

WASTEWATER TREATMENT

TELL US WHAT YOU THINK



Name:

Email address:

Age range (please tick): 15-20 21-30 31-40 41-50 51-60 61-70 71+

Are you completing this form for yourself or an organisation? Myself Organisation

Organisation you are representing:

Where do you live (please tick): Hastings Napier Out of Hawke's Bay

Are you a business owner in Hastings connected to our industrial wastewater network? (please tick) Yes No

Do you identify as tangata whenua in Hastings? (please tick) Yes No

If yes, please identify your iwi/hapu/tribal affiliation:

What kind of area do you live in? (please tick) Urban Rural Coastal

Do you know what happens to wastewater (sewage) in Hastings?

- Yes, I know what happens to wastewater in Hastings and understand the treatment process.
- Kind of, I know a little bit about what happens to wastewater in Hastings.
- No, I don't know what happens to wastewater in Hastings.

If you want to know more about the treatment process before answering the questions, visit hastingsdc.govt.nz/clivewwtp

What do you think should be the highest priority for the wastewater treatment plant over the next nine years? (This is how often the Resource Consent for the facility is reviewed).

- Preparation for the possible effects of climate change (coastal erosion, increase in temperatures etc.).
- Sustainability and reduction of carbon footprint (the introduction of things such as solar power).
- Treating wastewater to an even higher standard.
- Other:

Hastings wastewater is treated to an acceptable level prior to discharge, that while not 'drinkable' is considered not to have a negative impact on fish in the area or shellfish on the coastline once it is mixed with sea water. Would you collect kaimoana along the coastline or where our treated wastewater is discharged into the ocean (bearing in mind that the outfall is 2.75km offshore)?

- Yes, I would feel comfortable collecting kaimoana.
- No, I would not feel comfortable collecting kaimoana.
- Maybe, I would need to learn more about the water quality.

It is also considered not to have a negative impact on recreation activities once it is mixed with sea water. Would you participate in recreational activities (swimming, boating etc.) along the coastline or where our treated wastewater is discharged into the ocean (bearing in mind that the outfall is 2.75km offshore)?

- Yes, I would feel comfortable participating in recreational activities.
- No, I would not feel comfortable participating in recreational activities.
- Maybe, I would need to learn more about the water quality.

