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Introduction

This index contains hyperlinked references to the primary documents that describe the NZ Transport Agency's environmental and social responsibility (ESR) policies, standards, specifications, processes, Memoranda of Understanding and guidelines.

It has been prepared to assist those seeking to access this information for the first time, or as part of a training programme without detailed knowledge of these resources and their history. Note that this list is not complete however most additional material is cross-referenced and hyper-linked within the documents below. Please copy the links provided into your web browser if you experience any hyperlink issues. Note also that this index may become outdated over time as changes are made to the [Highways information portal](#).

NZ Transport Agency policy documents

[ESR Policy](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/environmental-and-social-responsibility-manual/docs/environmental-and-social-responsibility-policy.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/environmental-and-social-responsibility-manual/docs/environmental-and-social-responsibility-policy.pdf>

[ESR Plan 2016-21](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/environment-and-social-responsibility/esr-plan/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/environment-and-social-responsibility/esr-plan/>

[ESR Manual](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/environmental-and-social-responsibility-manual/docs/environmental-and-social-responsibility-manual.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/environmental-and-social-responsibility-manual/docs/environmental-and-social-responsibility-manual.pdf>

Standards

[ESR Standard Z/19](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/Highways-Information-Portal/Technical-disciplines/Environment-and-social-responsibility/Standard/16-053-A13108-011-Standard-table-12072016.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/Highways-Information-Portal/Technical-disciplines/Environment-and-social-responsibility/Standard/16-053-A13108-011-Standard-table-12072016.pdf>

[ESR Standard Guidance Notes](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/Highways-Information-Portal/Technical-disciplines/Environment-and-social-responsibility/Standard/16-053-A13108-003-STANDARD-Explanation-01032016.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/Highways-Information-Portal/Technical-disciplines/Environment-and-social-responsibility/Standard/16-053-A13108-003-STANDARD-Explanation-01032016.pdf>

[ESR Screen](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/environment-and-social-responsibility/national-standards-guidelines-and-specifications/esr-screen/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/environment-and-social-responsibility/national-standards-guidelines-and-specifications/esr-screen/>

[ESR Screen Guidance Notes](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/Highways-Information-Portal/Technical-disciplines/Environment-and-social-responsibility/Screen/ESR-Screen-explanation-July-2015.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/Highways-Information-Portal/Technical-disciplines/Environment-and-social-responsibility/Screen/ESR-Screen-explanation-July-2015.pdf>

[Risk Management Standard Z/44](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/state-highway-professional-services-contract-proforma-manual/standards/docs/z44.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/state-highway-professional-services-contract-proforma-manual/standards/docs/z44.pdf>

[Archaeological Discovery Procedures Z/22](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/state-highway-professional-services-contract-proforma-manual/standards/docs/Z22-archaeological-discovery-pocedures-v3.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/state-highway-professional-services-contract-proforma-manual/standards/docs/Z22-archaeological-discovery-pocedures-v3.pdf>

Memoranda of Understanding

[Department of Conservation MOU](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/About-us/docs/Environmental-and-social-responsibility/nzta-doc-mou.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/About-us/docs/Environmental-and-social-responsibility/nzta-doc-mou.pdf>

[Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga MOU](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/memorandum-of-understanding/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/memorandum-of-understanding/>

Process related documents

[Business Case Approach](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/Highways-Information-Portal/Processes/Business-case-phases/NZTA-BusinessCaseApproach-final.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/Highways-Information-Portal/Processes/Business-case-phases/NZTA-BusinessCaseApproach-final.pdf>

[Environmental Assessment and Design Guidance](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/environment-and-social-responsibility/national-standards-guidelines-and-specifications/assessment-and-design-guidance/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/environment-and-social-responsibility/national-standards-guidelines-and-specifications/assessment-and-design-guidance/>

[Aspects and Impacts Register](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/Aspects-and-Impacts-of-SH-Highway-Activities/Aspects-and-Impacts-of-SH-Highway-Activities-Final.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/Aspects-and-Impacts-of-SH-Highway-Activities/Aspects-and-Impacts-of-SH-Highway-Activities-Final.pdf>

[Investment Logic Mapping](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/processes/project-development/strategic-case/investment-logic-mapping/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/processes/project-development/strategic-case/investment-logic-mapping/>

[Multi-Criteria Analysis](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/Business-Case-Approach-HNO/Forms/IBC-Assessment-of-options-summary-table-May-2015.docx) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/Business-Case-Approach-HNO/Forms/IBC-Assessment-of-options-summary-table-May-2015.docx>

Technical specifications

[Model Consent Conditions](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/consenting-and-consent-compliance/model-consent-conditions/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/consenting-and-consent-compliance/model-consent-conditions/>

[Resource Management Act Templates](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/consenting-and-consent-compliance/rma-templates/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/consenting-and-consent-compliance/rma-templates/>

[Construction Environmental, Social and Cultural Management P47](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/Highways-Information-Portal/Technical-disciplines/Environment-and-social-responsibility/Standards-and-guidelines/NZTA-P47-ESC-Construction-Specification-FINAL.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/Highways-Information-Portal/Technical-disciplines/Environment-and-social-responsibility/Standards-and-guidelines/NZTA-P47-ESC-Construction-Specification-FINAL.pdf>

[Noise mitigation P40](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/noise-mitigation/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/noise-mitigation/>

[Urban Design P44](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/Highways-Information-Portal/Technical-disciplines/Environment-and-social-responsibility/Standards-and-guidelines/NZTA-Generic-UD-Specification.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/Highways-Information-Portal/Technical-disciplines/Environment-and-social-responsibility/Standards-and-guidelines/NZTA-Generic-UD-Specification.pdf>

[Specification for Highway Landscape Treatments P39](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/landscape-treatments/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/landscape-treatments/>

[Stormwater Management Systems P46](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/p46-nz-transport-agency-state-highway-stormwater-specification/NZTA-P46-State-Highway-Stormwater-Specification-Ver-1-April-2016.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/p46-nz-transport-agency-state-highway-stormwater-specification/NZTA-P46-State-Highway-Stormwater-Specification-Ver-1-April-2016.pdf>

[Archaeological Discovery Procedures Z/22](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/state-highway-professional-services-contract-proforma-manual/standards/docs/Z22-archaeological-discovery-pocedures-v3.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/state-highway-professional-services-contract-proforma-manual/standards/docs/Z22-archaeological-discovery-pocedures-v3.pdf>

Technical guidelines

[ESR Online Learning Courses](http://nzta.onlearn.co.nz/) <http://nzta.onlearn.co.nz/>

[Environmental Management Overview](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/environment-and-social-responsibility/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/environment-and-social-responsibility/>

[Environmental Assessment and Design Guidance](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/environment-and-social-responsibility/national-standards-guidelines-and-specifications/assessment-and-design-guidance/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/environment-and-social-responsibility/national-standards-guidelines-and-specifications/assessment-and-design-guidance/>

[Community Engagement Overview](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/engagement/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/engagement/>

[Draft Public Engagement Guidelines](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/about-us/consultations/draft-state-highway-public-engagement-guidelines/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/about-us/consultations/draft-state-highway-public-engagement-guidelines/>

[Guideline for Preparing an Environmental and Social Responsibility Plan](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/guideline-for-preparing-environmental-social-management-plan/docs/guideline-for-preparing-environmental-social-management-plan.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/guideline-for-preparing-environmental-social-management-plan/docs/guideline-for-preparing-environmental-social-management-plan.pdf>

[Air Quality](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/air-quality-climate/air-pollution/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/air-quality-climate/air-pollution/>

[Culture and Heritage](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/cultural-and-historic-heritage/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/cultural-and-historic-heritage/>

[Archaeological Discoveries](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/state-highway-professional-services-contract-proforma-manual/standards/docs/Z22-archaeological-discovery-procedures-v3.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/state-highway-professional-services-contract-proforma-manual/standards/docs/Z22-archaeological-discovery-procedures-v3.pdf>

[Consenting and Compliance](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/consenting-and-consent-compliance/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/consenting-and-consent-compliance/>

[Biodiversity](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/environment-and-social-responsibility/biodiversity/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/environment-and-social-responsibility/biodiversity/>

[Resource Efficiency](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/stormwater-erosion-and-sediment-control/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/stormwater-erosion-and-sediment-control/>

[Stormwater Erosion and Sediment Control](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/stormwater-erosion-and-sediment-control/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/stormwater-erosion-and-sediment-control/>

[Noise and Vibration](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/noise-and-vibration/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/noise-and-vibration/>

[Urban Design Guidelines](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/bridging-the-gap/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/bridging-the-gap/>

[Landscape Design Guidelines](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/nzta-landscape-guidelines/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/nzta-landscape-guidelines/>

[Urban and Landscape Design Framework](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/urban-design-and-landscaping/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/urban-design-and-landscaping/>

[MapHub – Technical Screens](https://maps.nzta.govt.nz/portal/home/search.html?q=group%3A0641ac49cc8148518a0b2e73d7d1c150&t=content&focus=applications)

<https://maps.nzta.govt.nz/portal/home/search.html?q=group%3A0641ac49cc8148518a0b2e73d7d1c150&t=content&focus=applications>

[CS-VUE – Consent Compliance Monitoring](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/consenting-and-consent-compliance/cs-vue/) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/roads-and-rail/highways-information-portal/technical-disciplines/consenting-and-consent-compliance/cs-vue/>

Contract manuals

[SM011 Part 2 – Processes](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/project-management-manual/docs/project-management-manual-part2.pdf) <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/assets/resources/project-management-manual/docs/project-management-manual-part2.pdf>

[State Highway Professional Services Contract Proforma Manual \(SM030\)](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/state-highway-professional-services-contract-proforma-manual/)

<https://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/state-highway-professional-services-contract-proforma-manual/>

[State highway Construction Contract Proforma Manual \(SM031\)](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/state-highway-construction-contract-proforma-manual/)

<https://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/state-highway-construction-contract-proforma-manual/>

[State Highway Maintenance Contract Proforma Manual \(SM032\)](https://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/state-highway-maintenance-contract-proforma-manual/)

<https://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/state-highway-maintenance-contract-proforma-manual/>