

# Public Transport Risks (Quantate)

## Quarterly Risk Report 30 September 2014

Overall ranking by residual score	Risk ID	Risk Category	Description	Inherent Risk Classification before controls	Controls	Residual Risk Classification after controls	Risk Owner	Action / status change since last quarterly review
2	63	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Financial</li> <li>Political</li> </ul>	Unnecessary costs or delays incurred as a result of poor Public Transport procurement decisions (including PTOM contracts)	Medium Risk	<p>Engage an independent Probity Auditor for all major contracts</p> <p>Ensure all procurement processes have access to staff with an appropriate level of training</p> <p>Ensure documented processes conform to Office of Auditor Generals Guidelines and NZ Transport Agency requirements</p> <p>Internal peer review</p> <p>Seek appropriate legal advice as required</p>	Medium Risk	Wayne Hastle	<p>In the quarter GWRC has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continued to engage with the industry and NZTA on the Public Transport Operating Model (PTOM) which will change the way we contract for bus and rail services</li> <li>Worked with external advisors in developing best practice PTOM contracts</li> <li>Sought expressions of interest from the market for the rail operations and maintenance contract</li> <li>Reviewed this risk - no change in status</li> </ul>
3	106	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Services are severely curtailed</li> <li>Physical harm to the general public</li> <li>Political</li> <li>Financial</li> </ul>	Failure of KiwiRail network assets or operations causing serious injury	High Risk	<p>GWRC ensures that KiwiRail has a robust network management plan that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>focuses funded renewal activities on critical components of the network</li> <li>provides for infrastructure maintenance, monitoring and inspections</li> </ul> <p>GWRC ensures that KiwiRail has an emergency response plan that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>provides for efficient bus replacements</li> <li>provides for effective customer communications in the event of a failure</li> </ul> <p>Maintain strong relationships with the rail operator, including regular meetings and reporting against a clear set of performance targets</p>	High Risk	Angus Gabara	<p>In the quarter GWRC has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintained strong relationships with Kiwirail, the network owners, including regular meetings &amp; health and safety reporting</li> <li>Continued to closely monitor operational activities across the rail system to ensure that safety, quality standards and reliability of information are maintained by the network owners</li> <li>Reviewed this risk - residual classification changed from medium to high</li> </ul> <p>[This risk was previously combined with risk 115]</p>
6	107	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Services are severely curtailed</li> <li>Political</li> </ul>	Contracted rail services fail to meet acceptable levels of service, reliability and/or quality targets	High Risk	<p>GWRC ensures that the rail operator has an emergency response plan that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>provides for efficient bus replacements</li> <li>provides for effective customer communications in the event of a service disruption</li> </ul> <p>Maintain strong relationships with the rail operator, including regular meetings and reporting against a clear set of performance targets, including health and safety</p>	Medium Risk	Angus Gabara	<p>In the quarter GWRC has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintained strong relationships with operators, including regular meetings &amp; performance reporting</li> <li>Continued reviewing timetable performance making use of data available from the Real Time Information system</li> <li>Continue to ensure that safety, quality standards and reliability of information are maintained by the operators</li> <li>Reviewed this risk - no change in status</li> </ul>

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7	51	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Services are severely curtailed</li> <li>Political</li> </ul>	Contracted bus services fail to meet acceptable levels of service reliability and/or quality targets due to reasons within the control of the bus operator	High Risk	<p>Department Business Continuity Plans</p> <p>Disaster Recovery Plan</p> <p>Enforceable Contracts with suppliers</p> <p>Ensure bus operators have an operational plan for managing minimum service levels in the event of prolonged industrial action</p> <p>Ensure bus operators have appropriate health and safety procedures and reporting</p> <p>Ensure bus operators have maintenance programmes that ensure ongoing assessment of compliance, as well as suitable preventative maintenance programmes</p> <p>Ensure that contingency plans are considered at the first sign of pending insolvency</p> <p>Maintain strong relationships with bus operators including regular meetings and reporting on performance</p>	Medium Risk	Rhona Hewitt	<p>In the quarter GWRC has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintained strong relationships with operators, including regular meetings &amp; performance reporting</li> <li>Continued the rolling programme of timetable improvements making use of data available from the Real Time Information system</li> <li>Continued the programme of operational audits to ensure that safety, quality standards and reliability of information are maintained by the operators</li> <li>Reviewed this risk - no change in status</li> </ul>
9	108	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Services are severely curtailed</li> <li>Political</li> <li>Projects</li> <li>Financial</li> </ul>	The Matangi 2 and Matangi 1 retrofit project fails to deliver trains of the required quality, on time and within budget	Very High Risk	<p>Ensure strong project management over the project, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- steering committee</li> <li>- appropriate project structure</li> <li>- project risk reporting</li> <li>- financial reporting</li> <li>- expert independent advice</li> <li>- on site inspection prior to acceptance</li> <li>- regular project meetings with suppliers</li> <li>- documentation requests linked to progress payments</li> <li>- performance bonds</li> <li>- appropriate contract provisions including liquidated damages</li> <li>- formalised sign off procedure</li> <li>- appropriate contingency in budget</li> <li>- appropriately experienced project manager &amp; team</li> </ul>	Medium Risk	Angus Gabara	<p>In the quarter GWRC has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintained strong relationships with the train manufacturers, consultants and operators, including regular contract meetings &amp; performance reporting</li> <li>Continued the programme of regular visits to the manufacturer's factory, design facility and head office, to review and discuss design development, manufacturing progress and quality standards.</li> <li>Continued an independent project audit programme</li> <li>Worked with KiwiRail regarding hardware retrofit productivity and considered alternative suppliers</li> <li>Reviewed this risk - no change in status</li> </ul>
11	80	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Services are severely curtailed</li> </ul>	Bus, ferry or rail services suffer major disruption caused by severe weather	Medium Risk	<p>Appropriate insurance arrangements put in place</p> <p>Appropriate plans in place with Civil Defence</p> <p>Appropriate preventative maintenance plans put in place on Rail network</p> <p>Asset management plans in place</p> <p>Department Business Continuity Plans</p> <p>Ensure operators have an emergency response and communications plan for management of weather events</p>	Medium Risk	Rhona Hewitt	<p>In the quarter GWRC has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continued to refine communication methods for internal and external notice of disruptions</li> <li>Maintained strong communication lines with operators</li> <li>Continued an extensive review of business continuity planning and internal standard operating procedures for managing disruptions</li> <li>Reviewed this risk - residual classification changed from low to medium</li> </ul>

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12	114	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Projects</li> </ul>	Delivery of the Regional Public Transport Plan (RPTP) put at risk due to delay or cancellation of one or more interrelated projects	Very High Risk	<p>Co-ordinated project management</p> <p>Strong project management</p> <p>Appropriate external assistance</p> <p>Appropriate project governance</p> <p>GWRC ensures that KiwiRail has a robust emergency response plan that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- provides for efficient bus replacements</li> <li>- provides for effective customer communications in the event of a failure</li> </ul> <p>GWRC ensures that KiwiRail has a robust network management plan that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- focuses funded renewal activities on critical components of the network</li> <li>- provides for infrastructure maintenance, monitoring and inspections</li> </ul> <p>Maintain strong relationships with the rail operator, including regular meetings and reporting against a clear set of performance targets</p>	Medium Risk	Wayne Hastie	In the quarter GWRC has: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identified this risk</li> </ul>
17	115	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Services are severely curtailed</li> <li>Loss, failure or damage to assets</li> <li>Financial</li> <li>Political</li> </ul>	Failure of KiwiRail network assets or operations causing damage to GWRL assets or cancellation of multiple services	High Risk	<p>GWRC ensures that GWRL owned rail infrastructure assets are regularly maintained to a safe standard in accordance with the Asset Management Plan</p> <p>GWRC ensures that the rolling stock maintenance provider maintains high standards of rolling stock maintenance</p> <p>GWRC ensures that the rolling stock maintenance provider responds quickly to asset failure issues and determines the root cause of any failure</p> <p>GWRC ensures that there is a robust fault reporting and causality analysis system (FRACAS) process in place for all rolling stock</p> <p>GWRC to brief contractors on safety obligations once awarded contracts</p> <p>GWRC to bring safety obligations in the contract to the attention of contractors</p> <p>GWRC to monitor contractors safety practices</p> <p>GWRC to only award contracts to contractors with relevant rail experience</p>	Medium Risk	Angus Gabara	In the quarter GWRC has: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintained strong relationships with operators, maintainers and network owners including regular meetings &amp; performance reporting</li> <li>Continued to closely monitor operational activities across the rail system to ensure that safety, quality standards and reliability of information are maintained by the operators, maintainers and network owners</li> <li>Reviewed this risk - no change in status</li> </ul> <p>[This risk was previously combined with risk 106]</p>
18	60	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Physical harm to the general public</li> <li>Health and safety of staff, contractors and volunteers</li> <li>Loss, failure or damage to assets</li> <li>Political</li> </ul>	Failure of GWRL rail asset causing serious injury	High Risk	<p>GWRC ensures that GWRL owned rail infrastructure assets are regularly maintained to a safe standard in accordance with the Asset Management Plan</p> <p>GWRC ensures that the rolling stock maintenance provider maintains high standards of rolling stock maintenance</p> <p>GWRC ensures that the rolling stock maintenance provider responds quickly to asset failure issues and determines the root cause of any failure</p> <p>GWRC ensures that there is a robust fault reporting and causality analysis system (FRACAS) process in place for all rolling stock</p> <p>GWRC to brief contractors on safety obligations once awarded contracts</p> <p>GWRC to bring safety obligations in the contract to the attention of contractors</p> <p>GWRC to monitor contractors safety practices</p> <p>GWRC to only award contracts to contractors with relevant rail experience</p>	Medium Risk	Barry Fryer	In the quarter GWRC has: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintained strong relationships with operators, maintainers and network owners including regular meetings &amp; health and safety reporting</li> <li>Continued to closely monitor operational activities across the rail system to ensure that safety, quality standards and reliability of information are maintained by the operators, maintainers and network owners</li> <li>Reviewed this risk - no change in status</li> </ul>

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24	113	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Services are severely curtailed</li> <li>Physical harm to the general public</li> <li>Political</li> <li>Financial</li> </ul>	Failure of Wellington Cable Car Ltd's (WCCL) asset causes serious injury or cancellation of multiple services	High Risk	<p>GWRC ensures that WCCL maintains and inspects the network and replaces capex</p> <p>Maintain strong relationships with WCCL, including regular meetings and reporting on assets</p>	Medium Risk	Rhona Hewitt	<p>In the quarter GWRC has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintained strong relationships with WCCL, the network owners, including regular meetings &amp; health and safety reporting</li> <li>Approved capital works required for the safe operation of the trolley bus overhead network based on business cases provided by WCCL</li> <li>Continued to monitor operational activities across the trolley bus overhead network to ensure that safety, quality standards and reliability of information are maintained by the network owners</li> <li>Identified this risk</li> </ul>
25	59	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Services are severely curtailed</li> <li>Loss, failure or damage to assets</li> <li>Political</li> </ul>	Rolling stock unable to meet passenger demand due to multiple vehicles not being operational	High Risk	<p>Ensure maintenance inspection regimes are followed</p> <p>Extensive design review, testing/acceptance and quality control processes to ensure compliance with train specifications</p> <p>GWRC ensures that maintainer effectively manages fleet failure modes and issues through FRACAS process, and ensures GWRC maintains full visibility of this</p> <p>Maintain a technical support contract with the supplier</p> <p>Maintain close working relationships with train supply and operational and maintenance contractors</p>	Medium Risk	Barry Fryer	<p>In the quarter GWRC has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Been actively involved in FRACAS and technical support contract</li> <li>Closely managed Matangi 2 and Matangi 1 retrofit compliance</li> <li>Reviewed this risk - no change in status</li> </ul>
26	91	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Financial</li> </ul>	Driver or client misuse of Total Mobility scheme	Medium Risk	<p>Enforceable contracts with suppliers</p> <p>Ensure contractual and system controls are in place, that allow for monitoring and recovery of fraudulent transactions</p> <p>Ensure client terms and conditions are in place, that allow for monitoring and recovery of fraudulent transactions</p>	Medium Risk	Rhona Hewitt	<p>In the quarter GWRC has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continued to investigate potential fraud</li> <li>Reviewed fraud policy and procedures for the scheme</li> <li>Reviewed this risk - residual classification changed from low to medium</li> </ul>
33	67	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Financial</li> </ul>	The cost of contracted bus services significantly exceeds the budget due to unforecast changes in the diesel bus contract index	Low Risk	<p>Amend bus operator contracts to include the new NZTA inflation index and the new fare recovery provision</p> <p>Maintain and use a reserve fund to mitigate bus contract cost fluctuations over time</p> <p>Monitor the oil price and exchange rate and undertake hedge if considered necessary</p>	Low Risk	Kerry Saywell	<p>In the quarter GWRC has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Monitored the oil price and exchange rate</li> <li>Used up-to-date exchange rates and oil prices in draft 2015/16 budget estimates</li> <li>Reviewed this risk - no change in status</li> </ul>
39	94	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Political</li> <li>Legislative &amp; regulatory</li> </ul>	Failure to meet regulatory obligations or statutory requirements relating to Public Transport	High Risk	<p>Ensure contracts bring safety and statutory obligations to the attention of contractors</p> <p>External &amp; Internal Audit</p> <p>External legal review and advice</p> <p>Peer Review</p>	Low Risk	Wayne Hastie	<p>In the quarter GWRC has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reviewed this risk - no change in status</li> </ul>

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42	82	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Services are severely curtailed</li> </ul>	Contracted ferry services fail to meet acceptable levels of service reliability and/or quality targets due to reasons within the control of the ferry operator	Medium Risk	<p>Department Business Continuity Plans</p> <p>Ensure that contingency plans are considered at the first sign of pending insolvency</p> <p>Disaster Recovery Plan</p> <p>Enforceable contracts with suppliers</p> <p>Ensure ferry operators have maintenance programmes that ensure ongoing assessment of compliance requirements, as well as suitable preventative maintenance programmes</p> <p>Ensure that ferry operators have an operational plan for managing minimum service levels in the event of prolonged industrial action</p> <p>Maintain strong relationships with the ferry operator, including regular meetings and reporting on performance</p>	Low Risk	Rhona Hewitt	<p>In the quarter GWRC has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintained a strong relationship with the operator, including regular meetings &amp; performance reporting</li> <li>Continued the programme of operational audit to ensure that safety, quality standards and reliability of information are maintained by the operator</li> <li>Reviewed this risk - inherent classification changed from low to medium</li> </ul>
50	90	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Services are severely curtailed</li> </ul>	Ferry infrastructure found to no longer be fit for purpose, therefore unable to provide service	Low Risk	<p>External &amp; Internal Audit</p> <p>Ensure systems in place for facility audit on a regular basis</p>	Low Risk	Rhona Hewitt	<p>In the quarter GWRC has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reviewed this risk - no change in status</li> </ul>
55	79	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Physical harm to the general public</li> <li>Health and safety of staff, contractors and volunteers</li> </ul>	Failure of council bus stop assets causes serious injury	Low Risk	<p>GWRC ensures its contracted maintenance provider maintains the bus stop assets to the appropriate standards</p> <p>GWRC ensures that an annual bus stop asset condition inspection occurs</p> <p>GWRC ensures that its contracted maintenance provider responds quickly to asset failure issues and determines the root of any failure</p> <p>GWRC ensures that there is a robust fault reporting process in place for all bus stop assets</p> <p>GWRC undertakes regular sample inspections of its contracted maintenance provider to ensure the bus stop assets are being maintained to the appropriate standard</p>	Low Risk	Rhona Hewitt	<p>In the quarter GWRC has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintained strong relationships with maintainers, including regular meetings &amp; performance reporting</li> <li>Continued to monitor contractor's work to identify areas of improvement</li> <li>Reviewed this risk - no change in status</li> </ul>