The way we are moving...

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Our goals and objectives

Integrate one effective and resilient network for customers

- Integrate land uses and transport networks to shape demand at national, regional and local levels.
- Integrate national and local transport networks to support strategic connections and travel choice.
- 3 Improve freight supply chain efficiency.

Shape smart efficient, safe & responsible transport choices

- Implement the Safe System approach to create a forgiving land transport system that accommodates human error and vulnerability.
- Incentivise and shape safe and efficient travel choices using a customer-focused approach.
- 6 Reduce costs for transport users through better regulation and willing compliance.



- 7 Greater resilience of the state highway network.
- 8 Deliver consistent levels of customer service that meet current expectations and anticipate future demand.
- Significant transport infrastructure.

Maximise effective, efficient & strategic returns for New Zealand

- Align investment to agreed national, regional and local outcomes and improve value for money in all we invest in and deliver.
- Ensure effective and efficient co-investment with our partners.
- 12 Explore innovative revenue, pricing and financing approaches that enhance the value delivered by land transport investments.

Our priorities 2015–19

- Make it easy for customers to do business with us
- Predictable journeys for urban customers
- Integrate road and rail to improve freight network productivity
- Safer speeds that are right for the road
- Driving value through smart road maintenance
- Make urban cycling a safer and more attractive transport choice



Our new chief executive - Fergus Gammie





What's on the horizon for RCAs?

- Investment framework Business Case Approach
- Investment decision making
- One Network Road Classification/Road Efficiency Group
- Vehicle Dimensions and Mass (VDAM) review
- Electric vehicles
- Safer Journeys
- NLTP update



Overview of the business case approach

A reminder of what the BCA is about

The business case approach is:

- A principles-based approach to developing proposals for investment from the National Land Transport Fund (NLTF)
- Designed to make sure our investments are focused on the highest priority outcomes for New Zealand, and to ensure public investments represent value for money
- Based on international best practice, and consistent with the Treasury Better Business Case practice.

Since July 2015, NZTA has required all *new* activities seeking inclusion in the NLTP to be developed following the business case approach.



Responding to the sector

Three years into implementation of the business case approach:

- We've taken a good look at how the business case approach is being used
- It's clear there are some significant problems with the way the change has been managed
- We're working with stakeholders across the sector to address these problems & ensure there's better support



Listening to our stakeholders

During late 2015/early 2016 we conducted a series of interviews with a range of stakeholders & identified five key themes for improvement:

- Leadership we need to be more effective at leading this change.
- **Expertise** Lifting our collective capability & collaboration to better guide & support the sector.
- Expectations & Guidance We need to be clear about what 'good' looks like & improve the guidance we provide.
- **Clear & Consistent** We need to use clear & simple language to communicate consistent messages.
- Pragmatic & Fit For Purpose We need to get better at communicating what is sufficient for an investment decision.



Supporting the Business Case Approach (BCA)





Investment decision making





One Network Road Classification/ Road Efficiency Group





Vehicle Dimensions and Mass Rule review





Electric vehicles





Safer Journeys Action Plan

National improvement programmes for high risk roads

Local urban arterials



High risk local rural roads





NLTP update

- Cycling
- Local road improvements
- State highways
- Regional improvements





NLTP update cont'd...

- Accelerated Regional State Highway Programme
- Northland bridges
- Maintenance programme
- Public transport







Regional Economic Development (RED)





Thank you Questions?

