

# Quick Tips for Water metering

Helpful hints to support  
the management of your  
water metering



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## Water Metering Tips

- Ensure your measuring device is recording accurately by completing several checks during the irrigation season, especially after increase in sediment.
- Flow verifications need to be completed as per your consent and the Water metering Regulations.
- Verification document (RS1) should be submitted to ORC within one month of each verification being undertaken.
- Water metering records need to be submitted to ORC by 31 July each year.

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## Online Resources

Visit: [www.orc.govt.nz/consents/watermetering-and-measuring](http://www.orc.govt.nz/consents/watermetering-and-measuring) for a range of documents related to open channels:

- Companies involved with services relating to water measuring equipment
- Minimum requirements for measurement & reporting of water takes
- Frequently asked questions about the Regulations
- Pull-out guide on water measuring devices

Look for this link to monitor river levels for low flow events and alerts:



**River flows and rainfall**

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## Email

Please email [watermetering@orc.govt.nz](mailto:watermetering@orc.govt.nz) with any queries, especially for the following:

- If you have experienced a flood or have had to flush out your open channel
- If your measuring device is experiencing issues or recording incorrectly
- If you need to request a copy of your consent

Please include your consent number and state your service provider in your email.

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