ELECTRICITY AUTHORITY TE MANA HIKO

Electricity Authority work programme calendar*

September to November 2026

Strategic outcomes

Strategic outcomes	September	October	November
Affordable Consumers have easy access to affordable electricity, and many choices of electricity supplier to meet their needs		Product Data Standards come into effect	Non-discrimination obligations: RPCA reporting by EA. EIEP14A&B come into effect Improving prudential security arrangements – Code in effect
Secure and resilient New Zealand's electricity supply is reliable, secure and recovers quickly from shocks	Network Connections Project stage 2B: plug-in solar, small-scale DG application fees and processes consultation Review of Security Standards Assumptions Document consultation Long Duration Firming consultation Battery energy storage systems enhancements decision MOSP procurement – RFP closed	Instantaneous reserve cost allocation – Code in effect Battery energy storage systems enhancements – implementation	Transmission Pricing Methodology amendments decision Distribution Connection Pricing fast-track measures – Code in effect

Key

- Consultation opens
- Decision published
- Other release

* These timings are indicative and subject to Electricity Authority Board decisions and feedback on consultations.