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Further to MIN-4013 (attached), please find the post-meeting update below:

On 29 November 2022, Waka Kotahi staff (including National Manager System Design, Robyn Elston) met with cycling advocates from the Wellington and Hutt Valley region. The advocates main concerns were centred on their perception of the lack of joined up thinking between the multiple partners involved in provision of cycling infrastructure along the Hutt Valley. They advised the meetings held thus far do not appear to be a shared vision of the form or location of the future cycle network and that it felt like investment was happening in a piecemeal, uncoordinated way.

Regional Manager System Design, Kesh Keshaboina, committed to bringing together the advocates and senior leaders from each of the partners involved in the Hutt Valley together so that a coordinated discussion can occur. The first meeting will take place by the end of February 2023. This will involve at a minimum representatives from Waka Kotahi, Wellington City Council, Hutt City Council, Upper Hutt City Council and Greater Wellington Regional Council.

Waka Kotahi in partnership with Hutt City and Wellington City is progressing with the One Network Framework (ONF) modal classification which should provide the agreed future networks. ONF is an enabling tool to classify roads and streets based on their function and the ways people use them.

Let me know if the Office needs anything else.

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Proposed approach: Will be considered to be released in full.

MIN-4013 Wellington to Hutt Cycling Reference Group

24 November 2022

Providing information on the status of the reference group as part of Wellington to Hutt Valley cycling project.

Waka Kotahi NZ Transport Agency's response:

Cycling Reference Group

- The reference group involves relevant people from Councils and broader groups and takes a corridor approach and regional approach.
- Waka Kotahi has held an initial meeting for the reference group to discuss how the group may function and the vision for the corridor.
- This meeting was in addition to ongoing regular quarterly meetings where projects on the corridor have been discussed.
- The group is in its infancy and does not have a completed terms of reference yet.

Project specific liaison groups

- The Project Liaison Group for the Ngā Ūranga ki Pito-one section of Te Ara Tupua includes a range of stakeholders who are updated on the project's progress and provides the opportunity for members to discuss design and construction aspects of the project
- The Project Design Liaison Group for RiverLink is to be made up of stakeholders with a specific interest in the walking and cycling networks to be developed as part of RiverLink and will provide input to the designs of footpaths, cycle paths and shared paths within the RiverLink project.

Upcoming meeting

- Waka Kotahi staff, including Robyn Elston, National Manager System Design, are meeting with members from the Wellington and Lower Hutt cycling groups at 4pm on 29 November 2022.
- An update will be provided after the meeting.