

Ohura Municipal Water Take Resource consent application

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Attention: Jasmine Mitchell Team Leader Consents

By email: <u>Jasmine.Mitchell@horizons.govt.nz</u>

Dear Jasmine

RESOURCE CONSENT APPLICATION FOR THE OHURA MUNICIPAL WATER TAKE

Please find enclosed our application to replace the existing consent held for the Ohura Municipal Water Take from the Mangaparare Stream, near Hihi Street Bridge, Ohura.

By prior agreement with Horizons, and pursuant to s.124(2)(e) of the Resource Management Act 1991, this application is lodged 3 months before the expiry of the existing consents on 14 November, 2021.

Ruapehu District Council (RDC) advises that while this application is lodged to meet the necessary statutory timeframes under the RMA, we are continuing to engage with iwi/hapū groups who may be directly affected by this application; Ngāti Hāua, Ngāti Maniapoto and Ngā Tangata Tiaki. We note that some elements of this application may need to be updated as and when and the outcome of those discussions are confirmed. RDC have recently appointed Sonny Houpapa to Executive Manager – Iwi Relationships to assist with these discussions and our broader relationships with iwi partners.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Stuart Watson ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGER Copies to:



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