

Te Kura Kairūri School of Surveying Lunchtime Seminar Series

Climate Sensitive Towns and Communities

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Recommendation 10 from the Climate Change Commission's report 'Ināia tonu nei: A low-emissions future for Aotearoa' is to "[e]nsure inclusive and effective consultation, engagement and public participation", while recommendation 13 is "[e]nable system-level change through innovation, finance and behaviour change". But the Government doesn't seem to understand that the community sector is innovative not passive. There's a diversity of community climate solutions and community-led adaptation already. Is there capacity to ramp up action on climate? And how can policymakers, business and industry harness the power of community? Finally, what are some of the risks and advantages at the flaxroots?

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