>	<p><u>Wellington Regional Council</u></p>		
				<p><u>Also see –</u> <u>and consider –</u></p>		
	<p><u>Policy CC.15: Improve rural resilience to climate change – non-regulatory</u></p>			<p><u>Method CC.1: Climate change education and behaviour change programme</u></p>	<p><u>Wellington Regional Council</u></p>	
				<p><u>Also see –</u> <u>and consider –</u></p>		
<p><u>Policy CC.17: Iwi climate change adaptation plans – non-regulatory</u></p>			<p><u>Also see –</u> <u>and consider –</u></p>			
<p>Objective CC.8 <u>Iwi and hapu Mana whenua/tangata whenua are empowered to make decisions to achieve climate-resilience in their communities.</u></p>	<p><u>Policy CC.16: Climate change adaptation strategies, plans and implementation programmes – non regulatory</u></p>		<p><u>Method CC.1: Climate change education and behaviour change programme</u></p>	<p><u>Wellington Regional Council</u></p>		
			<p><u>Method CC.8: Programme to support low-emissions and climate-resilient agriculture</u></p>	<p><u>Wellington Regional Council</u></p>		
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	<u>Policy IM.1: Integrated management - ki uta ki tai – consideration</u>		<u>Method IM.1: Integrated management - ki uta ki tai</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council, city and district councils</u>	
			<u>Method IM.2 Protection and interpretation of Mātauranga Māori and Māori data</u>	<u>Wellington Regional Council</u>	
			Also see – and consider –		
	<u>Policy IM.2: Equity and inclusiveness – consideration</u>				
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