



# Rugby World Cup 2011

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# Coming ready or not

- 403 days as at today
- 58 Mondays

#### **RWC 2011 Structure**





Rugby World Cup Ltd. (Subsidiary of the IRB)













Official Travel and Hospitality Providers





#### **RNZ 2011 Vision**

RWC 2011 will be an outstanding tournament and festival creating enduring benefits for Rugby and for New Zealand as well as great memories for everyone involved.





## **RNZ 2011 Strategic Goals**

- Goal One: Delivering an operationally excellent tournament
- Goal Two: Achieving capacity crowds and achieving the RNZ 2011 budgeted financial result or better
- Goal Three: Inspiring a nationwide Rugby World Cup festival
- Goal Four: Creating enduring benefits





#### **Match Venues**

• 13 Match Venues







#### **Team Bases**

- 23 Team Bases
- 19 Teams have qualified







# **RWC 2011 Transportation**







## The Challenge

- High numbers of international visitors
- High expectations
- Short intense peaks in demand
- Match / Fan zones / Travel to/from and within New Zealand





#### **Intense Scrutiny**

- Media articles highlighting concerns:
   "Rugby World Cup Fans face transport chaos"
- Media travel arrangements at Tournament time are critical





#### **Approach**

- National / Regional Coordination
  - NZTA / Local Authorities
  - Coordination of major upgrades
- Direct engagement with key providers
  - Airlines
  - Auckland and Christchurch Airport
    - Association
  - ARTA

- Interisland Ferry

- Bus and Coach





#### **Approach**

- School holidays
- Development of detailed transport management plans
  - Lead by Venues / TLAs / Police
  - Testing is critical





#### **Approach**

- Clear Contingency Plans and Communication Protocols
  - Match / Team / Fan movement around New Zealand





# Opportunity for Promotion of Walking

- Walking routes to Match Venues
- Maps of City Walks
- Walking links to public transport
- Contingency plans







#### Questions...





