

We Listen.....

We listen to the streams.....

To preserve their fragile wetlands.

We're in tune with what they need,

Be it quality or biodiversity.

Mitigating flooding as climate change

Turns our thinking a round,

We listen to the streams.....

We listen to the lands.....

We've safeguarded more hectares from

Soil erosion, by planting native trees,

Poplars and willows grace their streams.

Bird life and bees, revive themselves,

As we re-learn what they need.

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Testing water quality to ensure they're

Safe for swimming and pet paddles.

Knowing what they need,

Helps our staff to train local groups

To monitor waterways in communities

So, all can listen to their streams



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KI TE WHENUA**
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