



Resource Consent

RESOURCE MANAGEMENT ACT 1991

Consent No. WGN120142 [31740]
Category: Coastal permit

Pursuant to sections 104B and 108, and subject to all the relevant provisions of the Resource Management Act 1991 and any regulations made thereunder, a consent in respect of a natural resource is hereby granted to:

Name	Hutt City Council, City Infrastructure	
Address	Private Bag 31912, Lower Hutt 5040	
Duration of consent	Commences: 1 February 2013	Expires: 25 August 2031
Purpose for which right is granted	To construct a temporary channel on the foreshore to direct treated wastewater discharged from scour valves on the main outfall pipeline into the sea to allow pipeline repair to be undertaken.	
Location	Main outfall pipeline located from Seaview Wastewater Treatment Plant to Bluff Point between approximate map references NZTM 1759804.5433065 and 1754999.5420657.	
Legal description of land	N/A	
Conditions	1-8 as attached	

For and on behalf of
 WELLINGTON REGIONAL COUNCIL



 Manager, Environmental Regulation

Date: 11 February 2013

Summary of your rights and responsibilities

(Not part of the resource consent)

This resource consent gives you the right to use a public resource (e.g. water, air, the coastal marine area) in the manner specified in the consent.

You may exercise the resource consent as you see fit provided that you comply with all the conditions of your resource consent and all other laws of the land.

If you wish to change the way you operate under this resource consent or if you wish to change or cancel any consent conditions, please contact the Wellington Regional Council (hereafter referred to as Greater Wellington) prior to making the changes. You may need a formal change to your resource consent conditions.

You may transfer your coastal, discharge, or water permit to any other person. If you sell your operation please contact Greater Wellington and we will arrange the transfer. The service is free of charge.

If your resource consent application contained inaccurate or misleading information, Greater Wellington may cancel or alter the resource consent.

Your resource consent does not:

- provide any warranty of any structure or process;
- provide any guarantee that the resource will be available at all times;
- provide any right of access through or over public or private land;
- negate the need for any approvals necessary under other legislation.

You, as the holder(s) of this resource consent and your agents (including contractors and employees), are jointly and severally liable for compliance with the conditions of this consent. It is important that anyone operating on your behalf fully understands and complies with the conditions of the resource consent.

You are required to pay any relevant charges that are associated with the consent. Greater Wellington fixes these charges under section 36 of the Resource Management Act 1991. The Act allows you to comment on any proposed charges *prior to them being fixed*. Charges may be reviewed every year. If you would like a copy of our current Resource Management Charging Policy please ask us.

You are required to allow Greater Wellington Enforcement Officers access to your site and operation at any reasonable time so that we can inspect your operation and confirm that it is complying with the resource consent.

Your resource consent will lapse if you do not give effect to it within five years of the date it was granted (unless otherwise specified in the resource consent conditions). If you wish to apply for an extension of this lapse date please contact Greater Wellington before the lapse date.

If you stop using your resource consent for a continuous five-year period, Greater Wellington may cancel your resource consent. We will advise you in advance if we propose to cancel your consent. You have the right to object to your consent being cancelled.

This consent is issued without prejudice to any claim that is lodged with the Waitangi Tribunal in relation to the customary ownership of natural resources, whether it be a claim that is awaiting hearing or awaiting settlement by the Crown.

Conditions to Resource Consent WGN120142 [31740]

General condition

1. The consent holder shall operate the proposed discharge in general accordance with the consent application and associated documents lodged with the Wellington Regional Council on 8 December 2011 and further information on 14 September 2012.

In the event of any inconsistencies between the application and further information provided by the applicant, the most recent information applies. In the event of any inconsistencies between information provided by the applicant and conditions of the consent, the conditions apply.

Note 1: Any change from the location, design concepts and/or operation from those outlined above, may require a change in consent conditions pursuant to Section 127 of the Resource Management Act 1991.

Operational conditions

2. This consent does not authorise the deposition of any substance including concrete onto the foreshore or seabed.
3. The extent of foreshore disturbance shall be limited to that required to create a preferential flow path for treated wastewater discharged from a scour valve to the sea.
4. Any material excavated shall not be removed from the foreshore.
5. Within two days of the cease of a discharge the consent holder shall recontour the foreshore where the temporary channel was excavated.

Reducing effects on water quality

6. The consent holder shall ensure that:
 - a) All machinery is thoroughly cleaned of vegetation (e.g. weeds), seeds or contaminants at least 10 metres away from any waterbody, water flow channel or stormwater system, prior to entering the site
 - b) All machinery shall be regularly maintained in such a manner to ensure no contaminants (including but not limited to oil, petrol, diesel, hydraulic fluid) shall be released into water, or to land where it may enter water, from equipment being used for the works
 - c) All contaminant storage or re-fuelling areas are bunded or contained in such a manner so as to prevent the discharge of contaminants to water or to land where it may enter water.
 - d) No machinery is cleaned, stored or refuelled within 10 metres of any water body, water flow channel or stormwater system
7. In the event of a spill of fuel, hydraulic fluid, or other potential liquid contaminants, immediate steps shall be taken to contain the spill contaminant. The spill contaminants and any material used to contain it shall be removed from the site and disposed of at authorised landfill. The consent holder shall also immediately notify the Manager, Environmental Regulation, Wellington Regional Council of the spill and actions to be taken.

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Review condition

8. The Wellington Regional Council may review any or all conditions of this consent by giving notice of its intention to do so pursuant to section 128 of the Resource Management Act 1991, at any time within three months of the 30 June each year for the duration of this consent, for the purpose of:
- a) To review the adequacy of any report and/or monitoring requirements, and if necessary, amend these requirements outlined in this consent
 - b) To deal with any adverse effects on the environment that may arise from the exercise of this consent; and which are appropriate to deal with at a later stage
 - c) To enable consistency with any relevant Regional Plans or any National Environmental Standards or Regulations

The review of conditions shall allow for the deletion or amendment of conditions of this consent; and the addition of such new conditions as are shown to be necessary to avoid, remedy or mitigate any significant adverse effects on the environment.

General notes:

- a) A resource management charge, set in accordance with section 36(2) of the Resource Management Act 1991 shall be paid to the Wellington Regional Council for the carrying out of its functions in relation to the administration, monitoring, and supervision of resource consents and for the carrying out of its functions under section 35 (duty to gather information, monitor, and keep records) of the Act.
- b) The Wellington Regional Council shall be entitled to recover from the consent holder the costs of any review, calculated in accordance with and limited to the Council's scale of charges in force and applicable at that time pursuant to section 36 of the Resource Management Act 1991.

Note: Additional resource consents from your local council may be required to undertake this proposal. We advise you to contact the Hutt City Council prior to commencing works.

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