CONNECTING 'Connecting Northland' is about the Transport Agency and its partners supporting Northland through transport solutions to grow and NORTHLAND support the region and its economy. It's about connecting all communities in Northland - employees to jobs, community to important facilities such as hospitals, as well as freight to the port and key markets. Through partnering with Northland authorities, industries and Iwi we will deliver Cape Reinga the National Land Transport Plan's (NLTP 2015-2018) \$460 million investment. This will result in: Stronger regional growth through increased investor confidence Safer journeys Improved corridor reliability through smart TAIPA BRIDGE road maintenance and network resilience. KAEO BRIDGE WAIPAPA IMPROVEMENTS Kaitaia Kerikeri Paihia CONNECTING **AKERAMA REALIGNMENT Omapere NORTHLAND PROJECTS** A number of investment WHĀNGĀREI URBAN programmes make up Connecting **IMPROVEMENTS** Whāngārei Northland including: Whāngārei to Te Hana LOOP ROAD TO SMEATONS HILL Twin Coast Discovery Route 15 Ruakaka Programme Business Case Dargaville WHĀNGĀREI TO TE HANA Northland Bridges Internal Connectors Corridor Management Plans Brynderwyn WARKWORTH TO WHĀNGĀREI TO TE HANA MATAKOHE BRIDGES WELLSFORD The State Highway 1 corridor is a vital Wellsford DOME VALLEY SAFETY link between Northland and the rest of the **IMPROVEMENTS** country for freight, communities and tourism. Warkworth Around two million tonnes of freight moves between Northland and Auckland each year and **PUHOI TO** WARKWORTH tourism in Northland accounts for \$1 billion a year. Investing in SH1 between Whāngārei and Te Hana supports the objectives of Connecting NORTHERN CORRIDOR Northland by increasing route reliability **IMPROVEMENTS** and travel time predictability between Whāngārei and Auckland. **Auckland**