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While not on the agenda, I would like to highlight the significant risks around the 2024 Long Term plan. These risks include but are not limited to:

- Uncertainty regarding the future of "Three waters" reforms and the impacts for Council and the community.
- Impact of climate change and weather events and the expectation of the Council's response.
- Inflation and the impact on renewing/building infrastructure.
- Increasing accounting and auditing standards, which adds to the complexities of the documents.
- Availability of appropriately skilled resources including experienced Auditors.