Information and online submission forms are available at: wellington.govt.nz/islandbayseawall
Please give us your views online if you can. Alternatively, there is a FreePost Form at the back of this booklet.

Or you can:

- email us at islandbayseawall@wcc.govt.nz
- visit our information hub at the Island Bay Community Centre, 137 The Parade
- attend a public meeting at the Island Bay Baptist Church, 284 The Parade:
  - 6.30–8.30pm, Thursday 9 October 2014
  - 6.30–8.30pm, Tuesday 14 October 2014
  - 2–4pm, Saturday 18 October 2014

Submissions close 10 November 2014
The huge swells generated by the severe southerly storm that lashed Wellington in June 2013 caused widespread damage along the south coast. This included the collapse of a section of the 350-metre seawall in Island Bay, opposite Shorland Park.

After the storm, the Council placed a temporary rock barrier in the broken section of the seawall to protect the footpath and road, and this will remain in place for the time being.

**Before anything else is done, we want your ideas and views.**

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**Photos:** cover: view of the crowd on Island Bay Beach, Wellington. Photo by Sydney Charles Smith in about 1930. Ref: 1/2-045879-G S C Smith Collection Alexander Turnbull Library; above: the storm-damaged seawall in June 2013.
Considering the possibilities and identifying options

The Council is looking for a long-term solution to manage coastal hazards like storm surge for the area of Island Bay Esplanade between Brighton Street and the southern end of Shorland Park. We also have traffic, heritage and road access issues to consider, and we would like to see if there are ways we can improve the space for the community.

To get discussions started, we have identified five options to try to cope in different ways with storm surges and a predicted rise in sea levels.

Option 1: Status quo

Retain the seawall in its present alignment and rebuild the damaged section of the wall to meet the current building code specifications.
Option 2: Fix the wall and add sand to the beach

Fix the wall and provide a buffer by adding sand to the narrowest part of the beach where the wall is most vulnerable to large waves and storm surge.
Option 3: Increase the size of the beach

Relocate the wall and road further inland to match the natural contour of the beach.
Option 4: Close part of The Esplanade and connect Shorland Park to the beach

Remove a section of seawall, close a part of the road and restore some coastal dunes - this option closes part of The Esplanade in front of Shorland Park.
Option 5: Close part of The Esplanade and the intersection between Reef Street and The Esplanade and connect the beach to Shorland Park

Remove a section of seawall, close some local roads and establish some coastal dune systems linking the beach with Shorland Park - this option closes part of The Esplanade and the intersection of Reef Street and The Esplanade.
What do you think?

We would like to hear your views on these options. Tell us what you like and what you don't. We would also like to hear any new ideas you have. **Submissions close Monday 10 November 2014.**

How can you have your say?

Further information and online submission forms are available at Wellington.govt.nz/islandbayseawall. Send us your feedback using the FreePost Form provided at the back of this booklet.

Join us for a discussion at one of our public meetings. You will be able to hear from subject-experts, ask questions, discuss issues and put forward your ideas and preferences. These meetings will be held at the Island Bay Baptist Church, 284 The Parade:

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What will happen next?

We will listen and collate your views, comments and ideas. These will guide the Council as it considers what it should do next. In December, the Council’s Environment Committee will make a decision on what options will be investigated in detail.

There will be further opportunities to provide your views and comments on the detailed options as part of the Long-term Plan consultation and deliberations in early 2015.
Island Bay Seawall: SUBMISSION FORM

Section one – your details

We are keen to get your views on the options for the Island Bay seawall.

You can have your say by:

- submitting online at Wellington.govt.nz
- emailing a submission to islandbayseawall@wcc.govt.nz
- completing this form and posting it using the FreePost form at the back of this booklet

Submissions close at 5pm, Monday 10 November 2014.

Enter your name and contact details

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I am making a submission

- [ ] As an individual
- [ ] On behalf of an organisation

Name of organisation

Number of people whose views are represented by this submission: 

How have you gathered these people’s views?

Please let us know if you would like to make an oral submission. Dates and time for this to be confirmed.

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

Disclaimer: all submissions [including name and contact details] are publicised and made available to elected members and the public. Personal information will be used for the administration of the consultation process. All information will be held by Wellington City Council, Wakefield Street and submitters have the right to access and correct personal information.

Section two – questions

The Council has identified five options to resolve the damage to the Island Bay Seawall. Please indicate how you feel about each option below:

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Do you have any feedback or comments on the five options that have been identified?

(*please indicate which option you are referring to)
Section two - questions (continued)

Do you have a preferred option and can you tell us more about why you chose your preferred option?

What are the things that are important to you in making your decision?

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Do you have any alternative ideas about how to manage long-term coastal hazards in the area of the Island Bay Esplanade between Brighton Street and the southern end of Shorland Park?
Do you have any other comments you would like to make?

Thank you for your comments. Please return this submission form by 10 November 2014.