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### SUBMISSION IN SUPPORT OF EH Inc

Dear Tanya Winter, Mayor & Councillors

#### What is EH?

EH is an incorporated society with a Constitution whose main source of funding is a targeted promotions rate paid to the Westland District Council. EH's guiding principles are to safeguard business interests of members, support tourism promotion efforts, support and develop local business, council and community initiatives which promote local tourism and encourage strategic planning to obtain a focused balance between community, business and tourism.

#### Who is EH?

EH is run by a committee of dedicated volunteers from its membership. Membership is gained automatically through payment of the uniform charge, targeted Hokitika Promotions Rate (the Westland District Council facilitates the collection of this rate) or advertising in the Hokitika brochure or on [www.hokitika.org](http://www.hokitika.org). There are currently two sub-committees, a Promotions Group and Central Business Retail Group. There are also two paid contractors, one working as Part-Time Promotions Coordinator and an Administrator.

#### How is EH funded?

There are two major funding streams for EH.

1. The Hokitika Promotions Rate funds a part-time position for a Promotions Coordinator (10-12 hours a week). It also funds Hokitika marketing initiatives including creation of promotional collateral, event participation, advertising and familiarisation tours for journalists and tourism operators.

2. Advertising fees fund the production and distribution of the brochure and town map. It also funds the management of operator listings and hosting of the Hokitika website.

#### What are some of the results EH has achieved in the past 12 months?

##### Promotional Collateral

- EH has developed the brand "Hokitika - the cool little town" in order to provide a compelling and consistent message to potential visitors.
- EH has more than doubled the size of its image library which is made available to all EH members for use.
- EH has produced a series of six videos highlighting what makes Hokitika unique as a tourist destination. These are available for EH members to use. Since release in Sept/Oct 2012 these videos have more than 5500 YouTube views and have featured at several promotional events.
- EH has distributed 35,000 brochures and 40,000 town maps as well as 25,000 leaflets highlighting the walks in the area.
- Visitors to the Hokitika website have increased an average of 30% a month over figures from 2011/12 with over 54,000 visitors in the last 10 months. Visitors in 2011/12 were an



average 42% higher than 2010/11. A newly redesigned website for Hokitika will be live in the coming month.

- EH produced a series of five pull up banners which have been used at various business locations as well as at several promotional events.

#### Event Participation

- EH along with the Events Dept and iSite displayed at AgFest in Hokitika. We collected over 100 tourism related surveys.

- EH was part of the team organising the Hokitika based welcome event for over 120 tourism operators at the Tourism Export Council of NZ annual conference in August 2012.

- EH attended the Canterbury A&P Show along with the Events Dept and iSite. This added over 500 new email addresses to our email newsletter database.

#### Famills

- EH hosted a journalist for the magazine Avenues (in Christchurch) last winter and a visiting travel agent.

This year, WDC has resolved to remove the Hokitika Promotions Targeted Rate from its Draft Annual Plan and will not facilitate the collection of this uniform charge on behalf of EH.

**EH supports the reinstatement of the Hokitika Area Promotions Uniform Charge/Targeted Rate**

**We make the above submission to Council's Annual Plan 2013/14 consultation process.**

**We wish to be heard in support of this submission**

Yours sincerely



Gary Lee  
Chair for EH (Inc)





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### SUBMISSION IN SUPPORT OF HOKITIKA REGENT THEATRE

This year, WDC has resolved to remove the Operational Grant for the Hokitika Regent Theatre its Draft Annual Plan.

EH supports the reinstatement of the Operation Grant for the Hokitika Regent Theatre  
We make the above submission to Council's Annual Plan 2013/14 consultation process.  
We wish to be heard in support of this submission

Yours sincerely

  
Gary Lee  
Chair EH (Inc)





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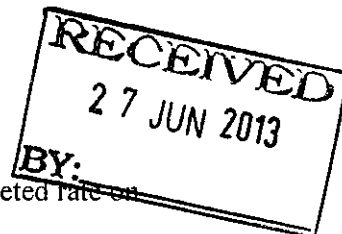
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Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☒ Yes ☐ No

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Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☐ No





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*Nathan Green*

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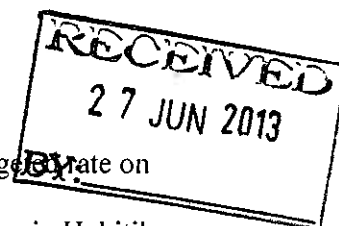
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[Signature] Signature 26/6/13 Date

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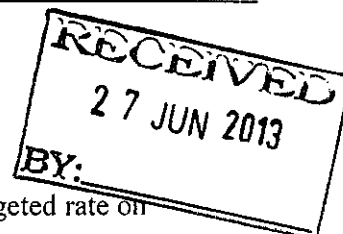
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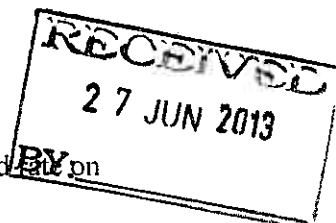
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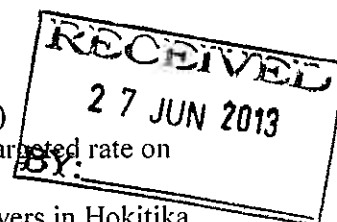
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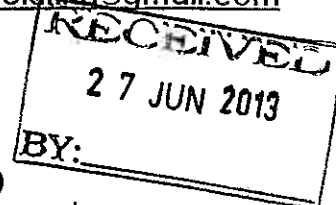
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PAULINE COX Name Carpet Court Business Name

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Jay Esquilant Name Café de lais Business Name  
[Signature] Signature 25.6.13 Date  
Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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Name Business Name  
Signature Date  
Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☐ No





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Nelson Bradley Name Hokitika Cyclery, Speedworld Business Name  
N/B Bradley Signature 25-6-13 Date  
180 Selk St. Hokitika Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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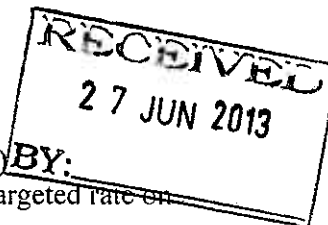
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Marilyn Le Compte Name Clock Tower Cafe Business Name

[Signature] Signature 25/6/13 Date

Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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Name Business Name

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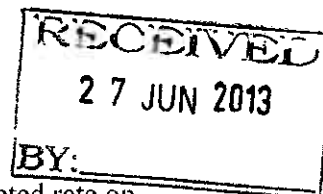
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John Jones Name MT/Wade Backpackers Business Name  
S.R. Jones Signature 25-6-13 Date  
4 Weld st. Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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 Signature Date  
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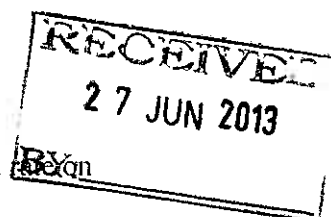
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*WESTLAND GREENSTONE LTD*

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Business Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature 25/6/13 Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Business Name \_\_\_\_\_

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ANTHONY YEORE Name BERCHAMPT HOKITIKA Business Name

[Signature] Signature 17/6/13 Date

111 REVELL ST, HOKITIKA Address

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Robyn Lee Name Hokitika New World Business Name  
Robyn Lee Signature 25/6/2013 Date  
116 Russell St Hokitika Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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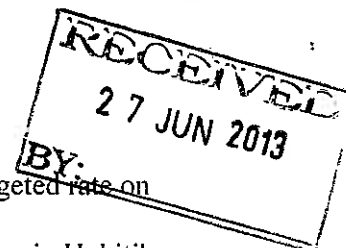
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JOHN ASSEN

Name SHINING STAR Business Name

Signature [Signature] Date 15/06/13

Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission?

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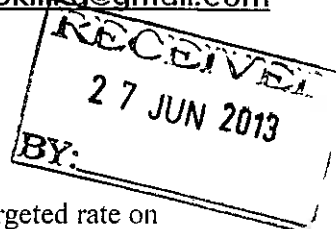
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NEIL WESTON Name Birdsong Backpackers Business Name

Neil Weston Signature 17/6/13 Date

124 Kumara Junction Highway Hokitika Address

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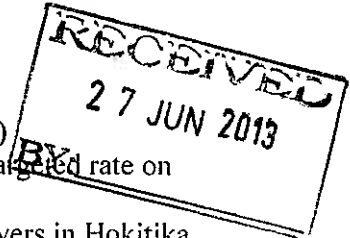
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Gary Ferguson Name Bella Vista Motel Business Name  
G. Ferguson Signature 13-6-2013 Date  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

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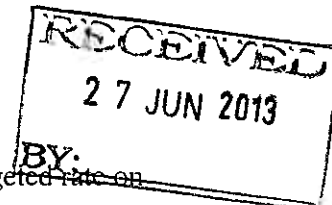
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Elizabeth Sandford Name Jade Court Business Name Mohr Lodge  
E.A. Sandford Signature 13/06/13 Date  
85 Fitzherbert St Hokitika Address

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Graham Lowe Name Jade Court Business Name Mohr Lodge  
[Signature] Signature 14-6-13 Date  
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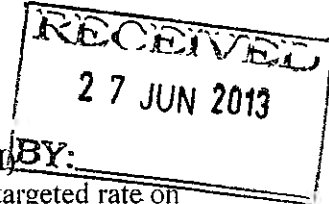
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Brian Dow Name 252 Beachside Business Name Motels  
B. Dow Signature 13-6-13 Date  
252 Revell Street, Hokitika Address

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Jon Hewand Name Hokitika Kiwi Holiday Park Business Name  
[Signature] Signature 13/6/13 Date  
242 Stafford street Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Ronald Hewand Name Hokitika Kiwi Holiday Park Business Name  
R D Hewand Signature 13/6/13 Date  
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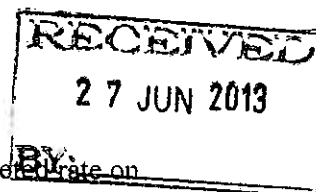
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[Signature] Signature 13.6.13 Date  
214 Weld Street Hokitika Address

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M. R. Smyth Name Annabelle Motel Business Name  
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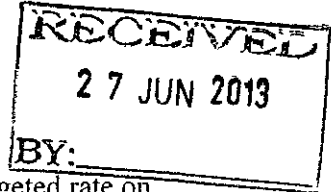
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David Shaw Name Orville Vane Business Name  
[Signature] Signature 19/6/2010 Date  
Address

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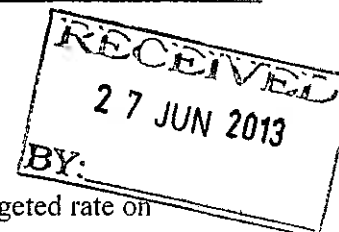




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Garry Lee Name Hokitika N/W Business Name

[Signature] Signature 12-6-13 Date

[Signature] Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission?

☒ Yes☐ No

NB As part of ENT Hokitika Name Business Name

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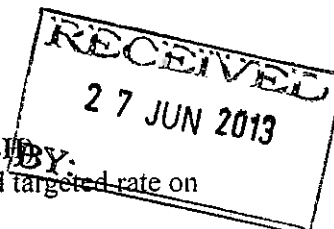
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Julian Lee Name Hokitika Guardian Business Name  
[Signature] Signature 17/6/13 Date  
18 WARD ST Address

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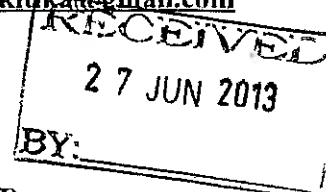


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Barry A Wilson Name Hokitika Glass Studio LTD Business Name  
[Signature] Signature 22/5/2013 Date  
9 WELD STREET Hokitika Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ c Yes ☒ c No

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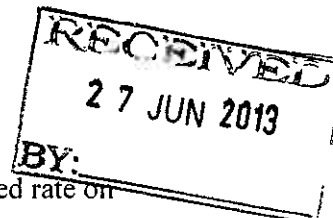
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Gary Taylor Name Gary Taylor Business Name  
Gary Taylor Signature 17-6-13 Date  
2 Weld St Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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Liz Scott Name Gbulhaaddressing Business Name  
EL Scott Signature 17/6/13 Date  
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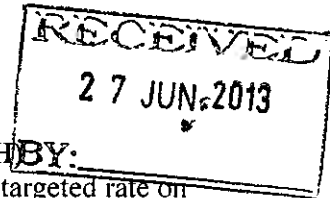
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Pamela Byrne. Name Fat Pipi Pizzas Business Name  
[Signature] Signature 17/6/2013 Date  
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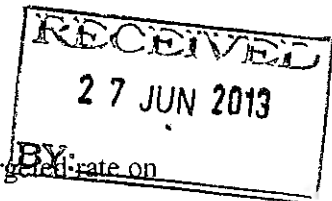




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Karen Martin Name SUNSHINE GALLERY Business Name  
K. Martin Signature 12-6-13 Date  
86 REVELL ST HOKITIKA Address

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*Andrew Pretty*

Name *Video Ezy* Business Name

Signature *[Signature]* Date *12/06/2013*

*110 Revell Street, Hokitika*

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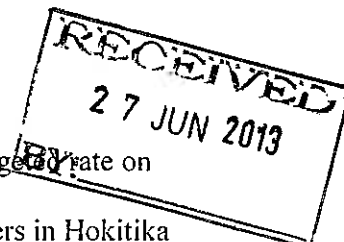
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Tan Murray Hokitika Area Manager Name Dept of Conservation Business Name  
[Signature] Signature 20/06/13 Date  
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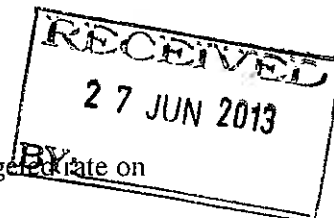




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Tony Graham Name GEHAN ELECTRONICS Business Name

[Signature] Signature 18-6-13 Date

101 REVELL ST HOKITIKA Address

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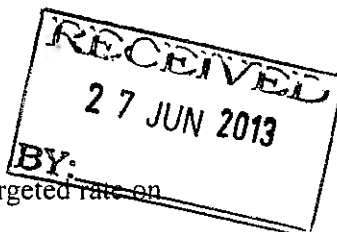




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MIKE MEULI Name HOKITIKA VET CENTRE Business Name

meuli Signature 19/6/13 Date

40 BRITAIN ST HOKITIKA Address

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Mike Maley Name Hokitika Vet Centre Business Name

Mike Maley Signature 19/6/13 Date

Address

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Dacey Davidson Name Stone Oven Bakery Business Name  
JS Davidson Signature 21-6-13 Date  
105 revell st hokitika Address

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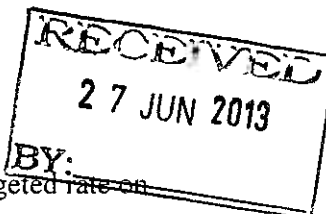
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BRIAN E WARD Name TEA HAMILTON'S Business Name  
B E Ward Signature 20-6-2013 Date  
20 HAMILTON STREET, HOKITIKA. Address

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TEA HAMILTON'S Name TEA HAMILTON'S Business Name  
TEA HAMILTON'S Signature 20-6-2013 Date  
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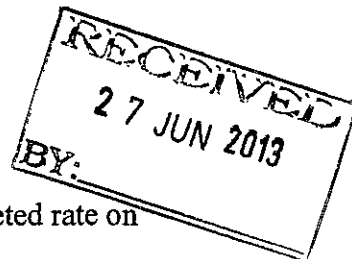
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Wayne Jones Name \_\_\_\_\_ Business Name \_\_\_\_\_

Wayne Jones Signature 25-6-13 Date

2584 Kumara Junction Highway Address

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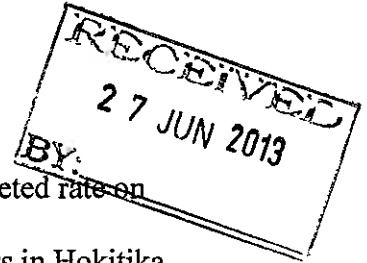
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Peter Morgan Name P. M. CORRIE LTD Business Name

[Signature] Signature 20/6/13 Date

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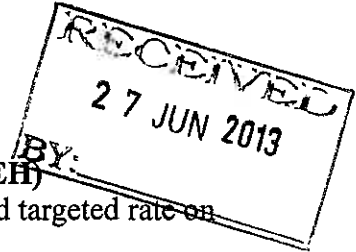
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Peter Lowe Name Blutree FM-88-1 Business Name  
[Signature] Signature 25/6/13 Date

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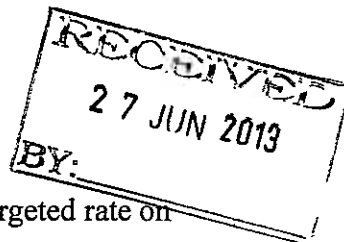
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GREG BASLEY Name \_\_\_\_\_ Business Name \_\_\_\_\_  
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Janet Crown Name \_\_\_\_\_ Business Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date 25 June 13  
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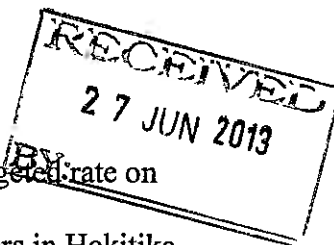
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Tanit Ball Name Hokitika New World Business Name

T Ball Signature 25-6-13 Date

Job Brown Estate Hokitika Address

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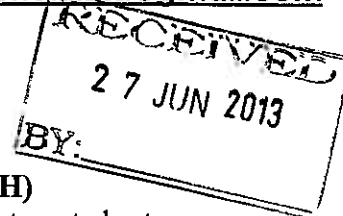
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Sheryn Anderson Name \_\_\_\_\_ Business Name \_\_\_\_\_

S.A. Anderson Signature S.A. Anderson Date 24-6-13

257 Peel St Hokitika Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Ron Black Name Ron Black Business Name  
Signature Ron Black Date 20-6-13  
116 Level 87 Hokitika Address

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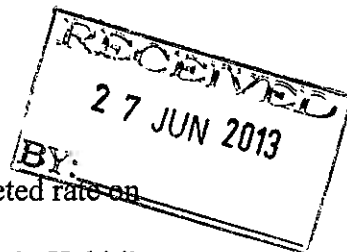




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Signature 20-6-13 Date

C. G. 11A Powell & Holmberg Address

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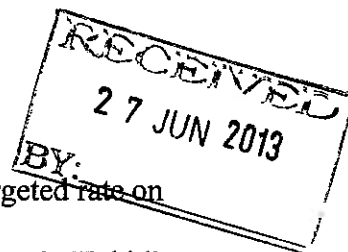
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Irene Klop Name / Business Name

J. Klop Signature 22-6-13 Date

116 Rarall St Hokitika Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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Mandy Olson Name \_\_\_\_\_ Business Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature 23-6-13 Date

RD- Kaniere Road, Hainthra Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Name	Business Name
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Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☐ No









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# Enterprise Hokitika (EH)

PO Box 126 Hokitika

[www.hokitika.org](http://www.hokitika.org)

[enterprisehokitika@gmail.com](mailto:enterprisehokitika@gmail.com)

## Submission to Annual Plan 2013/14

### Re Hokitika Area Promotions Uniform Charge (Funding for EH)

- The Hokitika Area Promotions rate is a uniform charge and targeted rate on each Commercial Ratepayer in the Hokitika area.
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This year, WDC has resolved to remove the Hokitika Promotions Targeted Rate from its Draft Annual Plan and will not facilitate the collection of this uniform charge on behalf of EH.

**I support the reinstatement of the Hokitika Area Promotions Uniform Charge/Targeted Rate.** ☒ Yes ☐ No

We the undersigned make the above submission to Council's Annual Plan 2013/14 consultation process.

Hazel Haver Name Home Owner Business Name

[Signature] Signature 26-6-13 Date

115 Brittan St Hokitika Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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Name Business Name

Signature Date

Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☐ No





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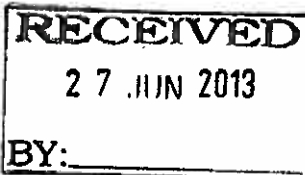
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**I support the reinstatement of the Hokitika Area Promotions Uniform Charge/Targeted Rate.**      ☒ Yes      ☐ No

Daniel Clarkson Name \_\_\_\_\_ Business Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Daniel Clarkson Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date 25/6/13  
 c/o 116 Revell St Hobart Address \_\_\_\_\_

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☐ No





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Bruce Watson Name Take Note Business Name  
B. Watson Signature 27/6/13 Date  
1 Weld St, Hokitika Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Claudia Landis Name Take Note Business Name  
C. Landis Signature 27/6/13 Date  
1 Weld Address

Do you wish to be heard in support of this submission? ☐ Yes ☒ No



**Petition to Accompany  
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From the Whataroa Community**

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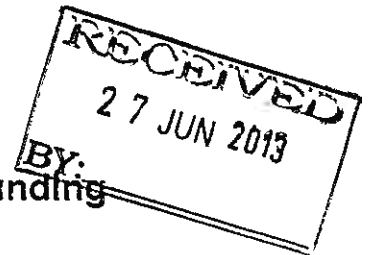
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Terry McBride	Whataroa	T.M. McBride
Paddy Kennedy	Whataroa	P. Kennedy
TED KAPENE	Whataroa	T. Kapene
Robert Clarke	Whataroa	R. Clarke
Mark Symington	"	M. Symington
Mary Kennedy	Whataroa	M. Kennedy
Margaret Nolan	Whataroa	M. Nolan
Shona Rathgen	Whataroa	S. Rathgen
CUSTLA JONES	FRANZ JOSEF	C. Jones
CHAS RAY	FRANZ JOSEF	C. Ray
Lisa Hawthorn	Whataroa	L. Hawthorn
" "	"	"
PAUL CUMMING	FRANZ JOSEF	P. Cumming
Sue Kelly	Whataroa	S. Kelly
Jean Blackburn	Whataroa	J. Blackburn



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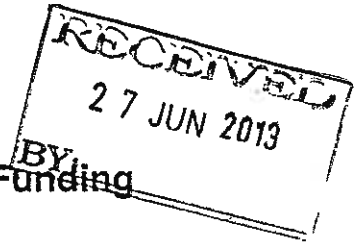
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Printed Name	Address	Signature
Bernadette Friend	Whataroa	B Friend
Kathleen Monk	Okarito	K A Monk
BERNARD H MONK	OKARITO	B H Monk
Barb O'Neill-Nolan	Whataroa	[Signature]
DAVE NOLAN	Whataroa	[Signature]
Jessie Broddlock	Whataroa	Jessie Broddlock
Paddy Kennedy	Bird Road Whataroa	P Kennedy
Dan DENNEHY	24 Flat Rd WHATARO	[Signature]
Jo Lambert	234 Flat Rd Whataroa	[Signature]
Kirsty Wilkinson	Whataroa	K M Wilkinson
Damian Blackburn	Whataroa	DMB
Sandra Dymock	Whataroa	S Dymock
Kevin Dymock	Whataroa	K. M. Dymock
Tommy Dymock	Whataroa	T Dymock
R. Philips	Whataroa	R. Philips
Conelia Vervoorn	11 Roberts St Whataroa	Conelia
MIKE MYLES	14 Wilson St	[Signature]



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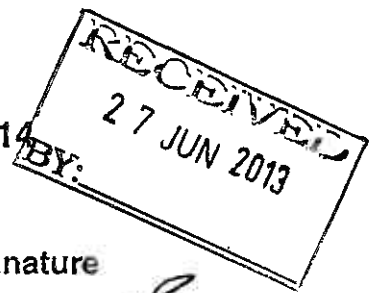
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Printed Name	Address	Signature
Stacey Straight	337 Scally Road Whataroa	[Signature]
Michael O'Connell	P.O. Box 8: Whataroa	[Signature]
Dale Straight	337 Scally Road Whataroa	[Signature]
Malcolm MacRae	Tetaho	[Signature]
Stephanie Bowater	R.D. 1 Whataroa	[Signature]
GARY MACRAE	RD 1 Whataroa	[Signature]
Anne Kennedy	502 Bird Rd RD1 Whataroa	[Signature]
Glenn Carroll	218 Bird Rd RD1 Whataroa	[Signature]
Gavin Hill	Scally Rd	[Signature]
Heath	Scally Rd	[Signature]
Nicky Nolan	Flat Rd	[Signature]
Jenny Bainbridge	Wilsonst. Whataroa	[Signature]
Jamie Fortune	Purcell Rd	[Signature]
Charlotte Warner	Butter Road Whataroa	[Signature]
Margaret Dobson	RD 1 Whataroa	[Signature]
Andy Dobson	RD 1 Whataroa	[Signature]
Angela Kelly	RD 1 Whataroa	[Signature]



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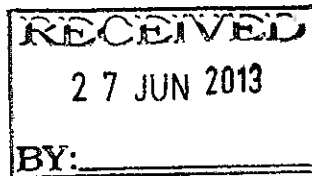
Printed Name

Address

Signature

Kaye Burgess	Flat Rd. Whataroa	K Burgess
Nicole friend	Brandt Rd Whataroa	NK friend
Brian Nolan	18 Wilson st Whataroa	Brian Nolan
Denis P Denny	12 Lower Hill Rd Whataroa	Denis P Denny
Geoff P Nolan	Hillview Rd Whataroa	Geoff P Nolan
Rob Pamment	Murray St Whataroa	Rob Pamment
DYLAN J HUTTON	7 Scally. Rd Whataroa	Dylan J Hutton
Anneta Burdon	14 Wilson st Whataroa	Anneta Burdon
Dave Friend	4 Brandt Road RDI Whataroa	Dave Friend





Whataroa Community Association  
C/O Sherry A. Woodside P.O. Box 25  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857

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### Should Council reinstate Community Development Funding?

☒ Yes

☐ No

Name: Terry Mc Bride Signature: i m m. full Date: 20-6-2013

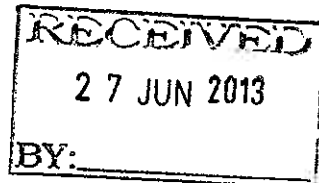
### Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

☒ Yes

☐ No

Other comments:





Name: Amelia Burdon  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: 14 Wilson  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857

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☒ Yes

☐ No

Name: Amelia Burdon Signature: Amelia Burdon Date: 26<sup>th</sup>/06/13

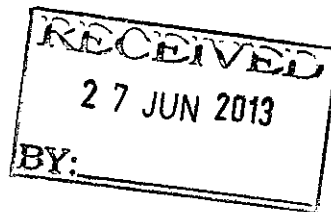
**Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission**

☐ Yes

☒ No

Other comments:





Name: Dylan Hutton  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: 7 SALLY ROAD  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857

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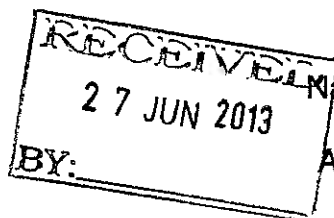
### Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

☐ Yes

☒ No

Other comments:





Name: Rob Pamment  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: Murray Street  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857

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Name: Rob Pamment Signature: Rob Pamment Date: 26/6/13

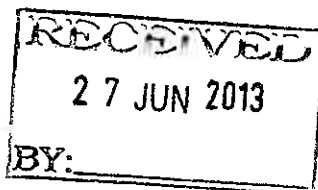
### Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

☐ Yes

☒ No

Other comments:





Name: Brian Nolan  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: 18 Wilson St Whataroa  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857

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Should Council reinstate Community Development Funding?

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☐ No

Name: Brian Nolan Signature: Brian Nolan Date: 26-6-2013

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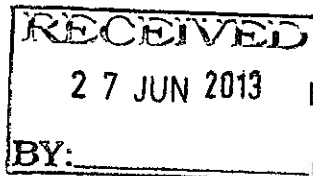
☐ Yes

☒ No

Other comments:

I hope you see good common sense and listen to good input as to why small townships need this money for their enhancement. I would like to speak at your meeting but cant because of work commitments.





Name: Geoff Nolan  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: R21 Whataroa  
Whataroa, South Westland ~~7857~~  
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☐ No

Name: GPNolan Signature GPNolan Date: 27/6/13

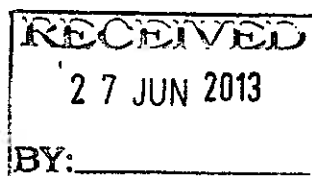
#### Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

☐ Yes

☒ No

Other comments:





Name: Denis Patrice Kenney  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: 12 Bowel Hill Rd  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857

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Name: Denis P Kenney

Signature: [Signature]

Date: 26/6/13

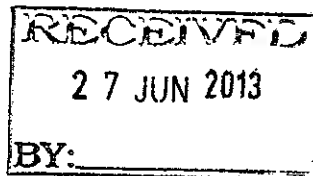
### Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

☐ Yes

☒ No

Other comments:





Name: MIKE MYLES  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: Po Box 46.  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857

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☒ Yes

☐ No

Name: MIKE MYLES Signature: [Signature] Date: 26-6-13

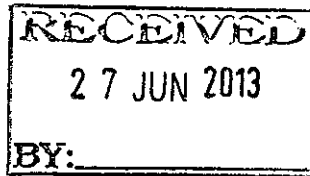
**Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission**

☐ Yes

☒ No

Other comments:





Name: Kirsty Wilkinson  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: 64 Bird Rd, Whataroa  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857

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☐ No

Name: Kirsty Wilkinson Signature: KW Date: 26/6/13

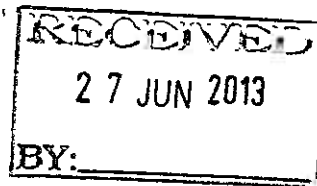
#### Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

☒ Yes

☐ No

Other comments:





Name: Sandra Dymock  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: Deerhart Road RD1  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857

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Name: Sandra Dymock Signature: [Signature] Date: 26/06/13

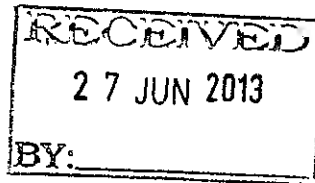
### Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

☐ Yes

☒ No

Other comments:





Name: Jo Lambert  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: 234 Flat Rd Whataroa  
Whataroa, South Westland ~~7857~~ 7886

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**Should Council reinstate Community Development Funding?**

☒ Yes

No

Name: J M Lambert Signature: [Signature] Date: 26.6.13

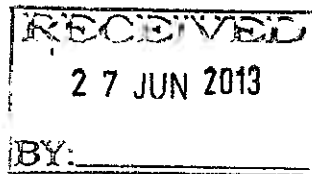
**Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission**

Yes

☒ No

Other comments:





Name: K. Burgess  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: 423 Flat Rd. Whataroa  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857  
7886

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Yes

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Name: Kate Burgess Signature: [Signature] Date: 25.6.13

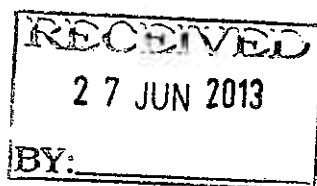
### Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

Yes

No

Other comments:





Name: DAN DENNEHY  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: 483  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857

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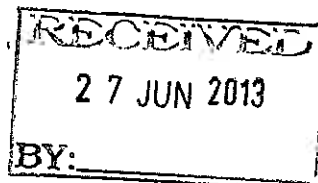
### Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

☐ Yes

☒ No

Other comments:





Name: Rosemary Philips  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: Wilson St  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857

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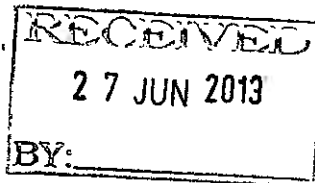
Name: R. Philips Signature R. Philips Date: 26.6.2013

**Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission**

Yes ☒ No

Other comments:





Name: Bernadette Fricol  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: RD1 4 Brandt Road  
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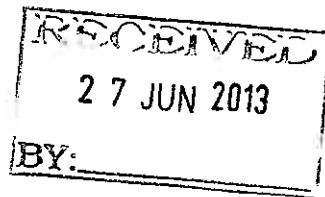
**Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission**

☒ Yes

☐ No

Other comments:





Name: Terry McBride  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: R21  
Whataroa, South Westland ~~7857~~ 7886

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☒ Yes

☐ No

Name: Terry McBride Signature: J.M. McBride Date: 2-6-2013

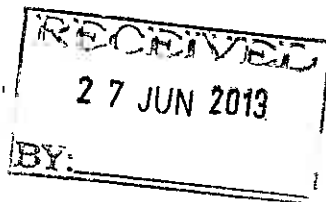
### Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

☐ Yes

☒ No

Other comments:





Name: Nicole Friend  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: RDI 4 Brandt Rd 1  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857  
7886

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Name: Nicole Friend Signature NK Friend Date: 26.06.13

**Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission**

☒ Yes ☐ No

Other comments:



CE	HWM	MPR	GM AO	CFO	EA	CSO	TLO	ASST ACCT
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Whakatane District Council  
Hokitika

WAS6:

164 Bird Road  
Whakatane 7586  
June 20<sup>th</sup>

488

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Dear Sir Madam

Re Mout Creek Rural Water Scheme  
Whakatane.

You will be aware that when Mr Connell sold his farm and left the district I wrote in August re appointing a replacement for the day to day maintenance of this water scheme. Although I received no reply, we now understand that Mr Ian Phelps is doing this job. We are unaware if this is official or not, but wish to make sure that the person doing the work is the person being paid.

I am pleased to see in the annual plan that progress is being made towards repairing



The water scheme before it fails.  
I support the referendum but  
have difficulty with the cost.  
\$5000 appears to be grossly  
excessive. Before the referendum  
we need to be sure that the  
roll of users/payers is correct as  
the last list council provided  
the committee with. appeared to  
have 2 takeoffs missing and  
since then I have sold the  
bulk of my property to Daimulkee  
Ltd. Both Mr Hassell & Daimulkee  
Ltd receive water and your  
records need to be adjusted  
accordingly.

Re Electoral Role  
I have only sold the majority  
of the property and still own a  
house & 14 ha approx but have not  
been receiving the quarterly newsletter.  
Please make sure that I haven't  
disappeared and the role for council

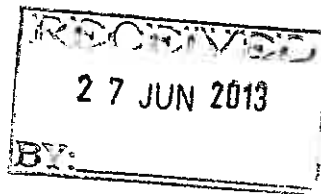


elections. I am sure you gmt  
forgot to send me a rate demand.  
House Number.

I built this house in 2006 but  
I am still waiting to be allocated  
a road number. I am sure it  
should probably be something like  
165 or 167. Can you please  
advise same.

Yours sincerely  
C Hassall





Name: David Friend  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: Whataroa  
Whataroa, South Westland ~~7857~~ 7886

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Name: David Friend Signature: [Signature] Date: 24.6.13

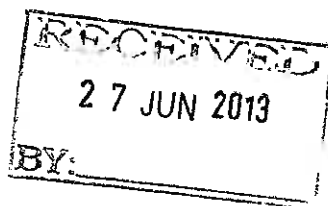
Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

☐ Yes

☒ No

Other comments:





Name: Mary Kennedy  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: Whataroa  
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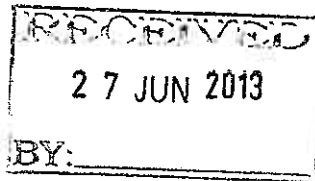
### Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

☐ Yes

☒ No

Other comments:





Name: Kath Monk  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: Okarito  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857

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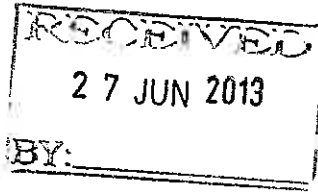
Name: Kath Monk Signature: K. H. Monk Date: 12.06.13

Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

Yes ☒ No ☐

Other comments:





Name: BERNARD H. MONK.  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: OKARITO  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857

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Name: B. H. MONK Signature BH Monk Date: 12/6/13.

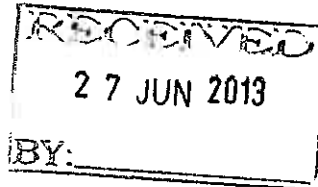
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Yes

No

Other comments:





Name: Paddy Kennedy  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
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7856

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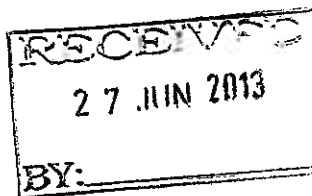
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☒ No

Other comments:





Name: Barb O'Neill Nolan  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: FJ 137 Whataroa 1 RD.  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857  
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Name: Barb O'Neill Nolan Signature: [Signature] Date: 24-6-13

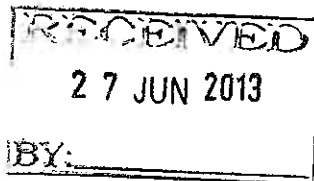
Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

☒ Yes

☐ No

Other comments:





Name: Charlotte Warren  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: 200 Bitter Road, R.D.1  
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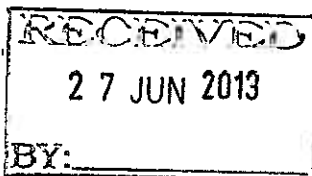
Name: Charlotte Warren Signature: [Signature] Date: 25/06/13

### Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

☒ Yes ☐ No

Other comments:





Name: Angela Kelly  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: Burrough Rd RD1  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857  
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Name: Angela Kelly Signature: A Kelly Date: 26-6-13

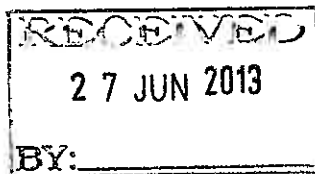
### Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

☐ Yes

☒ No

Other comments:





Name: Jamee Fortune  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: 173 Rural Road  
Whataroa, South Westland ~~7857~~ 7886

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Name: Jamee Fortune Signature: J Fortune Date: 26/06/13

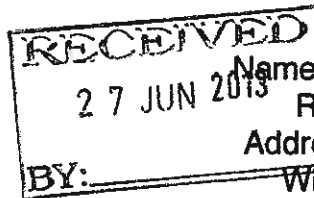
**Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission**

☒ Yes

☐ No

Other comments:





Name: Margaret Dobson  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: SHG  
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☒ Yes

☐ No

Name: Margaret Dobson Signature: [Signature] Date: 26/6/2013

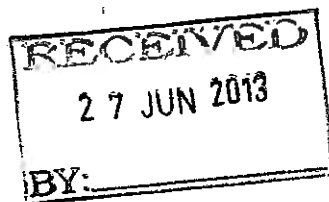
### Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

☐ Yes

☒ No

Other comments:





Name: Shona Ruthgen  
~~Ratepayer~~/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: 94 Whataroa Flat Rd.  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857

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Name: Shona Ruthgen Signature: [Signature] Date: 25 6 13

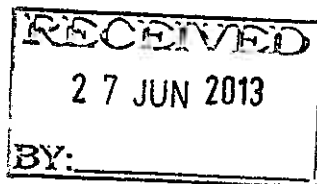
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☐ No

Other comments:





Name: Jenny M Bainbridge  
~~Ratepayer~~/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: 12 WILSON STREET  
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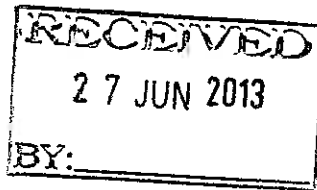
**Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission**

☒ Yes

☐ No

Other comments:





Name: Nicky Nolan  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: Flat 501  
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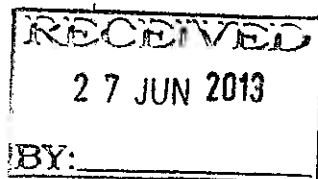
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Other comments:





Name: Kern Hill  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: Sally Rd  
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### Should Council reinstate Community Development Funding?

Yes

No

Name: Kern Hill Signature: [Signature] Date: 29/6/13

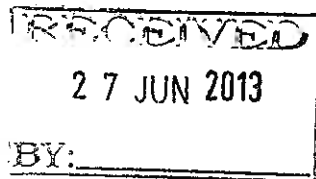
### Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

Yes

No

Other comments:





Name: Stacey Straight  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: 351 Sally Road  
Whataroa, South Westland 7857  
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Name: Stacey Straight Signature: [Signature] Date: 17/6/13

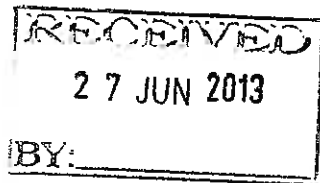
Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

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☒ No

Other comments:





Name: Stephanie Bowater  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: R21 Flat Rd  
Whataroa, South Westland ~~7857~~

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Name: Stephanie Bowater Signature SynBowater Date: 19/6/13

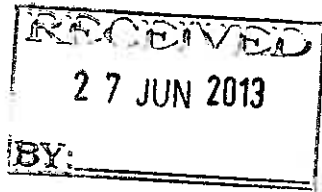
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☐ Yes

☒ No

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Name: G MacRae  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: R D 1 Whataroa.  
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Name: GARY MACRAE Signature: G S MacRae Date: 24.6.13

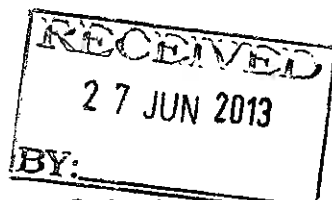
**Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission**

~~Yes~~

No

Other comments:





Name: Anne Kennedy  
Ratepayer/Resident of Whataroa  
Address: 562 Bird Rd, RD1  
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Name: Anne Kennedy Signature: A. Kennedy Date: 24.06.13

### Do you wish to be heard in support of this Submission

Yes

No

Other comments:

Keeping this fund is the least we should get. We don't get much else for our rates. No rubbish - we have to now pay \$23 per bin to have removed.



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Submission on the Council's 2013-2014

# Draft Annual Plan

## Westland District Council Submission Form

Submissions Close 4pm on Thursday 27 June 2013

*If you are handwriting this form please print and use a dark coloured ink pen*

Name David Friend

Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss/Dr  
(please circle)

Name of Organisation (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Address 221  
4 Brandt Road  
Whataroa

Telephone (day) 7534091  
Telephone (evening) 7534091

Email Address bernfriend@extra.co.nz

I would like to speak to my submission (please tick): ☒ Yes ☐ No

Submission Hearings will be on Thursday 04 & Friday 05 July 2013

All submissions will be acknowledged and time slots given to those who indicate they want to speak to their submission at the submission hearings. Please note that all submissions (including personal details - name, address and phone number) will be made public.



My Our submission to the Westland District Council 2013/14 Draft Annual Plan is:

I would like to make a submission  
on the Mint Creek Rural water supply.

The Annual Plan proposes a referendum  
on its future costing \$5000 to which I  
oppose. This money should be spent towards  
repairing the supply.

I strongly suggest we have a Mint Creek  
water supply rate Payers meeting by phoning  
each member and having a gathering where  
by every rate payer can vote anonymously  
on whether it should be repaired.  
voters could place votes in a box to  
be counted by someone independent.  
Eg - local councillor or justice of the  
peace.

I do have concerns over (Submission form continues over)

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the possible over engineering of the system resulting in high costs when it's not necessary.

It is a simple system that only needs replacement of tanks, minor pipe work and should continue to do the job it was designed for.

I believe two 25000 litre plastic tanks joined together and some digger work in site preparation would go along way to fixing the problem.

We need to take a common sense approach to this and keep it simple!

I would also like to clarify please where the money the rate payers have been paying in to the system is held.

(Attach more pages if needed)

Please return your submission form before 4pm Thursday 27 June 2013 by:

#### Post

Draft Annual Plan 2013-2014  
Westland District Council  
Private Bag 704  
Hokitika 7842

#### Email

You can also send us your submission form via email. Simply complete the submission form, scan it (PDF), attach to your email and send it to: [consult@westlanddc.govt.nz](mailto:consult@westlanddc.govt.nz)

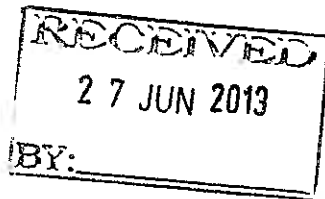
#### In person

You can deliver your submission form in person to the Council offices, 36 Weld Street, Hokitika. A submission box is available in the foyer.

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Name: Heather Vis Signature: [Signature] Date: 25/6/13

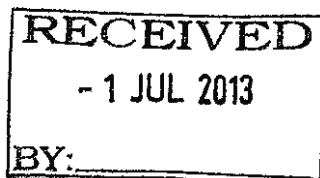
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☐ Yes

☐ No

Other comments:





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Westland District Council  
36 Weld Street  
Hokitika

27-06-2013.

Dear Sirs.

We wish to make a submission on the 2013 annual plan.

CE	HWM	MPR	GM AO	CFO	EA	CSO	TLO	ASST ACCT	200
									✓

We submit that due to the current legislation not requiring a bylaw to administer the Wharf at Jackson Bay that Council considers abandoning the current By Law and instructs that the Wharf to be managed by Westland District Property Ltd under its management contract with Westland District Council on a commercial basis.

WDPL considers this an administrative matter which will clearer define responsibilities for this strategic asset.

Yours Faithfully.

Bruce Smith  
General Manger  
Westland District Property Ltd

DD 03-7558497

Westland District Property Ltd  
PO Box 22, Hokitika 7842  
Phone: (03) 755 8497  
Email: [management@westlanddistrictproperty.co.nz](mailto:management@westlanddistrictproperty.co.nz)



21 / 6 / 2013

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Dear Mayor

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Hi, my name is Nicole Smith and I'm 11 yrs old. And I live at Cement lead rd Blue Spur I'm asking if you will please tar seal our dirt road.

Sometimes when I'm riding my bike it can be dangerous with cars going past without any paths to ride on. Also the road wrecks my family's car and every time the doors gets wrecked we have to fix it and it costs to much. The car gets dirty and we don't have a enough time to clean it.

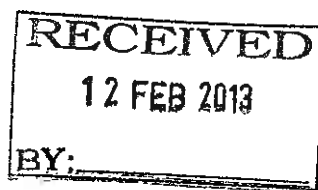
I hope you consider tar sealing our dirt road. It would be so nice if you do and we will thank you lots and lots. Once again it would be nice if you do.

Sincerely Nicole Smith.

CE	HWM	MPR	GM AO	CFO	EA	CSO	TLO	ASST ACCT
	✓ M.P.							



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## Physicians and Scientists for Global Responsibility

Charitable Trust

Formerly Physicians and Scientists for Responsible Genetics New Zealand

PO Box 8188  
TAURANGA 3145

10 February 2013

CE	HWM	MPR	GM AO	CFO	EA	CSO	TLO	ASST ACCT	✓
									✓

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CEOs, Mayors and Councillors of all Regional, District and City Councils in New Zealand,  
cc Community and Local Boards, and CEOs and Board Members of all District Health Boards

### Long Term Council Community Plans

The Trustees of PSGR thank Council for their response to previous correspondence. We again ask that you take into consideration the following concerns for a sustainable district and a healthy community when establishing your Long Term Plan 2013-2023, and in doing this draw support from the members of District Health Boards and Community and Local Boards.

Physicians and Scientists for Global Responsibility is a Charitable Trust established to provide independent scientific assessment and advice on matters relating to genetic engineering and other scientific matters including nanotechnology and synthetic biology. We offer the following:

#### 1 Genetic Engineering (terms also used include genetic modification and transgenics)

We draw Councils' attention to the RMA Section 32 analysis for Auckland and northern councils and the work of Dr Kerry Grundy, Team Leader (Futures Planning) at Whangarei District Council and convener of the Inter-Council Working Party (ICWP) on GMO (genetically modified organisms) Risk Evaluation and Management Options.

The ICWP has investigated the nature and extent of risks local authorities could expect to face from transgenic organisms in the environment and the options available to address those risks. It has sought legal opinion on whether local government has jurisdiction under the Local Government Act (LGA) and Resource Management Act (RMA) to regulate genetically engineered organisms. The latest documents released on 5 February 2012 can be found at [www.wdc.govt.nz](http://www.wdc.govt.nz).

We quote: "... there are significant risks to local government and their communities from outdoor use of GMOs, including environmental, economic and socio-cultural risks" and "the potential adverse effects of releasing GMOs into the environment could be significant – including possible major and long term harm. Moreover, these effects could be irreversible."<sup>i</sup> The plan provisions commissioned by the ICWP "provide for a precautionary approach to the way the use of natural resources is managed for the outdoor use of GMOs in order to achieve the purpose of the RMA" and "a rationale for prohibiting the general release of a GMO in district and unitary plans pending the availability of sufficient information about the risk of any potential effects of the activities on the environment. The evaluation also reflects community values in respect of the environmental risks the community is prepared to accept at the moment."<sup>i</sup>



Councils have a duty of care to protect their community from uninsurable long-term costs and damage that may arise given the scientific uncertainty around transgenic organisms in situations of commercial open release. We outline some of the concerns.

The terms *genetic modification* and *biotechnology* are often used interchangeably with the deliberate process of *genetic engineering*, which we take as the most accurate description of the technology. While biotechnology encompasses many other processes and offers many important non-transgenic applications that have contributed largely to support and improve agriculture, genetic engineering technology raises the main focus of our concern because of the manner in which it impinges on organisms and their ecological relationships.

The application of genetic engineering technology alters the DNA of a living organism in ways which are much more radical than what occurs due to the generally incremental, slow processes of natural evolution. It does this in a way that is inevitably disruptive to some degree as a result of the essentially random insertion of transgenic (or cisgenic) DNA into the functional DNA of a host organism. It may cause noticeable changes in the appearance of the organism and/or differences in the biochemistry and physiology of the organism. These changes are unpredictable and may result in the production of new proteins, with potential toxic effects, within the transgenic organism.

Many scientists are concerned about releasing genetically engineered organisms into the environment. That genetic engineering is of community significance for councils to address was amply determined in a 2009 Colmar Brunton Poll, to be found at

<http://www.wdc.govt.nz/PlansPoliciesandBylaws/Plans/Genetic-Engineering/Pages/default.aspx>.

New Zealand companies are concerned. Fonterra has said there is insufficient support in this country or from overseas customers to warrant local production of food from genetically engineered sources, and food producers Heinz Watties, Goodman Fielder and others have GE free policies.<sup>ii</sup>

When genetically engineered organisms are released into the environment, their transgenes can replicate, be transferred to other organisms, and contaminate so that the engineered characteristics spread through the eco-system. Farmers in the US face having to eradicate weed species that have developed herbicide-resistant traits, including resistance to multiple herbicides. These so-named 'superweeds' can grow aggressively and out-compete transgenic crops. Over-application of herbicides and pesticides to transgenic crops has increased substantially the volume of agricultural chemicals used and this has aided in the development of weeds resistant to those chemicals.

In December 2012, the Foundation for Arable Research confirmed New Zealand's first case of glyphosate-resistant ryegrass in a Marlborough vineyard and blamed frequent applications of that herbicide as the cause.<sup>iii</sup> Introducing transgenic ryegrass, which is in development, into this country's pastures would potentially contaminate conventional ryegrasses and would jeopardise our substantial ryegrass seed export industry.<sup>iv</sup> Trevor James of AgResearch is reported as saying: "There are 61 weeds all around the world resistant to glyphosate; there are six in Australia and it's a major problem with their cropping..."<sup>v</sup> Ryegrass (*Lolium rigidum*) is an acknowledged problematic weed in Australia and the first glyphosate-resistant weed was annual ryegrass which emerged in 1996.<sup>vi</sup> Glyphosate is the active ingredient in the widely applied herbicide marketed as RoundUp. Commercial RoundUp Ready (glyphosate-resistant) cotton was first grown in Australia in 1996 and may have contributed. Other resistant crops grown elsewhere are seen as culpable in the emergence of herbicide-resistant weed species.



Each year weeds cost Australia over AUD\$4 billion in control and lost production.<sup>vii</sup> Recently, the Australian government committed AUD\$15.3 million over four years to establish a comprehensive National Weeds and Productivity Research Programme to reduce the impact of invasive plants. Wild radish (*Raphanus raphanistrum*) costs the Australian grain industry AUD\$140 million/p.a. for weed control and in lost production.<sup>viii</sup> In relation to widely grown transgenic oilseed rape/canola, Britain's advisory committee on releases to the environment (ACRE) identified wild radish, wild turnip, hoary mustard, brown mustard and wild cabbage as species from which hybrids could be formed with the transgenic varieties. A Swedish study found transgenic canola seed could remain viable in the wild even 10 years after release.<sup>ix</sup> In one field trial plot, researchers found 46% of seeds in a wild turnip plant contaminated with transgenic DNA.<sup>x</sup> Wild radish, wild turnip and wild cabbage grow in New Zealand.

Councils will be aware of the heavy costs incurred to remove wilding pines. With experiments on RoundUp Ready *pinus radiata* some communities potentially face the risk of transgenic pines resistant to glyphosate becoming a superweed. (See '2 Wilding Pines' on page 4.)

Dr Charles Benbrook, a research professor at the Centre for Sustaining Agriculture and Natural Resources at Washington State University, US, states: *"the spread of glyphosate-resistant weeds in herbicide-resistant weed management systems has brought about substantial increases in the number and volume of herbicides applied. If new genetically engineered forms of corn and soybeans tolerant of 2,4-D are approved, the volume of 2,4-D sprayed could drive herbicide usage upward by another approximate 50%."*<sup>xi</sup>

N.B. There is an application for approval currently before Food Standards ANZ for transgenic soy resistant to three chemicals: 2,4-D (2,4-dichlorophenoxyacetic acid), glufosinate ammonium and glyphosate. Other transgenic crops are being developed to resist 2,4-D (an ingredient in Agent Orange), dicamba (a herbicide in the 2,4-D family), HPPD-inhibiting herbicides, and glyphosate and AL (GAT).<sup>xii</sup>

Transgenic crops also potentially endanger the human environment. In 2009, the American Academy of Environmental Medicine issued a statement 'Genetically Modified Foods' that included: *"GM foods pose a serious health risk in the areas of toxicology, allergy and immune function, reproductive health and metabolic, physiologic and genetic health and are without benefit."*  
<http://www.aaemonline.org/gmopost.html>.

It is claimed transgenic crops benefit farmers. Hear from US farmers who planted transgenic crops on <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jEX654eN3c4&feature=plcp> (24 minutes) and an interview with Nnimmo Bassey, head of Friends of the Earth International speaking of farmers in India, south-east Asia, Africa and Latin America (8.18 minutes), <http://www.guardian.co.uk/environment/2011/oct/19/gm-crops-insecurity-superweeds-pesticides>. The Supreme Court of India is currently considering the advice of a scientific expert panel for a ten-year moratorium on field trials of genetically engineered organisms.

The International Assessment of Agricultural Knowledge, Science and Technology for Development (IAASTD), a large, comprehensive United Nations study, does not support the thesis that genetic engineering is a solution to feeding future generations, and transgenic crops could threaten food security: [www.agassessment.org/docs/SCReport.English.pdf](http://www.agassessment.org/docs/SCReport.English.pdf).



PSGR urges Council to apply a precautionary policy on genetically engineered organisms to meet its duty of care to its ratepayers and to protect the environment. For a guide to Council for plan development, we recommend the comprehensive analysis of the myths and truths relating to genetically engineered organisms and peer-reviewed studies found at [http://earthopensource.org/files/pdfs/GMO\\_Myths\\_and\\_Truths/GMO\\_Myths\\_and\\_Truths\\_1.3b.pdf](http://earthopensource.org/files/pdfs/GMO_Myths_and_Truths/GMO_Myths_and_Truths_1.3b.pdf), the executive summary of which follows this letter. This document supports PSGR's recommendations.

## 2 Wilding Pines

Wilding pines are invasive, cost New Zealand millions of dollars to control and are a threat to biodiversity, farm productivity and landscape values. Different conifers dominate in different areas of New Zealand. There are ten main 'wilding' species: Radiata Pine (*Pinus radiata*); Douglas-fir (*Pseudotsuga* species); Bishop Pine (*Pinus muricata*); Corsican Pine (*Pinus nigra*); Dwarf Mountain Pine (*Pinus mugo*); Lodgepole Pine (*Pinus contorta*); Maritime Pine (*Pinus pinaster*); Ponderosa Pine (*Pinus ponderosa*); Scots Pine (*Pinus sylvestris*); European Larch (*Larix decidua*).<sup>xiii</sup>

Forestry in New Zealand is a major export earner and a significant employer. Ninety percent of our plantation forests are in *pinus radiata*<sup>xiv</sup> which generate wilding pines to flourish from coastal areas to high altitudes. Pines seed efficiently from pinecones. Wind-blown seeds are widely distributed and readily take root. Wilding pines compete with native trees and plants and pine needles discourage regeneration of native forest floor species.

Wilding pines are aggressive colonisers and create economic and environmental consequences for Regional Councils, the Department of Conservation, National Park Boards, private landowners and others. Funding can come from such as the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry Sustainable Farming Fund<sup>xv</sup>, government's Biodiversity Funds<sup>xvi</sup>, and the Environmental Enhancement Fund from Environment Bay of Plenty.<sup>xvii</sup> The monitory sources used deplete the public purse.

It is our understanding that Regional Councils are taking action against wilding pines as part of The New Zealand Biodiversity Strategy (2000) which fulfils in part commitments made under the Convention of Biological Diversity to halt the decline of our indigenous biodiversity: <http://www.biodiversity.govt.nz/pdfs/picture/nzbs-whole.pdf>. In its 2005 Pest Management Strategy, Canterbury Regional Council advocated changes to the district plans of territorial authorities to prevent or control the planting of inappropriate conifers.<sup>xviii</sup>

Of concern to PSGR was the approval by the Environmental Research Management Authority (now the Environmental Protection Agency; EPA) for the New Zealand Forest Research Institute Limited, trading as Scion, to plant *pinus radiata* with a number of engineered traits, including herbicide-resistance: Applications GMF000032; GMF000033; GMF000034; GMF000035; GMF000036; GMF000037; GMF000038; GMF000039; all approved with controls. The experimental trees would be trialled over two decades in the open environment in the Rotorua area. The premise is that the trees will largely be engineered using what is commonly termed 'terminator' technology, making the trees sterile, i.e. not able to flower or replicate.

Transgenic traits are likely to be unstable and the variants of terminator technology offer no absolute guarantee of sterility. The traits can break down and the trees revert to flowering. Even if totally sterile, terminator trees can spread by asexual means. Genes can spread horizontally in soil bacteria, fungi and other organisms in the extensive root system of forest trees. There could be long-term



impacts on soil biota and fertility. Sterile monocultures yield more readily to disease. Trees that do not flower and fruit cannot provide food for the organisms that feed on pollen, nectar, seed and fruit; thus, essential pollinating insects may not be available, especially for beekeepers, horticulturalists and crop growers.

One of the proposed engineered traits is herbicide-resistance. As we have shown, in the US herbicide-tolerant transgenic crops have increased the use of herbicides, rather than cause a reduction in usage. This has led to substantial numbers of weed species becoming herbicide-resistant and in turn causing major difficulties for farmers and other growers.

Herbicide-resistant pines could lead to wilding pine superweeds. Worrying is the fact that conventional *pinus radiata* seeds have been found viable “at least up to twenty-four years.”<sup>xix</sup>

You may feel your council could consider its area of jurisdiction is too far away to worry about contamination or cross-pollination from genetically engineered trees grown elsewhere. In this regard, we refer you to the work of Sing et al (1993) who found that pollen from pine trees had travelled over 600 kms. Pollen is in the order of 100 to 10 microns or smaller in size. Once in the atmosphere, it can travel vast distances. It would need a failure rate of only a part of a percent for transgenes in pollen to contaminate other trees, potentially at great distances, in ways that could not easily be monitored.

The risks are environmental and economic. Terminator technology has attracted a voluntary moratorium from many countries because of the risks involved. The effect on New Zealand's reputation overseas and exports could be damaging. These experiments are not in New Zealand's best interests.

We refer you to our full submission to the Environmental Risk Management Authority (ERMA) on this Application (now the jurisdiction of the EPA): [www.psg.org.nz/index.php?option=com\\_content&view=article&id=80:submission-on-application-erma200479-to-field-test-in-containment-pinus-radiata&catid=24:environmental-risk-management&Itemid=39](http://www.psg.org.nz/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=80:submission-on-application-erma200479-to-field-test-in-containment-pinus-radiata&catid=24:environmental-risk-management&Itemid=39).

With the tools contained in the latest release from the ICWP, Councils have the means to endorse their plans with a precautionary statement, or something more stringent, to avoid the undesirable effects of transgenic wilding pines.

### 3 Nanotechnology

Nanotechnology refers to techniques used to engineer structures, materials and systems that operate at a scale of 100 nanometres (nm) or less, the scale of atoms and molecules. One nanometre measures one-billionth of a metre.

Recent evidence from hydroponic plant studies showed manufactured nano-materials (MNM) can be taken up and processed by plants. Priester et al (2012)<sup>xx</sup> found MNM can impact on microbes and microbial processes related to nutrient cycling, to plant growth and composition if MNMs are transferred from soil to plants, and to plant-microbe interactions that affect soil fertility. The researchers propose MNM could alter the quality and yield of soil-based food crops.

A further conclusion was that dispersing wastewater biosolids which may contain MNM on paddocks growing food crops could lead to agriculturally associated human and environmental risks from MNM. It raised concern that there could be toxic effects higher up the food chain that could potentially be a threat to any form of life.



Biosolids that may contain MNM are routinely dispersed on New Zealand paddocks and into water systems. Treated sewage that may contain MNM is discharged into the sea.<sup>xxi</sup>

Council should be aware that MNM can potentially pose serious problems. We do not know what happens when MNM are ground up, incinerated or disposed of in a landfill, or when they are released into the atmosphere, water or soil. Studies have shown nanoparticles can move in unexpected ways through soil and can potentially carry other substances with them. Airborne MNM could travel vast distances. We do not have filters fine enough to trap MNM and we currently have no way of tracking them in soil, air or water.

Caution must also arise when we consider studies such as that detailed in the European Respiratory Journal<sup>xxii</sup>: “Seven young female workers (aged 18–47 yrs), exposed to nanoparticles for 5–13 months, all with shortness of breath and pleural effusions were admitted to hospital. Immunological tests, examinations of bacteriology, virology and tumour markers, bronchoscopy, internal thoracoscopy and video-assisted thoracic surgery were performed. Surveys of the workplace, clinical observations and examinations of the patients were conducted. Polyacrylate, consisting of nanoparticles, was confirmed in the workplace. Pathological examinations of patients' lung tissue displayed nonspecific pulmonary inflammation, pulmonary fibrosis and foreign-body granulomas of pleura. Using transmission electron microscopy, nanoparticles were observed to lodge in the cytoplasm and caryoplasm of pulmonary epithelial and mesothelial cells, but are also located in the chest fluid. These cases arouse concern that long-term exposure to some nanoparticles without protective measures may be related to serious damage to human lungs.” Two of the workers died.

It is known that varieties of nanoparticles can pass through skin into the bloodstream, enter an individual cell, and pass through the blood-brain barrier and into the placenta. Relatively few toxicological studies on nanoparticles have been carried out and where they have been performed on animals and fish adverse reactions have been observed, including fatalities.

Councils and District Health Boards need to work closely on developing safety measures in regard to MNM. Potential gains from nanotechnology need to be weighed against the fact that science is increasingly being privatised and patents on nano-products and -technologies are growing rapidly. Vested interest can too easily override issues of safety, regulation, and public consultation and interest. This is not a subject for the ‘too hard’ basket.

Items marketed today containing MNM include electronic, cosmetic, automotive and medical products, and packaging.<sup>xxiii</sup> MNM known to be in use in New Zealand are dental fillings, cleaning materials, protective and non-stick applications on glass, personal care products, veterinarian and pharmaceutical products. MNM are inadequately regulated in New Zealand. Manufacturers are not required to state on a product that it contains nanomaterials, or to notify the EPA they intend to import or manufacture products containing nanoparticles, other than cosmetics.

Despite PSGR's repeated requests, the Ministry of Research, Science and Technology, now the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment (MBIE), has not updated us on their 2010 position on developments for handling nanoparticle waste material.

We refer you again to the actions of the City of Berkeley in California, the first authority to address nano waste: [www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/](http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/) (enter *nano waste* in ‘search’); title 15, pages 9 and 10 on [www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/uploadedFiles/Clerk/Level\\_3\\_-\\_General/BMC-Part1-T1-22--091807.pdf](http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/uploadedFiles/Clerk/Level_3_-_General/BMC-Part1-T1-22--091807.pdf); and [www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/uploadedFiles/Planning\\_\(new\\_site\\_map\\_walk-through\)/Level\\_3\\_-\\_General/Manufactured%20Nanoscale%20Materials.pdf](http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/uploadedFiles/Planning_(new_site_map_walk-through)/Level_3_-_General/Manufactured%20Nanoscale%20Materials.pdf).



We also refer you to the PSGR submission to Tauranga City Council on nano waste on [www.psgr.org.nz/index.php?option=com\\_content&view=article&id=81:submission-to-tauranga-city-council--western-bay-of-plenty-district-council-nano-waste&catid=21:general&Itemid=39](http://www.psgr.org.nz/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=81:submission-to-tauranga-city-council--western-bay-of-plenty-district-council-nano-waste&catid=21:general&Itemid=39), and TCC's response on [www.psgr.org.nz/index.php?option=com\\_content&view=article&id=83:response-to-submission-o-nanotechnology-waste-tcc&catid=21:general&Itemid=39](http://www.psgr.org.nz/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=83:response-to-submission-o-nanotechnology-waste-tcc&catid=21:general&Itemid=39).

### **Council's Long-term Plans**

PSGR urges New Zealand Councils to apply strong precautionary policies on genetically engineered organisms and on nanoparticles for Unitary, Local and Regional plans to meet their duty of care to ratepayers and to protect the environment; and on District Health Boards to be cognisant of the risks of genetically engineered organisms and nanoparticles in terms of human health.

We look forward to your response

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## GMO Myths and Truths

An evidence-based examination of the claims made for the safety and efficacy of genetically modified crops, Michael Antoniou, Claire Robinson, John Fagan; June 2012, Earth Open Source  
<http://earthopensource.org/index.php/reports/58>

**Executive Summary:** Genetically modified (GM) crops are promoted on the basis of a range of far-reaching claims from the GM crop industry and its supporters. They say that GM crops:

- Are an extension of natural breeding and do not pose different risks from naturally bred crops
- Are safe to eat and can be more nutritious than naturally bred crops
- Are strictly regulated for safety
- Increase crop yields
- Reduce pesticide use
- Benefit farmers and make their lives easier
- Bring economic benefits
- Benefit the environment
- Can help solve problems caused by climate change
- Reduce energy use
- Will help feed the world.

However, a large and growing body of scientific and other authoritative evidence shows that these claims are not true. On the contrary, evidence presented in this report indicates that GM crops:

- Are laboratory-made, using technology that is totally different from natural breeding methods, and pose different risks from non-GM crops
- Can be toxic, allergenic or less nutritious than their natural counterparts
- Are not adequately regulated to ensure safety
- Do not increase yield potential
- Do not reduce pesticide use but increase it
- Create serious problems for farmers, including herbicide-tolerant “superweeds”, compromised soil quality, and increased disease susceptibility in crops
- Have mixed economic effects
- Harm soil quality, disrupt ecosystems, and reduce biodiversity
- Do not offer effective solutions to climate change
- Are as energy-hungry as any other chemically-farmed crops
- Cannot solve the problem of world hunger but distract from its real causes – poverty, lack of access to food and, increasingly, lack of access to land to grow it on.

Based on the evidence presented in this report, there is no need to take risks with GM crops when effective, readily available, and sustainable solutions to the problems that GM technology is claimed to address already exist. Conventional plant breeding, in some cases helped by safe modern technologies like gene mapping and marker assisted selection, continues to outperform GM in producing high-yield, drought-tolerant, and pest- and disease-resistant crops that can meet our present and future food needs.

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