

# We want everyone's opinion on whitebait



## What could we do?

Make sure culverts and roads don't block fish passage upstream and downstream.

Restrict the fishing season.

Reduce the hours you can fish.

Close fishing for two weeks either side of spring tides.

Change the rules about what gear you can use.

Educate people about creating healthy stream habitat for fish.

Stop the sale of whitebait.

Require a license to fish for whitebait.

Require fishers to keep a diary of what they catch.

Close some rivers to fishing.

Put whitebait into the Quota Management System.

Do nothing.

*Tell us what you think – take our survey and find more information on [www.doc.govt.nz/whitebait-management](http://www.doc.govt.nz/whitebait-management).*