**Building capability and knowledge through fostering thriving communities of practitioners**

To successfully deliver on Vision Zero, we need to promote a community-centred approach. Creating opportunities to build trust and collaboration across the groups who work to create a safer and more accessible transport system means we're all moving in one direction towards our goal.

The Vision Zero Learning & Capability Programme works to create a community that spans Waka Kotahi, local government, police and road safety organisations.  We have the opportunity to build an environment where our ‘shared responsibility’ is evident and where increased trust and collaboration lead to better outcomes. The ultimate goal is to build communities that offer social learning opportunities and provide space for people to come together to collaborate, ideate, and test new approaches.

Sharing the foundational knowledge across the country in interactive face-to-face workshops is the first step in our work to create a community where members collaborate and foster learning opportunities.

Our community approach uses an outcomes-based framework to measure success and the value our community offers. Often community can seem to 'just happen', but with a targeted and agreed purpose and goal, a community can thrive beyond the initial start-up enthusiasm.