



**Western
Bay of Plenty**
District Council



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For our District**



**Eastern
Comprehensive
Stormwater Consent**

Annual Report

November 2022



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1. Introduction

In July 2020, Bay of Plenty Regional Council (BOPRC) granted Western Bay of Plenty District Council (WBOPDC) six new consents relating to Eastern Comprehensive Stormwater Consent:

- Consent 67481-BC.16 River Structure
- Consent 67481-BC.17 Beds Damming and Diversion
- Consent 67481-CC.01 Coastal Dredging
- Consent 67481-CC.02 Occupy Coastal Space
- Consent 67481-DC.05 Discharge to Water
- Consent 67481-LC.05 Earthworks or Excavation

This report examines conditions required for Consent 67481-DC.05 Discharge to Water, which expires 31 May 2055.

2. Purpose of this report

Condition 9.5 of consent 67481-DC.05 requires the consent holder to submit an annual report to BOPRC in November of each year covering:

- a) A summary report of any monitoring undertaken including an analysis of the monitoring results;
- b) Any stormwater network or stormwater infrastructure upgrade works undertaken;
- c) Any stormwater induced erosion, flood risk alleviation, or stormwater quality mitigation measures implemented;
- d) Any incidents resulting in unanticipated contaminants entering the stormwater network, the investigation of the cause of the incidents and any remedial actions implemented to avoid a repeat occurrence of the incident;
- e) An updated Asset Register; and
- f) Any new structures to be included in the consent (Asset Register).

This report covers the period from 1st October 2022 – 30th September 2023.

3. Monitoring

No monitoring has been undertaken during this reporting period.

A Monitoring Plan is currently being developed by 4Sight Consulting as per section 7.3(e), and will be forwarded to BOPRC for certification prior to implementation (section 7.6).

4. Infrastructure upgrade works

There have been no upgrade works undertaken during this monitoring period.

5. Erosion, flood risk alleviation, and stormwater quality mitigation measures

Sedges were planted in Maketu, alongside the open drain banks that run from Wilson Road North to little Waihi Road.

In Te Puke, planting of native species was extended at the Dudley Vercoe Gulley and in Dunlop Road around the Dunlop Road pond.

6. Pukehina outlet pipes

Following on from last year, the outlet pipes were inspected and noted to have been exposed by coastal erosion, WBOPDC replaced any broken parts of the pipe and covered the remaining pipes in rock to protect the pipes from the shoreline.

7. Stormwater related incidents

The following stormwater related incidents occurred during the reporting period:

Date	Incident	Location	Cause of incident	Any remedial actions to avoid repeat occurrence
12/11/2022	Sewer overflow to stormwater stream	Hayward Court, Te Puke	Fat blockage	Nothing planned.
08/05/2023	Sewer overflow to a stormwater cesspit	Milsom Place, Te Puke	Fat and rocks blockage	Nothing planned.
20/05/2023	Sewer overflow to stormwater stream	Queen Street, Te Puke	Fat blockage	Replaced the manhole because it sunk, causing the upstream line to back up. There is now proper flow and no build up.
24/05/2023	Sewer overflow to a stormwater stream	Allanah Place/Cannell Farm Drive	Fat blockage/Damaged pipe	Investigation work into pipe. Also adding a line to critical flushing round.
18/07/2023	Sewer overflow to a stormwater sump	Boucher Ave, Te Puke	Fat blockage	Nothing planned.