

# Vote FOR nature



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## How do political parties stack up when it comes to protecting and restoring nature?



**Labour**

C



**National**

D



**Green**

A-



**TOP.**

B



**SOCIAL CREDIT**

F



**AOTEAROA**  
LEGALISE CANNABIS PARTY

D-



**act**

?



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		Green COVID Recovery	Biodiversity & Restoration	Climate Change	Freshwater
<p><b>Labour</b></p> <p>Overall Score: <b>C</b></p>	Te Tiriti	<b>C</b>	<b>C-</b>	<b>C+</b>	<b>D-</b>
	Marine & Coastal	<b>B+</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>C</b>
<p><b>National</b></p> <p>Overall Score: <b>D</b></p>	Te Tiriti	<b>D+</b>	<b>D+</b>	<b>D+</b>	<b>F</b>
	Marine & Coastal	<b>B-</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>D+</b>
<p><b>Green</b></p> <p>Overall Score: <b>A-</b></p>	Te Tiriti	<b>B+</b>	<b>B+</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A+</b>
	Marine & Coastal	<b>A-</b>	<b>A+</b>	<b>B-</b>	<b>A+</b>
<p><b>TOP.</b></p> <p>Overall Score: <b>B</b></p>	Te Tiriti	<b>C+</b>	<b>B-</b>	<b>C+</b>	<b>A+</b>
	Marine & Coastal	<b>B</b>	<b>B-</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A-</b>
<p><b>SOCIAL CREDIT</b></p> <p>Overall Score: <b>F</b></p>	Te Tiriti	<b>D-</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>F</b>
	Marine & Coastal	<b>F</b>	<b>C+</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>A</b>
<p><b>AOTEAROA LEGALISE CANNABIS PARTY</b></p> <p>Overall Score: <b>D-</b></p>	Te Tiriti	<b>D</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>F</b>
	Marine & Coastal	<b>C</b>	<b>C-</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>C</b>

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Overall Score:



## Markers' Consensus:

We appreciated the depth of their COVID recovery plan, but there was much left to be desired given the urgency of our environmental crises. We recognise the development of a strategy for biodiversity and statement for freshwater. We would have liked more detail on their future implementation, and other new policies.

### Green COVID Recovery



### Biodiversity & Restoration



### Climate Change



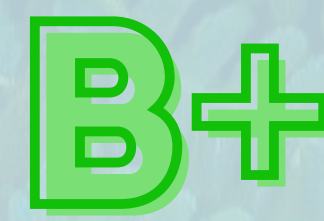
### Freshwater



### Marine & Coastal



### Te Tiriti



### Nature and Wellbeing



### Economic transformation



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### National

Overall Score:



#### Markers' Consensus:

Many answers had discrepancies, with policies that lacked significantly positive outcomes for Aotearoa and its biodiversity. However, the commitment to work meaningfully with Māori was positive.

#### Green COVID Recovery



D+

#### Biodiversity & Restoration



D+

#### Climate Change



D+

#### Freshwater



F

#### Marine & Coastal



D

#### Te Tiriti



B-

#### Nature and Wellbeing



F

#### Economic transformation



D+





# Green

Overall Score:

# A-

### Markers' Consensus:

A strong focus on a just transition to a sustainable economy. They also prioritise co-governance with tangata whenua. However, some policies still lacked depth, urgency, and direct commitments.

### Green COVID Recovery



# B+

### Biodiversity & Restoration



# B+

### Climate Change



# B

### Freshwater



# A+

### Marine & Coastal



# A+

### Te Tiriti



# A-

### Nature and Wellbeing



# B-

### Economic transformation



# A+





# TOP.

Overall Score:

# B

### Markers' Consensus:

Several key environmental issues faced by Aotearoa New Zealand were addressed alongside the need for a swift transition with a priority on restoration of nature. They particularly showed strength in freshwater policies, but failed to address some key specific aspects required in a green COVID recovery.

#### Green COVID Recovery



# C+

#### Biodiversity & Restoration



# B-

#### Climate Change



# C+

#### Freshwater



# A+

#### Marine & Coastal



# B-

#### Te Tiriti



# B

#### Nature and Wellbeing



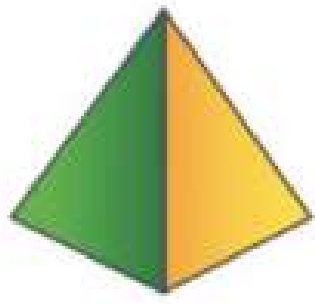
# B

#### Economic transformation



# A-





### SOCIAL CREDIT

Overall Score:

# F

### Markers' Consensus:

Some key drivers of environmental issues were addressed, but often the policy responses proposed were not grounded in the latest evidence. The lack of commitment to Te Tiriti was worrying.

#### Green COVID Recovery



# D-

#### Biodiversity & Restoration



# F

#### Climate Change



# F

#### Freshwater



# F

#### Marine & Coastal



# C+

#### Te Tiriti



# F

#### Nature and Wellbeing



# F

#### Economic transformation



# A



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Overall Score:



## Markers' Consensus:

Several of the key threats to biodiversity and environmental health in Aotearoa were identified, and an economic strategy to combat some of these was presented. Unfortunately, the policies often lacked depth across the environmental system.

### Green COVID Recovery



D

### Biodiversity & Restoration



F

### Climate Change



F

### Freshwater



F

### Marine & Coastal



C-

### Te Tiriti



C

### Nature and Wellbeing



F

### Economic transformation



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