

South Wairarapa Wastewater Treatment Plants Monthly Performance Report

Month/Year September 2025

Current status Compliant

Compliant, but with the risks identified below

Non-compliant

Performance - September 2025

Wastewater Treatment Plant			
Featherston			
Greytown			
Lake Ferry			
Martinborough			

Compliance as per Reporting

	Wastewater Treatment Plant (Compliance Reporting)			eporting)
Month of Month (Compli	Featherston	Greytown	Lake Ferry	Martinborough
January 2024	•			•
February 2024	•			•
March 2024	•			
April 2024	•			•
May 2024	•			•
June 2024	•			•
July 2024	•			•
August 2024	•			•
September 2024	•			•
October 2024	•	•		•
November 2024	•			
December 2024	•			•
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February 2025	•			•
March 2025	•			•
April 2025	•			•
May 2025	•			•
June 2025	•	•	•	•
July 2025	•	•	•	•
August 2025	•			•
September 2025				•



Greytown Wastewater Treatment Plant performance - September 2025

	Commentary
With effect 01 July 2025, SWDC took back ownership of the Capital Delivery Programme and associated projects. In 2023, Greater Wellington Regional Council issued letters requesting explanations of non-compliance. Wellington Water is implementing the required corrective actions where possible within the plant and resource constraints. Capital Delivery Programme and associated projects. WWL submitted a draft growth and capacity study to SWDC in December 2024; SWDC have taken ownership and need to consider the next steps. GWRC sent a "Please Explain" regarding the WWTP effluent quality non-compliance. WWL replied to the letter within the required timeframe.	requesting explanations of non-compliance. Wellington Water is implementing the required corrective actions where possible within the plant and resource constraints.



Featherston Wastewater Treatment Plant performance - September 2025

Commentary	Items of significance	Current status	
	With effect 01 July 2025, SWDC took back ownership of the Capital Delivery Programme and associated projects.	Compliant	



Lake Ferry Wastewater Treatment Plant performance - September 2025

Commentary	Items of significance	Current status
The new resource consent application was submitted in August . However ongoing work associated with the consent process will be managed by SWDC.	With effect 01 July 2025, SWDC took back ownership of the Capital Delivery Programme and associated projects. Source of current high inflow and infiltration is still not funded for investigation. Peak loads are impacting on the plant's hydraulic capacity, which is likely to adversely affect the WWTP performance and compliance.	Compliant, but with the risks identified below



Martinborough Wastewater Treatment Plant performance - September 2025

Commentary	Items of significance	Current status	
As capital delivery is with SWDC, Greater Wellington Regional Council (GWRC) has lifted the Abatement Notice it issued to WWL in June. Capital delivery is with SWDC, major investment is required.	With effect 01 July 2025, SWDC took back ownership of the Capital Delivery Programme and associated projects. Current plant design is insufficient to avoid non-compliance. WWL submitted a draft growth and capacity study to SWDC in December 2024; SWDC have taken ownership and need to consider the next steps.	Compliant	