Erewhon Rural Water Scheme Chairpersons report 7th March 2023

At the November meeting of the scheme Chris Pepper was appointed by the Erewhon Committee to review the water scheme and provide recommendations with regards to the future maintenance/Capital expenditure program.

Committee members met with Chris Pepper and Andrew Van Bussle on the 1st March to check progress. A scheme overview with the contractor and Mr Van Bussle has been planned for mid March.

As Mr Pepper is going oversees in April, committee members are very keen to have initial scheme assessment done, with some preliminary advice to committee on way forward. The main line on the Matawhero Road at Pukerimu continues to breakdown, as this section is part of the 10 year capex plan presented to the committee, a recommendation on fixing this reccuring problem as part of a wider scheme review would be welcome.

Jock Stratton March 2023