Public Notice of Decisions Requested in Submissions and Call for Further Submissions

Proposed Rangitikei District Plan Change 2016

Clause 7 of the First Schedule of the Resource Management Act 1991

A summary of decisions requested by persons making submissions to the Proposed Rangitikei District Plan Change 2016 is available. The Council has received 23 submissions. Parties have 10 working days to make further submissions.

Purpose of proposed changes

Rangitikei District Council is actively working to support local communities and encourage economic development, while protecting amenity values. The proposed Plan Change 2016 seeks to rectify a number of provisions that are adversely impacting on the implementation of the District Plan and achievement of Council's goals.

Further Submissions

Rangitikei District Council is now calling for **further submissions in support of, or in opposition to, the submissions lodged** on the Proposed District Plan Change 2016. The following parties may make a further submission:

- Any person representing a relevant aspect of the public interest
- Any person who has an interest in the Proposed Plan Change that is greater than the interest of the general public
- Rangitikei District Council itself.

Further submissions will be received no later than 10 working days following this public notice, **4pm 22 April 2016**, and must be in the form prescribed in the Resource Management Act 1991 (Form 6). Copies of the form are available from Council.

Any person making a further submission must serve a copy of their further submission on the person who made the original submission within five working days of lodging their further submission with the Council.

Further submissions can be submitted using any of the following methods:

By *email* to: info@rangitikei.govt.nz

By *post* to: Proposed District Plan Change 2016 Rangitikei District Council Private Bag 1102 Marton 4741

In *person* at:

- Bulls Library
- Marton Library
- Main Council Office, Marton
- Taihape Library

Available Information

Information on the proposed Plan Change and the Summary of Decisions Requested in submissions can be found at:

- The Rangitikei District Council website www.rangitikei.govt.nz
- Bulls Library
- Marton Library
- Main Council Office, Marton
- Taihape Library

Please contact Katrina Gray, Policy Analyst/Planner on 06 327 0099 or email katrina.gray@rangitikei.govt.nz if you require further information.

Proposed Plan Change Process

Once the Further Submissions period has closed, the Council may hold pre-hearing meetings with submitters to clarify and/or resolve submissions. A hearing will then be convened to consider submissions and further submissions and issue decisions on the matters raised. Anyone making a submission or further submission that indicated that they wished to be heard has the right to attend the hearing and present their submission. Upon receiving notice of a decision on their submission, any person who disagrees with or is dissatisfied with the decisions made may appraishe decision to the Environment Court.

Ross McNeil Chief Executive 9 April 2016