

# Regional Infrastructure Fund

Through Cabinet Budget 2024 decisions, MBIE was provided funding for one major spending decision, the Regional Infrastructure Fund (RIF) <sup>1</sup>

## \$1.2 billion

fund launched in July 2024 to be spent over three years

for

**supporting regional economic growth**

The RIF is the Government's commitment to investing in and improving New Zealand's regional infrastructure.

We will update this report monthly so you can track the RIF's progress

**What we are delivering**

### \$900 million

in capital expenditure (CAPEX) available for loans and equity

### \$300 million

in operational expenditure (OPEX) available for grants and operating the fund

### How we are progressing

#### Committed Funding <sup>2</sup>

as at 31 Mar 2025

## \$550.7M

#### Approved Funding

as at 31 Mar 2025

## \$276.8M

#### Paid Funding

as at 31 Mar 2025

## \$7.2M

#### Completed Projects

as at 31 Mar 2025

## 3

Change from last month



## \$24.0m

Change from last month



## \$24.0m

Change from last month

## \$0.0m

Change from last month



## 1

<sup>1</sup> New Zealand Cabinet, (20 May 2024). Establishing the Regional Infrastructure Fund. CAB-24-MIN-0168.02

<sup>2</sup> Committed Funding includes approved funding and funding ring-fenced for specific purposes but yet to be approved for release