

Quarterly Site Progress Update: Urenui and Onaero Wastewater Scheme

Date:	2026 Third Quarter
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CC:	Clifton Community Board; Councillors
This is a progress update on activities associated with work at the proposed site of the Urenui and Onaero Wastewater Scheme, 944 Main North Road.	
Activity	Status
Treatment of wastewater	No change: A draft treatment plant concept design is being progressed. This work has been informed by feedback from early consultation with neighbours, including one on one meetings, the joint neighbours' meeting and the community open days.
Discharge of treated wastewater	No change: A draft irrigation concept design is being progressed, which includes irrigating treated water to land for pasture cut and carry. This work has been informed by feedback from early consultation with neighbours, including one on one meetings, the joint neighbours' meeting and the community open days. The recommendations and concept plans will be considered and worked through with stakeholders in due course.
Consenting under the Resource Management Act – for the treatment and discharge of wastewater	Update: The consenting requirements are being revisited following the resource management reform. A Masterplan is being developed with Ngāti Mutunga to aid strategic and collaborative planning for the long-term management of the site that reflects operational requirements, environmental benefits and cultural values. The resource consent applications will not be submitted until further input is received from stakeholders and the Masterplan has been completed.
Community consultation	No change: Community consultation will take place once the concept plan details are available.
Website	Access the project webpage npdc.govt.nz/UrenuiOnaeroWWTP .
Contact	If you have any questions about the project, please feel free to contact the interim Project Manager Meghan Stenner Meghan.stenner@npdc.govt.nz or phone Council on 06 759 6060.