



GREAT LAKE TAUPŌ
Taupō District Council

REGIONAL SPATIAL PLANNING WORKSHOP

*Preparing for upcoming governance and
decision-making responsibilities*

01

What regional
spatial planning is

02

Where we are at

03

Your role as
decision makers

RESOURCE MANAGEMENT ACT

REFORM

**THE NATURAL
ENVIRONMENT
ACT**

**THE
PLANNING
ACT**

New system

Central
government

Planning Bill

Natural Environment Bill

Self-contained Bills for focused management of land use and natural resources, policy goals that narrow their scope, and fewer effects to manage

Regulations, national policy directions and national standards (incl. standardised zones)

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Short concise policy direction, with standards to support implementation

Regional
and local
government

Combined plan for the region – spatial, natural environment and land use

17
plans

Fewer plans with some flexibility for local circumstances, limited ability to relitigate issues settled further up the system

System
users

Consents

Permits

Fewer consent and permits, four activity categories, more activities are permitted

The Benefits of Spatial Planning

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Drives
infrastructure
investment

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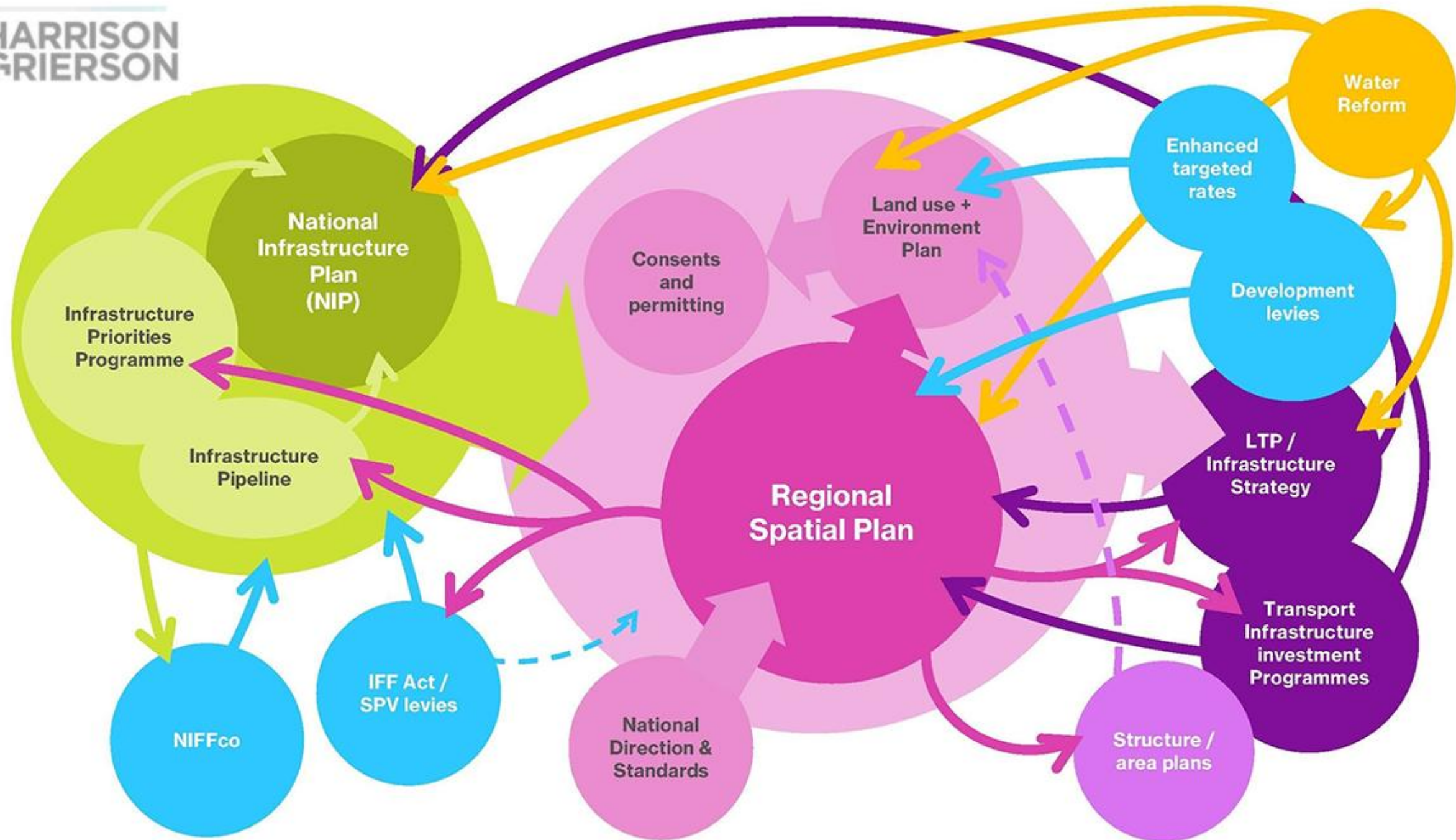
Identifies growth
areas

3

Basis for
Government
conversations

4

Direction for land
use and natural
environment plans



- 8. Orakei
- 9. Maungakiekie
- 10. Howick
- 11. Manukau
- 12. Manurewa-Pap
- 13. Franklin

REFERENCE

Regional boundary

District boundary

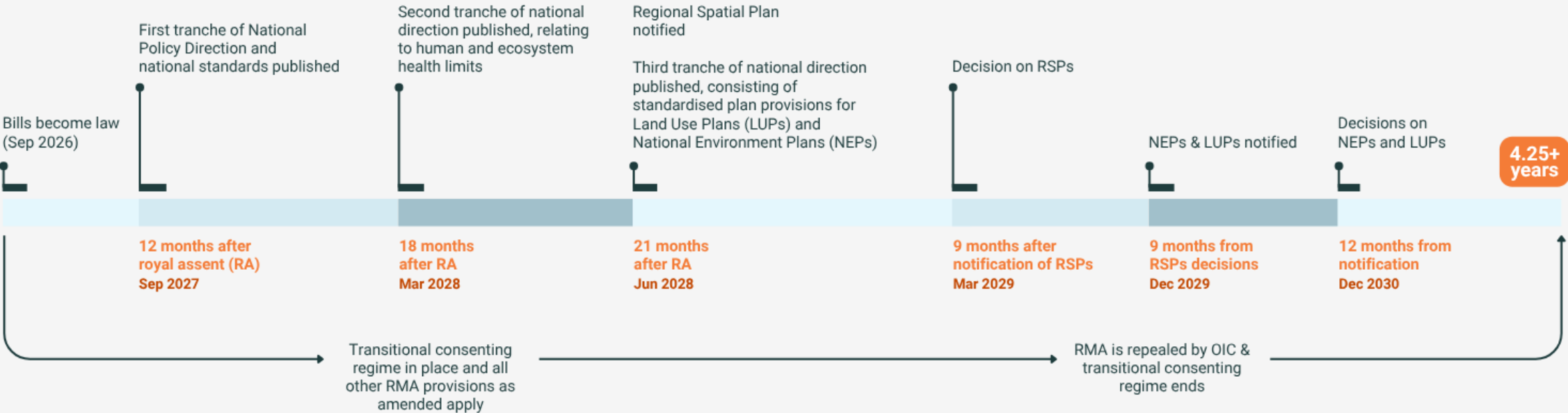
City boundary



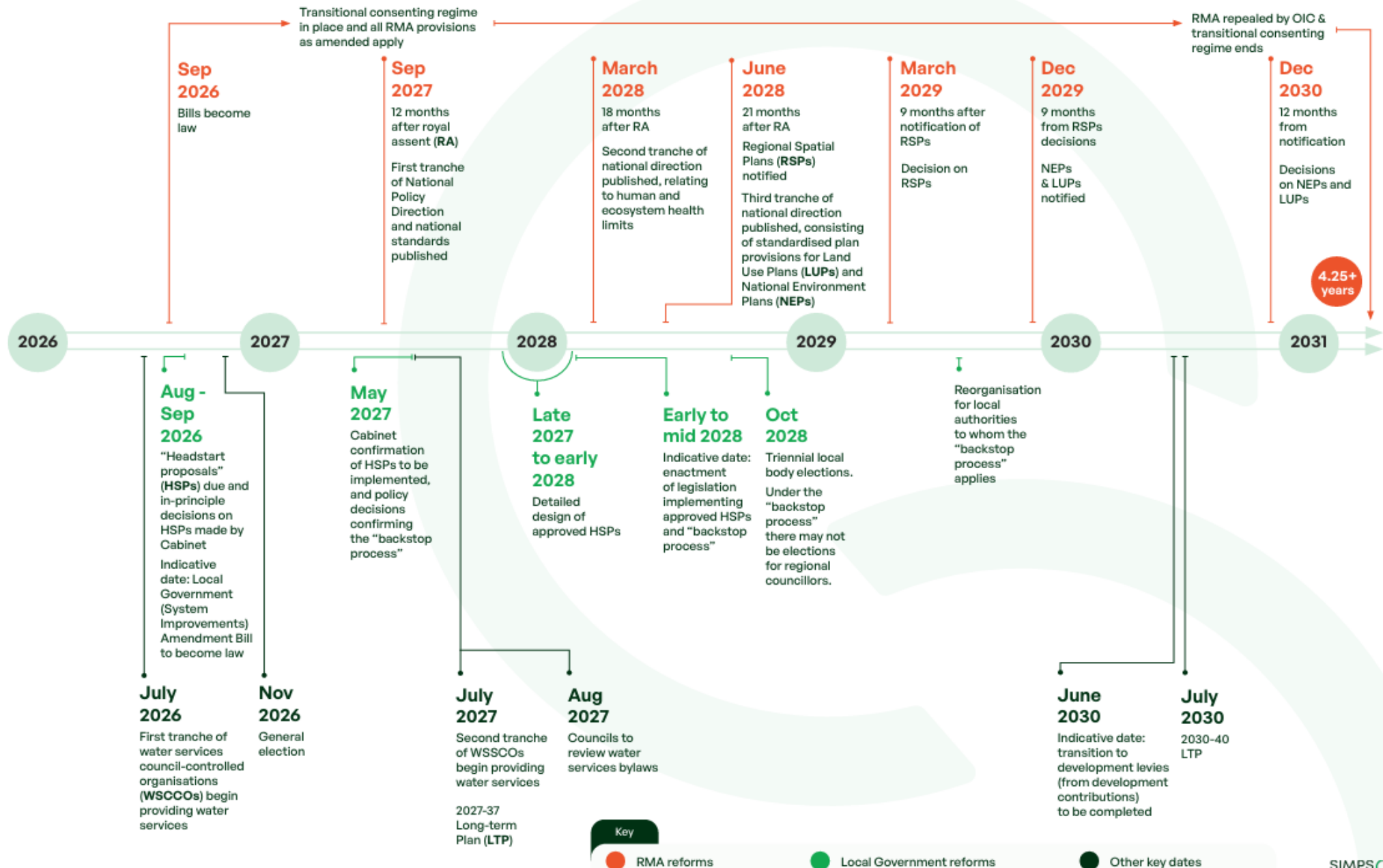
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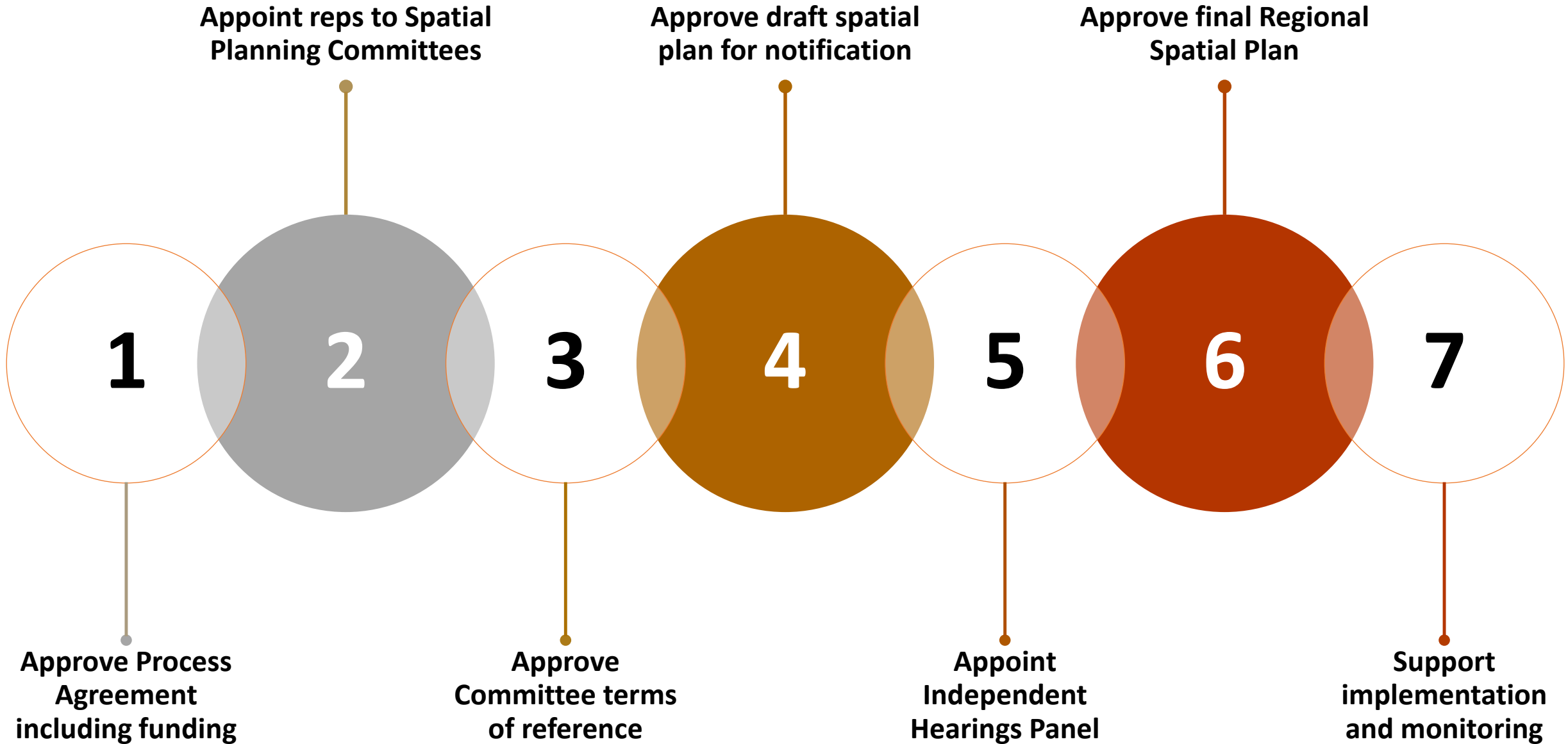


Timeline – Transition to the new RM System

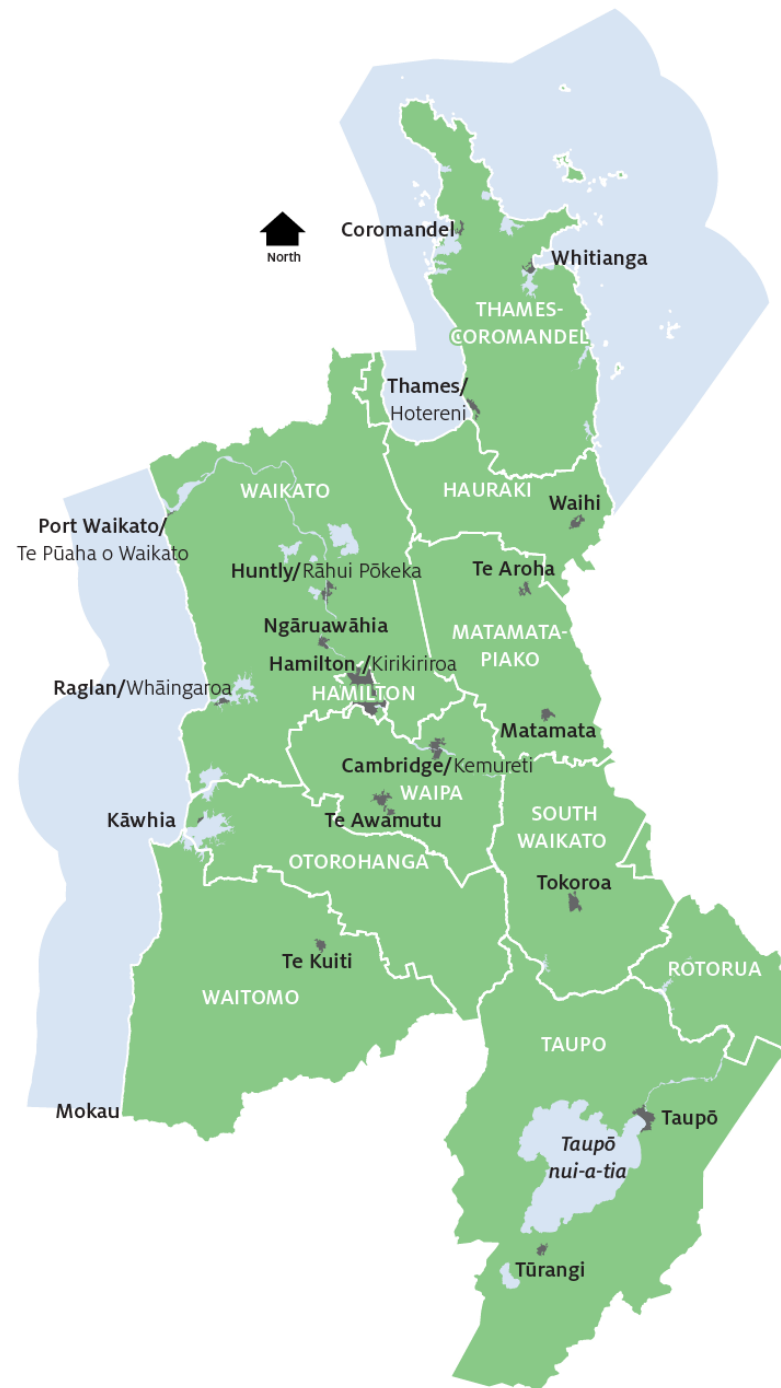


Timeline for RMA & Local Government Reforms



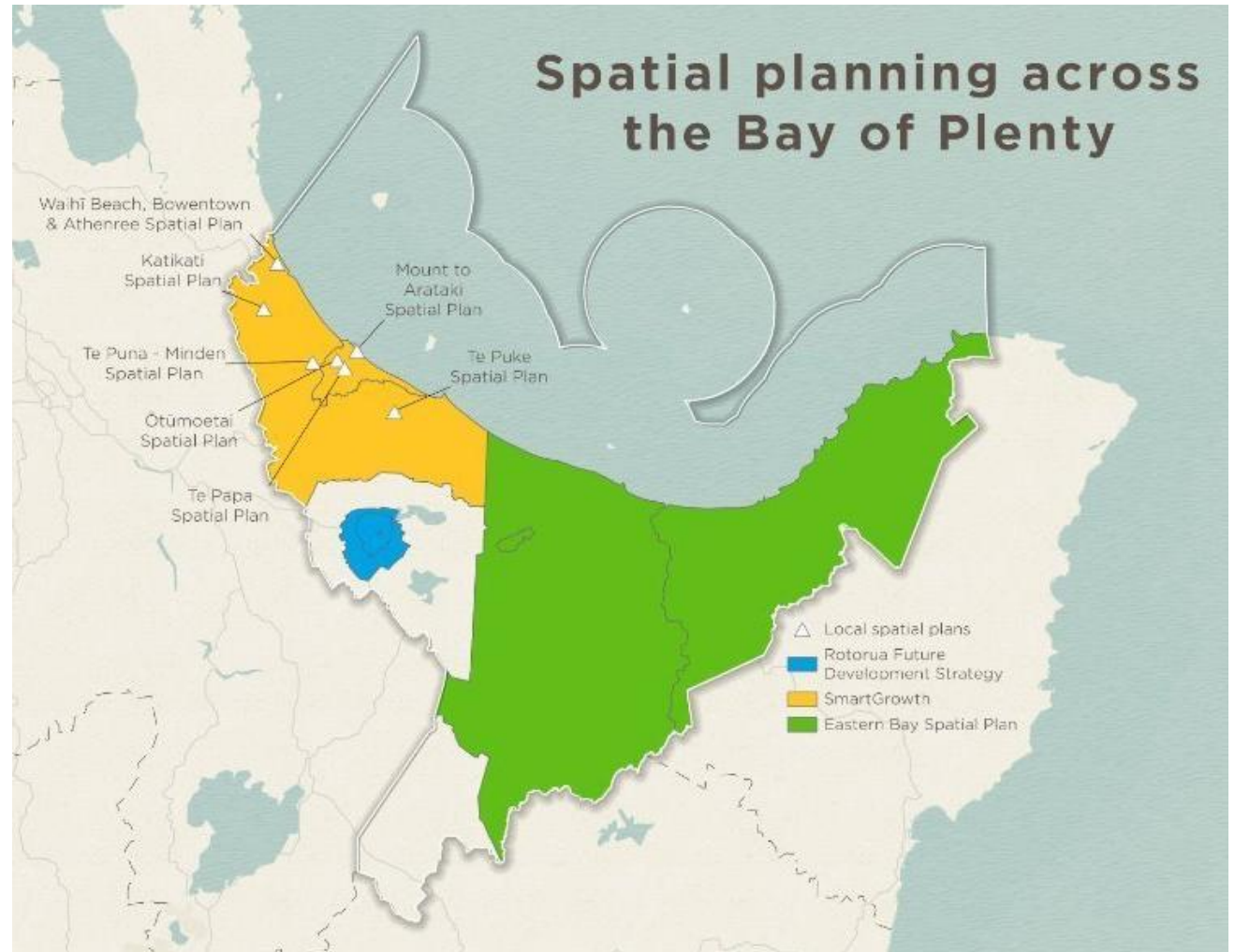


Waikato



Bay of Plenty

- Preparing establishment
- Waiting on enactment
- Use existing spatial plans
- 10 Sept Mayoral Forum
 - Statutory minimum
 - Use Joint committees
- Decisions before Christmas



Key take aways

- RSPs are now an important part of the planning process
- They will be expensive & will need budget provision
- Council will have key decisions to make
- Important that the Council representative/s stays connected
- Staff will be back with more detail once legislation is enacted