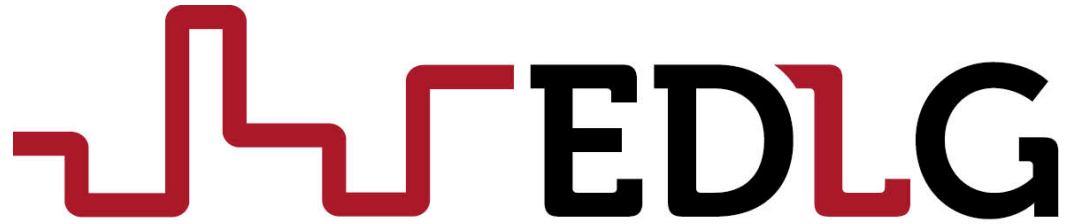


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**ACCESSIBILITY**  
**CHARTER**



To champion a more livable world

- To promote accessibility and universal design; and
- To help create accessible buildings, spaces and transport networks through advocacy, training and advisory activities



**CHRISTCHURCH  
FOR EVERY BODY.**

“A recovery and rebuild of Greater Christchurch that results in a genuinely accessible and livable place for all of its citizens to participate in and belong to”.

- Championing for disabled people to have a voice and be included in the regeneration of Christchurch
- Independent across sector group
- Creating a strong, shared message for the sector as a whole

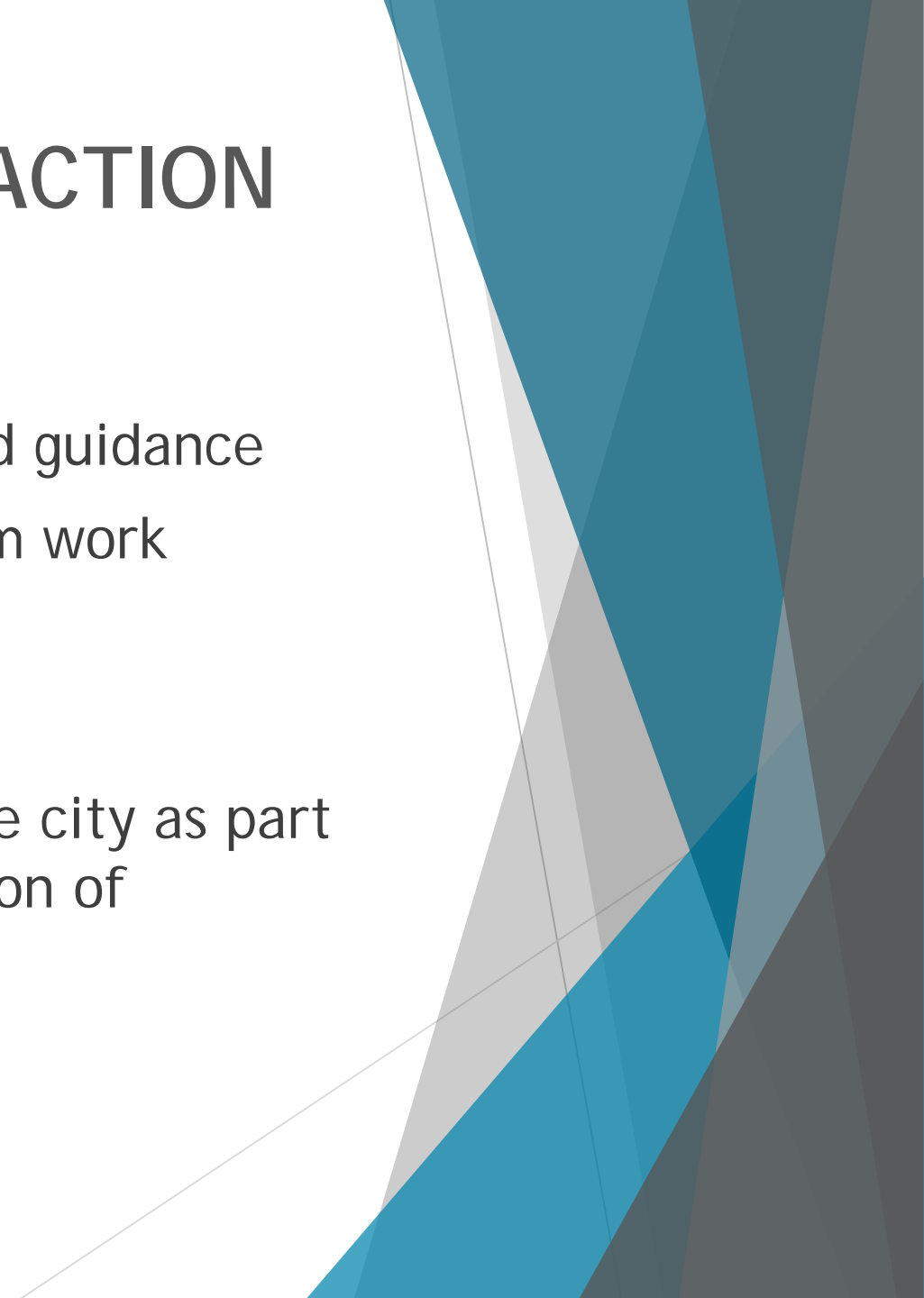


# COLLABORATION IN ACTION

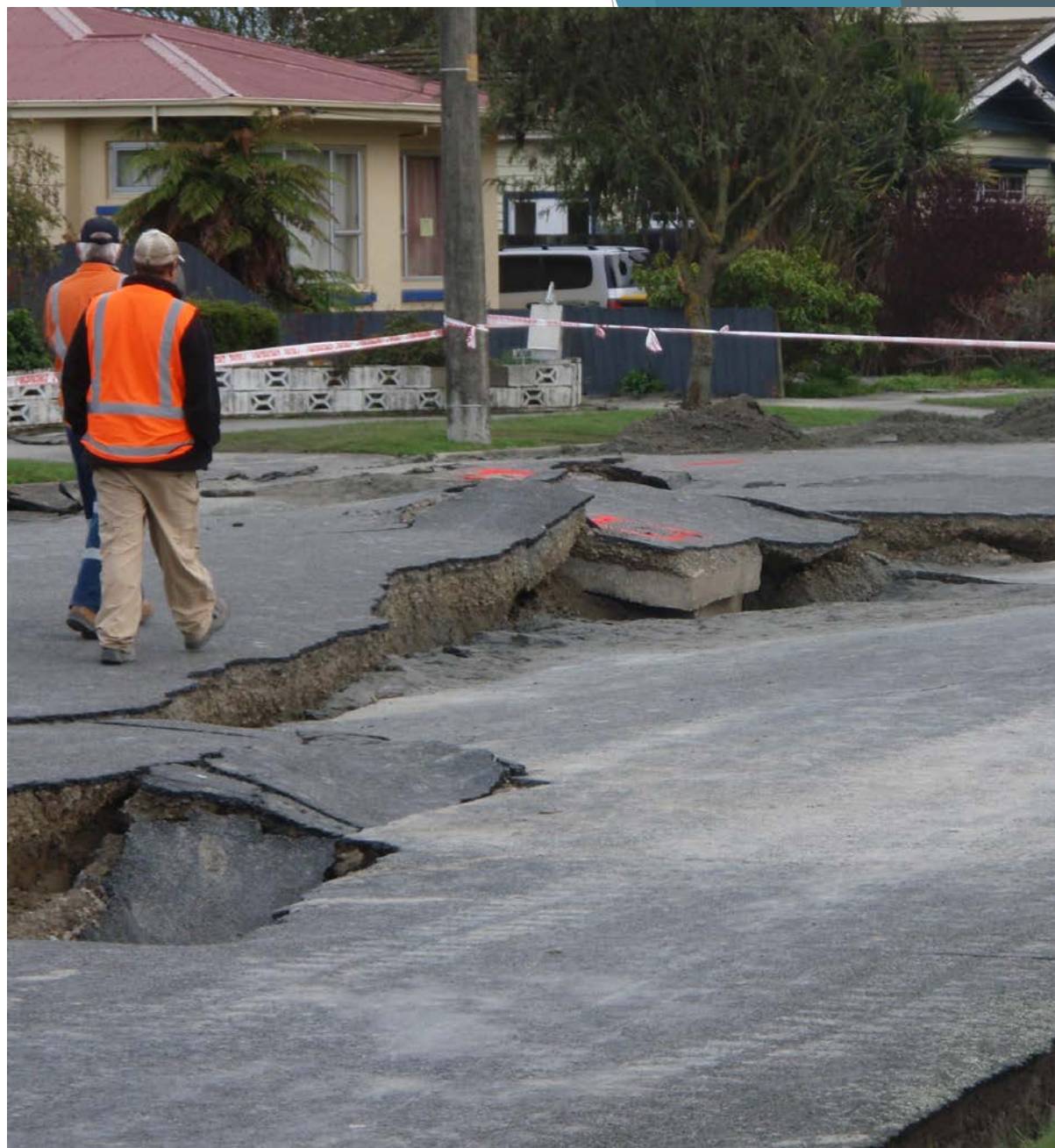
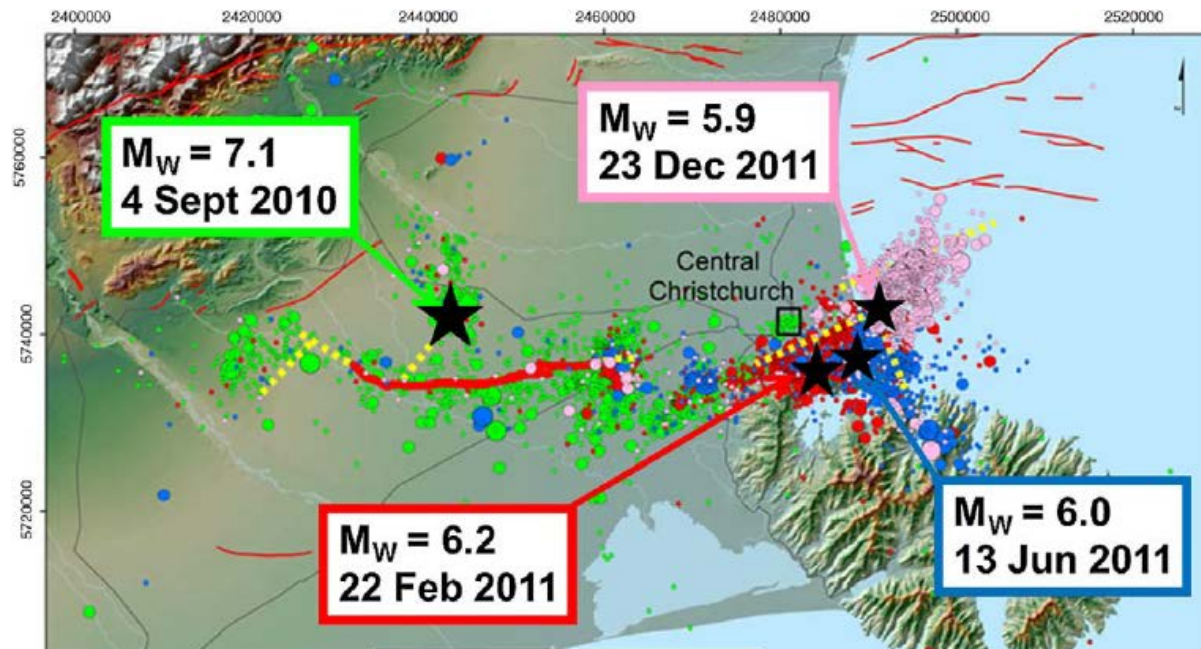
## BFNZT

- Training, technical advice and guidance
- Data collection, sharing, team work

## EDLG

- Championing for an accessible city as part of the rebuild and regeneration of Canterbury
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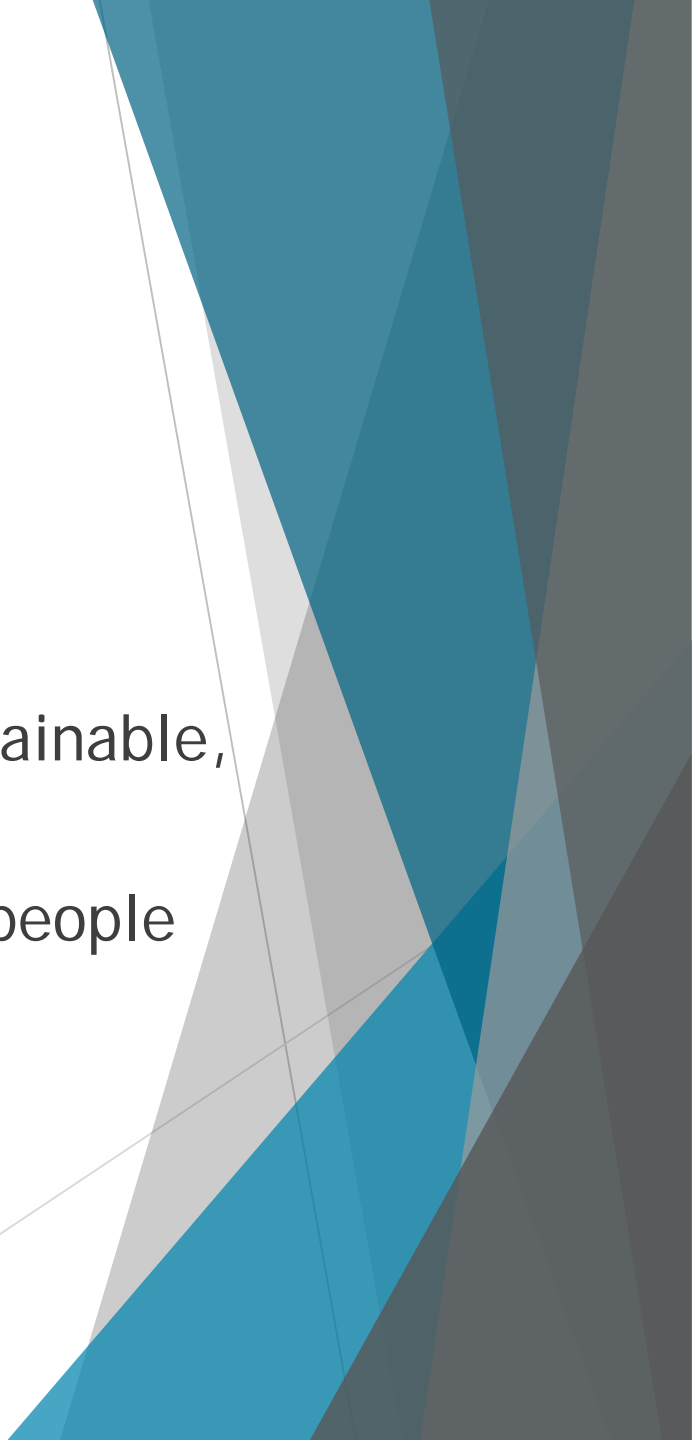








# THE OPPORTUNITY

- An unprecedented opportunity to rethink, revitalize and renew Canterbury
  - Build back better than it was before
  - Create a city that is accessible, safe, sustainable, fit for purpose and built for the future
  - Create a vibrant central area that draws people in to live, work, learn and play
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# THE PROCESS

- Canterbury Earthquake Recovery Authority was established to develop a plan for the regeneration of Central City
- Share an Idea initiative launched
- Central City Recovery Plan developed
- Five key themes emerged

# CHARTER ORIGINS

- CERA - commitment to include accessibility assessment and reporting on all anchor projects
- Canterbury Safety Charter - agreement to raise standards of health and safety in Canterbury construction
- Legislation - no immediate intention to amend legislation
- CERA Act replaced - new agencies established, regeneration phase





A model of best-practice accessibility

Our community and business leaders advocating for places and spaces that are accessible for all people

Signatories commit to:

- Setting the expectation - best practice design and development
- Ensuring all places, spaces and travel become universally accessible
- Enabling Cantabrians and visitors to live, work, learn, explore and play equally
- Going beyond minimum requirements of the building code



# PRINCIPLES

## ➤ Leadership

Leaders being pro-active

In policy and practice, budgets and in accountability

## ➤ Education

Equipping staff with necessary skills and knowledge

To apply best-practice levels of accessibility in design, development and consultation





# PRINCIPLES

## ➤ Technical Knowledge


Incorporating accessibility technical advice and guidance

By professional and independent experts

Appropriate to the scale and type of project

## ➤ Health and Wellbeing

Promoting the link between accessibility provision with health and wellbeing



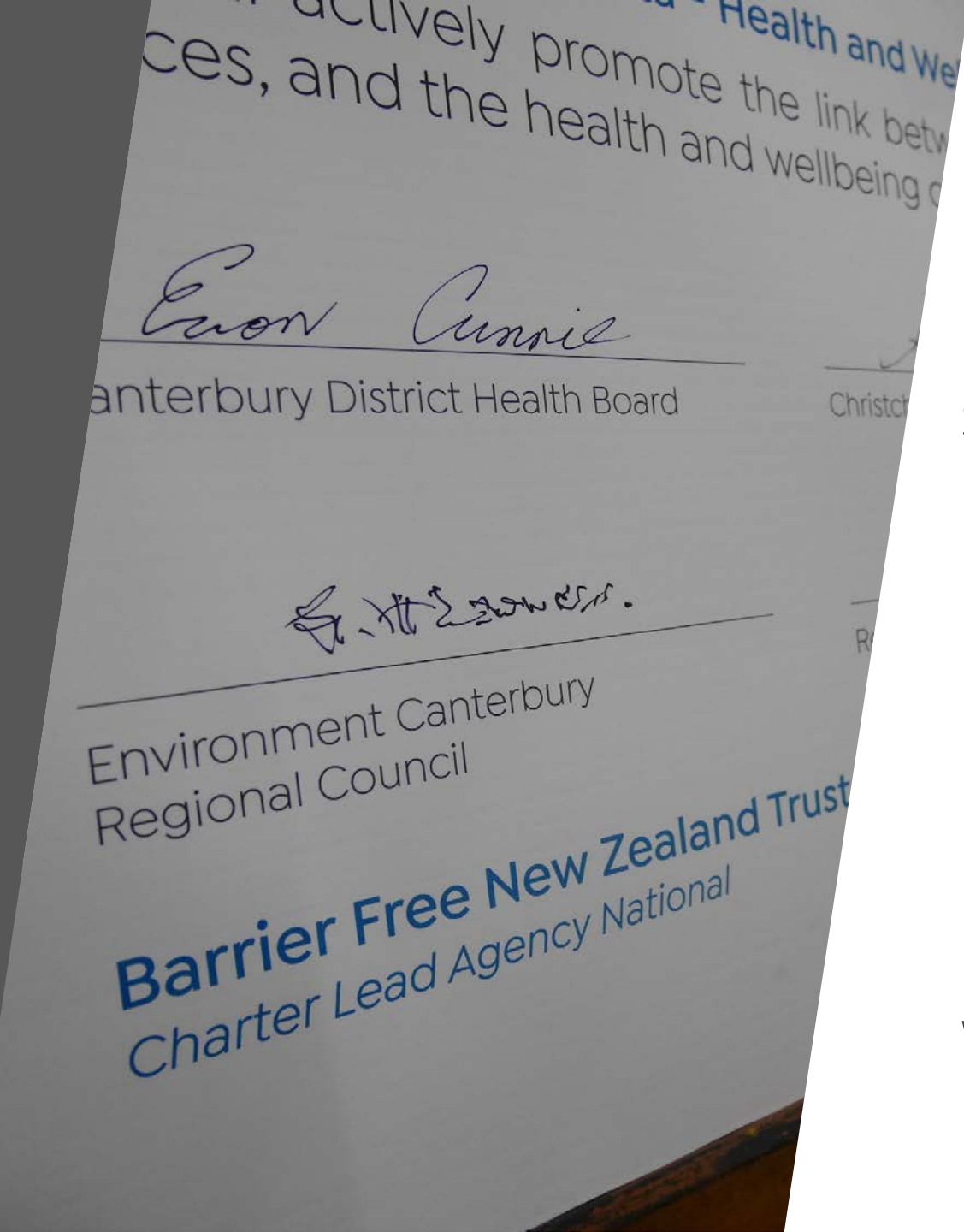
# CHARTER LAUNCH

November 3<sup>rd</sup> 2017 Event

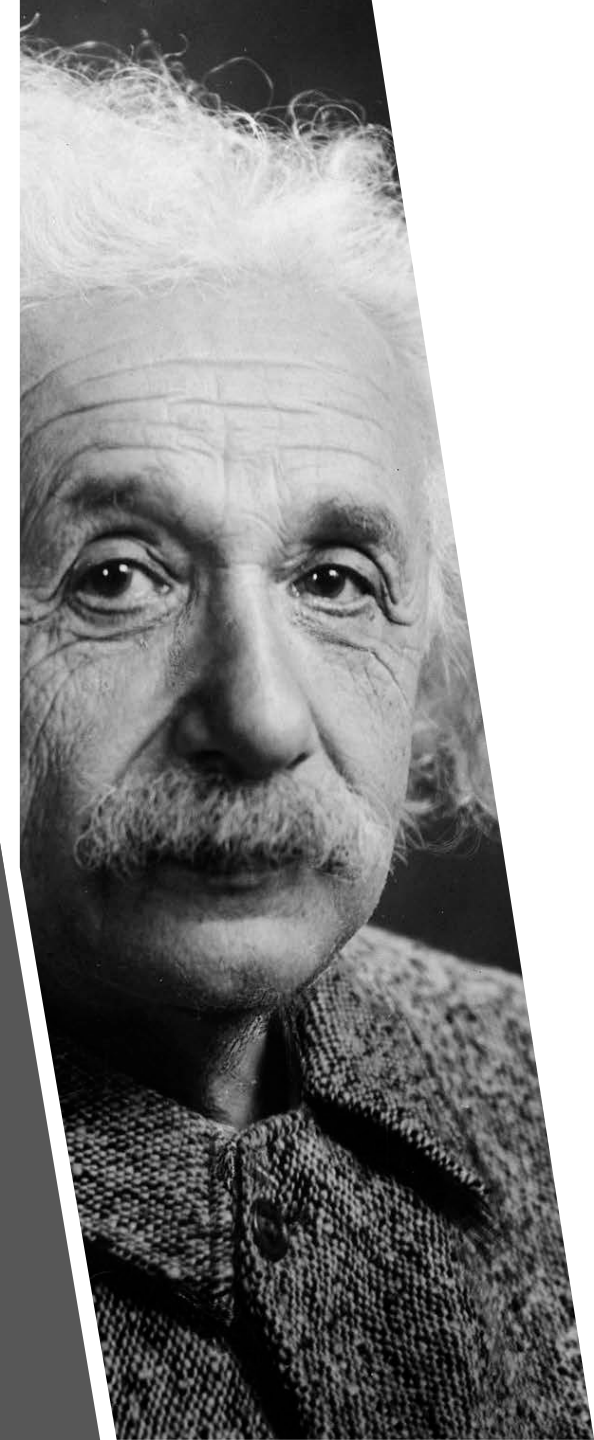
## Signatories

- Canterbury District Health Board
- Christchurch City Council
- Development Christchurch Ltd
- Environment Canterbury
- Regenerate Christchurch Ltd
- Otakaro

Website







“If you always do what you  
always did, you always get what  
you always got.”

# IMPLEMENTATION

*'Increased the weight it holds in design outcomes.'*  
Peter Mathews  
Otakaro

*'The Charter has increased awareness especially with co-signatories working together.'*  
Allison Nichols-Dunsmuir  
CDHB

*'The Charter has led our organisation to change how we report back to the Councillors to ensure that accessibility is being considered in all areas of our work.'*  
John Filsell  
CCC







= OPEN PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT



= REPRESENTATIVE PARTICIPATION



= PROJECT WORK  
(with review by Community & Technical Advisory Group)



= STATUTORY PROCESS  
SPECIFIED BY GCR ACT

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# PROJECTS

- Margaret Mahy Playground
- Bus Interchange
- Metro Sports Centre
- Auckland Convention Centre



Expand the number  
of signatories –  
commitment to  
best practice

Facilitate sharing –  
ideas, challenges

Celebrate – best  
practice examples

Collaborate –  
disability sector,  
industry, initiatives  
with same end goal

Educate – website,  
resources, multi-  
disciplinary teams

Support and guide  
'business as usual  
practices' to occur

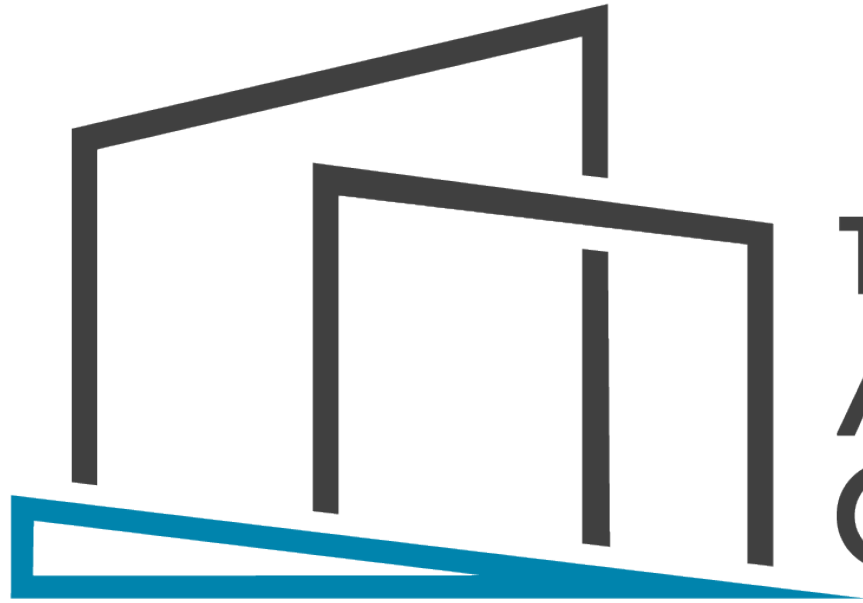
Report and  
evaluate

Spread across New  
Zealand

# WHERE TO NEXT?



Thank you.  
Any questions?



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