



## Covid 19 – Staying ahead of the curve – Our Plan



#### **Principles**

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- ❖ Keep Covid-19 out of the company
- Proactively managing our risk
- Mange it as an emergency response
- Continue core services as much as practicable

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- Lowering the potential for exposure
  - Looking after our people and whānau
  - Being fully informed and proactive
  - ❖ Being as prepared and action fit as we can be

• Essential Services critical staff/system failure

• Internal and External communications plan

Supply chain central management

Lifelines interaction active

Response risk register active

analysis (N-4)

activated

Ensuring our core capability and critical activities are resilient so we continue to provide safe and healthy water to our communities.

# Government Stages

#### LEVEL

#### Level 4 - Eliminate

Likely that disease is not contained

#### Level 3 - Restrict

Heightened risk that disease is not contained

#### Level 2 - Reduce

Disease is contained, but risks of community transmission growing

#### Level 1 - Prepare

Disease is contained

#### **WWL Stages**



Level 3 Lock down

Level 2 Community outbreak

Level 1
Activation

Level 0
Readiness & monitoring

#### **Key Actions**

- Duplicate essential front line staff.
- Duplicate essential support services.
- Central Supply chain management essential suppliers contacted, critical supplies analysis (chemicals, PPE, plant & equipment etc)
- Network operation and maintenance reprioritisation
- Capital works programme reprioritisation
- All staff working remotely
- Staff re-deployment
- Establish Virtual Emergency Management Team respond to significant network event
- Consider recovery response
- Isolate essential front line staff:

   (Water and Wastewater treatment,
   Network operations, control systems,
   Customer hub)
- Isolate essential support staff.
- Initiate wider staff health protection.
- Essential sites locked down
- Vulnerable staff monitored
- Internal and External situation analysis
- Business Continuity Plan activates
- Response Team Activates
- Safety plan for essential front line staff
- Safety plan for essential support staff
- Safety plan for all staff

#### Focus Areas

**KEEPING IT OUT** 

BE PREPARED & ACTION FIT

INFORMED & PROACTIVE

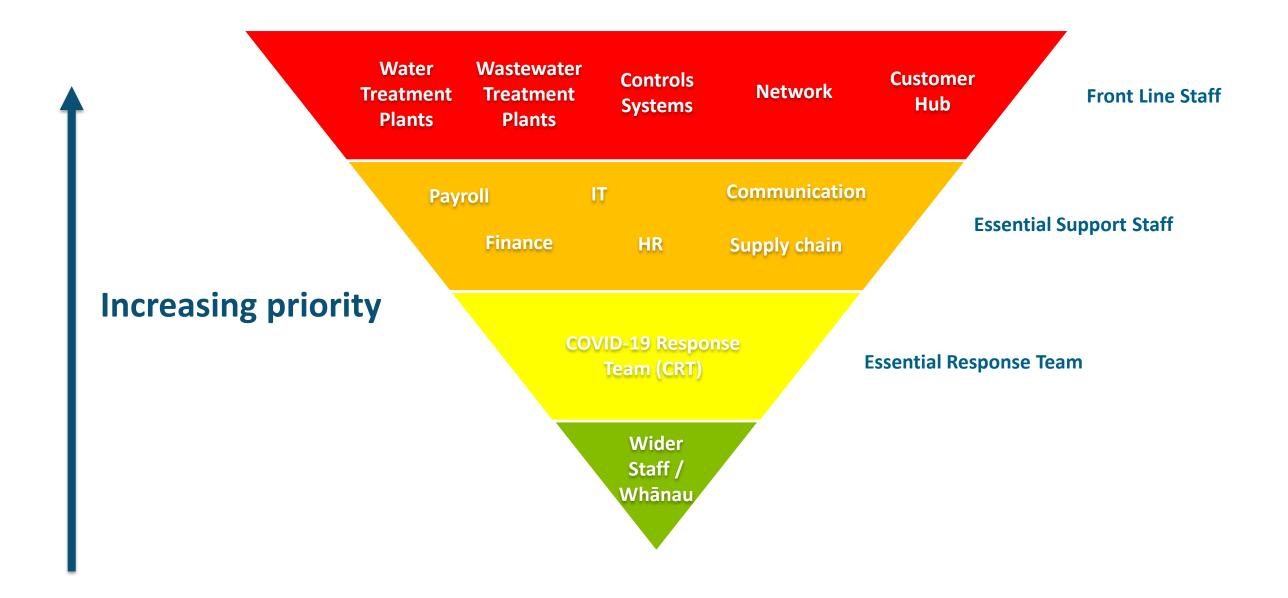
LOOK AFTER OUR PEOPLE

Our water, our future.

# Covid − 19 − Our Response − Our priorities Wellington Water

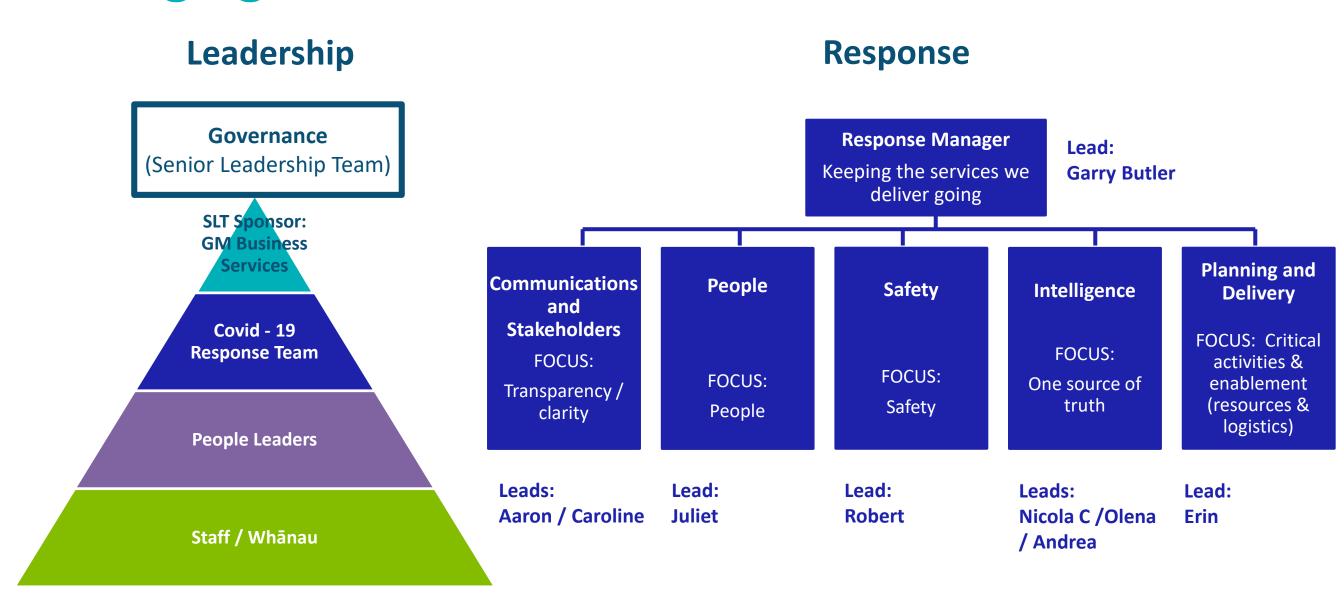


We have re-orientated our organisation to the front line



# Covid – 19 – Our Response - How we are managing it





# **Covid 19 Response - Communications and Stakeholders**



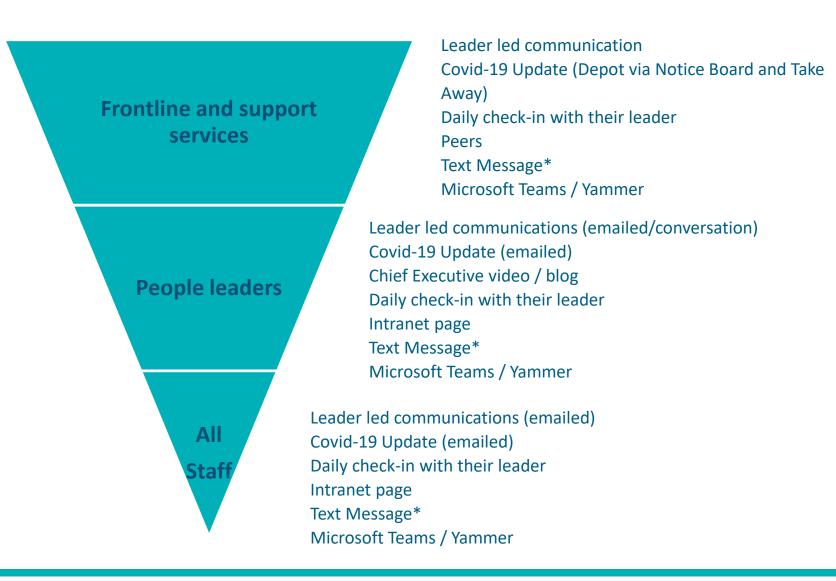
#### **Purpose**

Ensure everyone involved in the response is fully informed and our stakeholders have a clear picture of what we are doing.

#### **Key actions:**

- Manage internal communications re-orientated to the front line staff
- Manage external communications
- Social Media
- External Website
- Stakeholder mapping and oversight

#### **Internal Communications**



## **Covid 19 Response - People**



#### **Purpose**

Ensure our people are looked after and have the support they need.

#### **Key actions:**

- Payroll
- Manage vulnerable staff
- Staff Health Risk Management
- ❖ Staff Welfare support
- ❖ People leader support

## Things we are doing and have in place:

- Self isolation process and register
- Exposure reporting and management
- Staff Health risk management register
- Supporting vulnerable / at risk people and their families
- ❖ People leader resources for managing people remotely
- Health questionnaire
- Working from home guidance and checklist

## **Covid 19 Response - Safety**



#### **Purpose**

Ensure our people are safe in the work they do.

#### **Key actions:**

- Safety management
- Hygiene practices
- Site safety
- Essential services identification
- PPE requirements
- PPE distribution

## Things we are doing and have in place:

- Hygiene practices and key operating instructions for field staff
- Assurance of field staff compliance with hygiene practices
- Worksite / building safety practices and assurance
- Production and management of essential services staff and contractors identification
- PPE requirements for front line staff
- Distribution of PPE

## **Covid 19 Response - Intelligence**



#### **Purpose**

Ensure we have one view of the truth across all our information channels and form a picture of our operating environment.

#### **Key actions:**

- Provide internal information portal
- Interact with Council EOCs
- Interact with Lifelines
- Provide Response Situation Reports
- Weekly Situation Reporting

## Things we are doing and have in place:

- Intranet page with all the response information and latest updated and key links
- Interaction and information sharing with Council EOCs (as they come on line)
- Interaction and information sharing with Lifelines
- Daily Response Situation Reports
- Weekly all of Response Situation Reporting
  - Critical operating parameters
  - Response assurance
  - Critical projects

# **Covid 19 Response – Planning and Delivery**



#### **Purpose**

Ensure our critical activities are resourced and enabled to deliver our essential services

#### **Key actions:**

- Duplicate front line staff
- Duplicate support services staff
- Recourse the response
- Manage the supply chain
- Establish Virtual EmergencyManagement team

### Things we are doing and have in place:

Essential Services critical staff/system failure analysis (N-4)

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- Operations response plan
- Essential services resource plan and deployment people availably and training
- Critical lifelines Electricity, gas
- Critical supplier register and management including essential services letters & monitoring status
- Critical supplies database (demand and supply modelling 1, 3-6, 12-18 months)
  - Chemicals, PPE, plant and materials
- Manage all of company stock
- Sourcing supplies
- Establishing Virtual Emergency Management team to respond to significant incidents