LTP Submission

Eastland Wood Council

The Eastland Wood Council (EWC) is an incorporated society which provides a collective voice for the forestry industry in Tairawhiti, for the benefit of Tairawhiti.

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Our Philosophy and Strategic Goals



Our Philosophy

Forestry is a vibrant, respected industry in Tairawhiti



Strategic Goals

Care for the Environment - Kaitiakitanga

Sustainability and best practice



Health and Safety

Safe and healthy people and work environment.



Roads to Market

Sustainable transport infrastructure



Growing our People

Right people, right skills, right training





Environment and Regulations



Biodiversity

More focus on protecting what we have



Consenting and Monitoring

More capacity and understanding of forestry



Catchment management

More support for development of catchment groups



Pest control

More support for collaboration of pest control



Climate change

More support for land use decisions and preparedness for storm events





Roads and Transport



Accepts responsibility

For scale and impact of road use



Inclusion of woodlots

Supports inclusion in definition of forestry



Fair and equitable

Reflects the proportion of use and impact from all major industries in the region



Use of other engineering studies

Formula for targeted rating of various land uses based on load



Collaborative approach

Forecasting, communication and funding





Collaboration – Working groups



Roading

Forecasting, planning and delivery of regional priorities for maintenance



Environment

Catchment Management, Biodiversity and Pest control



Regulation

Planning, consents and monitoring

