

MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIR



The 2013/14 year was a memorable one, accentuated by some unusual challenges in terms of physical resilience (storms and earthquakes), and advancement or achievement of several major initiatives.

One of our largest pieces of work, the Wellington City Public Transport Spine Study, was completed, and we are now seeing the results of our investment in rail with improvements in timeliness and reliability on the metro route.

Our Draft Regional Plan, which will be the blue print for land and water management in the region, is nearing completion, and we have collaborated with other councils to integrate our bulk water supply with 'retail' water delivery services and establish Wellington Water.

GWRC has achieved a significant amount. Check out what we have been doing, both regionally and in your area, by visiting www.gw.govt.nz.

Fran Wilde - Chair, Greater Wellington Regional Council

How much are regional rates in 2014/15

The average regional council residential property rate in **Kapiti is \$322.79.**

The region's rate increase for **Kapiti is 6.25% or \$19 a year (36 cents a week)** for the average value residential property.

The total increase in our rates revenue across the region this year is 5.73%.

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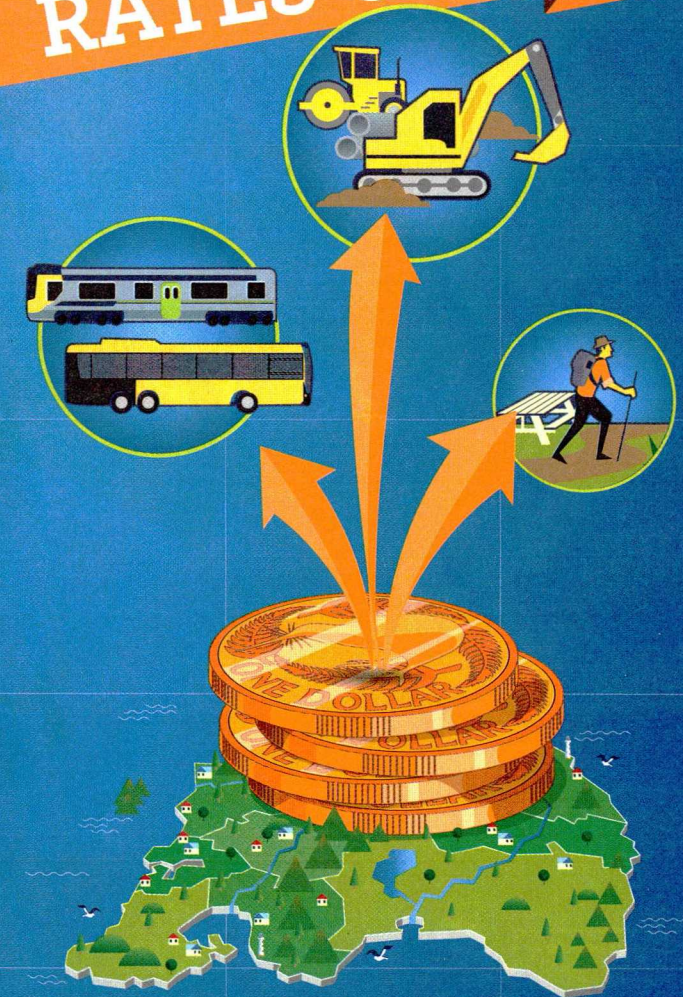
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WHERE DO MY REGIONAL RATES GO?



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FOR EVERY DOLLAR WE SPEND...



62 CENTS
Public Transport
Rail operations
Bus and Ferry
Total Mobility



12 CENTS
Water Supply
Water treatment plants
Pipes
Dams



11 CENTS
Environment
Land management
Resource management
Biodiversity, Pest control, Harbours



6 CENTS
Flood Protection & control works
Flood banks



6 CENTS
Regional Leadership
WREMO (Civil Defence)
Economic Development (WRS)
Transport Planning



3 CENTS
Parks