

# We are looking for a Friend of the Submitter

Horizons Regional Council is looking to appoint a 'Friend of the Submitter' for their recently notified plan change. Horizons is evolving the One Plan (the combined regional policy statement and regional plan for the Horizons Region), and this is your opportunity to support the people in your community to engage in the plan-making process for the region.

## The role

This is a contract role which involves supporting the community in the RMA process. Ideally you will be an independent, impartial expert who is able to assist potential submitters to navigate the RMA submission process, without commenting or expressing a view on the context/content of submissions.

This contract role is best suited for applicants who reside in the Manawatū-Whanganui Region, have extensive local knowledge and relate well to people of all walks of life.

The successful appointee will ideally have:

- Credibility within the community;
- A personable approach to working with potential submitters;
- Excellent knowledge of the Resource Management Act 1991 (RMA), and strong understanding and experience of Schedule 1 plan change processes;
- Ability to provide quality, timely advice on process and role of the submitter.

The role is expected to continue through until the end of October 2019 covering the current submission period.

## Expressions of interest close at 5pm Friday 16<sup>th</sup> August 2019

If you have any questions contact Kate Proctor on 06 952 2889 or [kate.proctor@horizons.govt.nz](mailto:kate.proctor@horizons.govt.nz).

To express your interest please send a brief introductory letter and credentials (short form CV) to [vacancies@horizons.govt.nz](mailto:vacancies@horizons.govt.nz).

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