



29 October 2018

Dear [REDACTED]

Official Information Act Request Our Reference: SSC2018/0167

Thank you for your request for information, which we received on 28 September 2018, about the development of the Open Government Partnership National Action Plan 2018-20. You asked for the following information:

- 1 For each of the 12 commitments in the action plan, whether it was proposed by a member of the public during the consultation process, or by a public servant or government agency (and if so, which).**

All the commitments respond to an idea or multiple ideas offered by members of the public during the ideas generation phase at the start of the consultation to develop the third National Action Plan. This includes ideas based on recommendations from the Open Government Partnership's (OGP) Independent Reporting Mechanism (IRM).

The 12 commitments were developed by agencies in response to 449 ideas offered. Most of the commitments reflect a specific idea offered by one or many people, for example civics education for young people, while other commitments respond to multiple, related ideas or underlying problems, for example on the regulatory regime and administrative practice for official information.

Following advice from OGP International, public servants were encouraged to submit any ideas during the ideas generation phase in April/May 2018. This ensured greater transparency for all ideas being proposed and allowed others to comment on all ideas. It also allowed public servants to offer ideas that reflect their personal views about opportunities to improve open government.

The spreadsheet, which you can find at www.ogp.org.nz/ogp-nap3-ideas-to-action-sept2018, demonstrates the linkages between ideas submitted and the themes and commitments in the draft plan.

Attached is a copy of that spreadsheet, sorted so you can see where the majority of the ideas contributed to the commitments. There is not a perfect match for some ideas that contributed to more than one theme and/or commitment.

I have set out more details below about how the public's ideas contributed to the commitments, in response to your second question.

- 2 **All advice on the final selection of commitments. I'm interested in learning what criteria were used, whether a commitment being already underway was considered, any specific ranking or assessment of possible commitments, and what ultimately led to these particular commitments being chosen.**

While there were some base criteria for the final selection of commitments (see below), as stated in answer to your first question, the Plan is the culmination of a process rather than the result of the application of a set of criteria. The 12 commitments were derived through a theming and synthesising process from the ideas generated by the engagement process. They may reflect an actual idea that was submitted and/or the subject matter of a number of ideas and/or a problem to which a number of ideas related.

Throughout the process agencies were tested and challenged to stretch both their ambition and the extent to which they will engage civil society in the implementation of commitments.

The criteria

The criteria applied to the development of commitments was derived from the OGP expectations and notified at the commencement of the process. See:

- www.ogp.org.nz/new-zealands-plan/a-successful-national-action-plan
- advice in the OGP Government Point of Contact Manual that also informed development of the proposed commitments
www.opengovpartnership.org/POC-Manual2017

The process to select the commitments

The Expert Advisory Panel (EAP) provided advice on the process for and development of the draft National Action Plan 2018-20, and was involved at each stage of development of the commitments. See details about the EAP members involved here: www.ogp.org.nz/nap3-expert-advisory-panel-sept2018.

The process to develop the draft Plan and the collateral developed at different stages are available on the OGP NZ website www.ogp.org.nz/new-zealands-plan/third-national-action-plan-2018-2020.

In summary the process to arrive at the final 12 commitments was, as follows:

Engagement and ideas generation – April/May 2018

- We invited the public, including public servants, to provide ideas for the Plan on-line and at six workshops. All 449 ideas were posted on-line for other contributors to expand, rate or comment on.

Theming and Synthesis – June/July 2018

- All 449 ideas were sorted into groups of like ideas for consideration at a meeting of officials and the Expert Advisory Panel (EAP) on 5 June. Seven themes were identified (listed in relative priority order by the meeting attendees). The themes and the ideas linked to them can be viewed on the OGP NZ website here: www.ogp.org.nz/new-zealands-plan/third-national-action-plan-2018-2020. At that meeting, some ideas were confirmed as out-of-scope for the open government programme and these have been referred on to the most relevant government agency.

- The OGP team at the State Services Commission contacted 17 agencies that were in a position to lead investigation of particular themes or sub-themes and asked them to identify possible initiatives to respond to the themes and related ideas. Initial discussion between the SSC officials and agencies tested and stretched the proposals for consideration at the synthesis workshop.
- The then Associate Minister for State Services (Open Government) advised her ministerial colleagues of the themes, highlighting the likely responsible portfolios, and seeking support and encouragement. Officials were also asked to ensure their Ministers were briefed if they were proposing initiatives to be included in the plan.
- At a synthesis workshop on 2 July, the EAP, representatives from the public workshops and officials discussed possible initiatives for all seven themes that had potential to become Plan commitments. The three priority themes were identified as well as the important overarching aspirations about diversity and inclusion. Preferred initiatives were also indicated.
- Some potential commitments were not progressed beyond this point because they were existing work programmes (e.g. protected disclosure and registers of beneficial ownership of companies and trusts) and did not have any particular aspects of additional work or stretch, in response to the ideas collected, that merited inclusion in the Plan. (See paragraph 18 of the [draft Plan](#)).
- The commitments all build directly or indirectly on existing agency and cross-agency work programmes aimed at improving open government. When agencies were approached to respond to the themes identified on 5 June we told them that proposed commitments needed to demonstrate a sufficient level of additional work or “stretch” for the government agency tasked with delivery. The level of ‘stretch’ was particularly important for any initiative that may have been planned, or was underway or was an expansion of a current programme. The level of stretch was tested and agencies pushed by the EAP (and Workshop attendees) as the Plan was developed.
- Two of the final commitments (Commitment 4 and 5) not only respond to ideas raised during the ideas generation phase but also follow on directly from commitments in the National Action Plan 2016-18. Commitment 4 relates to the 2016-18 commitment about improving access to legislation; this has been identified by the independent IRM researcher as potentially transformational and has starred status. The IRM researcher recommended that both these commitments be pursued further, see www.opengovpartnership.org/New-Zealand_MidTerm_2016-2018.pdf. Support for these recommendations was reiterated by Wellington workshop participants.

Developing the detail of the commitments – July/August 2018

- Officials from the lead agencies were tasked with testing potential commitments with Ministers and developing the detailed description of the commitments.
- On 11 July, officials presented proposed commitments at a workshop with the EAP. These commitments were further refined as a result of EAP’s feedback to become the 12 commitments in the Draft Plan.

Ministerial confirmation of the draft Plan – August/September 2018

- The Draft Plan was then submitted to Ministers and was approved by Cabinet on 17 September for release for public comment. See:

www.ssc.govt.nz/sites/all/files/cabinet-paper-ogp-nap-2018-2020.pdf

www.ssc.govt.nz/sites/all/files/dev-18-min-0197.pdf

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact us via this address Ministerial.Services@ssc.govt.nz.

Please note that we intend to publish this letter (with your personal details removed) on the State Services Commission's website.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C Williams', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Catherine Williams
Deputy Commissioner, Integrity, Ethics & Standards
State Services Commission

OGP NAP3 ideas 20 September 2018 re-sorted by Commitment								
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NetHui 9-10 November 2017	Select committee process should be constructive and more accountable, transparent and accessible	Select committee process should be constructive and more accountable, transparent and accessible		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1	1. Participation in democracy	OoC	In June the idea was grouped under theme three.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Take kids to Parliament	Take kids to Parliament		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1	1. Participation in democracy	OoC	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		All school children to visit parliament by secondary school funded tours	To understand the function and processes for greater future participation in democracy	Idea contributed to draft NAP	1	1. Participation in democracy	OoC	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	More opportunities for the public	More opportunities for the public to engage with the legislative process that are simpler and more direct.		Idea provided to agency	1	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	OoC, PCO	https://www.parliament.nz/en/get-involved/topics/
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Youth Engagement	Youth engagement - Youth parliament every year rather than every three		Idea contributed to draft NAP	2	1. Participation in democracy	MYD	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Unit standards/qualifications/internals focussed on politics/public service	Unit standards/qualifications/internals focussed on politics/public service		Idea contributed to draft NAP	3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Engage children in understanding the role of govt using emerging tech	Use govt as a platform - VR simulations	Idea contributed to draft NAP	3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, DIA	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Accessibility	Legislation for dummies - short and easy to digest summaries of legislation to help the general public understand what they mean		Idea contributed to draft NAP	4	1. Participation in democracy	PCO	The Access to Secondary Legislation Project aims to make secondary legislation readily accessible by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> defining what is secondary legislation working with agencies to locate all secondary legislation and make it accessible developing authoring and publication systems to enable direct publication of secondary legislation by makers onto the NZ Legislation website.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Govt commit to resourcing process to involve diverse range of people to design services		Idea contributed to draft NAP	6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Standards	AoG standards accreditation body - Mana and credibility to lead and mandate standards for openness Fighting clearance . Agencies will follow - Teeth to enforce - Expertise to lead - Governance to report on conformance		Idea contributed to draft NAP	6	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Govt needs to be transparent about what has failed	tax-payers are paying for the same mistakes	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC	
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018	More open decision making	Decision makers should disclose the information their decisions were based on, their understanding of the consequences of their decisions and why they reached the decision they did.	People will have greater trust and confidence in decision makers even if they don't agree with the decision.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC	
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		All govt reports need to be published accompanied by the data used to generate the report	It enables citizens to confirm that the evidence supports the proposed policy	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC	
OGP IRM Mid-term Report February 2018	Official information laws and open data programme	Reform official information laws and refocus the Open Data and Information Programme to publish social, environmental, and budget expenditure data		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	MoJ, SSC, Stats NZ	
Online submitter	Expand the coverage of the OIA and LGOIMA	Establish a working party to review the schedules to the Official Information Act 1982 and Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 and other relevant legislation to ensure that all agencies which should be within the scope of the legislation are included.		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Online submitter	Good Information That Is Easy To Understand	My hypothesis is that while transparency stops secrecy, and enables more open government, it does not limit deception. For example, misinformation and misunderstanding follows when accountability documents underplay sensitive financial and performance information, and when planners are forced to write bland and uninformative advice, using evasive and indirect statements that substitute for free and frank advice. My idea is to provide every strategy, governance and planning manager with training and incentives to help their planners and financial advisors to think and draft in a way that enables good decision-making and ensures the decision can be understood and tested by people who do not understand the technical issues. If we really want open government then we need to find a way to make sure New Zealanders can assess the credibility of the accountability information.		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC	
Online submitter	Transparency in Crown-entity decision-making	Require all Crown-entities (including ACEs and ICEs), Crown-owned companies and State-owned enterprises to publish forward meeting schedule, agendas, papers, minutes, Board member attendance, conflicts of interest management, online. The standard needs to be 'publish unless there is a good reason not to'.		Idea provided to agency	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Online submitter	Expand OIA eligibility	The Official Information Act 1982 should be amended to provide that any person (whether a citizen of New Zealand, resident in New Zealand or otherwise) can make a request for information.		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	

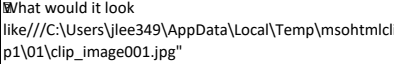
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Online submitter	OIA departmental star rating system	The OIA is a critical part of an accountable democracy. However, there is no requirement for public servants to understand this mechanism or the wider democratic pillars, such as freedom of information, freedom of the press, academic freedom. Culturally, many public servants see those that make OIA requests as "trouble makers", not as empowered citizens acting within a healthy democracy. There appears also to be little accountability around the OIA within government departments other than to attempt requests are actioned within the 20 days and many departments purposefully drag out replies to the 20th day to slow down public inquiries through the OIA. It is recommended that: 1. OIA and an understanding of democratic instruments are mandatory for all public servants 2. That departments are mmeasured and rated through a simple 5 star system based on metrics such as: 3. Posting average reply time (not just initial acknowledgement) 4. Percentage of staff who are trained as above 5. Deduction of points/stars for escalations to ombudsman 6. Customer service satisfaction surveys from those who made requests 7. Employment agreements especially those in senior roles to ensure the above 8. The star system would be published in their annual report 9. Any department scoring less than 3 stars (i.e. minimum requirements), placed under strict monitoring		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	MoJ, SSC	In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Online submitter	Reform official information laws and refocus the Open Data and Information Programme to publish social, environmental, and budget expenditure data	The IRM researcher recommends the following actions when amending the OIA: Align OIA eligibility for requests with eligibility of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (i.e. removing the residence and citizenship requirements to make a request); Apply the OIA to certain parliamentary information, excluding Members of Parliament s constituency work; Add proactive release to the OIA protection against certain actions Amend the OIA withholding grounds to make them subject to a public interest; Extend the scope so the OIA applies directly to private organisations providing public services under contract; and Provide the Ombudsman with powers to specify what kinds of information government agencies should proactively publish. The Open Government Information and Data Programme makes public government-held information for people, communities, and businesses to reuse. While this and the first action plan have addressed open data access and practices, the IRM researcher recommends that the next action plan also include commitments on open data and focus on identified user demand. This should include regular open format publishing of government s open and aggregated social (including housing) data, as anticipated in the previous IRM researcher s recommendation three and go some way towards addressing the previous Government s decision to stop publishing The Social Report. Reporting on environmental outcomes should also continue, and reporting on actual budget expenditure and public		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Ministerials [correspondence from the public]	Ministerials [correspondence from the public] If (we) want this to be a valid way for the public to engage with Minister Minister(s) we should take the comments seriously.		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Availability of information	Availability of information		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Awareness of information	Awareness of information		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Education for Public Servants about the OIA	Education for Public Servants about the OIA		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Explaining, guiding helping people understand the information we release	Explaining, guiding helping people understand the information we release		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Proactive release of information	Proactive release of information		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	OIA Proactive Publication	Add a provision requiring proactive publication but consult the public as well as agencies on what shape this should take. It should include publication of the following - research which has been commissioned by government, awarded contracts, and social, environmental and expenditure.	The OIA doesn't have this requirement currently.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Audit Agencies Compliance with S22	Agencies' compliance with S22 needs to be audited and the publication of internal guidance, policies and recommend improvements.	The public doesn't know how well S22 is being followed by agencies and what policies and processes they are following to interpret the law.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Transparency of Decision Making	Government should have to show its working and be open to the data that has been used to make decisions. The public should be able to review data, engage with someone and challenge: 1. Forecast assumption 2. Policy assumption 3. Scientific research - where has it been peer reviewed, by who	Government is not transparent about the background workings and underlying assumptions of research and data. People have the right to know how decisions that effect them are made.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Improving the relationship between OIA, LGOIMA, Public Records Act	OIA, LGOIMA, Public Records Act relationships need to be tidied up as they cross over one another.	The laws cross over and are not easy to use together.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Clarify Responsibilities for the OIA	Public agency responsibility for the OIA is quite confusing for the general public - even the delegation letter between agencies is not public. Publish the responsibilities of MoJ, SSC, Ombudsman including delegations in one place and promote it!	Public agency responsibility for the OIA is quite confusing for the general public	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Change OIA withholding grounds	56 withholding grounds need to be subject to the public interest test.	Currently the OIA is too narrow.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	OIA Eligibility	The elligibility criteria of the OIA should be extended to everyone to include non New Zealand citizens. We need to remove s12 and s23	The OIA is too narrow.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	

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Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	OIA Scope of Bodies	The OIA should be extended to cover more bodies. These include: 1. The Office of the Clerk, Parliamentary Services, Offices of Parliament and the Speaker excluding matters subject to Parliamentary privilege 2. Private bodies delivering public services under contract. It is possible to add them to the schedule in the Order 3. SOEs (Energy companies) 4. Newly created bodies - add them into the OIA scope	The OIA excludes too many bodies.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	OIA Timeframes for Response	The OIA timeframes for response are too long and too lax. These need to be tightened up so information can be received in a timely manner and agencies can't delay repeatedly.	The OIA timeframes for response are too long and too lax	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	A profession of OIA/Privacy Act Officials	There is currently no career path or recognition of levels of expertise or qualification for officials working in the OIA or Privacy Act (like the UK or Canada). This would feed into improving the culture of agencies for change and improvement of delivery of the OIA. This could also include training and guidance for managers/custodians of datasets as well growing skills and capabilities of Ombudsman investigatory as the technology landscape changes.	There is currently no career path or recognition of levels of expertise or qualification for officials working in the OIA or Privacy Act (like the UK or Canada).	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC	In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	OIA Centre of Excellence	There should be an OIA Centre of Excellence (like the old Information Authority) back on a statutory basis.	Responsibility for and practice of the OIA is spread across the public sector and it is hard to manage by the public	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Broaden the scope of the OIA	We need to broaden the scope of the OIA, in particular the definition of official information, to include the information supplied to inquiries.	The OIA scope is too narrow.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Reform the OIA and change the culture	We need to improve the culture of agencies towards the OIA by focusing on the purposes of the Act. We need to commit to reform the OIA through consultation and participation from New Zealanders. The reform should make the OIA self contained and distinct from the Ombudsman Act Powers.	The OIA is not not adequate and needs to be strengthened.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	OIA Accessibility of Disclosed Information	When you get OIA information it is not always in the form which is easy to use or accessible to the requester for example image only scanned PDFs. OIA data when provided by the requester should be in basically accessible formats like searchable text, HTML, spreadsheets and raw data. All the data should comply with S16 of the OIA.	When you get OIA information it is not always in the form which is easy to use or accessible to the requester for example image only scanned PDFs	Idea provided to agency	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Amend OIA 1982 S6 withholding grounds to be made subject to a public interest	Eliminate lies and complicity in international crime	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Amend the OIA to: - add a public interest test to section 6 - Remove eligibility test in section 12 - Bring OAG and ombudsman into scope of OIA - Make OIA not relying on Ombudsman Act	OIA needs strengthening to improve participation	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Audit agencies compliance with s22 of OIA and recommend improvements	Agency publication of internal rules, policies and guidance is patchy, publication aids accountability and participation	Idea provided to agency	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Ensure all information is open by default, unless legislation prohibits sharing the specific information	Government agencies are risk averse and don't share information to protect their agency	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		How do we make the OIA process more understandable and transparent?	Nzers don't trust it or know how it should work	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Legislation needs to have an impact analysis which gives reasons for 1. Withholding information 2. Not publishing information 3. Restricting public access		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Make all sources of data available . Format in plain English and make it freely accessible	Too much money is spent on media OIA requests	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Mandatory reporting		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		OIA to proactive release	You don't know what to ask for if you don't know it exists. If everything is proactively released there will be much fewer requests	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Publish all OIAs except where there is a commercially sensitive issue or personal info		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Publish the evidence being used to determine government policy	To support transparency and critique	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Recommit the govt to review the OIA act	Public trust and confidence is declining in this domain	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Technology gives us the tools to improve people's lives on scale, but to do this for the benefit of Nzers, we need to be open and understand how decisions are made		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Normalise open behaviour	Transparency between agencies	Otherwise not possible to tell the public what is going on	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Open access to information, decision-making and government IP	"Open by default" is a public service principle which is rewarded and demonstrated	An open public service is a more trusted one and it is also better for public service	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Normalise open behaviour	Do a stocktake of which entities and NGOs do this and ask those who do for feedback on how find it	Leads to transparency and check on any issues	Idea provided to agency	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Normalise open behaviour	Encourage all entities to put meeting minutes online. Could include who does as part of Ombudsman OIA regular report so all is in one place		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Normalise open behaviour	Incentivise public sector CEOs or senior officials to be more transparent so they will lead this (otherwise they can be reluctant)		Idea provided to agency	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Open access to information, decision-making and government IP	Mandate proactive release of all ministerial docs		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ, DPMC	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Normalise open behaviour	Normalise the transparency of information provided by govt so trust can be maximised		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Normalise open behaviour	Publicity of open system introduced by an organisation	This practice encourages others to follow on it	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Open access to information, decision-making and government IP	Publish decision documents (cabinet and agency docs) by default, because people want to see transparency in action		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	

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Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Open access to information, decision-making and government IP	Publishing research/evaluations as default - publishing suds that allow for information to be available	We need to be making decisions that are informed by evidence	Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Normalise open behaviour	Roll out approach by PM of posting short, engaging video explanations of what she does and processes on Facebook for CEs and staff	This demystifies govt for every day people and translates it into other languages	Idea provided to agency	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Open access to information, decision-making and government IP	Transparency of internal policies - agencies are mandated to make all internal policies publicly available		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ	
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018	Algorithms	Develop and continually update policies for use of algorithms	So opportunities for innovation aren't lost and for evidence based decision making aren't undermined	Idea contributed to draft NAP	8	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Algorithmic transparency (rules, calculations, AI, machine learning) need to be open and available for inspection and interrogation and justification	It is disempowering to citizens to be subject to digital processes that are opaque and may contain hidden biases and assumptions	Idea contributed to draft NAP	8	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Online submitter	Algorithm impact assessments	When algorithms are implemented as part of the delivery of public services or the deployment of public assets they should be subject to the kind of assessment that is suggested by New York Universities recent paper described here. - https://medium.com/@AINowInstitute/algorithmic-impact-assessments-toward-accountable-automation-in-public-agencies-bd9856e6fdde		Idea contributed to draft NAP	8	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Algorithmic impact assessment could help us understand what algorithms are being used and how they work		Idea contributed to draft NAP	8	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Establishing criteria and process for what decisions can be made by machines and processes for challenging them		Idea contributed to draft NAP	8	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Govt code should be open source. This improves quality, is verifiable , no black boxes. Make sure contracts enable this		Idea contributed to draft NAP	8	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Implement an algorithmic impact analysis including the chance for public input on ethics	because of the danger of ethical breaches impacting citizens ideas	Idea contributed to draft NAP	8	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Machine consumable legislation and processes (and testable and verifiable)	As we increasingly rely on formulae for entitlements, as well as rule dependencies for compliance, there should be an authoritative source so that algorithms can be specified correctly	Idea contributed to draft NAP	8	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Making govt rules available as open code (machine readable and consumable to help people to understand their rights and obligations		Idea contributed to draft NAP	8	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Openly documenting the logic behind rulesets		Idea contributed to draft NAP	8	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Should we have the right to choose whether we're subject to automated decision making?		Idea contributed to draft NAP	8	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		We need to work out accountability mechanisms for machine learning algorithms that aren't and can't be transparent		Idea contributed to draft NAP	8	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		We should have accountable algorithms, transparency is one tool among many to ensure this		Idea contributed to draft NAP	8	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		I want to track how my personal data is stored/shared/used across govt		Idea contributed to draft NAP	9	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		The exemption from privacy commission oversight of data gathered for statistics must end	Stats IDI represents a significant privacy risk that lacks social license and is insufficiently understood by most of NZ	Idea contributed to draft NAP	9	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Transparency on your own interaction with government	Transparency on your own interaction with government		Idea contributed to draft NAP	9	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Every citizen knows their rights to access their personal info and limit others use of it.	Agencies should be responsive, respectful	Idea contributed to draft NAP	9	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Help people to understand how decisions are made that affect them. Open to transparent/tracible and reusable rules of govt		Idea contributed to draft NAP	9	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Mandatory standards around metadata (issued by the chief archivist) will improve issues with the creation, mgmt., disposal/presentation of govt information		Idea contributed to draft NAP	9	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Standards	AoG metadata standards	It would enable cross-govt and cross-sector collaboration and wider sharing	Idea provided to agency	9	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA, Stats NZ	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Standards	Introduce a 'whole of govt' system to track people's information and interactions with govt agencies (incl. local govt)		Idea contributed to draft NAP	9	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Record keeping	Record keeping		Idea contributed to draft NAP	10	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		A better understanding of how effectively govt agencies are managing their information from creation to disposal	The independent chief archivist is developing a monitoring framework for this	Idea contributed to draft NAP	10	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Meaningful Engagement	Build long term preservation and access into the open information publishing lifecycle	People will need access to the data behind historical decisions, policies and actions	Idea contributed to draft NAP	10	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Areas we should focus on nationally over 2 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Focus on equitable access to bidding on government contracts Presenting public information in an accessible and easily understood manner Better data - highlight way that public can use and will be affected by data produced Media responsibility for reputable and honest dissemination of public service goals and work programmes Actively listening and appropriately acting on behalf of the public Safety on roads. 		Idea contributed to draft NAP	12	3. Transparency and accountability	MBIE	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Contractors. All central and local govt contracts to have a specific contractor no. and be traceable	Accountability	Idea contributed to draft NAP	12	3. Transparency and accountability	MBIE	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Review GETS against the international Open Contracting standard. Remove requirement tot register to read tender docs. Proactively publish all awarded contracts	Will improve accountability of govt spending by increasing access into	Idea contributed to draft NAP	12	3. Transparency and accountability	MBIE	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Everyone should be educated in civics	People don't know how many ways govt impacts their lives	Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		I want my children to be digital-able and included in what govt decisions are about		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	

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Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Youth need better communication from government	They are not educated enough or well informed	Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Tell School Students What is Going On	As a school student it is impossible to know what is going on in Parliament, the decisions that have been made and what they are. Many of these issues effect us and we have no idea about them or how to find out about them. A 5min video of what happened in the week posted on a channel we use and connected to schools could mean that it could be played in assemblies or classes or at least sent to us on the newsletters or policital info Boards. We need to have access to the conversation and to participate.	We are a sector of the society and we have our own views which should be heard. It isn't equitable access to information and decision making otherwise.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Political "Boards" in Schools	There should be political boards or bodies in schools to feed their ideas into the decision making process in Wellington and into Parliament. There is no current structure to help engagement with democracy.	The voice of young people should be heard and they should be included in the decision making process of New Zealand government, particularly if issues affect them.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
NetHui 9-10 November 2017	Building civic education	Building civic education: Expectation of open government information Move to citizenship education (not just about civic process)		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
OGP IRM Mid-term Report February 2018	Introduce citizenship education to increase democratic participation	The IRM researcher recommends government expands its work with citizen-led groups to introduce citizenship education to increase democratic participation. The very first step would be for central government to commit to working with youth, ethnic groups, and local government to develop this commitment and its milestones. This work could build on existing initiatives such as the October 2016 Civics, Citizenship and Political Literacy workshop, and could focus on a sub-national project in South Auckland, with specific goals for government and the community to improve voter participation in the 2019 local government elections.		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Civics education in Schools	Civics education in School		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Areas we should focus on nationally over 2 years	Accuracy of information Civics education - classes at school Accuracy of information Focus on equitable access to bidding on government contracts Presenting public information in an accessible and easily understood manner Better data - highlight way that public can use and will be affected by data produced Media responsibility for reputable and honest dissemination of public service goals and work programmes Actively listening and appropriately acting on behalf of the public Safety on roads.		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	School visits	Offer opportunities for school children to visit Ministers / Government and learn about the policy process.		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	School civics classes	School civics classes and model parliament		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Teach about Government	Teach about Government		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Teaching kids	Teaching kids general information about government		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Teaching participatory democracy	Teaching participatory democracy		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Education in primary schools	Open Day Learning about structure of government Part of the curriculum		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Education about government and how it works	Education about government and how it works		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Early education	Getting kids educated about government and civics from an early age		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Introduce citizenship education to increase democratic participation	Not enough Nzers understand how they fit into NZ's political system and therefore don't participate, meaning the level of voting in elections is too low.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Learning about govt. Create and interactive , engaging (to all ages) website	to teach all about how govt operates and how you can be involved	Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		More young people involved in discussions like this	NZ belongs to them	Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Capability for Communities	Provide practical modules online perhaps use To Ara to educate children and immigrants on basics of constitution	Informs focus on immigrants in their language e.g. videos with basic information on their experiences dealing with govt and local govt e.g. with practical info-bond rates, setting up Real Me etc.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	engaging public education	There is engaging public education about how decisions are made in govt so people can participate and are engaged	The public should be able to participate in decision making	Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Everybody has the ability to have a voice because it effects their lives and future. Education campaigns around schools to adults story lines of how this may play out from action plan to how to submit or participate in the decision making. Pathway needs to be transparent		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3,5,6	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC, DIA, DPMC	
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Better Representation of Youth Voices	Youth voices are not being heard. Particularly in the regions there are not enough opportunities for the youth view to be included in the conversation. Even for the most engaged students, it is impossible to find ways to access or be part of the decisions being made about them - government isn't doing it. Access more through schools or on websites we use - don't create your own.		Idea contributed to draft NAP	1,2,3,5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	MoE, MYD, OCC, OoC	

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Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Leapfrog NZ resilience into accelerated growth by digital enablement	Accelerating social/economic/environmental instability requires flexible and rapid distributed resources that draws together the full resources of the country to respond to engagement opportunity or risk	Idea provided to agency	1,5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Youth need to be involved in planning processes. Where's the intergenerational thinking	Youth tend to be left out of the conversation	Idea contributed to draft NAP	2,3,5	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, DPMC, DIA	In June this idea was grouped under theme two.
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Creating partnership with communities is important	At the moment some govt departments have transactional relationships	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Govt needs to share power and control		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Govt policy-makers need to engage with communities as key stakeholders	When developing briefings, memos, policy or legislation there is little evidence of lived experience	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA, Population agencies	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Have a large scale conversation using crowd technologies to build consensus	Too few are participating	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA, Population agencies	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		I want my Pacific Island values reflected in policy development		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA,MPP	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Needs more worker participation		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Partnership with groups that have reach into diverse communities	Not representative	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA, Population agencies	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Use of tools like Polis public	Conversations should be open and transparent	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Value of cultural diversity is important	NZ is a multicultural society. How do you value diversity or create a platform for diverse voice to come through	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA, Population agencies	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		We need an engagement performance framework	Engagment is ad hoc and varied in quality	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		We need to find ways to harness collective brainpower	Govts don't have all the answers	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		We need transformative policies and plans that are values based	Current plans and policies don't mean anything to us	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Govt needs to be better at listening to, understanding and responding to different perspectives	If we don't we loose the possibilities that come out of diversity. If we don't we won't reach and meet the needs of all citizens	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA, Population agencies	
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Training people in the technologies of consensus and collaboration	Democracy is not the whole answer . Minorities matter	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA, Population agencies	
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	MPs Consult Electorates Before They Vote	An electorate votes someone in and then can vote anyway they want on things they didn't campaign on. There needs to be more consultation more often with electorates particularly on conscience votes - whose conscience?	We need to have better access to the decision making process. MPs represent an electorate but some don't share what is being decided or what approach is being taken and why. Otherwise it is a black box.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Engage with Maori and Pacifika	Government needs to include the voices with Maori and Pacifika into decision making more. Their views need to be reflected in policy development, working groups and decision making more consistently.	Maori and Pacifika have unique perspectives and have much to add. It needs to be equitable.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA, Population agencies	
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Engage with the Disengaged	If the Government is to be open, it should do more to engage with those that are disengaged. These consultations are with people that come forward to be engaged with. Everyone has a right to be included and their views reflected. Government needs to do more and try harder.	Everyone has a right to be included and their views reflected.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA, Population agencies	
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Regional Views Represented in Wellington Policy Development	Ministerial advisory groups and Working Groups should include regional representation. They shouldn't be just filled with Wellington people or people who don't understand the views of people in the South Island. Everyone has the right to be represented and have access to the discussion - all parts of the country should be heard.	Because the issues that are important to people in the South are different to those in the North. A regional perspective and regional issues are not always included in important government policy developments or think tanks - they are inequitable.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA, Population agencies	
NetHui 9-10 November 2017	Local government is really good at community engagement - replicate this for central government	Local government is really good at community engagement - replicate this for central government. How do we do this well at scale?		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	

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OGP IRM Mid-term Report February 2018	Develop standards for public consultation on policy initiatives	<p>The IRM researcher recommends the NZ government co-create, adopt, and implement government policy to set out minimum standards for public consultation on policy initiatives and changes to service delivery. This policy should draw on international standards as articulated by the International Association for Public Participation (IAP2).</p> <p>The next action plan should set a strategic goal to raise its IAP2 level from the present involve or consult to collaborate . This could be fully realised over the third and fourth action plans. The 2018-2020 action plan could include milestones to trial new approaches to public engagement in policy making, linking the current commitments 1, 5, and 7. This would move beyond the internal focus of commitment 7; look to developing the next OGP Action Plan (commitment 5); and progress realising the vision for commitment 1 (open participatory budgeting). It could bring together the currently somewhat unconnected OGP activities involving the three central agencies (Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet, the State Services Commission, and the Treasury) and the Department of Internal Affairs; review NZ and international experience in direct public engagement in public policy design and implementation (including the innovative use of new ICT tools to facilitate two-way interactions and deliberation).</p>		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Online submitter	Expand the all of government consultations listing	<p>An expanded consultation listing (https://www.govt.nz/browse/engaging-with-government/consultations-have-your-say/consultations-listing) can be used as a mechanism to track and measure indicators of quality (eg consultation time period, readability).</p> <p>This would be done through the creation of a public consultation standard (work on this has already been started by DIA), which would provide a consistent method of data capture.</p> <p>Opening this data up via an API will enable the list to be automated and also to be reused by anyone who wants to analyse or share the consultations.</p> <p>Expanding the data collected to include upcoming/planned engagements will give the public and different interest groups more time to engage. It also helps the public service see what is happening across the sectors, which could encourage collaboration between engaging with the same or similar audiences.</p>	<p>Quality public engagement is a cornerstone of good policy and service design. Transparency across the engagements government is having is essential to keep the system accountable. Currently, there is no reliable view of all the consultations and engagements being done by government, and no measure of their quality is. To make sure any intervention or programme for improvement could be measured for it's success, the system itself needs to be tracked.</p> <p>There is also great opportunity to improve transparency across the system with the consistent capture of an extended set of metadata with a public consultation standard, and the reuse of the consultations data via the API.</p> <p>An extra benefit is an improvement to the co-ordination across government and the ability of the public to be notified of planned engagements before they're made official. Allowing more time for people to engage is a major pain point in the current system.</p>	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Online submitter	Develop a permanent and properly resourced government unit to collect, process and communicate ongoing public input such as a Commission of Public Input	<p>Big idea: This unit would collect, process and communicate public input so it is an ongoing activity, not just a one off event. It needs to be appropriately resourced with a dedicated, trained public input staff unit to collect and process the public input. Scaled down proposal to fit 2-year time frame: work on creating one on a particular issue or focus, or linked issues, like housing and transport – but check with politicians for what issues they want input on and would be likely to listen to, and preferably, get involved in before choosing. They wanted something on tax and welfare, so what next? Collate all existing data, hold new summits/working groups to address the issues, and aim to produce options for policy development in mid-2018, which would be a good time in the new government's cycle. Aim to showcase it as an example of innovation to match the best examples from the US or elsewhere.</p> <p>However then archive it/make it a permanent organisation that can then be broadened beyond the two year time period if it works/if supported.</p> <p>Additional idea to support this: appoint a figurehead, ideally a Minister of Public Input or if not a senior government staffer: public input needs a champion, so governments need a Minister for Public Input. Already Canada has a Minister for Democratic Reform; the UK a Minister for Civil Society and Minister for Political & Constitutional Reform.</p> <p>What would it look like?  a Public Input Collection Unit would collect public input</p>		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Online submitter	1. Spread a Gold Standard of Decision-maker Driven Engagement across government	<p>Proposal:</p> <p>Create and spread a Gold standard Decision-maker Driven Engagement for NZ government that will have more impact because it involves the decision makers in the process; focus on issues the government want public input on; produces recommendations usable for politicians; and feedbacks the government response/action.</p> <p>Principles to implement:</p> <p>The Gold standard of Decision-maker Driven Engagement should embed principles such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Involve decision makers throughout the process Involve relevant government ministers in the design Communicate closely with government throughout the process Seek a government ministers to champion the process Focus on issues the Government wants public input on Ask government ministers to identify pressing issues they would welcome input on e.g. Housing or infrastructure challenges, or immigration Run engagement exercises to Create politically usable input Make sure the input processes consider constraints and conflicts that exist in political reality Produce several not just one options for politicians to consider Produce timely data for politicians by operating quickly and on a large enough scale e.g. online Feedback Government's Response Communicate public input initiatives over time not 		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	

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Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Areas the Public Service should focus on	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Easier engagement with low income households Communicating effectively to allow changes - work at grass roots - interact with everyday people New technology innovative business for sustainable priorities gaining market access Government and Public Service curriculum area taught at primary school level Non-physical contact for public services - digital How to commit to transparency without hindering the work of the Public Service too much. 		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Better communication for consulting	Better communication for consulting		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Co-design with the public	Co-designing government services with the public who are actually affected		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Collaborating with communities	Collaborating with communities		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Consultation to co-design	Consultation to co-design		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Conversation two-way	Conversation two-way		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Digital engagement between public and government through online apps	Digital engagement between public and government through online apps		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Engaging with users of services	Engaging with users of services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evaluations Working Groups Openly sharing these reports 		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Make engagement easy	Make engagement easy		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Consultation	Meaningful consultation (policy development) - Open Government in digestible format		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	More co-production	More co-production		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	More cross agency working on shared problems also with NGOs and Community	More cross agency working on shared problems also with NGOs and Community		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Participation in the process	Participation in the process		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Public forums	Public forum for feedback		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Rural Development	Rural development - open government		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Two - way communication	Two-way communication		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Unified councils	Unified councils to help support decision making at a national level		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Public Engagement	Public Engagement		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Government needs to Co-design with Communities	To fully understand the needs of the community, government needs to co-design policies and processes alongside them, or let them lead. The involvement needs to happen at the problem definition stage not at the end of the process (eg including community in the redesign of jury service). The mechanisms used to engage with communities should be easy to use and community members should be paid or given some recompense for their time.	To fully understand the needs of the community, government needs to co-design policies and processes alongside them, or let them lead.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Champion the rights of registered charities to advocacy	Charities know their local communities best	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Citizen involvement in co-creating new govt services	Often policies are developed without intimate involvement of affected communities in a closed process. An open process would allow stakeholders to validate assumptions and co-create fir for purpose policy and services	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Community led development approach turns power base around but may also be financially beneficial		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Engage with ethnic and disabled communities and CSD representatives on previous consultations for actions and develop plan to complete framework		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Engaging rural communities	Not all are engaged/informed yet but would have great ideas	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Govt needs to understand people better. In their context, family, community, society. Use service design		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Greater use of citizen tech	We need to measure impact of community participation	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Legislate govt consultation process	Inconsistent and poor consultation on plans, policies, strategies etc.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	

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Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		People/citizens need to deliver a service to govt participation in govt service/policy design		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Policy and decision making processes for C21st issues.	Wicked problems can't be solved using conventional approaches such as expert groups and royal commission. Research from social sciences point towards alternatives. Govt start experimenting with these on real issues.	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Speed up the response time of policy/legislation by co-designing with multi-disciplinary teams and impacted people. Use legislation as code to model scenario test and real time feedback from systems		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Support and diversify the NZ network of OGP champions	To often democracy is not seen as a priority	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	SSC, DPMC, DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Understand too big for govt alone	Real need to build trusting partnership with range of organisation	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Use engaging methods to involve people in early decision making policy/legislation		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Work to support and fund representative civil society body that can help coordinate civil society feedback	Many NGOs have been silenced by contract conditions and need to overcome fear of speaking out	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Standards	All govt consultations ideas need to be centrally registered well ahead of time	Then people can have time to engage and won't feel rushed	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Meaningful Engagement	Co-ordinate engagement between govt agencies to make sure insights being shared	People/communities get sick of being asked the same things	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Meaningful Engagement	Ensure Iwi/Maori are engaged at ALL stages along the way in govt policy development	This is central to NZ - good Iwi/Maori engagement will produce better results and wellbeing for all	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Meaningful Engagement	If we say we are in partnership than all partners feel involved	Communities can become disheartened if they're not involved	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Accessibility	Making sure material is accessible to a range of people, especially those with disabilities and literacy issues		Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Meaningful Engagement	People are part of decisions that impact them	Most often the people govt is trying t help know exactly what they need	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Meaningful Engagement	Track metrics for consultations e.g. time consulted on	Then we can see the state and quality of current consultations	Idea contributed to draft NAP	5,6	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC,DIA	
NetHui 9-10 November 2017	OIA process	<p>• OIA process</p> <p>• Empathy for the public servants trying to answer these</p> <p>• "Commercial sensitivity" used as an excuse to not release information - we want to know how much government spends on specific things</p> <p>• Private-Public-Partnerships muddy the waters of "commercial sensitivity"</p> <p>• All contracts that government has should be public available</p> <p>• OIA process needs to scale. Look at a different model</p> <p>• Information should be made available by default (open 1st). It should be ubiquitously available, but needs to be 'utilisable', or usable by the average person.</p> <p>• Help people to use and explore open information and data by providing tools</p>		Idea contributed to draft NAP	7,12	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, MoJ, MBIE	
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Standards	Better /more enforcement of information regulations, especially regarding access, creation, maintain ace and disposal.	It holds govt to account and give teeth to IM - IM eco-system not well funded or understood	Idea contributed to draft NAP	9,10	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		We need online voting	Voter participation is too low	Idea provided to agency	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	DIA/MoJ	DIA is currently working on an online voting trial for local body elections. https://www.dia.govt.nz/online-voting . In June this idea was grouped under other.
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		All types of education should be accessible	Not everyone is willing/ready for the public system	Idea provided to agency	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	MoE	https://www.education.govt.nz/school/student-support/
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Nationalism, what does this mean because at the moment. NZ seems very divided. What does it mean to be a Nzer in 2018?		Idea provided to agency	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	MCH	
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Data literally needs to be taught at an early age because currently there is little understanding of format standards that can help when using data in other areas	For instance we teach capitals and 'I' and 't's, why not digital literacy and language and show stories of benefits of how they can have better outcomes	Idea provided to agency	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	MoE	https://parents.education.govt.nz/secondary-school/learning-at-school/learning-using-digital-technologies/
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Embed the principles of creative commons licenses into the National Curriculum to preload young people with a mindset of openness. Part of this creates opportunities to create, share and openly increase content they create that supports SDG's	Increased international linking, awareness and openness	Idea provided to agency	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	MoE	
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Greater focus on empathy in education	We need a greater focus on empathy in education - building and listening trust. Show it and teach it.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	MoE	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Build more diverse pool for boards and work roles	This creates more creativity and productivity	Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	Tsy, MfW, TPK, MPP	When providing advice on appointments to Crown boards the Treasury consults with MfW, TPK, MPIA, ODI and the Office of Ethnic affairs. Everyone is eligible to be considered for appointment to a Crown board, barring any disqualifications that may apply. Board directors are selected and appointed based on their skills and the needs of a particular entity s board. http://women.govt.nz/leadership , http://www.mpp.govt.nz/what-we-do/nominations-service , https://www.tpk.govt.nz/en/a-matou-kaupapa/crown-iwi-hapu-whanau-maori-relations/governance-and-appointments

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Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Children and young people (millennials) - have an online space for young people to have a voice on different topics effecting them, which are in the hands of government		Idea provided to agency	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	MoE, MYD, OCC, DIA	http://www.digital.govt.nz
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Clear, simple information is provided about Bills and policy development so everyone can submit to select committee		Idea provided to agency	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	OoC, PCO	https://www.parliament.nz/en/get-involved/topics/
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Add novations, delegations etc. to central portal (such as Directory of Official Information)	These sub-legislative instruments are key to implementing the law and increasing access to this information. This will aid accountability and participation	Idea provided to agency	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Election process plus training plus database for nominations plus open calls		Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	N/A	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Governance history training, sports leadership		Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	N/A	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Implement recommendation from disability coalition consult review under Minister Turia. Reemployment review via Neon		Idea provided to agency	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	MSD (ODI)	https://www.odt.govt.nz/united-nations-convention-on-the-rights-of-persons-with-disabilities/second-periodic-review/
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Low income families should be provided the technology they need (e.g. iPads, tablets, laptops) for their kids to succeed.	Children born in rich families have better access to technology, knowledge and low income kids struggle to keep up (e.g. homework, study, assignments)	Idea provided to agency	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	MoE	https://parents.education.govt.nz/secondary-school/learning-at-school/learning-using-digital-technologies/ In June the idea was grouped under theme two.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Report of employment conversation by Human Rights commission - NEON.org.nz 2 year programme		Idea provided to agency	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	MBIE, HRC	MBIE is working in this space to provide materials to both employers (so they know their obligations) and employees (so they know their rights). https://www.employment.govt.nz/about/news-and-updates/online-employment-learning-modules-for-employers-and-employees/
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Meaningful Engagement	Fast track online voting to encourage people to vote and increase overall voting numbers		Idea provided to agency	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	DIA/MoJ	DIA is currently working on an online voting trial for local body elections. https://www.dia.govt.nz/online-voting
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Meaningful Engagement	With more and more migrants, Nzers and migrants must understand what's involved in the process of social integration	Lack of social integration leads to social isolation, racism and lack of participation in democracy	Idea provided to agency	N/A	1. Participation in democracy	MBIE	MBIE leads the whole -of-Government Migrant Settlement and Integration Strategy to supporting new migrants to settle. To assist this approach MBIE is leading the development of an Intercultural Competence Development Programme for State sector employees. The programme supports the Inclusion outcome of the New Zealand Migrant Settlement & Integration Strategy - Migrants participate in and have a sense of belonging to their community and to New Zealand - and contributes to the Employment outcome: Working age migrants have work that matches their skills and qualifications. The Programme will support an all-of-government approach to growing a diverse and inclusive State sector. Further, MBIE has regionally-based Relationship Managers who arrange for presentations to Local Settlement Networks. Through these meetings, local players including community groups and centres, can access information about support for new migrant and refugee settlement. Also see the following link for services in regions: https://www.newzealandnow.govt.nz/
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Diversity representation of women of colour into government and local boards	Currently there is little representation	Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	MfW	http://women.govt.nz/leadership , http://www.mpp.govt.nz/what-we-do/nominations-service , https://www.tpk.govt.nz/en/a-matou-kaupapa/crown-iwi-hapu-whanau-maori-relations/governance-and-appointments
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Gender equality is important	Currently we have a hugely unequal gender representation at the decision making table. Women, youth and children's voices are marginalised	Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	MfW	http://women.govt.nz/leadership
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Inclusion strategies when appointing leadership governance roles	decision making is made by the same group of people	Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	Tsy, MfW, TPK, MPP	The Treasury has diversity and inclusion strategies for recruitment and appointments to leadership roles. More information can be found here: https://treasury.govt.nz/publications/speech/diversity-and-inclusion-why-it-works-work http://women.govt.nz/leadership , http://www.mpp.govt.nz/what-we-do/nominations-service , https://www.tpk.govt.nz/en/a-matou-kaupapa/crown-iwi-hapu-whanau-maori-relations/governance-and-appointments
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Mobilize rangatahi leader into governance	We need better representation. E.g. more Chloe Swarbrick	Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	Tsy, MfW, TPK, MPP	The Treasury has diversity and inclusion strategies for recruitment and appointments to leadership roles. More information can be found here: https://treasury.govt.nz/publications/speech/diversity-and-inclusion-why-it-works-work , http://women.govt.nz/leadership , http://www.mpp.govt.nz/what-we-do/nominations-service , https://www.tpk.govt.nz/en/a-matou-kaupapa/crown-iwi-hapu-whanau-maori-relations/governance-and-appointments
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		We need better representation of Maori in decision-making/government	There tends to be a lack of exercise of Treaty partnership	Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	TPK,DPMC	http://women.govt.nz/leadership , http://www.mpp.govt.nz/what-we-do/nominations-service , https://www.tpk.govt.nz/en/a-matou-kaupapa/crown-iwi-hapu-whanau-maori-relations/governance-and-appointments
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Encourage public-private partnership in education	It creates better opportunities for our youth	Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	MoE	
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Have an international outlook on realised project	Because many commissioned works have already been researched. Could be used as a stepping stone rather than spending more time to interrogate	Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC	https://www.dPMC.govt.nz/our-programmes/policy-project/policy-methods-toolbox-0 In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Database of migrant specialists for developing socio-cultural business/trade relationships		Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	NZTE, MFAT	
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Involve ethnic migrant specialisation in developing economic/business relationships for NZ with their respective countries of origin	E.g. NZTE to work with NZ-Indian business but not so much with other countries	Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	NZTE, MFAT	
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	We need an upper house for better representation	We need to change the current model of government to include an upper house so there are more levels of debate and more people can be at the decision making table. At the moment the Executive holds too much power and not enough people get to see how decisions are made and on what basis.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	MoJ	

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OGP IRM Mid-term Report February 2018	Expand the Expert Advisory Panel to include greater civil society representation	The IRM researcher recommends the EAP's current Terms of Reference be amended to add civil society representatives elected by civil society and to ensure that all EAP members undertake regular OGP engagement with the public. This will provide a broader civil society voice than at present and broadcast government's public engagement commitment. Membership within the EAP should also be regularly rotated and include people who can advise on online access requirements for those with disabilities. The EAP could consider and recommend to Government what incentives could be offered to encourage the broader civil society voice. This would require an increased budget and resources for implementing NZ's OGP activities, assisting civil society to contribute, and increasing the profile of OGP in NZ.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	SSC	In March 31 2018, the Expert Advisory Panel was expanded to seven members. Naturally these numbers will fluctuate depending on the work priorities and availability of members. The SSC is very supportive of the Panel and acknowledges the value it provides. Processes are being developed to make sure any vacancies are filled.
Online submitter	Indigenous, locals and minorities	And the indigenous, locals and minorities?? Like to see some walking talk there nz government		Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Online submitter	2. Create a Career Path for Government Engagement Staff	Proposal: Create a Career Path for Government Engagement Staff that trains, develops and rewards staff across government departments involved in engagement and public input. Principles to implement: Create differentiated roles within government engagement To make public input work, it needs a range of activities and staff with varying skills and aptitudes to carry them out. It's not just about organising a one off consultation. For example it could include: Government Liaison Staff – who manage the relationship with government; so they gather politician's input into the design and focus on public input, ensure they receive the outputs from public input; solicit and communicate the government's response Public Input Collection Staff - ensure public input is collected according to best practice such as using a range of sources; using a range of methods that produce constructive conversations; with transparency about is on/off the table; and accurate recording of the input. In particular, Participation selection officers collect public input from a diverse range of sources with a mix of all potential groups, but making sure that elites do not dominate and participants treat each other as equal peers. Issue selection strategists - collect public input on any issue including those that are most important to the public, those politicians haven't yet decided on, crisis issues, complex issues and those more manageable. Public input designers: design public input in its various		Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	SSC, DPMC	https://www.dPMC.govt.nz/our-programmes/policy-project/policy-improvement-frameworks/policy-capability
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Binding Citizens'-initiated referenda	Binding Citizens'-initiated referenda - so people can make the law themselves.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	OoC, Electoral Commission	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Digital	Digital		Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Easy to understand common language to assist public participation	Easy to understand common language to assist public participation		Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC, DIA	https://www.dPMC.govt.nz/our-programmes/policy-project/policy-methods-toolbox-0 In June the idea was grouped under theme one.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Evaluation Processes	Run evaluation processes regularly and publish findings to ensure government processes have an opportunity to improve		Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC	https://www.dPMC.govt.nz/publications/making-sense-evaluation-handbook-everyone https://www.dPMC.govt.nz/our-programmes/policy-project In June the idea was grouped under theme three.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Increasing connectivity to rural NZ	Increasing connectivity to rural NZ		Idea contributed to draft NAP	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	Stats NZ, DIA	www.digital.govt.nz In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Ensure people are not left behind as digital use grows	Ensure people are not left behind as digital use grows		Idea contributed to draft NAP	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Diversity of thought and exposure	Diversity of thought and exposure		Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	More exposure to and interaction with citizens	More exposure to and interaction with citizens		Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Working agile, faster feedback from business/stakeholders	Working agile, faster feedback from business/stakeholders		Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Every person with complex, multi-dimensional needs should have a connector/support person to help them navigate govt services.	It is very difficult for many kiwis to access the services they need (because govt is difficult to navigate	Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.

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Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Community centre offering support for new immigrant/refugees. Get govt agencies representatives to have presentations	More help is needed is settling in!	Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	MBIE	MBIE leads the whole -of-Government Migrant Settlement and Integration Strategy to supporting new migrants to settle. To assist this approach MBIE is leading the development of an Intercultural Competence Development Programme for State sector employees. The programme supports the Inclusion outcome of the New Zealand Migrant Settlement & Integration Strategy - Migrants participate in and have a sense of belonging to their community and to New Zealand - and contributes to the Employment outcome: Working age migrants have work that matches their skills and qualifications. The Programme will support an all-of-government approach to growing a diverse and inclusive State sector. Further, MBIE has regionally-based Relationship Managers who arrange for presentations to Local Settlement Networks. Through these meetings, local players including community groups and centres, can access information about support for new migrant and refugee settlement. Also see the following link for services in regions: https://www.newzealandnow.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Diversity paid in governance boards and management	Ethnic, women, age variety and disability. Start including these voices from school age	Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	Tsy, MfW, TPK, MPP	When providing advice on appointments to Crown boards the Treasury consults with the MfW, TPK, MPP, Office of Disability Issues (ODI) and the Office of Ethnic affairs. Everyone is eligible to be considered for appointment to a Crown board, barring any disqualifications that may apply. Board directors are selected and appointed based on their skills and the needs of a particular entity's board. http://women.govt.nz/leadership , http://www.mpp.govt.nz/what-we-do/nominations-service , https://www.tpk.govt.nz/en/a-matou-kaupapa/crown-iwi-hapu-whanau-maori-relations/governance-and-appointments
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		JDs need to explicitly value lived experience relevant to roles. E.g. disability for social service engagement		Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	MSD (for social services contracting)	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		We should have civic engagement hubs for people to access info and support to engage with govt	govt is not accessible for everyone, so not everyone's voices are being heard (or being heard as loudly)	Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DIA	The Department of Internal Affairs' Service Innovation Lab comprises of service innovation, design, and delivery teams that regularly engage in conversation with New Zealanders to ensure government services meet citizens' needs. In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Translations of Government Information	Not all parts of NZ society have equitable access to information because English is a second language. There should be real-time translations to participate in govt processes such as Select Committee and local government consultations. Government should also work with communities to create authorised translations.	Not all parts of NZ society have equitable access to information because English is a second language	Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Ageing workforce needs to be taken into consideration in an increasing digital-based society	Their knowledge is worth retraining	Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Enable civil society to build the tools and services they need to deliver to their specific needs. Govt as a platform		Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ The Open Data Programme aims to increase access to government held data, increase use of data, and build an open by design culture. In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Normalise open behaviour	Ensure research ensures accurate forecasting to allow for planning		Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC	https://www.dPMC.govt.nz/our-programmes/policy-project In June the idea was grouped under theme three.
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Normalise open behaviour	Single portal for govt consultation on policy development	Opening up policy development at the right time will improve outcomes and a single portal will make consultation more effective and efficient	Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DPMC, DIA	https://www.govt.nz/browse/engaging-with-government/consultations-have-your-say/consultations-listing/
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Accessibility	Finding ways to reach people who don't/can't access the internet work with cabs?		Idea provided to agency	N/A	2. Public participation to develop policies and services	DIA	www.digital.govt.nz In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Digital accessibility is important	Currently there is a digital divide in the community	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	www.digital.govt.nz In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		All data should be made open and accessible	It can be used by business, NGOs and communities	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Generational success planning for creating new jobs	There is not a plan in place that is looking at this	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	MBIE, Tsy	In June the idea was grouped under other.
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Government data needs to ensure segregated data is available and accessible	Current ethnic divisions are limited in their usefulness	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	The Ethnicity NZ Standard Classification was updated in 2017 and will be used in data published from the 2018 Census. http://archive.stats.govt.nz/methods/classifications-and-standards/current-classifications-and-standards-review/ethnic-nz-std-classn-2005-new-version.aspx
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Govt data needs to be accessible	Currently the public lacks the knowledge on how to do this easily	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	www.data.govt.nz In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Make diaries of politicians open to view	The public should know who they meet with	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Parliamentary Services	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Population agencies (TPK, MPP, OEC) need to share data and ensure open, available and accessible	NZ society is increasingly mixed, diverse and heterogenous	Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Shared information across govt and NGOs is important and should be transparent		Idea contributed to draft NAP	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Privacy Commissioner	https://www.privacy.org.nz/privacy-for-agencies/how-to-comply-with-the-privacy-act/
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Stock-take of Maori and pacific people's worth to NZ society	At the moment deficit lenses	Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Cross-government, but particularly TPK, MPP, MBIE (Maori and Pasifika economic development focus)	http://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/infrastructure-growth/maori-economic-development/the-maori-economy , http://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/infrastructure-growth/pacific-economic-development/pacific-economic-strategy-2015-2021 In June the idea was grouped under theme two.
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		We need a public register of landlords	They can access all info about renters but not the other way	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	MBIE	
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Govt data needs to define processes for holding govt accountable in socio-cultural terms	The current measures of success are inadequate	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Tsy, Stats NZ	The Treasury and Stats NZ are developing frameworks for measuring, monitoring, and publicly reporting on New Zealand's well-being. The Treasury's Living Standards Framework is based on measures of natural, human, financial/physical, and social capital as indicators of sustainable intergenerational well-being. https://treasury.govt.nz/information-and-services/nz-economy/living-standards/our-living-standards-framework Indicators Aotearoa New Zealand is being developed by Stats NZ as a source of measures of New Zealand's well-being, and will support the government's ambition to use a well-being approach to strategic decision-making. https://www.stats.govt.nz/indicators-and-snapshots/indicators-aotearoa-new-zealand-nga-tutohu-aotearoa/
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Use technologies like trip advisor to rate interactions with govt agencies	No accountability	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA, SSC	http://www.ssc.govt.nz/kiwis-count

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Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018	Open Education Resources	Incentivise the creation and access to Open Education Resources	More innovation and more sharing of new and improved practices.	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	MoE	In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		A copyright Act that supports and encourages creativity and idea sharing within NZ and is not driven by, or serves the interests of, big business and the entertainment sector (in USA)	Creativity and innovation should not be suppressed	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	MBIE	MBIE is currently leading a review of the Copyright Act 1994. More information can be found at http://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/business/intellectual-property/copyright/review-copyright-act-1994 In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		All local government to develop/adopt/implement a multicultural strategy	For cultural competency, outer-culture awareness, treaty-based multi-culturalism	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA, Local govt	In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Consortia approach to all NZ academic journal subscriptions. Proactively supporting open access journals not publishers with DRM	NZ spends millions on subscriptions to journals, the same journals with closed business practices and locked down information	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Cross-government	MBIE is a member of the Global Research Council, who have an action plan towards open access to publications https://www.globalresearchcouncil.org/fileadmin/documents/GR_C_Publications/grc_action_plan_open_access_FINAL.pdf Many individual research institutions have their own policies which can be found on their websites. In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Declarations and guidelines re open data need to be accompanied by funding	Regional and local government/councils lack resources to identify, document and publish open data	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Define the coalition rules for the formation of a govt after the elections	To avoid delays in forming the govt. To avoid making compromises on policies for the new govt. To avoid "horse-trading". To pre-declare possible parties/alliances	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DPMC	https://dpmc.govt.nz/our-business-units/cabinet-office/supporting-work-cabinet/cabinet-manual/6-elections-transitions-and
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Key document regulations like census need to be accessible to all because it was online this year people became anxious when not sure how to access without a computer.	Didn't allow marginalised people who this was a barrier for some. Better outcome for census was produced when a group of people who were homeless were advised by completing they \would bring extra funding to city with health for every individual who completed.	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ	Statistics will be undertaking a full independent review of the 2018 census to ensure it can make improvements next time. In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Library as hub to community organised resource sharing for schools and institutions	we don't need to buy items that we won't use once a year, we can share it	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Mandate that resources; data, images, research etc (with exceptions for child protection and indigenous knowledge respect) that are funded by taxpayer/ratepayer be openly licensed	The public pay/fund the creation of these resources. Access to reuse and remix encourages creative societies	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		ogp.org.nz and SSC need to exemplify good web practices and transparency	It's not clear who the EAP members are, who the officials group are, many link e.g. documents missing and broken, and somebody in government needs to start fixing this	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC	SSC is working to fix problems caused by a refresh of the OGP website earlier in 2018.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		One library card for all Nzers	Support of life long learning. Harness power of National Library and LIANZA to bring this to life	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Publish parliament.nz info using open structured data standards	Most info on parliament is unusable, unstructured, unlinked, can't be analysed, visualised	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	OoC	
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Support and invest in fostering new or improved government capabilities through motivated individual review of our HR process	To increase efficiency. Developing capabilities in people that are motivated	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC	In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Transparent dashboard of innovations/project initiative platforms for all of govt and NGOs being able to see the state f the Nation	Currently silo units are working on similar work that could have better outcomes together or redeployed into other areas as already covered.	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Tsy, Stats NZ	The Treasury and Stats NZ are developing frameworks for measuring, monitoring, and publicly reporting on New Zealand's well-being. The Treasury's Living Standards Framework is based on measures of natural, human, financial/physical, and social capital as indicators of sustainable intergenerational well-being. https://treasury.govt.nz/information-and-services/nz-economy/living-standards/our-living-standards-framework Indicators Aotearoa New Zealand is being developed by Stats NZ as a source of measures of New Zealand's well-being, and will support the government's ambition to use a well-being approach to strategic decision-making. https://www.stats.govt.nz/indicators-and-snapshots/indicators-aotearoa-new-zealand-nga-tutohu-aotearoa/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018	Sharing of resources	Use and resource community and school libraries to deliver more services and provide reach into communities	More and different people will be able to participate in processes and access services more efficiently	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Visualise and diagram the OGP timeline	It can be confusing to understand the action plan and reporting relative to consultation and engagement opportunities	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC	A timeline for the development of the third OGP action plan can be found at http://www.ogp.org.nz/check-progress/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		We need a cross govt glossary (ontology) to help people understand govt processes, concepts etc. and begin to clarify and harmonise definitions	Citizens are disempowered by jargon, terms of art and ambiguous language	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA, Stats NZ	Stats NZ is leading the development of agreed data content standards for government to ensure information is recorded in a consistent way across government agencies. In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Within the time frame of the next National Action Plan measure governments commitment to uptake NZ goal	The purpose being to increase government commitment and contribution of resources licensed for open reuse	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA, MBIE	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-licensing/ The number of datasets published using NZGOAL will be included in the Open Data Maturity Dashboard (to be published shortly). In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Capital Gains Tax	Income gained from capital gains on properties in New Zealand should be taxed as income from other sources is. This would go beyond the current policy of only capital gains from properties sold within three years of purchase being taxed. Capital gains tax rates would depend on the size of the capital gains, and would be administered on a tiered structure similar to that used for calculating income tax rates.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Tsy	In June the idea was grouped under other.
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Incentivise businesses and people to move out of Auckland	We need to spread the economic benefits and reduce the pressure on housing, transport and services by incentivising businesses to move out of Auckland. People should be able to work to support themselves, not pay all of their money in high rents and travel costs with nothing left over.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Tsy	In June the idea was grouped under other.
NetHui 9-10 November 2017	Data driven policy development	Data driven policy development Leverage data as a predictor of future outcomes Build models and open source these models, so others can help with determining their fit for the intended policy outcome, e.g. 3 strikes law - considering the potential consequences		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DPMC, Stats NZ	https://www.dpmc.govt.nz/our-programmes/policy-project In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
NetHui 9-10 November 2017	Greater granularity of transparency of government appointments	Greater granularity of transparency of government appointments		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC	For Public Service CE appointments: SSC publishes key documents on its website following the appointment recommendation being confirmed by Cabinet and the warrant being executed.
NetHui 9-10 November 2017	Open budget - should have the board timeline of the budget process available on the Treasury website	Open budget - should have the board timeline of the budget process available on the Treasury website		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Tsy	Treasury has a number of initiatives in progress to enable transparency, for example Treasury is leading the proactive release of government budget documents, OIA responses are proactively released on the Treasury website and budget process data is now provided in plain language.

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NetHui 9-10 November 2017	Small working group of IT experts to help with open information	Small working group of IT experts to help with open information - missing the right tools to make sense of the data/information and public discourse		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA, MBIE	https://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/digital-economy/dedimag In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
NetHui 9-10 November 2017	Help political parties set realistic budget	Help political parties set realistic budget		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Tsy, DPMC	https://www.dPMC.govt.nz/our-business-units/cabinet-office/supporting-work-cabinet/cabinet-manual/6-elections-transitions-2
OGP IRM Mid-term Report February 2018	Anti-corruption	Include anti-corruption commitments in the next action plan, covering whistleblower protection and a public register of company beneficial ownership		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DPMC, MoJ, SFO, SSC, MBIE	Government is enhancing anti-corruption measures through: o a cross-government anti-corruption programme to reduce New Zealand's risk of corruption and enhance its integrity framework o a proposal to establish a publicly available register of beneficial owners of companies and trusts o a review of the Protected Disclosures Act – New Zealand's whistle-blower protection legislation, which applies to both the public and private sectors.
Online submitter	Proactive release of Ministerial weekly briefings	All Ministers will release their weekly briefings (with redactions consistent with the OIA) two months after receipt		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, DPMC	SSC leading work to support agencies to a) progressively increase the proactive release of official information act request responses, and b) progressively increase the proactive release of official information.
Online submitter	Enact the recommendations of the WAI 262 report	Seven years have passed since the Waitangi Tribunal report was released. https://www.waitangitribunal.govt.nz/news/ko-aotearoa-tenei-report-on-the-wai-262-claim-released/ It is past time that the government responded. Enacting the proposed legislation would guarantee a proper mechanism to develop the partnership between Māori and Crown to one of partnership. This would provide NZ with one of the important bases allowing the relationship to move from a colonial context to a partnership context. In particular it would make improvements to the conditions under which Māori cultural property is held in government institutions. Ko Aotearoa Tēnei recommends reform of laws, policies or practices relating to health, education, science, intellectual property, indigenous flora and fauna, resource management, conservation, the Māori language, arts and culture, heritage, and the involvement of Māori in the development of New Zealand's positions on international instruments affecting indigenous rights. These recommendations include law changes and the establishment of new partnership bodies in several of these areas.	Adopting the recommendations would substantially open the government to Māori in some very important ways.	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	TPK and MfE leading cross-government response	Individual agencies responding to claim. In June the idea was grouped under theme two.
Online submitter	Establish a public register of lobbyists and require disclosure of lobbying contacts	The government should establish a public register of lobbyists and of lobbying contacts to allow this sort of behind-the-scenes influence to be monitored.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	
Online submitter	Coalition Agreement Document	The Government should release the Coalition Agreement that Labour made with NZFirst and the Greens.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DPMC	https://www.dPMC.govt.nz/sites/default/files/2017-12/coc-17-10.pdf (Labour-NZ First Coalition Agreement) https://www.greens.org.nz/sites/default/files/NZLP%20%26%20GP%20C%26S%20Agreement%20FINAL.PDF (Labour - Greens Support Party Confidence and Supply Agreement)
Online submitter	Establish a public register of company and trust beneficial ownership information	The New Zealand Government will establish a publicly accessible central registry of company and trust beneficial ownership information. The registry will contain information about who ultimately owns and controls companies, trusts, and other legal entities.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	MBIE	http://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/business/business-law/supporting-the-integrity-of-the-corporate-governance-system/increasing-transparency-beneficial-ownership-nz-companies-and-ltd-partnerships
Online submitter	Report on NZ's progress against the UN's Sustainable Development goals	The UN's https://www.un.org/sustainabledevelopment/sustainable-development-goals/ Sustainable Development Goals; provide the only framework for global thinking about the interrelationship between the environmental crisis that is becoming exponentially more serious and people's efforts to improve conditions across a range of measures which include- social, environmental, economic and institution building, peace and justice. There is also a specific action related to building international partnerships. NZ should report on the policies it is implementing as they relate to the SDG's which many in civil society are seeking to implement.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Tsy, Stats NZ	Indicators Aotearoa New Zealand is being developed by Stats NZ as a source of measures of New Zealand's well-being. The indicators will enable New Zealand to meet international reporting obligations such as the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), as well as domestic reporting standards such as the Living Standards Framework. https://www.stats.govt.nz/indicators-and-snapshots/indicators-aotearoa-new-zealand-nga-tutou-aotearoa/ In June the idea was grouped under other.
Online submitter	Make the register of overseas registered entities public	Transparency International has called for "a public repository of the overseas beneficial owners of assets registered in New Zealand for all legal entities." When ordinary New Zealander's banking and overseas transfers of small amounts of money have been made into a top heavy & inconvenient not having a register of those organisations mostly likely to be the cause of the more than \$1.35bn of dark money coming into NZ each year makes a mockery of our laws. New Zealand has been a tax haven. Some of the worst aspects have been reined in. A public list will help to clean up foreign tax evasion and the use of NZ as a destination for money laundering. This article outlines the issue from Transparency International NZ. https://www.transparency.org.nz/report-on-money-laundering-and-financing-terrorism-warns-against-complacency/		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	MBIE	http://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/business/business-law/supporting-the-integrity-of-the-corporate-governance-system/increasing-transparency-beneficial-ownership-nz-companies-and-ltd-partnerships
Online submitter	Access to services	Better utilisation of existing personal information and business information to improve ease of access to government services. Once users accept their details may be shared across government databases demonstrate how that sharing can add value without being too pervasive or invasive in respect of privacy. An example might be entering an IRD or NZ Business Number into a linked system which would then offer the public services that might be relevant to you personally (IRD) or your business (IRD or NZBN)		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	Stats NZ is leading the development of agreed data content standards for government to ensure information is recorded in a consistent way across government agencies. In June the idea was grouped under theme four.

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Online submitter	Accountability Information	Extend organisational accountability information on the https://www.govt.nz/organisations/Govt.nz A-Z of government agencies. This is information that helps people know which agency they can contact when they're taking a complaint, also what that agency can do (eg prosecute, review etc). This work would need to be done in collaboration with the Office of the Auditor General based on the work they have done and reported on http://oag.govt.nz/2016/accountability http://oag.govt.nz/2016/accountability . govt.nz is recognised by the OAG as an ideal platform as they have said To be useful, this information needs to be kept up to date and in a user-friendly format. ... [on a website]; that aims to make it easier for people to understand and find government agencies."	People have to do all the hard work finding and understanding what they're able to do when something goes wrong for them. Not all accountability information is published, and when it is published, it can be hard for the general public to understand it. It is critical that there is transparency across the system about what people can do and who they can complain to or ask for a review.	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	
Online submitter	Include anti-corruption commitments in the next action plan	Reform whistleblowing laws to increase awareness and protections for whistleblowers There is public concern regarding insufficient protections for whistleblowers. While some consequential work on the Protected Disclosures Act (2000) has followed the recent whistleblower investigations in 2016, it is essential that the NZ government complete its review. Specifically, the NZ government could reform the current whistleblowing law to address the current barriers people face when raising public interest concerns and make the law itself easier to access and understand. Take measures to establish a public central register of company beneficial ownership An important issue facing New Zealand is the exploitation of foreign companies and trusts by corrupt officials, tax evaders, etc. Including this issue in the next action plan will bolster New Zealand's anti-corruption efforts, which do not currently include a strategy for making a company beneficial ownership register public. A wider, public database of beneficial owners of companies and trusts will save costs and prevent corruption.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC	SSC is currently leading a review of the Protected Disclosures Act 2000.
Online submitter	Accuracy of NIWA Data for the NZ Temperature Record	NIWA should have a formal internationally accepted NZ Temperature record with has known standards and model which is peer reviewed and tested with independent international analysis. The research should follow best practice and academic protocols so the results can be trusted. They should be open to discussion and challenge from the public and transparent about their decision making. Government policy should not be based on doubtful climate data which can't be validated. Currently there is no transparency in the way NIWA calculates the de facto NZ Temperature Record. While NIWA contends there is no official temperature record, they collect data through the 7 Station Series (7SS). These data are used to underpin government policy on climate change as this is deemed the baseline from which any deviation is a rise or fall of temperature in New Zealand. NIWA data are not peer reviewed and cannot be replicated as is standard scientific practice. Other scientists have run the same raw data and found a significantly different temperature trend over the past 100 years. (De Freitas, Dedekind & Brill, in 2015 analysed the same data using the correction methods NIWA claim they use, only +0.28 degrees in the last 100 years in comparison with NIWA's estimate of +0.91 degrees). Such a wide discrepancy between modest and beneficial warming and verging on detrimental effects should be resolved in an open and cooperative manner. NIWA will not discuss, meet or indulge in any challenge to their data outside of government even with technical,	The NZ temperature record is the basis from which government departments assess projections re temperature rise and or other criteria in the future. We need to be able to implicitly trust the validity of government data and research and should follow well accepted scientific conventions. Research which is the basis of policy and decision making implicating billions of dollars implications for the economy and the balance sheet, should be sound, transparent and able to stand rigorous testing and independent peer review. Scientists outside of NIWA have no rights to be heard or to have their alternate view considered which is against the principles of open government. Government data should be transparent and government agencies should engage with the public.	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	MfE	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Communication Channels	Communication channels that are applicable to changing society		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Areas we should focus on nationally over 2 years	Accuracy of information Civics education - classes at school Accuracy of information Focus on equitable access to bidding on government contracts Presenting public information in an accessible and easily understood manner Better data - highlight way that public can use and will be affected by data produced Media responsibility for reputable and honest dissemination of public service goals and work programmes Actively listening and appropriately acting on behalf of the public Safety on roads.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA, Stats NZ	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ The Open Data Programme aims to increase access to government held data, increase use of data, and build an open by design culture. In June the idea was grouped under theme one
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Areas the Public Service should focus on	Easier engagement with low income households Communicating effectively to allow changes - work at grass roots - interact with everyday people New technology innovative business for sustainable priorities gaining market access Government and Public Service curriculum area taught at primary school level Non-physical contact for public services - digital How to commit to transparency without hindering the work of the Public Service too much.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	In June the idea was grouped under theme two.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Phones in Parliament	Allowed to take phones in to Parliament - into the Gallery on tours		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Parliamentary Services	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	'Academic' Language	Awareness that large body of NZ is hostile to academic language – grads our age tend to use this too much we need to remember we are not necessarily cleverer than the rest of the public – don't isolate		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Easy access	Easy access		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Easy to understand common language to assist public participation	Easy to understand common language to assist public participation		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme one.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Get out of Wellington more often	Get out of Wellington more often		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.

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Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Integrated digital platforms	Integrated digital platforms = knowledge sharing		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ https://data.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Interactive models created to raise awareness and interest in process	Interactive models created to raise awareness and interest in process		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Making information more accessible and user friendly	Making information more accessible and user friendly		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA, Stats NZ	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ https://data.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Digital integration	Open data - digital integration - digital services, incorporate in to schools' programmes		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Public Service should focus on raising community awareness of process	Public Service should focus on raising community awareness of process		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Transparent government	Transparent government		Not enough information provided about idea to be able to respond.	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Cross-government	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Use language the public understands	Use language the public understands		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Visibility of what government does	Visibility of what government does		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Cross-government	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Visual/video comms	Visual/video comms (eg Snapchat) about government for youth and those with low literacy		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme one.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Accessibility of Information to the public	Accessibility of Information to the public		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Accessible information – not just digital (digital divide)	Accessible information – not just digital (digital divide)		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Continue to be transparent and honest about budget/processes	Continue to be transparent and honest about budget/processes		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Tsy	Treasury has a number of initiatives in progress to enable transparency, for example Treasury is leading the proactive release of government budget documents, OIA responses are proactively released on the Treasury website and budget process data is now provided in plain language.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Get public servants on the ground to actually understand issues	Get public servants on the ground to actually understand issues		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Mobile first	Mobile first		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Multi-lingual	Multi-lingual		Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Open data	Open data		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Release more open data	Release more open data		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme seven
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Tailored information	Tailored information		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Technology adopting	Technology adopting		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Specificity	Specificity: Details Priorities		Not enough information provided about idea to be able to respond.	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	N/A	
Themes Workshop 5 June 2018		Idea generated at Themes Workshop 5 June: What would a collaborative formative process for the annual budget look like?		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Tsy	Treasury has a number of initiatives in progress to enable transparency, for example Treasury is leading the proactive release of government budget documents, OIA responses are proactively released on the Treasury website and budget process data is now provided in plain language.
Themes Workshop 5 June 2018		Idea from Themes Workshop 5 June: research & evaluation in relation to sporting bodies		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	N/A	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	OIA- Ombudsman Mandatory Reporting	There should be mandatory reporting by the Ombudsman on progress with complaints and keeping complainants and agencies informed.	At the moment the Ombudsman does not have a system or set process for keeping complainants and agencies informed.	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Office of the Ombudsman	Mandatory reporting on individual complaint progress would require legislative change, as the Ombudsmen Act imposes strict secrecy obligations on the Ombudsmen and their staff. The Ombudsman's Continuous Practice Improvement policy requires staff to provide the complainant and agency with an update every six weeks, as well as a substantive update sent by letter at least every 12 weeks and at key points of the investigative process. The Ombudsman reports on timeliness of complaint-related matters in the Annual Report. For the 2016/2017 financial year, the Ombudsman exceeded all 2016/2017 timeliness targets.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	OIA Accessibility	To make it easier to find information already released and improve accessibility we need a centralised online tool for requesting/responding and making complaints to an oversight body (like Mexico). It should have a federated feed of govt-created documents (like Norway)	It is important because at the moment it is hard to find and not scalable.	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA, SSC, MoI	SSC is leading work to support agencies to a) progressively increase the proactive release of official information act request responses, and b) progressively increase the proactive release of official information.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		all govt rules available as 'open data', legislation/regs operational policy as machine consumable		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Training and capability	AoG training for public servants on IM	Public servants do not always understand the importance of creating and maintaining records of what they do and the impact this has on transparency, accountability and the rights and entitlements of Nzers	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC	https://www.dPMC.govt.nz/our-programmes/policy-project , https://www.data.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Budget: visually show the budget on an interactive website (info-graphical style)	So easily understood by all and allowing for online conversation	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Tsy	Infographics are already in use, and are continuously undergoing development. www.budget.govt.nz

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Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Can we have a map of which govt information is where?		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Central repository for publishing OIA responses.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Create as advised a minister for the Sustainable Development goals. Align these goals and NZ! PROGRESS AGAINST THEM	So we play our part in meeting our obligations	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DPMC, Tsy, Stats NZ	Indicators Aotearoa New Zealand is being developed by Stats NZ as a source of measures of New Zealand's well-being. The indicators will enable New Zealand to meet international reporting obligations such as the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), as well as domestic reporting standards such as the Living Standards Framework. https://www.stats.govt.nz/indicators-and-snapshots/indicators-aotearoa-new-zealand-nga-tutohu-aotearoa/
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Digitize all historic Gazettes (pre-1999)	A lot of historic information is only available in the old hard copies	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Extend the scope of a public register of beneficial owners of financial assets	To eliminate money laundering	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	MBIE	http://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/business/business-law/supporting-the-integrity-of-the-corporate-governance-system/increasing-transparency-beneficial-ownership-nz-companies-and-ltd-partnerships
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Funding	Geospatial budget	Can't assume money needs to spent the same way in different places	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Tsy	The public finance system enables Ministers, public service departments and crown entities to take different approaches in different regions to meet their agreed outputs as appropriate.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Goal: people in neighbourhoods and communities have access to physical and digital services. Local govt provide community hubs and navigation to help those to access at home		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Government documents are difficult to read they are written badly. We need to produce plain English publications reports and information on government which is understandable, simple, accessible and consistent		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Govt digital services need to be designed to delivered around he needs of people, families and communities/society		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Govt preapproved procurement for digital engagement tools e.g. citizen space	Current blockage getting through IT procurement	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	In June the idea was grouped under theme two.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		If strong tech focus realise many can't engage! E.g. census		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ	Stats NZ will be undertaking a full independent review of the 2018 census to ensure it can make improvements next time. In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Improving infrastructure to enable reach and access. E.g. broadband in rural areas		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Increase funding for digitalisation of government records held at Archives NZ	To increase across to information	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Training and capability	Increase the capability and capacity of public libraries to help their communities interact with govt	Libraries are crucial facilitators for enabling govt interaction, but they are always being asked to do more with less	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Infrastructure planning is prioritised to reduce	Climate change impacts transport decisions	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	MBIE	In June the idea was grouped under other.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Involve beneficiaries advocate groups before publishing pamphlets etc on work and income benefits		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	MSD, DIA (for service development generally)	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		It should be legislated that governments open/publish any non-sensitive data they hold. Even though open data policy says government should open data by default, there are still lots of agencies which are not so confident to do so.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/The Open Data Programme aims to increase access to government held data, increase use of data, and build an open by design culture. In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Make govt data available in ways that enable machine analysts manipulation of it	So that people can use the data in transformative ways	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Non personal information licensed internationally	People and systems are now international	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Open bug databases for open source systems		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Funding	Open wellbeing budget 2019	Budget drives govt funding and policy/: influencing budget decision-making process early is important	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Tsy	NZ rates equal-first in the global 'open budget index', which includes principles of transparency and process. 2019 will be New Zealand's first "Wellbeing Budget."
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Paid advisory panels		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Cross-government	In June the idea was grouped under theme two.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Plain English summaries of Bills before Select Committee		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	OoC	https://www.parliament.nz/en/get-involved/topics/ In June the idea was grouped under theme one.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Plain Kiwi (English)	There is a large population with English as a second language; also even when English is a first language simple is easier	Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	www.digital.govt.nz In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Put the open data policy on a statutory footing	Several years experience shows the 'direct, encourage, invite' policy has not resulted in publication by default. Statutory backing would result in increased access.	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Remove all Crown copyright and apply it retrospectively	So that everyone can re-use this valuable information	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	MBIE	MBIE is currently leading a review of the Copyright Act 1994. More information can be found at http://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/business/intellectual-property/copyright/review-copyright-act-1994 In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018	Funding	Resource open govt e.g. having open govt teams within agencies	otherwise there is no time or will to create change	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC	SSC is leading work to support agencies to a) progressively increase the proactive release of official information act request responses, and b)progressively increase the proactive release of official information. In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Standards and requirements for official translations of important documents/resources. Some translations of the road code are unofficial/not endorsed by NZTA. Could be crowd-sourced then reviewed by agency?	Information needs to be accessible/understandable by all	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		There should be a standard for the government to publish their financial/non financial information. Currently, they just name things whatever they want	It's hard for citizens to understand or compare the performance of different agencies	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ	Stats NZ is currently working on the standardisation of data- https://www.stats.govt.nz/assets/Uploads/Data-leadership-fact-sheets/fact-sheet-data-standards-Mar18.pdf
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Transparent ownership of land and companies and trusts etc.	Minimise corruption often 'owned' by proxies, lawyers and accountants for true owners	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	MBIE	http://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/business/business-law/supporting-the-integrity-of-the-corporate-governance-system/increasing-transparency-beneficial-ownership-nz-companies-and-ltd-partnerships
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Volunteers are recognised as part of GDP or other official measures		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ	The NZ General Social Survey, held every two years by Stats NZ, produces statistics about social well-being which include voluntary work for groups or organisations. Voluntary work is also likely to be considered in the development of social well-being indicators for Indicators Aotearoa New Zealand. In June the idea was grouped under theme two.

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Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		When govt publish annual reports, they publish a structured dataset of their financial and non financial information	Most annual reports nowadays are flashy, but it's hard to analyse the information in the reports - 300+ pages! Nobody reads them all	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Tsy	With regards to fiscal data series, Treasury have a number of sources and are looking to release more datasets over time. The first data set was core Crown expenses at Budget 2018.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Remove gagging clauses in govt agency contracts with NGOs	Civil society voice is weakened by them, impoverishing the policy debate. Need to increase quality of participation in policy	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	MBIE, MSD	In June the idea was grouped under theme two.
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Standards	Digital Bill of Rights Citizen: commitment to single source of truth/services/consultation Govt: centralised register of initiatives, standards, resources and data Business: register of procurement, open data resources		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA, MBIE. Stats NZ	https://www.govt.nz/browse/engaging-with-government/consultations-have-your-say/consultations-listing/ Open government data resources can be accessed from data.govt.nz
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Normalise open behaviour	Agencies to work more collaboratively with the opposition to reduce workload and increase transparency		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	N/A	In June the idea was grouped under other.
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Standards	AoG keywords for services - Google surfaces Govt sources for info - Authoritive sources are visible - The 'right' govt services are available to users - Open access to data		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/The Open Data Programme aims to increase access to government held data, increase use of data, and build an open by design culture. In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Normalise open behaviour	Briefing schedules for ministers to be posted on beehive website. People can see discussions and make targeted information requests		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DPMC, SSC	SSC is leading work to support agencies to a) progressively increase the proactive release of official information act request responses, and b) progressively increase the proactive release of official information.
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Standards	Cohesion of processes across local govt procurement	So integrity/transparency is maximised	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.lgtenders.co.nz/
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Normalise open behaviour	Establish safe and fair ways agencies can share information across agencies to aggregate effort and enable co-design		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	SSC, Tsy, Stats NZ, DIA	Stats NZ is currently working on the standardisation of data- https://www.stats.govt.nz/assets/Uploads/Data-leadership-fact-sheets/fact-sheet-data-standards-Mar18.pdf In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Open access to information, decision making and government IP	Get rid of Crown copyright (and apply the change retroactively)	Crown copyright is anti-ethical to the open govt ethos	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	MBIE	MBIE is currently leading a review of the Copyright Act 1994. More information can be found at http://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/business/intellectual-property/copyright/review-copyright-act-1994 In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Accessibility	Minimum readability standards for all govt information	People need to understand everything!	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ , https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Open access to information, decision making and government IP	More digitisation of current records and archives good platforms to make them easily discoverable	This can increase transparency and engagement in social history and current govt policies	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Open access to information, decision making and government IP	open-ness of publicly funded research	GETS DTATA INTO ECONOMY. Citizen re-use . Value add on investment. Re use by govt. We pay for it	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Stats NZ, DIA	https://www.data.govt.nz/standards-and-guidance/open-data/open-data-nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme seven.
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Meaningful Engagement	Reward (\$\$ and credits) people and groups who currently are disengaged with govt and find it difficult	The NZ system is better with *everyone* engaged	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA and cross-government	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme two.
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Normalise open behaviour	Support for the private sector to be transparent not just about the data they collect and use but what the outcomes of this use is		Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	Privacy Commissioner	https://www.privacy.org.nz/privacy-for-agencies/how-to-comply-with-the-privacy-act/
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Meaningful Engagement	Work out what people want to know	Too much information is not accessible	Idea provided to agency	N/A	3. Transparency and accountability	DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Local govt commit to OGP	Large section of government not participating in OGP key part of civil society	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC, DIA	In June the idea was grouped under theme two.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Resource sharing at national level	Many resources are recreated or re-commissioned with public money that could be e.g. education use many resources	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Show the pooling of resources/services that can create a more powerful outcome	This could be done through regional to national sprint workshops of key stakeholders and advertising the concept of sharing through positive benefits rather than individual	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Nethui 9-10 November 2017	Openness in public service	Openness in public service - recognises that public servants are people too! There's more than one model for what the public service looks like (e.g. part timers from industry) Step change to "from this day forward you can be open" More guidance for public servants Value of neutral public service		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Nethui 9-10 November 2017	Is government collecting the right data? - we should have a public consultation on this	Is government collecting the right data? - we should have a public consultation on this		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	Stats NZ	In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Nethui 9-10 November 2017	Good funding for public interest media	Good funding for public interest media Incentives for public to translate 'political speak', e.g. through GovHack		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	MCH	The Ministry of Culture and Heritage, supported by a Ministerial Advisory Committee, is increasing funding for public media to ensure that our democracy is informed by well-resourced, modern, accessible public media The Ministry of Culture and Heritage is also supporting new investigative journalism initiatives to promote robust national debate on issues that are important to the public In June the idea was grouped under theme six.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Co-operation and transparency	Co-operation and transparency between agencies		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Have more presence in non-urban areas	Have more presence in non-urban areas		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	MBIE	https://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/sectors-industries/regions-cities/provincial-development-unit In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Inter-agency collaboration	Inter-agency collaboration - Overcoming barriers		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.

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Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Letting the public know what we do	Letting the public know what we do		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	DIA, SSC	http://www.ssc.govt.nz/spirit-of-service In June the idea was grouped under theme four.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Police 10/7 for government	Police 10/7 for government		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Public Service should improve websites	Public service should improve websites		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC, DIA	https://www.digital.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme three.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Alignment between services	Alignment between services		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Collective spirit of service	Collective spirit of service		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Improve electronic data storage	Improve electronic data storage		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	DIA	In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Improved inter-agency promotion	Improved inter-agency promotion		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Improving cross-agency collaboration	Improving cross-agency collaboration		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Lower level cross Ministry engagement	Lower level cross Ministry engagement		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Marketing the option to be a Public Servant	Marketing the option to be a Public Servant		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	More reliable approach	More reliable approach		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Problem solving approach	Problem solving approach		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Role Modelling	Role Modelling		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Sharing knowledge within an agency	Sharing knowledge within an agency		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Better media coverage of new and existing policy	Better media coverage of new and existing policy		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	MCH	The Ministry of Culture and Heritage, supported by a Ministerial Advisory Committee, is increasing funding for public media to ensure that our democracy is informed by well-resourced, modern, accessible public media The Ministry of Culture and Heritage is also supporting new investigative journalism initiatives to promote robust national debate on issues that are important to the public In June the idea was grouped under theme six.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Areas we should focus on nationally over 2 years	Media responsibility for reputable and honest dissemination of public service goals and work programmes Actively listening and appropriately acting on behalf of the public Safety on roads.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	MCH	The Ministry of Culture and Heritage, supported by a Ministerial Advisory Committee, is increasing funding for public media to ensure that our democracy is informed by well-resourced, modern, accessible public media The Ministry of Culture and Heritage is also supporting new investigative journalism initiatives to promote robust national debate on issues that are important to the public In June the idea was grouped under theme six.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018		Public Service broadcasting		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	MCH	The Ministry of Culture and Heritage, supported by a Ministerial Advisory Committee, is increasing funding for public media to ensure that our democracy is informed by well-resourced, modern, accessible public media The Ministry of Culture and Heritage is also supporting new investigative journalism initiatives to promote robust national debate on issues that are important to the public In June the idea was grouped under theme six.

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Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Training and capability	Mandate Te Reo inclusion in the public service so that all employees respect and understand basics		Idea contributed to how the NAP will be implemented	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC, TPK	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Normalise open behaviour	Organisation to be open first	Most organisations are working on silo, which is detrimental to openness	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other open government ideas	SSC	SSC is undertaking a review of the State Sector Act – the legislation that sets out public service principles and values, and underpins how government agencies work together to provide better outcomes for New Zealanders. Consultation on proposed changes to the Act can be found at https://www.havemysay.govt.nz/ In June the idea was grouped under theme five.
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Encouraging to upskill/educate should be one of the top priorities	Better education normally relates to better life	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoE	https://www.education.govt.nz/ministry-of-education/overall-strategies-and-policies/
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Enviromental sustainability is important	Currently in the name of economic growth we compromise our enviroment	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MfE	http://www.mfe.govt.nz/about-us/our-policy-and-evidence-focus/enhancing-our-policy-advice
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Green business and re-cycle & enviroment wate management plan for future	There is not a clear plan in place	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MfE	http://www.mfe.govt.nz/waste
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Living wage is important	Wages don't match the high living standards	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	Tsy, SSC	https://www.beehive.govt.nz/release/2000-lowest-paid-public-servants-get-pay-boost - Living wage for core Public Service employees from 1 September 2018.
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Mana Wahine women in work, generational inclusion of young women for specific regions	60% Maori women are occupying Wiri prison. Pacific 13%, is rising	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MBIE, MfW, TPK, MPP	https://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/sectors-industries/regions-cities/provincial-development-unit
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Public transportation is important. We need to plan to cater for rising population and need adequate infrasturcture to cater for it		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoT	https://www.transport.govt.nz/about/governance/statementsofintent/statement-of-intent-2018-2022/priorities/
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Trades training for Maori and pacific communities to facilitate [fragment]	Currently held by TEO's. Iwi and pacific community funded [fragment]	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoE, TEC	In June the idea was grouped under theme two.
Auckland Workshop 21 May 2018		Waste recycling plant is important	Currently we have a plastic fantastic (not) space! Think green, clean NZ. What does this look like?	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MfE	http://www.mfe.govt.nz/waste
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Changing the oppositional culture and systems of parliament to cooperative problem solving	People model the behaviour of leaders	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	Office of the Clerk	
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Development of a sustainable process that develops the creation of Open Education Resources (OER) to support local curriculum	Our fantastic National Curriculum document encourages localisation. This increases connections locally, ownership of local issues and solutions and increased engagement with learning	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoE	In June the idea was grouped under theme one.
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		dhbS/Transport/Social development/Housing should all fund projects on transport that is sustainable accessible and affordable	Transport is central to wellbeing, access to economic activities, connect peoples and is essential to urban design and planning	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoT	https://www.transport.govt.nz/about/governance/statementsofintent/statement-of-intent-2018-2022/priorities/
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		One card for all buses, cycle share and train	I use my card or phone to take the bus in Christchurch, then use it in Dunedin. Maybe a national entity for a ticketry, for bus first then link to other modes	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	Ministry of Transport, LGNZ	
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Redevelop current orientation of education	We have lots of data unused and many unemployed young or women	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoE	https://www.education.govt.nz/ministry-of-education/overall-strategies-and-policies/
Christchurch Workshop 24 May 2018		Sustainability needs to be our core foundation because short interim solutions with no forward thinking leads to a crossroad where the journey becomes stagnate	Explain, educate, reinforce sustainability as a key outcome and show what that may look like through collaboration	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	N/A	
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Decriminalising Abortion	Allowing women to have an abortion no matter their circumstances and not only when there is a risk to them.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoH	https://healthcentral.nz/submissions-open-on-abortion-law-reform/
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Mental health resources for schools.	Having more mental health awareness and help resources available in primary and secondary schools.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoH	https://www.health.govt.nz/our-work/mental-health-and-addictions/youth-mental-health-project
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Decrease intensive dairy farming	Change farming processes that are environmentally harmful to ones that are better for the environment		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MPI	https://www.mpi.govt.nz/funding-and-programmes/farming/sustainable-farming-fund , https://www.mpi.govt.nz/funding-and-programmes/farming/sustainable-land-management-and-climate-change-research-programme/
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Youth Mental Health	Propose that as a country we should put more money on youth mental health as often mental health discovered in the teenage years can continue on to adulthood, which would essentially cost more. I also think that this would be beneficial as too much stress is put on the youth and finding ways to stop that or at the very least finding ways to help absolve stress		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoH	https://www.health.govt.nz/our-work/mental-health-and-addictions/youth-mental-health-project
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Tax Reform	Think that we should increase taxes on the wealthy, and increase transfer payments to the poorest in our society.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	Tsy, IR	Treasury is supporting the Tax Working Group to look at ways to improve the structure, fairness and balance of the tax system.
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Drop the Voting Age to 16	If the voting age is dropped to 16, most people are still in school. They will be surrounded by structure and teaching so you learn about government, understand the choices you make and be more connected to the process. It will connect people into the democratic system early rather than dip out.	Democracy is important and connecting people to the democratic process is important.	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoJ	In June the idea was grouped under theme one.
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Take abortion out of the crime act	Is about time		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoJ	https://healthcentral.nz/submissions-open-on-abortion-law-reform/
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Children Learning Languages	Make it compulsory for NZ children in primary and intermediate schools to learn a language.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoE	
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	NCEA should take into account mental health concerns	NCEA should take into account mental health concerns. Many students have mental health issues and they are not being recognised or catered for with the current way achievement is being assessed. The current system is inequitable.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoE, MoH	https://www.health.govt.nz/our-work/mental-health-and-addictions/youth-mental-health-project
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Phase out Dairy Farming	Support and fund scientific research into renewable farming practices and alternative environmentally friendly products to produce. Support farmers in making this essential transition both financially and through workshops and resourcing.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MPI	https://www.mpi.govt.nz/funding-and-programmes/farming/sustainable-farming-fund , https://www.mpi.govt.nz/funding-and-programmes/farming/sustainable-land-management-and-climate-change-research-programme/

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Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Environmental Accountability	The basic idea is to hold people, companies, and different sectors responsible for the environmental impact that they have. Companies that produce large emissions or pollute and people who run farms should have to take measures to add something positive our environment. Whether this looks companies and people paying money into environmental initiatives or there being a set of better rules and regulations that are strictly monitored, anything that detracts our environment should be limited.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MfE	Environmental Impact Assessment already required for a range of activities, including use of DoC land, resource consents etc.
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	More focus on Arts	The curriculum is very crowded. There is less and less time spent on the arts. The arts are important to grow well rounded people who can use both sides of their brains. The arts are also career choices which we don't have much opportunity to follow, study or be assessed on.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoE	
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Prioritise Wellbeing and Happiness	The way you frame your thoughts affects everything you do and everything you can do. Young people struggle with this more than any other group. We need to focus on health and wellbeing - that gives a good base for students to learn and achieve.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoE, MoH	https://www.health.govt.nz/our-work/mental-health-and-addictions/youth-mental-health-project
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Parking	We need to have more free angle parking around school zones and other wide streets so people do not drive around looking for a park and wasting petrol they may not have the money to refill, which also causes problems in the environmental area. This brings on stress as jobs are limited and parents have children to raise, some of them may not grow up to be a respectful, responsible, caring, careful, loving and more person in life. There are many other areas involved with this but parking is one of my greatest and most noticed, and I believe if you acknowledge my idea and take action this place could become a whole lot better!		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoE	
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Broader Thinking Around Urban Planning	When new towns and communities are built more things need to be taken into account like where jobs are, what is available for refugees and housing - all different types. The social aspects of urban planning and major developments need to improve.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MBIE	http://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/sectors-industries/regions-cities/provincial-development-unit/regions
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Medical research funding	I think that it would be in the country's best interest to increase the amount of funding for medical research in New Zealand, especially surrounding cancers and the use of crispr based research as it is becoming more relevant in the scientific community.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoH, HRC	
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Regional and small town investment	Small towns like Milton are ravaged by meth crises. The main population of regions are old people and students, as high skilled work has moved to the nearby big cities. To overcome those issues, the government should invest in community centres, business, and youth activities to actually give people a place in their community to feel involved. The issue is that these towns are hollowed out but the government can help to give them life again.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MBIE	http://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/sectors-industries/regions-cities/provincial-development-unit/regions
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Decriminalisation of drugs	To decriminalise drugs in New Zealand and create more rehabilitation programs so people can recover from addictions safely.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MfE	The Ministry of Culture and Heritage, supported by a Ministerial Advisory Committee, is increasing funding for public media to ensure that our democracy is informed by well-resourced, modern, accessible public media The Ministry of Culture and Heritage is also supporting new investigative journalism initiatives to promote robust national debate on issues that are important to the public
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Consumer culture	We are living in a Neo-liberalistic age where private corporations hold all the power and from that, a consumerist culture has been born. Society focuses on purchasing goods or items but has little understanding of the environmental, social and mental repercussions. If we as New Zealand escape this culture it would be not only beneficial for New Zealand but New Zealand on an international stand point. Firstly we need to stop exporting environmentally harmful goods or packaging and stop importing these as well. Secondly we need to start investing money into more eco friendly study and testing. By doing this we can create job openings for people looking into this research but also into the production schemes of these things. We can create more eco friendly items that look after our environment and stop rubbish from being dumped into the ocean. If New Zealand leads this movement we could gain extra revenue and create more partnerships with countries that could support. Being a more independent country like this we can start to use the money for country related issues. This is a movement that could combat a lot of issues on a national scale and benefit society and the world as a whole.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	Tsy	
Dunedin - school workshop 29 May 2018	Taxing Diesel and Gas Vehicles	We should be taxing these to decrease damage to the environment and promote an environment friendly vehicles.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MfE	
Online submitter	Teach Te Reo to primary school children	School children in NZ should learn te Reo. Right now te reo used in school is very basic. Around 80 per cent of teachers used te reo for greetings and farewells, and instructions.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoE	http://tereomaori.tki.org.nz/Curriculum-guidelines
Online submitter	Full review of Auckland Council "Super City" governance and operational structure	The current Auckland Council Super City has major governance and operational effectiveness difficulties because of its sheer size, lack of connection between its various components, the inability of the governing Council to effectively control its CCO activities, lack of local community decision making ability or effective input, and an overall lack of accountability both internally and externally. It is in the light of seven years of actual experience, the structure is not working well, and is not fit for purpose, and needs a full review and overhaul.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	Auckland Council/DIA	
Online submitter	Education - Financial Literacy, home ownership	Being a financial adviser for nearly 20 years, I found a lot of clients although well-educated and have well paid jobs, but their financials aren't sound. Some found them stuck in their day job and want the options, some even don't have their own home. When we took our client through the journey, they often told us they couldn't imagine that they could achieve what they achieve. I found that if the home ownership is what we want the nation to improve, why not start when they are in school, perhaps at intermediate age. Having this goal in mind, we should then reduce the consumer debt as the people would have an ultimate goal and would behave at present instead letting themselves go, spending money on what they don't need.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoE	MoE is progressing work on a School Leavers' Toolkit, which will include a focus on financial literacy.
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Balancing the budget	Balancing the budget		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	Tsy	The Government operates within a fiscal framework, which includes fiscal responsibility principles, including prudent levels of debt and as established by the Public Finance Act.

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Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Disability support in the home	Disability support in the home		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoH	https://www.health.govt.nz/your-health/services-and-support/disability-services
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Dutch getting rid of referendums	Dutch getting rid of referendums		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoJ	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Infrastructure and Public Transport	Infrastructure and Public Transport are priorities		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MBIE	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	More effective communication about housing	More effective communication about housing		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MBIE, HNZN	http://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/housing-property
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Child and Wellbeing areas should be a priority	Child and Wellbeing areas should be a priority		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	DPMC (Child Poverty Unit)	https://www.dPMC.govt.nz/our-business-units/child-poverty-unit
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Dumping fees	Drop the dumping fee so we don't have people dumping their sh*t in our waters please		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	DIA/Local govt	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Mental Health Support	Fix up our mental Health issues; increase funding for better wages for mental health supports. Next thing they will be requiring support.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoH	https://www.health.govt.nz/our-work/mental-health-and-addictions
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Housing is a priority	Housing is a priority		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MBIE	http://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/housing-property
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Wages	It would be great to see you all living off the same wages you set for the rest of the country. I believe that will help you tremendously with your policymaking for living wages, minimum wages and benefit settings, renting, housing issues, education costs and general day to day living		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	SSC and cross-government	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Modernise defence capabilities as a priority	Modernise defence capabilities as a priority		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoD	https://www.defence.govt.nz/what-we-do/
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Substance abuse	New Zealand needs to change draconian drug laws and stop putting substance users in prison. More funding is required for treatment urgently, waiting 6 months or more for residential options and why are there not more drug courts. Substance abuse needs to be a health issue not a criminal one and stop spending billions every year in a failed and pointless war on drugs "https://business.facebook.com/hashtag/supportdontpunish?"		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoH	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Work and Income	The whole culture of WINZ needs an overhaul. Serious human rights issues here.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MSD	
Public Sector Graduates workshop 4 April 2018	Cost of living	Wages need to move into the real world. You now have too many families with both parents working sleeping in their vans at night because rentals are too dear.		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MBIE	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		We should be using technology to rate the performance of landlords and rental housing	There is no transparency for renters	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MBIE	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Addiction should be treated as a health issue, not a criminal issue.	It disproportionately affects people from lower socioeconomic backgrounds and perpetuates the cycle of poverty (and costs govt/taxpayer a lot more to imprison someone than to give them support/treatment	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoH	https://www.health.govt.nz/our-work/mental-health-and-addictions
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Less focus on getting students into university. Polytechnics where they can learn	After 5-6 years of uni a job is not guaranteed	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoE, TEC	http://www.tec.govt.nz/funding/funding-and-performance/funding/fund-finder/industry-training-fund/
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Social enterprises - recognition, support, funding, legislate		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	N/A	
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		Teach Te Reo at schools	It's NZ's national language and a second language helps brains	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MoE	http://tereomaori.tki.org.nz/Curriculum-guidelines
Wellington Workshop 23 May 2018		We need better rehabilitation prevention and support measures for those at risk of committing crime and those who have been in prison.	It costs taxpayers \$100,000/yr. per prisoner and it is cheaper and more effective to invest in preventing offending and re-offending than overcrowd prisons	Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	Corrections	https://www.corrections.govt.nz/working_with_offenders/prison_sentences/employment_and_support_programmes/rehabilitation_programmes.html
Wellington Workshop 29 May 2018	Accessibility	Financial literacy to all society groups so that wealth can be maximised particularly for lower sophistication groups		Idea provided to agency	N/A	Other policy areas not directly related to open government	MBIE, Commission for Financial Capability	The National Strategy for Financial Capability and more information about the agencies involved can be found here: https://www.cffc.org.nz/assets/Uploads/National-Strategy-for-Financial-Capability-June-2015.pdf .