East Pukio & Okawa Drainage Schemes

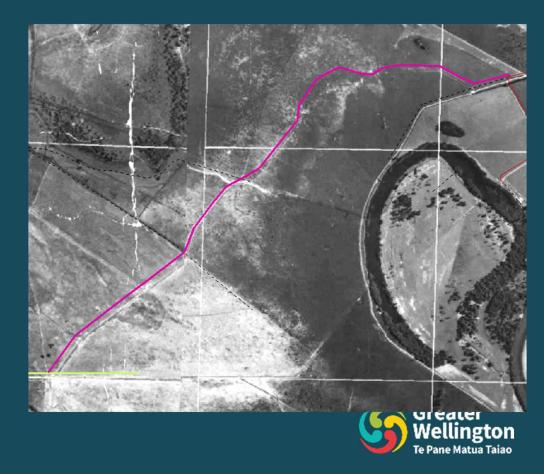


Purpose of meeting

- Summary of scheme
- Works completed in last few years and financial statement
- Introduce the review of the scheme
 - Scheme extent
 - Maintenance work plans
 - Funding
 - Scheme members input into management of the scheme
- Next steps

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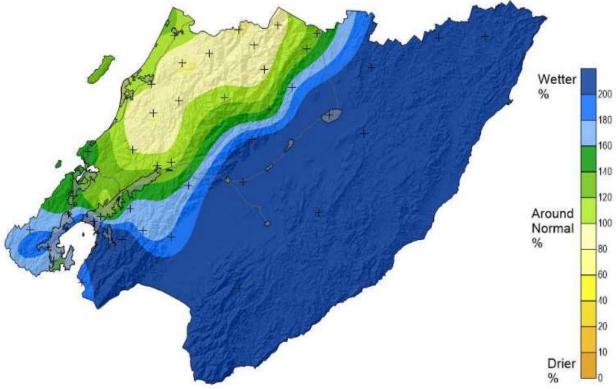




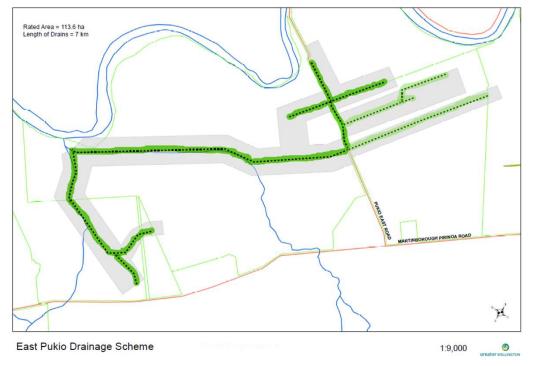
A wet Summer!



90 Day Rainfall Anomaly (%) as at 23-02-2023



Spray maps





Financial statements

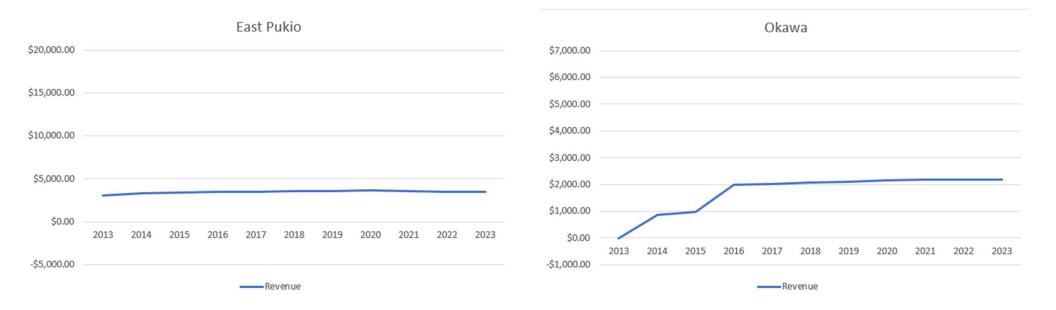
Greater Wellington Regional Council				Greater Wellington Regional Council			
Flood Protection Department				Flood Protection Department			
East Pukio Drainage Scheme				Okawa Drainage Scheme			
Financial Statement August 2023				Financial Statement August 2023			
ITEM	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	ITEM	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	ACTUAL
	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23		2020/21	2021/22	2022/23
REVENUE				REVENUE			
Special Rates	\$3,245	\$3,310	\$3,376	Special Rates	\$2,036	\$2,077	\$2,118
District Councils	\$0	\$0	\$0	District Councils	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	Other Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0
Interest on Reserves	\$327	\$160	\$92	Interest on Reserves	\$137	\$98	\$59
TOTAL REVENUE	\$3,572	\$3,470	\$3,468	TOTAL REVENUE	\$2,173	\$2,175	\$2,177
EXPENDITURE				EXPENDITURE			
Works	\$9,965	\$5,089	\$12,518	Works	\$886	\$2,858	\$0
Overheads	\$589	\$706	\$625	Overheads	\$370	\$514	\$464
TOTAL EXPENDITURE:	\$10,555	\$5,794	\$13,143	TOTAL EXPENDITURE:	\$1,256	\$3,372	\$464
SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) TO RESERVES	-\$6,983	-\$2,324	-\$9,674	SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) TO RESERVES	\$917	-\$1,198	\$1,713
		\$7,688	Reserve Opening Balance	\$5,198	\$6,115	\$4,918	
RESERVE CLOSING BALANCE	\$10,012	\$7,688	-\$1,986	RESERVE CLOSING BALANCE	\$6,115	\$4,918	\$6,631
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Rates for Current Year 2023/2024

Туре	Description (Basis)	Differential
003	Rural (L)	
010	Uniform Annual General Charge (U)	
018	Reserves & Amenities - Rural (U)	
021	GWRC General Rate (C)	
022	GWRC Public Transport - Rural (C)	
025	GWRC EDR - Rural (U)	
036	Lower Wairarapa Valley - A (A)	
038	Lower Wairarapa Valley - Sb (U)	
056	East Pukio - A (A)	
Total		

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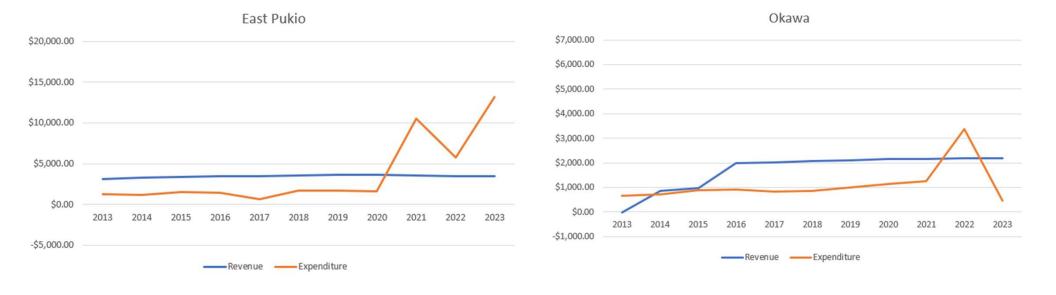


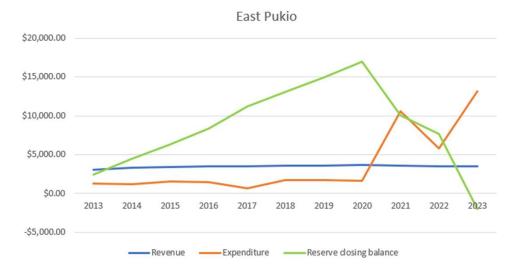
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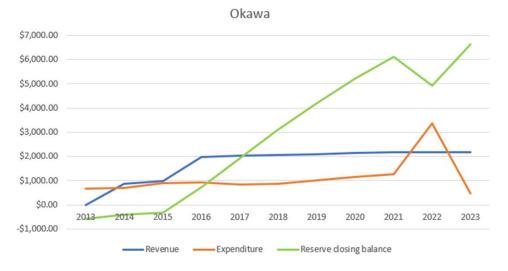
Financial contribution range	Number of scheme members
\$0-\$10	0
\$10-\$20	0
\$20-\$50	1
\$50-\$100	0
\$100-\$200	0
\$200-\$500	1
\$500-\$1000	2
\$1000+	1

Okawa

Financial contribution range	Number of scheme members
\$0-\$10	2
\$10-\$20	1
\$20-\$50	1
\$50-\$100	1
\$100-\$200	2
\$200-\$500	1
\$500-\$1000	3
\$1000+	0







Some impacts on expenditure

- Stock exclusion rules
- Appearance of Celery Weed in the drain
- Health and Safety requirements
- Works can no longer be undertaken in house by GW
- Permitted activity rules for GW have changed.

Level of service

Current maintenance aspiration of the scheme:

- Annual herbicide weed spray
- Machine clean every 5/6 years
- Blockage removal eg: during/after rainfall event.

Other works are the responsibility of the landowner:

- Replacement of culverts/bridges
- Anything which requires consent eg: enlargement of drain
- Erosion repair
- Repairing connecting drains that are not part of the drainage system
- Repair of any damage caused by flooding.

Items for scheme members to consider:

For each scheme, scheme members to advise:

- If they think that the extent of the scheme requires adjustment.
- If they believe that the aspirational maintenance approach is correct, and if not then what alternatives should be considered.
- What level of reserves should be held?
- Whether they think that GW should be managing more maintenance activities, or fewer?
- The best way for scheme members to communicate with GW.

Future challenges

- Funding to match the maintenance strategy
- Ecology in the drain is being given more importance, leading to restrictions on how they can be maintained and what herbicides can be used in them.
- National Policy Statement for Freshwater Management 2020

2.1 Objective

- (1) The objective of this National Policy Statement is to ensure that natural and physical resources are managed in a way that prioritises:
 - (a) first, the health and well-being of water bodies and freshwater ecosystems
 - (b) second, the health needs of people (such as drinking water)
 - (c) third, the ability of people and communities to provide for their social, economic, and cultural well-being, now and in the future.

Suggested next steps

- Scheme members to consider maintenance of the drain and the items highlighted.
- Any further information can be requested from GW via the <u>gravitydrains@gw.govt.nz</u> email address shown on the website.
- GW can analyse the impact of different maintenance strategies or approaches on the targeted rates.
- Scheme members to consider how they want to manage liaison between themselves and GW.
- GW will collate all responses and investigations and arrange a follow up meeting with scheme members in around 2-3 months time.