

Te kāpehuOur compass

Our purpose

Why Waka Kotahi is here

Waka Kotahi | Moving. Together.

Our vision

What we aspire to

A land transport system connecting people, products and places for a thriving Aotearoa.

Our roles

What we do

Kia hoe ngātahi

Move together as one

We lead with others to achieve valuable transport outcomes.

Te anamata

Leave great legacies

We shape and invest in a sustainable transport system for everyone.

Kia tika te mahi

Deliver the right things

We partner and invest to maintain, operate and improve the land transport system.

Kia marutau

Enable a safe system

We reduce harm to people and the environment.

System outcomes

The difference we want to make

Aotearoa has a transport system that is:

- Safe.
- Meeting current and future needs.
- Environmentally sustainable.
- Effectively and efficiently moving people and freight.

System measures and targets

The change we want to see

- Reduce deaths and serious injuries.
- Sustainable funding to deliver.

- Reduce carbon emissions.
- Reliable and multi-modal travel for people and freight.

Our values

Guide our actions

Ngākau aroha Have heart

We have the wellbeing of our people, community and planet at the heart of everything we do.

KotahitangaBetter together

We achieve great things when we work together to build trusted relationships inside and outside of Waka Kotahi.

Kia māiaBe brave

Our outcomes are better when we bring courage and self-belief to our passion and purpose.

MahiaNail it

We create an enduring legacy, delivering our best work every day.

Our behaviours

How we act

- contribute to a safe and sustainable environment
- show respect for all people
- treat others how they would like to be treated
- are inclusive and connected
- look out for each other.

As Waka Kotahi we:

- build better relationships
- join up our thinking and our doing
- remove barriers to collaboration
- seek and listen to the perspectives of others to learn and grow
- invite conversation and feedback to always improve.

- speak up when it matters
- challenge to achieve the right outcome
- make and own the tough decisions
- find different perspectives to challenge thinking
- face up to the difficult issues.

- are clear on what is important
- deliver the right outcomes
- hold ourselves to account
- help others succeed
- celebrate success.