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# Weather Ready Pacific



### Protecting communities:

Communities will be able to make decisions based on knowing more, earlier, about conditions in their particular location. They will understand what the weather will *do* rather than what the weather will *be*.



### Strengthening security:

Better access to reliable weather information will support the region's maritime surveillance and fisheries management initiatives, and enable better preparedness for events that could lead to political and/or social destabilisation – eg energy management, food and water security.



**Strengthening the region's resilience to the impacts of severe weather events – tropical cyclones, tsunamis, droughts, storm surges, flash floods.**



### Supporting economies:

improved forecasts and warnings will support timely and targeted preparedness measures, limiting the economic impact of severe weather events (securing infrastructure, relocating stock and supplies etc); for some countries, strengthened industry engagement will leverage enhanced productivity (agriculture, energy etc).



### Enhancing connectivity:

by strengthening the Pacific's integration into the global meteorological system, the region will be less vulnerable to peaks and troughs in resourcing and support, and have a stronger voice internationally.