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**Chairperson and Members
Consents and Regulatory Committee**

Notice of Meeting

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the **Consents and Regulatory Committee** will be held in the Taranaki Regional Council Chambers, 47 Cloten Road, Stratford on:

Wednesday 3 September 2008 commencing at 10.30am.

B G Chamberlain
Chief Executive

**THE TARANAKI REGIONAL COUNCIL REQUESTS THAT THIS
AGENDA REMAINS EMBARGOED UNTIL COMMENCEMENT OF THE
MEETING**

Agenda for the meeting of the Consents and Regulatory Committee of the Taranaki Regional Council to be held in the Taranaki Regional Council Chambers, 47 Cloten Road, Stratford on Wednesday 3 September 2008 commencing at 10.30 am.



Councillors

D L Lean (Chairperson)
 M J Cloke
 M G Davey
 M A Irving
 B R Jeffares
 M P Joyce
 B J Marsh
 R F H Maxwell
 N W Walker

D N MacLeod (ex officio)

In attendance

Messrs	B G Chamberlain (Chief Executive)
	M J Nield (Director-Corporate Services)
	A D McLay (Director-Resource Management)
	C H McLellan (Consents Manager)
	P D Ashe (Monitoring Manager)
	B E Pope (Compliance Manager)
	P Ledingham (Information Officer)
Mrs	K van Gameren (Committee Administrator)

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THAT the Taranaki Regional Council:

resolves that the public be excluded from the following part of the proceedings of this Consents and Regulatory Committee of the Taranaki Regional Council, namely:

- Item 10: Confidential Minutes
Consents & Regulatory Committee
22 July 2008**
- Item 11: Unauthorised Incident**

The general subject of each matter to be considered while the public is excluded, the reason for passing this resolution in relation to each matter, and the specific grounds under section 48(1) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 for the passing of this resolution are as follows:

General subject of each matter to be considered	Reason for passing this resolution in relation to each matter	Grounds under section 48(1) for the passing of this resolution
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**Minutes of the Consents and Regulatory
Committee Meeting of the Taranaki
Regional Council, held in the Taranaki
Regional Council Chambers, 47 Cloten
Road, Stratford, on Tuesday 22 July 2008
at 10.30 am.**

ITEM ONE

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Present	Councillors	D L Lean M J Cloke M G Davey M A Irving B R Jeffares M P Joyce M B Marsh R F H Maxwell N W Walker	(Chairperson) (from 10.35am)
		D N MacLeod	(ex officio)
In attendance	Messrs	B G Chamberlain A D McLay G K Bedford M J Nield C H McLellan P D Ashe B E Pope C Fowles M Nager P Ledingham	(Chief Executive) (Director-Resource Management) (Director-Environment Quality) (Director-Corporate Services) (Consents Manager) (Monitoring Manager) (Compliance Manager) (Scientific Officer) (Investigating Officer) (Information Officer)
	Mrs	K van Gameren	(Committee Administrator)
	Ms	F Blyde	(Inspectorate Administration Officer)
	Mr	Wolfgang Leeb	(OMV New Zealand Limited)
	Mr	Nicholas Cavaye	(OMV New Zealand Limited)

Apologies There were no apologies.

**Notification of
Late Items** There were no late items of business.

**1. Confirmed Minutes: Consents and Regulatory Committee
- 11 June 2008**

Recommended

THAT the Taranaki Regional Council

1. receives the confirmed minutes of the Consents and Regulatory Committee meeting held on Wednesday 11 June 2008 at 10.30 am.

08/145

Lean/Irving

Matters Arising

There were no matters arising.

2. Non- notified resource consents and exercise of delegations

- 2.1 The Committee considered and discussed the memorandum advising the Committee of non-notified consents/certificates of compliance granted under delegated authority and of consent processing actions since the last meeting.
- 2.2 The exercise of delegations under the Resource Management Act 1991 was reported for information.

Recommended

THAT the Taranaki Regional Council

1. receives the schedule of non-notified resource consents/certificates of compliance granted under delegated authority
2. receives the schedule of consent processing delegations.

08/146

Cloke/Maxwell

3. Resource consents from other consent authorities

- 3.1 The Committee received and considered the schedule of notified and limited-notified resource consent applications forwarded to the Taranaki Regional Council from district councils.

Resolved

THAT the Taranaki Regional Council

1. receives the schedule of notified and limited-notified applications for resource consents forwarded from other consent authorities.

08/147

Lean/Marsh

5. Hearing Committee's report and decision and three resource consent applications by Normanby Power Limited

- 5.1 The Committee noted and discussed the memorandum to receive the report and decisions and recommendations of the Hearing Committee which heard three applications by Normanby Power Limited to recommission the Normanby Hydro Scheme. The applications relate to the damming of water, taking and use of water, and use of a weir and ancillary structures in the Waingongoro River for hydroelectric generation purposes. The Hearing Committee comprised Councillors Lean and Irving with the Hearing held 9 June 2008.

Recommended

THAT the Taranaki Regional Council

1. receives the report and decision of the Hearing Committee that heard three applications by Normanby Power Limited to recommission the Normanby Hydro Scheme in terms of the Resource Management Act 1991; and
2. notes that the Hearing Committee has, under delegated authority from this Council, granted the resource consents sought.

08/148

Walker/Davey

4. Maari Project Update and Presentation

- 4.1 Mr Wolfgang Leeb (OMV New Zealand Limited Maari Asset Manager) and Mr Micholas Cavaye (OMV New Zealand Limited Environmental Advisor) provided a powerpoint presentation to the Committee on the off-shore Maari oil field development 80 kms west of Hawera beyond the Council's 12 nm Resource Management Act boundary. The presentation provided members with some background to the project, the development undertaken so far and the environmental protection measures being employed by OMV New Zealand Limited as operator of the field.

Recommended

THAT the Taranaki Regional Council

1. receives the memorandum.

08/149

Marsh/Jeffares

6. Consent monitoring annual reports

- 6.1 Mr G K Bedford, Director-Environment Quality, spoke to the memorandum outlining eight tailored monitoring programme annual reports for the 2006-2007, 2005-2007 and 2007 monitoring periods. All reports indicated a high or good level of environmental performance.

Recommended

THAT the Taranaki Regional Council

1. receives the Methanex Motunui and Waitara Valley Combined Monitoring Programme Annual Report January-December 2007 and adopts the specific recommendations therein
2. receives the Waitara Marine Outfall Bacteriological Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007 and adopts the specific recommendations therein
3. receives the Waitara Marine Outfall Ecological Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007 and adopts the specific recommendations therein
4. receives the Waitara Waste Water Treatment Plant Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007 and adopts the specific recommendations therein
5. receives the Hongihongi and Herekawe Streams Joint Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2006-2007 and adopts the specific recommendations therein
6. receives the New Plymouth District Council Water Supplies and Structures Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2002-2007 and adopts the specific recommendations therein
7. receives the Egmont Stone Limited Quarry Monitoring Programme Biennial Report 2005-2007 and adopts the specific recommendations therein
8. receives the Swift Energy NZ Limited Waihapa & Rimu Production Stations Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2006-2007 and adopts the specific recommendations therein

08/150

Cloke/Marsh

7. Unauthorised Incident Register 26 May 2008 to 30 June 2008

- 7.1 The Committee received and considered the Unauthorised Incidents Register for the period 26 May 2008 to 30 June 2008.

Recommended

THAT the Taranaki Regional Council

1. receives the Unauthorised Incidents Register for the period 26 May 2008 to 30 June 2008 and adopts the recommendations therein.

08/151

Lean/MacLeod

8. General Business

There were no items of general business.

9. Public Excluded

THAT the Taranaki Regional Council

resolves that the public be excluded from the following part of the proceedings of the Consents and Regulatory Committee meeting of the Taranaki Regional Council, held on Tuesday 22 July 2008, namely:

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Item 11: Unauthorised Incident

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08/152

Lean/Joyce

There being no further business, the Chairperson Mr D L Lean declared the Consents and Regulatory Committee meeting closed at 11.50 am.

Confirmed

Chairperson: _____
D N MacLeod

Date: **12 August 2008**

3 September 2008

ITEM TWO

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**Memorandum to
Chairperson and Members
Consents and Regulatory Committee**

Non-notified resource consents and exercise of delegations

Purpose

1. This memorandum advises the Committee of non-notified consents / certificates of compliance granted and of consent processing actions since the last meeting.

Background

2. The following resource consent / certificate of compliance applications have been investigated by technical officers of the Taranaki Regional Council and reported to be activities with minor adverse effects on the environment. In accordance with sections 104 to 108 and section 139 of the Resource Management Act 1991, and pursuant to delegated authority to make decisions on non-notified consent applications, the Chief Executive or the Director—Resource Management has granted the consents / certificates of compliance.
3. The exercise of delegations under the Resource Management Act 1991 is reported for Committee Members' information. Under the delegations, consent processing actions are to be reported to the Consents and Regulatory Committee.

Recommendations

THAT the Taranaki Regional Council:

1. receives the schedule of non-notified resource consents / certificates of compliance granted under delegated authority; and
2. receives the schedule of consent processing delegations.

Approved:

A D McLay
Director—Resource Management

B G Chamberlain
Chief Executive

Non-notified consents (and certificates of compliance where applicable) issued by the Taranaki Regional Council between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008

Consent	Holder	Subtype
Discharge Permit		
0632-3	AR & PE Davidson	Discharge Agricultural
0775-3	GJ & NK Jury	Discharge Agricultural
0955-3	RN & AW Potroz	Discharge Agricultural
1088-3	Alma Trust	Discharge Agricultural
1322-3	GBG Farms Limited	Discharge Agricultural
1346-3	Bourke Otaraoa Trust	Discharge Agricultural
1392-3	Robins Dairy Farming Limited	Discharge Agricultural
1448-3	Maxwell Brian & Beverley Trust	Discharge Agricultural
1452-3	Bishop Barry Family Trust	Discharge Agricultural
1509-3	Winstone Aggregates Limited	Discharge Nonagricultural
1575-3	JM Hill	Discharge Agricultural
1593-3	DW & CS Jury	Discharge Agricultural
1630-3	Taratarua Farm Limited	Discharge Agricultural
1667-3	JW & KE Grigg	Discharge Agricultural
1701-3	SP & KP Van Burgsteden	Discharge Agricultural
1746-3	GH & MJ Wellington	Discharge Agricultural
1768-3	M Campbell	Discharge Agricultural
1857-5	MCK Metals Pacific Limited	Discharge Nonagricultural
2037-3	GD Marsh	Discharge Nonagricultural
2445-2	Nugen Farms Limited	Discharge Agricultural
2543-2	Hinrows Farm Limited	Discharge Agricultural
2984-2	Bayly Brothers Trusts Partnership	Discharge Agricultural
3811-2	Miller C M Trust No 1	Discharge Agricultural
3913-2	Clark & Rogers Ltd	Discharge Nonagricultural
3977-3	EE Riddick	Discharge Nonagricultural
4034-3	MCK Metals Pacific Limited	Discharge Nonagricultural
4091-2	Hermann Family Trust	Discharge Agricultural
4203-2	Nakiland Agriculture Limited	Discharge Agricultural
4447-2	JRH & KM Weston	Discharge Agricultural
4448-2	GR Corkill	Discharge Agricultural
4451-2	Stockman Ridge Trust	Discharge Agricultural

4481-2	Netherleigh Farm Limited	Discharge Agricultural
4539-2	AML Limited [Trading as Allied Concrete]	Discharge Nonagricultural
4628-2	KJ & LM Goodwin	Discharge Agricultural
4775-1	Weatherford New Zealand Limited	Discharge Nonagricultural
5231-2	TM & PJ Paul	Discharge Agricultural
5419-2	Energyworks Limited	Discharge Nonagricultural
6576-1	MT Ward	Discharge Nonagricultural
7214-1	MiLife New Plymouth Limited	Discharge Nonagricultural
7289-1	Gilray Partnership	Discharge Nonagricultural
7301-1	Shamrock Trust	Discharge Agricultural
7338-1	Value Timber Supplies Limited	Discharge Nonagricultural
7339-1	Hillvale Trust	Discharge Agricultural
7345-1	Mills AB & AM Family Trusts	Discharge Agricultural
7347-1	Origin Energy Resources (Kupe) Limited	Discharge Nonagricultural
7348-1	Origin Energy Resources (Kupe) Limited	Discharge Nonagricultural
7349-1	Origin Energy Resources (Kupe) Limited	Discharge Nonagricultural
7367-1	BM & RM Sarten	Discharge Agricultural
Land Use Consent		
5658-1	Transit New Zealand	Structure - Culvert
7319-1	F & H Kelly	Structure - Bridge
7332-1	New Plymouth District Council	Structure - Culvert
7344-1	B McNeil	Disturb
7357-1	Bourke Garry Trust	Structure - Culvert
7358-1	Mangatoki Partnership	Structure - Bridge
7360-1	Vickers Quarries Limited	Structure - Erosion Control
7361-1	South Taranaki District Council	Structure - Erosion Control
7362-1	Transit New Zealand	Dam/Weir
Water Permit		
5623-1	WD & SC Morrison	Take and Use Surface Water
7304-1	Gwerder Farms Partnership	Take and Use Groundwater
7351-1	Origin Energy Resources (Kupe) Limited	Take and Use Groundwater

Certificate of Compliance		
7353-0	New Zealand Forest Managers Ltd	Certificate of Compliance
7354-0	New Zealand Forest Managers Ltd	Certificate of Compliance
7355-0	New Zealand Forest Managers Ltd	Certificate of Compliance
7356-0	New Zealand Forest Managers Ltd	Certificate of Compliance

**Non-notified consents (and certificates of compliance where applicable) issued by the
Taranaki Regional Council between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008**

0632-3 5129

AR & PE Davidson

197 Epiha Road R D 43 WAITARA

Location: 197 Epiha Road, Motunui, Waitara

Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into an unnamed tributary of the Parahaki Stream

Renewal: 5 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 December 2027

Review Date: June 2015, June 2021

0775-3 5132

GJ & NK Jury

388 Tikorangi Road R D 43 WAITARA

Location: Tikorangi Road, Waitara

Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into an unnamed tributary of the Waiiau Stream

Renewal: 30 July 2008

Expiry Date: 1 December 2027

Review Date: June 2015, June 2021

0955-3 5135

RN & AW Potroz

784 Tarata Road R D 7 INGLEWOOD

Location: Tarata Road, Inglewood

Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into the Makara Stream a tributary of the Manganui River in the Waitara catchment

Renewal: 31 July 2008

Expiry Date: 1 December 2027

Review Date: June 2015, June 2021

1088-3 5140

Alma Trust □ A P & M P Dettling

403 York Road R D 24 STRATFORD 4394

Location: York Road, Midhirst

Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into an unnamed tributary of the Waipuke Stream, a tributary of the Manganui River in the Waitara catchment

Renewal: 29 July 2008

Expiry Date: 1 December 2027

Review Date: June 2015, June 2021

1322-3 5145

GBG Farms Limited

138 Nopera Road R D 44 URENUI

Location: Nopera Road, Urenui

Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from oxidation pond treatment system and a constructed drain into an unnamed tributary of the Mimi Stream

Renewal: 4 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 December 2027

Review Date: June 2015, June 2021

1346-3 5146

Bourke Otaraoa Trust □ PG & BM Bourke

3468 South Road R D 32 OPUNAKE

Location: Tikorangi Road, Tikorangi

Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system and a constructed drain into an unnamed tributary of the Waiiau Stream

Renewal: 4 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 December 2027

Review Date: June 2015, June 2021

**Non-notified consents (and certificates of compliance where applicable) issued by the
Taranaki Regional Council between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008**

1392-3 5153 Renewal: 5 August 2008
Robins Dairy Farming Limited □ Dennis Lyall & Expiry Date: 1 December 2027
Dianna Rossina Robins
261 Otaraoa Road R D 43 WAITARA Review Date: June 2015, June 2021
Location: Otaraoa Road, Tikorangi
Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system
into an unnamed tributary of the Parahaki Stream

1448-3 5157 Renewal: 30 July 2008
Maxwell Brian & Beverley Trust Expiry Date: 1 December 2027
11 Ngahere Street INGLEWOOD Review Date: June 2015, June 2021
Location: Inland North Road, Tikorangi
Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system
and a constructed drain into an unnamed tributary of the Waiau Stream

1452-3 5158 Renewal: 31 July 2008
Bishop Barry Family Trust Expiry Date: 1 December 2027
64 Durham Road R D 8 INGLEWOOD 4388 Review Date: June 2015, June 2021
Location: Durham Road, Inglewood
Purpose: To discharge partially treated farm dairy effluent by holding pond and spray
irrigation onto and into land

1509-3 4949 Changed: 25 July 2008
Winstone Aggregates Limited (OPUNAKE) Expiry Date: 1 June 2018
P O Box 17195 Greenlane AUCKLAND 1546 Review Date: June 2006, June 2012
Location: Wiremu Road Quarry, Wiremu Road, Opunake
Purpose: To discharge up to 200 litres per second of treated stormwater and up to 35 litres
per second of treated waste washwater from quarrying operations into an unnamed
tributary of the Manganui Stream in the Oaonui catchment

Change to consent to provide for the increase in discharges as a result of the expansion from
6 to 40 hectares

1575-3 5162 Renewal: 28 July 2008
JM Hill □ Land Management Officer Expiry Date: 1 December 2027
217 Lincoln Road R D 9 INGLEWOOD Review Date: June 2015, June 2021
Location: Lincoln Road, Inglewood
Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system
into an unnamed tributary of the Kurapete Stream, a tributary of the Manganui River in the
Waitara catchment

**Non-notified consents (and certificates of compliance where applicable) issued by the
Taranaki Regional Council between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008**

1593-3 5164 Renewal: 30 July 2008
DW & CS Jury Expiry Date: 1 December 2027
125 Epiha Road R D 43 WAITARA Review Date: June 2015, June 2021
Location: Epiha Road, Waitara
Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system
and a constructed drain into the Waihi Stream

1630-3 5167 Renewal: 18 July 2008
Taratarā Farm Limited Expiry Date: 1 June 2027
494 Everett Road R D 8 INGLEWOOD Review Date: June 2015, June 2021
Location: 494 Everett Road, Inglewood
Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system
into the Mangatiti Stream a tributary of the Manganui River in the Waitara catchment

1667-3 5168 Renewal: 11 July 2008
JW & KE Grigg Expiry Date: 1 December 2027
208 Ratapiko Road R D 10 INGLEWOOD 4390 Review Date: June 2014, June 2021
Location: Ratapiko Road, Ratapiko, Inglewood
Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system
and a constructed drain into an unnamed tributary of Lake Ratapiko in the Waitara
catchment

1701-3 5173 Renewal: 29 July 2008
SP & KP Van Burgsteden Expiry Date: 1 December 2027
431 Dudley Road R D 6 INGLEWOOD Review Date: June 2015, June 2021
Location: Dudley Road, Inglewood
Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system
into an unnamed tributary of the Ngatoro Stream, a tributary of the Manganui River in the
Waitara catchment

1746-3 5174 Renewal: 11 July 2008
GH & MJ Wellington Expiry Date: 1 December 2027
1 Allison Street OPUNAKE Review Date: June 2015, June 2021
Location: 13 Salisbury Road, Stratford
Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system
into an unnamed tributary of the Manganui River in the Waitara catchment

1768-3 5175 Renewal: 11 July 2008
M Campbell Expiry Date: 1 December 2027
661 Tarata Road R D 7 INGLEWOOD Review Date: June 2015, June 2021
Location: Junction Road, Inglewood
Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system
into an unnamed tributary of the Makara Stream a tributary of the Manganui River in the
Waitara catchment

**Non-notified consents (and certificates of compliance where applicable) issued by the
Taranaki Regional Council between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008**

1857-5 3929 Renewal: 23 July 2008
MCK Metals Pacific Limited Expiry Date: 1 June 2010
Private Bag 2007 Bell Block NEW PLYMOUTH 4342 Review Date: June 2009
Location: Paraitē Road, Bell Block
Purpose: To discharge treated stormwater from a metal extrusion plant into an unnamed tributary of the Mangaone Stream in the Waiwhakaiho catchment

2037-3 5046 Renewal: 17 July 2008
GD Marsh Expiry Date: 1 June 2020
P O Box 86 INGLEWOOD Review Date: June 2014, June 2020
Location: Upland Road, Egmont Village
Purpose: To discharge stormwater into an unnamed tributary of the Mangaoraka Stream from a speedway track

2445-2 6072 Changed: 21 August 2008
Nugen Farms Limited Expiry Date: 1 December 2022
453 Tauranga Direct Rd R D 2 ROTORUA Review Date: June 2010, June 2016
Location: Ngutuwera Road, Waitotara
Purpose: To discharge untreated farm dairy effluent by spray irrigation onto and into land

Increase discharge volume from: 14.96 m³/day
to: 20.40 m³/day

2543-2 6064 Changed: 21 August 2008
Hinrows Farm Limited □ AJ & JA Rowlands Expiry Date: 1 December 2022
285 Radnor Road R D 24 STRATFORD Review Date: June 2010, June 2016
Location: Radnor Road, Midhirst
Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system and a constructed drain into the Kahouri Stream in the Patea catchment

Change from spray irrigation to oxidation ponds

2984-2 6038 Changed: 11 July 2008
Bayly Brothers Trusts Partnership □ Roger & Peter Expiry Date: 1 December 2022
Bayly Review Date: June 2010, June 2016
258 Monmouth Road R D 24 STRATFORD
Location: 258 Monmouth Road, Stratford
Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system and a constructed drain into an unnamed tributary of the Kahouri Stream in the Patea catchment and/or to discharge untreated farm dairy effluent by oxidation pond and honeywagon onto and into land...also 1706886E-5647558N

Change from oxidation ponds to oxidation ponds and honeywagon

**Non-notified consents (and certificates of compliance where applicable) issued by the
Taranaki Regional Council between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008**

3811-2 6046

Miller C M Trust No 1

76 Hunts Road R D 12 HAWERA

Location: 76 Hunts Road, Mokoia

Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system and a constructed drain into an unnamed tributary of the Tangahoe River and/or to discharge partially treated farm dairy effluent by an oxidation ponds and honeywagon onto and into land...also 1716972E-5614109N

Changed: 28 July 2008

Expiry Date: 1 December 2022

Review Date: June 2010, June 2016

Change from oxidation ponds to oxidation ponds and honeywagon

Increase discharge volume from: 10.2 m³/day

to: 13.6 m³/day

3913-2 5206

Clark & Rogers Ltd

P O Box 9026 Bell Block NEW PLYMOUTH

Location: Paraite Road, Bell Block

Purpose: To discharge up to 125 litres/second of treated stormwater from a transport depot into an unnamed tributary of the Mangati Stream

Reviewed: 21 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2014

Review Date: June 2002, June 2008

Review of consent conditions to ensure the conditions are adequate to deal with adverse effects on the environment

3977-3 5194

EE Riddick

518 Carrington Road NEW PLYMOUTH

Location: 494 & 496 Carrington Road, New Plymouth

Purpose: To discharge cleanfill onto and into land

Reviewed: 21 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2014

Review Date: June 2008

Review of consent conditions to ensure the conditions are adequate to deal with adverse effects on the environment

4034-3 5016

MCK Metals Pacific Limited

Private Bag 2007 Bell Block NEW PLYMOUTH 4342

Location: Paraite Road, Bell Block, New Plymouth

Purpose: To discharge emissions into the air from extrusion and remelting of aluminium and associated activities

Renewal: 15 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2026

Review Date: June 2014, June 2020

**Non-notified consents (and certificates of compliance where applicable) issued by the
Taranaki Regional Council between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008**

4091-2 5176

Hermann Family Trust
P O Box 18 URENUI

Location: Pukearuhe Road, Waititi

Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into an unnamed tributary of the Waititi Stream

Renewal: 30 July 2008

Expiry Date: 1 December 2027

Review Date: June 2015, June 2021

4203-2 5178

Nakiland Agriculture Limited
627 Inland North Road R D 43 WAITARA 4383

Location: 627 Inland North Road, Waitara

Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into an unnamed tributary of the Motukara Stream

Renewal: 1 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 December 2027

Review Date: June 2015, June 2021

4447-2 5188

JRH & KM Weston
71 Otaraoa Road R D 43 WAITARA

Location: Otaraoa Road, Waitara

Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system and a wetland into an unnamed tributary of the Waipapa Stream

Renewal: 5 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 December 2027

Review Date: June 2015, June 2021

4448-2 5189

GR Corkill
Tarata Road R D 7 INGLEWOOD

Location: Junction Road, Inglewood

Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into the Taramoukou Stream in the Waitara catchment

Renewal: 30 July 2008

Expiry Date: 1 December 2027

Review Date: June 2015, June 2021

4451-2 5190

Stockman Ridge Trust D & J Shaw
75 Bayly Street WAITARA

Location: Main North Road, Waitara

Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into the Titirangi Stream

Renewal: 1 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 December 2027

Review Date: June 2015, June 2021

4481-2 5192

Netherleigh Farm Limited
27 Johnson Road R D 44 URENUI

Location: Johnson Road, Urenui

Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system and a wetland into Unnamed Stream 76

Renewal: 5 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 December 2027

Review Date: June 2015, June 2021

Non-notified consents (and certificates of compliance where applicable) issued by the Taranaki Regional Council between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008

4539-2 5022

AML Limited [Trading as Allied Concrete]
P O Box 3318 NEW PLYMOUTH

Location: 67 Hurlstone Drive, Bell Block

Purpose: To discharge stormwater and treated wastewater from truck washing at a concrete batching plant into the Mangaone Stream in the Waiwhakaiho catchment

Renewal: 30 July 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2026

Review Date: June 2014, June 2020

4628-2 5193

KJ & LM Goodwin
2386 Tarata Road R D 7 INGLEWOOD

Location: Tarata Road, Tarata

Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system and a constructed wetland into an unnamed tributary of the Taramoukou Stream in the Waitara catchment

Renewal: 1 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 December 2027

Review Date: June 2015, June 2021

4775-1 5208

Weatherford New Zealand Limited □ NZ & PNG
Country Manager

P O Box 7162 NEW PLYMOUTH

Location: Dakota Place, Bell Block

Purpose: To discharge up to 130 litres/second of treated stormwater and minor treated washdown water from an oilfield engineering services premises onto land and into an unnamed tributary of the Waitaha Stream

Reviewed: 21 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2014

Review Date: June 2002, June 2008

Review of consent conditions to ensure the conditions are adequate to deal with adverse effects on the environment

5231-2 4685

TM & PJ Paul
717 Mountain Road R D 3 NEW PLYMOUTH

Location: 717 Mountain Road, Lepperton

Purpose: To discharge emissions into the air from a poultry farming operation and associated practices including waste management activities

Renewal: 30 July 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2026

Review Date: June 2014, June 2020

5419-2 5109

Energyworks Limited
P O Box 346 Taranaki Mail Centre NEW PLYMOUTH
4340

Location: Brown Street, Inglewood & various locations throughout the Taranaki region

Purpose: To discharge emissions into the air associated with abrasive blasting operations, spray painting and associated activities at a permanent site at Brown Street, Inglewood and from mobile operations throughout the Taranaki region

Renewal: 23 July 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2020

Review Date: June 2014

Non-notified consents (and certificates of compliance where applicable) issued by the Taranaki Regional Council between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008

6576-1 5202

MT Ward

65A Barrett Street NEW PLYMOUTH

Location: 627 South Road, Omata

Purpose: To discharge cleanfill onto and into land

Reviewed: 21 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2020

Review Date: June 2008, June 2014

Review of consent conditions to ensure the conditions are adequate to deal with adverse effects on the environment

7214-1 4858

MiLife New Plymouth Limited

P O Box 33746 Takapuna AUCKLAND

Location: 131 Mangati Road, Bell Block

Purpose: To discharge stormwater and sediment from earthworks for the development of a retirement village onto and into land and into the Mangati Stream

Granted: 15 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2026

Review Date: June 2014, June 2020

7289-1 4961

Gilray Partnership □ WP & KA Myers

10 Burnside Avenue HAWERA

Location: 10 Burnside Ave, Hawera

Purpose: To discharge cleanfill onto and into land in the vicinity of an unnamed tributary of the Waihi Stream

Granted: 14 July 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2023

Review Date: June 2011, June 2017

7301-1 4981

Shamrock Trust □ KM & VR Fleming

750 Ingahape Road R D 12 HAWERA 4672

Location: 779 Ingahape Road, Hawera

Purpose: To discharge untreated farm dairy effluent by holding pond and spray irrigation onto and into land

Granted: 29 July 2008

Expiry Date: 1 December 2028

Review Date: June 2016, June 2022

7338-1 6034

Value Timber Supplies Limited

P O Box 3246 Fitzroy NEW PLYMOUTH 4341

Location: Bristol Road, Inglewood

Purpose: To discharge up to 5 cubic metres per day of untreated wood-waste onto and into land

Granted: 29 July 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2027

Review Date: June 2010, June 2013, June 2016, June 2019

7339-1 6035

Hillvale Trust □ I C & E M Jones

333 Kaimata South Road R D 10 INGLEWOOD

Location: Kaimata South Road, Inglewood

Purpose: To discharge untreated farm dairy effluent by spray irrigation onto and into land

Granted: 11 July 2008

Expiry Date: 1 December 2027

Review Date: June 2015, June 2021

**Non-notified consents (and certificates of compliance where applicable) issued by the
Taranaki Regional Council between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008**

7345-1 6044 Granted: 31 July 2008
Mills AB & AM Family Trusts Expiry Date: 1 December 2028
248 Bird Road R D 23 STRATFORD Review Date: June 2016, June 2022
Location: 895 Bird Road, Stratford
Purpose: To discharge untreated farm dairy effluent by spray irrigation onto and into land

7347-1 6048 Granted: 13 August 2008
Origin Energy Resources (Kupe) Limited □ Peter Expiry Date: 1 June 2010
Canvin
Private Bag 2202 NEW PLYMOUTH 4342 Review Date:
Location: 283 Centennial Drive / 8 Beach Road, New Plymouth
Purpose: To discharge treated groundwater and stormwater onto land and into the Lloyd's
ponds associated with the construction of a condensate storage facility

7348-1 6049 Granted: 13 August 2008
Origin Energy Resources (Kupe) Limited □ Peter Expiry Date: 1 June 2010
Canvin
Private Bag 2202 NEW PLYMOUTH 4342 Review Date:
Location: 315 Centennial Drive / 8 Beach Road, New Plymouth
Purpose: To discharge stormwater onto land and into Lloyd's pond B from earthworks
associated with the construction 'laydown' site to be used in conjunction with the
construction of a condensate storage facility

7349-1 6050 Granted: 13 August 2008
Origin Energy Resources (Kupe) Limited □ Peter Expiry Date: 1 June 2010
Canvin
Private Bag 2202 NEW PLYMOUTH 4342 Review Date:
Location: 283 Centennial Drive
Purpose: To discharge treated groundwater and stormwater into the Herekawe Stream via
an existing stormwater system associated with the construction of a condensate storage
facility

7367-1 6069 Granted: 6 August 2008
BM & RM Sarten Expiry Date: 1 June 2027
P O Box 226 WAITARA Review Date: June 2015, June 2021
Location: 500 Ngatimaru Road, Tikorangi
Purpose: To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system
and a constructed drain into an unnamed tributary of the Waitara River

Non-notified consents (and certificates of compliance where applicable) issued by the Taranaki Regional Council between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008

5658-1 6037

Transit New Zealand (WANGANUI)
P O Box 345 WANGANUI 4540

Location: State Highway 3, Mountain Road, Norfolk

Purpose: To realign and culvert a first unnamed tributary and to erect, place and maintain culverts and a stormwater outlet structure in a second unnamed tributary of the Waitepuke Stream a tributary of the Manganui River in the Waitara catchment for State Highway 3 upgrade and road realignment purposes...also 1706712E-5658783N and 1706622E-5658428N to 1706819E-5658568N

Changed: 20 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2015

Review Date: June 2003, June 2009

Change to conditions to allow for the first unnamed tributary to be culverted but not diverted and for a stormwater outlet structure to be placed in the bed of the second unnamed tributary

7319-1 6006

F & H Kelly
Umutahi Road R D 13 HAWERA

Location: Umutahi Road, Hawera

Purpose: To erect, place and maintain a bridge over the Waingongoro River for farm access purposes

Granted: 30 July 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2023

Review Date: June 2011, June 2017

7332-1 6028

New Plymouth District Council (NEW
PLYMOUTH) □ Chief Executive

Private Bag 2025 NEW PLYMOUTH 4342

Location: Waitaanga Road [aka Tongaporutu-Ohura Road], New Plymouth

Purpose: To remove an existing culvert and erect, place and maintain a replacement culvert in an unnamed tributary of the Mangatawa Stream for access purposes

Granted: 18 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2027

Review Date: June 2015, June 2021

7344-1 6043

B McNeil
101 Croydon Road R D 4 NEW PLYMOUTH

Location: Croydon Road, New Plymouth

Purpose: To realign a section of the Mangaone Stream in the Tapuae catchment and install a 'manhole' structure in the bed for land improvement purposes

Granted: 18 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2026

Review Date: June 2014, June 2020

7357-1 6058

Bourke Garry Trust
P O Box 72 MANAIA

Location: 46 Sutherland Road, Manaia

Purpose: To erect, place and maintain a culvert in Unnamed Stream 28 for access purposes and to remove the existing culvert

Granted: 6 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2023

Review Date: June 2011, June 2017

Non-notified consents (and certificates of compliance where applicable) issued by the Taranaki Regional Council between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008

7358-1 6059 Granted: 19 August 2008
Mangatoki Partnership □ MG Muller Expiry Date: 1 June 2023
1673 Opunake Road R D 29 KAPONGA Review Date: June 2011, June 2017
Location: 678 Eltham Road, Mangatoki
Purpose: To erect, place and maintain a bridge over the Mangatoki Stream for farm access purposes

7360-1 6061 Granted: 18 August 2008
Vickers Quarries Limited □ Russell Vickers Expiry Date: 1 June 2027
125 Radnor Road R D 24 STRATFORD Review Date: June 2015, June 2021
Location: York Road, Stratford
Purpose: To erect, place and maintain a rock rip-rap wall to the left bank of the Manganui River for erosion control purposes...also 1702541E-5650262N

7361-1 6062 Granted: 12 August 2008
South Taranaki District Council (HAWERA) □ Chief Expiry Date: 1 June 2024
Executive Review Date: June 2012, June 2018
Private Bag 902 HAWERA 4640
Location: Wiremu Road, Opunake
Purpose: To erect, place and maintain rock rip-rap on the true right bank of the Oaoiti Stream for erosion protection purposes

7362-1 6063 Granted: 19 August 2008
Transit New Zealand (WANGANUI) Expiry Date: 1 June 2015
P O Box 345 WANGANUI 4540 Review Date: June 2009
Location: South Highway 3, Rugby Road, Norfolk
Purpose: To remove a weir in an unnamed tributary of the Waitepuke Stream a tributary of the Manganui River in the Waitara catchment

5623-1 4947 Changed: 15 July 2008
WD & SC Morrison Expiry Date: 1 June 2016
120 Rangikura Road R D 1 WAVERLEY Review Date: June 2004, June 2010
Location: 38 Wybourne Road, Waverley
Purpose: To take water from the Whenuakura River for pasture irrigation purposes

Change to conditions to allow for an increase of the water take

7304-1 4987 Granted: 21 August 2008
Gwerder Farms Partnership □ FA & RM Gweder & PA Expiry Date: 1 June 2023
Gweder & MA Gweder Review Date: June 2011, June 2017
9 Kawaroa Lane NEW PLYMOUTH
Location: 4557 Mountain Road, Eltham
Purpose: To take and use groundwater for stock water and dairy purposes

**Non-notified consents (and certificates of compliance where applicable) issued by the
Taranaki Regional Council between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008**

7351-1 6052

Origin Energy Resources (Kupe) Limited □ Peter
Canvin

Private Bag 2202 NEW PLYMOUTH 4342

Location: 283 Centennial Drive, New Plymouth

Purpose: To take and use groundwater for the construction of the condensate storage facility
at the Omata Tank Farm

Granted: 13 August 2008

Expiry Date: 1 June 2010

Review Date:

7353-0 6054

New Zealand Forest Managers Ltd

P O Box 304 TURANGI

Location: Kura Road, Te Wera Forest [culvert 1]

Purpose: To erect, place and maintain a culvert ['culvert 1'] in an unnamed tributary
[Diamond Valley] of the Makahu Stream

Issued: 20 August 2008

7354-0 6055

New Zealand Forest Managers Ltd

P O Box 304 TURANGI

Location: Island Road, Te Wera Forest [culvert 2]

Purpose: To erect, place and maintain a culvert ['culvert 2'] in an unnamed tributary
[Diamond Valley] of the Makahu Stream

Issued: 20 August 2008

7355-0 6056

New Zealand Forest Managers Ltd

P O Box 304 TURANGI

Location: Poplar Road, Te Wera Forest [culvert 3]

Purpose: To erect, place and maintain a culvert ['culvert 3'] in an unnamed tributary
[Diamond Valley] of the Makahu Stream

Issued: 20 August 2008

7356-0 6057

New Zealand Forest Managers Ltd

P O Box 304 TURANGI

Location: Culvert 4, Road off Poplar Road, Te Wera Forest

Purpose: To erect, place and maintain a culvert ['culvert 4'] in an unnamed tributary
[Diamond Valley] of the Makahu Stream

Issued: 20 August 2008

Exercise of consent processing delegations under the Resource Management Act 1991 between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008

Section 37A(2)(a) consent processing time extensions

2508-2 DJ & K Gordon

To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into the Ngatoronui Stream a tributary of the Ngatoro Stream a tributary of the Manganui River in the Waitara catchment...change to conditions increase cow numbers to 260

3913-2 Clark & Rogers Ltd

To discharge up to 125 litres/second of treated stormwater from a transport depot into an unnamed tributary of the Mangati Stream

3977-3 EE Riddick

To discharge cleanfill onto and into land

4034-3 MCK Metals Pacific Limited

To discharge emissions into the air from extrusion and remelting of aluminium and associated activities

4539-2 AML Limited [Trading as Allied Concrete]

To discharge stormwater and treated wastewater from truck washing at a concrete batching plant into the Mangaone Stream in the Waiwhakaiho catchment

4775-1 Weatherford New Zealand Limited

To discharge up to 130 litres/second of treated stormwater and minor treated washdown water from an oilfield engineering services premises onto land and into an unnamed tributary of the Waitaha Stream

5231-2 TM & PJ Paul

To discharge emissions into the air from a poultry farming operation and associated practices including waste management activities

5586-2 Nickel Engineering Limited

To discharge emissions into the air associated with abrasive blasting operations and associated activities at a permanent site at Wallscourt Place, Normanby

5658-1 Transit New Zealand

To realign and culvert a first unnamed tributary and to erect, place and maintain culverts and a stormwater outlet structure in a second unnamed tributary of the Waitepuke Stream a tributary of the Manganui River in the Waitara catchment for State Highway 3 upgrade and road realignment purposes...also 1706712E-5658783N and 1706622E-5658428N to 1706819E-5658568N

6576-1 MT Ward

To discharge cleanfill onto and into land

7304-1 Gwerder Farms Partnership

To take and use groundwater for stock water and dairy purposes

7313-1 AJW Trust & JMI Trust

To erect, place and maintain an existing boat jetty in the Onaero River

Exercise of consent processing delegations under the Resource Management Act 1991 between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008

7324-1 W & C Bolton

To erect, place and maintain an existing jetty in the Onaero River

7331-1 K Seed

To erect, place and maintain an existing jetty in the Onaero River

7336-1 IJ Glennie

To erect, place and maintain an existing jetty in the Onaero River

7344-1 B McNeil

To realign a section of the Mangaone Stream in the Tapuae catchment and install a 'manhole' structure in the bed for land improvement purposes

7349-1 Origin Energy Resources (Kupe) Limited

To discharge treated groundwater and stormwater into the Herekawe Stream via an existing stormwater system associated with the construction of a condensate storage facility

Section 37(1) consent processing time extensions

None

Section 37A(2)(b) pre-hearing meeting and other time extensions

0632-3 AR & PE Davidson

To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into an unnamed tributary of the Parahaki Stream

0775-3 GJ & NK Jury

To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into an unnamed tributary of the Waiau Stream

0955-3 RN & AW Potroz

To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into the Makara Stream a tributary of the Manganui River in the Waitara catchment

1039-3 Challenge Trust

To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into an unnamed tributary of the Waihi Stream

1088-3 Alma Trust

To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into an unnamed tributary of the Waipuke Stream, a tributary of the Manganui River in the Waitara catchment

1320-3 CA Rowe

To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system and a constructed drain into an unnamed tributary of the Waipapa Stream

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1322-3 GBG Farms Limited

To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from oxidation pond treatment system and a constructed drain into an unnamed tributary of the Mimi Stream

1346-3 Bourke Otaraoa Trust

To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system and a constructed drain into an unnamed tributary of the Waiiau Stream

1392-3 Robins Dairy Farming Limited

To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into an unnamed tributary of the Parahaki Stream

4150-2 Topless Brothers Partnership

To discharge up to 27.2 cubic metres/day of treated dairyshed effluent via oxidation ponds onto land in the vicinity of an unnamed tributary of the Waiiau Stream

4203-2 Nakiland Agriculture Limited

To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into an unnamed tributary of the Motukara Stream

4447-2 JRH & KM Weston

To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system and a wetland into an unnamed tributary of the Waipapa Stream

4451-2 Stockman Ridge Trust

To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system into the Titirangi Stream

4481-2 Netherleigh Farm Limited

To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system and a wetland into Unnamed Stream 76

4628-2 KJ & LM Goodwin

To discharge treated farm dairy effluent from an oxidation pond treatment system and a constructed wetland into an unnamed tributary of the Taramoukou Stream in the Waitara catchment

5206-2 Lepper DH Trust

To discharge emissions into the air from a pig farming operation and associated practices including solids composting, effluent treatment and other waste management activities

5419-2 Energyworks Limited

To discharge emissions into the air associated with abrasive blasting operations, spray painting and associated activities at a permanent site at Brown Street, Inglewood and from mobile operations throughout the Taranaki region

5586-2 Nickel Engineering Limited

To discharge emissions into the air associated with abrasive blasting operations and associated activities at a permanent site at Wallscourt Place, Normanby

Exercise of consent processing delegations under the Resource Management Act 1991 between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008

5935-1 Origin Energy Resources NZ (SPV1) Limited

To discharge waste drilling cuttings, muds and fluids from wells drilled with water based muds and waste drilling cuttings from wells drilled with synthetic based muds from hydrocarbon exploration and production operations onto and into land... change received to include oily wastes

6938-1 Greymouth Petroleum Limited

To erect, place and maintain a culvert in the Waiiau Stream for access purposes...change to conditions, to install an overflow culvert parallel to the existing culvert for flood control

7313-1 AJW Trust & JMI Trust

To erect, place and maintain an existing boat jetty in the Onaero River

7341-1 Hillcrest Farms

To discharge untreated farm dairy effluent by spray irrigation onto and into land

7342-1 Waverley Sawmills Limited

To discharge stormwater and leachate from sawmilling operations onto and into land

7350-1 Origin Energy Resources (Kupe) Limited

To erect, place and maintain a pipeline and stormwater outfall structure in the Herekawe Stream associated with the condensate storage facility at the Omata Tank Farm

7368-1 Origin Energy Resources (Kupe) Limited

To discharge treated stormwater into the Herekawe Stream

7377-1 Origin Energy Resources (Kupe) Limited

To discharge treated stormwater and groundwater from the installation of the pipeline in the Herekawe Stream

7378-1 Origin Energy Resources (Kupe) Limited

To erect, place, maintain and use a pipeline over the Herekawe Stream for hydrocarbon purposes

Section 91 for further application time extensions

None

Section 92 further information

6900-1 CD Boyd

To discharge drilling muds, drilling cuttings and drilling wastes from hydrocarbon exploration activities onto and into land via landfarming...change to conditions to allow disposal of synthetic based mud waste

Exercise of consent processing delegations under the Resource Management Act 1991 between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008

7337-1 Hawkswood Park Limited

To erect, place and maintain a dam in an unnamed tributary of the Huatoki Stream

7346-1 Spenceview Farms

To take and use water from a reservoir on the Kaikura Stream for pasture irrigation purposes

7358-1 Mangatoki Partnership

To erect, place and maintain a bridge over the Mangatoki Stream for farm access purposes

7363-1 Baldock Wayne Trust

To discharge stormwater into an unnamed tributary of the Mangaehu Stream in the Mangamingi Stream for land improvement purposes

7364-1 Baldock Wayne Trust

To develop the land for land improvement purposes

Section 94 awaiting affected party approvals

5658-1 Transit New Zealand

To realign and culvert a first unnamed tributary and to erect, place and maintain culverts and a stormwater outlet structure in a second unnamed tributary of the Waitepuke Stream a tributary of the Manganui River in the Waitara catchment for State Highway 3 upgrade and road realignment purposes...also 1706712E-5658783N and 1706622E-5658428N to 1706819E-5658568N

7342-1 Waverley Sawmills Limited

To discharge stormwater and leachate from sawmilling operations onto and into land

7343-1 Waste Management

To discharge greenwaste onto land for the purpose of composting and to discharge leachate and contaminated stormwater from the composting process onto and into land

7346-1 Spenceview Farms

To take and use water from a reservoir on the Kaikura Stream for pasture irrigation purposes

7347-1 Origin Energy Resources (Kupe) Limited

To discharge treated groundwater and stormwater onto land and into the Lloyd's ponds associated with the construction of a condensate storage facility

7348-1 Origin Energy Resources (Kupe) Limited

To discharge stormwater onto land and into Lloyd's pond B from earthworks associated with the construction 'laydown' site to be used in conjunction with the construction of a condensate storage facility

7351-1 Origin Energy Resources (Kupe) Limited

To take and use groundwater for the construction of the condensate storage facility at the Omata Tank Farm

7352-1 Waste Management Limited

To discharge emissions to air from green waste mulching/composting operations

Exercise of consent processing delegations under the Resource Management Act 1991 between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008

7363-1 Baldock Wayne Trust

To discharge stormwater into an unnamed tributary of the Mangaehu Stream in the Mangamingi Stream for land improvement purposes

7364-1 Baldock Wayne Trust

To develop the land for land improvement purposes

7365-1 New Plymouth District Council

To erect, place and maintain a weir in the Mangaotuku Stream in the Huatoki catchment

7374-1 KP & BA O'Leary

To discharge domestic green waste onto and into land for the purpose of stabilising sand dunes

Declined

None

Renewal applications within 3-6 months of expiry (section 124)

None

Surrendered consents

1126-2 New Plymouth District Council

To discharge up to 315 litres/second of stormwater from the Burton Street area, New Plymouth, into the Waiwhakaiho River

1287-2 SJ & K Luxton

To discharge up to 9.86 cubic metres/day of treated dairy shed effluent by oxidation ponds into an unnamed tributary of the Onaero Stream

2698-2 MP & HA Cameron

To discharge untreated farm dairy effluent onto and into land

2857-2 AJ Trust Partnership

To discharge partially treated farm dairy effluent by a holding pond and spray irrigation onto and into land

3138-2 New Plymouth District Council

To discharge up to 1190 litres/second of stormwater from a 42-hectare catchment in the Lower Smart Road area, New Plymouth, into Mcleods Drain, an unnamed tributary of the Waiwhakaiho River

Cancelled consents

None

Exercise of consent processing delegations under the Resource Management Act 1991 between 11 July 2008 and 21 August 2008

Lapsed consents

None

Applications currently under appeal

None

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**Memorandum to
Chairperson and Members
Consents and Regulatory Committee**

Resource consents from other consent authorities

Purpose

1. This memorandum advises the Committee of notified and limited-notified resource consent applications forwarded to the Taranaki Regional Council from District Councils.

Background

2. The following notified and limited-notified resource consent applications were received by District Councils and have been forwarded to the Taranaki Regional Council in accordance with section 90 of the Resource Management Act 1991.
3. Although this section of the Act was repealed as from 1 August 2003, Committee Members are being kept informed of all applications that continue to be forwarded from District Councils to this Council.

Recommendation

THAT the Taranaki Regional Council:

1. receives the schedule of notified and limited-notified applications for resource consents forwarded from other consent authorities.

Approved:

A D McLay
Director—Resource Management

B G Chamberlain
Chief Executive

DCC-0809

Name South Taranaki District Council
Site location Approximately 1km south of the Patea Township legally described as Lots 4 & 4A DP 1017, Part Lot 3 DP 648 Section 72 Patea Suburban, Block XXXIV Town of Patea, Part Lot 1 DP 11, Part York Street [legal road] and other unnamed road reserves]
Purpose The operation, maintenance, repair and upgrade of the wastewater treatment plant [including ancillary works]

STDC

Submission nil

DCC-0810

Name Greymouth Petroleum
Site location 149 Breakwater Road, New Plymouth
Purpose To establish and operate tank storage

NPDC

Submission nil

DCC-0811

Name South Taranaki District Council [Engineering Services Group]
Site location State Highway 45, approximately 1.5 km north of Opunake legally described as Blocks 20, 21, 22A, 22B Ngatitamarongo and Sec 1 SO 365997
Purpose The operation, maintenance, repair and upgrade of the wastewater treatment plant [including ancillary works]

NPDC

Submission nil

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**Memorandum to
Chairperson and Members
Consents and Regulatory Committee**

Consent monitoring annual reports

Purpose

1. Set out below is a report with respect to 24 tailored monitoring programme annual reports for the 2006-2007, 2007-2008, 2003-2007, 2005-2007 and 2006-2008 monitoring periods. Recommendations pertaining to each site are set out in the report. The attention of Committee members is drawn to the Executive Summary at the front of each report.

Background

2. There are 24 reports available for presentation to Council.

Discussion

3. Four reports relate to 2006-2007, 14 for 2007-2008, 1 for 2003-2007, 1 for 2005-2007 and 4 for 2006-2008.
4. Each report has been submitted to the consent holder for comment prior to publication. The reports have been prepared by staff of the Technical Services and Consents sections.
5. The reports generally indicate a high (14) or good (5) level of environmental performance.
6. Based on performance during 2007-2008, an improvement is desired in the environmental performance of Taranaki Milk Products. The Company discharged to land adjacent to the factory without consent and there were a number of non-compliances. The Company also failed to provide a satisfactory contingency plan and failed to provide information to process a consent application and a consent variation. These applications were subsequently declined. At the end of the monitoring period, the Company ceased manufacturing milk products. The Company continues to hold one consent and regular monitoring continues.
7. An improvement is desired in the performance of Hurlstone Earthmoving Ltd, Kapi Road Quarry. On a number of occasions, discharges did not comply with consent conditions.
8. An improvement is desired in the environmental performance of Stratford District Council in relation to provision of abstraction data for its water treatment plants. Many requests had to be made before data was supplied, well after the end of the

monitoring period. The job manager has now been instructed to request this data on a quarterly basis and advise the Environmental Monitoring Manager of any delays.

9. An improvement is desired in the performance of Stratford District Council in relation to its municipal oxidation ponds system. However, these improvements have been addressed by conditions of the renewed consent, in particular the upgrade due for completion by mid 2009.
10. An improvement is desired in the environmental performance of Fonterra in relation to its Kapuni site. There were five breaches of consent during the year and an infringement notice was issued for one unauthorised discharge.
11. It is pleasing to see high performance for Osflo and Meadowvale Stud Farm Piggery.
12. Contact Stratford have continued their high level of performance which has been achieved since construction of the plant in 1998.

Gully Rock Limited Uruti Quarry Monitoring Programme Biennial Report 2006-2007

13. Gully Rock Limited operates a quarry located off the Main North Road at Uruti, in the Mimi catchment. This report for the period July 2006-June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the Company's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of the Company's activities.
14. The Company holds two resource consents, which include a total of eleven conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must satisfy. One consent allows discharge of stormwater into an unnamed tributary of the Mimi River, and the other to discharge treated washwater into an unnamed tributary of the Mimi River.
15. The Council's monitoring programme for the two-year period under review included five inspections. Three water samples were collected for physicochemical analysis, and no biomonitoring of the receiving waters was required.
16. The monitoring showed contaminants discharged from the quarry site exceeded consent conditions on one sampling occasion and were just within consent conditions on another sampling run. No adverse effects were indicated in the receiving waters from the discharges. There was some improvement in erosion control towards the end of the monitoring period.
17. During the two-year period, the Company demonstrated a good level of environmental performance and compliance with the resource consents. The Company will however be required to continually improve the standards of site stormwater control during the 2008-2010 monitoring period.
18. This report includes recommendations for the 2008-2010 monitoring period.

Urenui and Onaero Motor Camps Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007/2008

19. The New Plymouth District Council operates the sewage disposal systems located at Urenui Beach Motor Camp and Onaero Bay Motor Camp. The New Plymouth District Council holds resource consents to allow it to discharge septic tank treated sewage to groundwater via infiltration trenches at each of the motor camps. This

report for the period July 2007-June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the New Plymouth District Council's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and effects of its activities.

20. The New Plymouth District Council holds one resource consent per motor camp, each of which has five special conditions setting out the requirements that the New Plymouth District Council must satisfy.
21. The Council's monitoring programme included three inspections per motor camp during the Christmas holiday period and bacteriological sampling at four sites at Urenui and five sites at Onaero in conjunction with one of the inspections.
22. Monitoring at the Urenui Beach Motor Camp showed that the sewage disposal system was well managed during the monitoring period. Bacteriological sampling did not indicate any bacterial contamination of the receiving waters as a result of the discharge of treated sewage to groundwater.
23. Some bacterial contamination was recorded in the Onaero River both above and below the camp, which is consistent with a river draining from developed agricultural land where aquatic bird life is present and stock access to streams and/or agricultural run off occurs. Samples collected from coastal sites below the camp contained low levels of bacteria and were well within acceptable guidelines for recreational bathing.
24. During the year, NPDC demonstrated a high level of environmental performance and compliance with the resource consent, as indicated by site inspections and bacteriological monitoring of coastal waters.
25. This report includes recommendations for the 2008-2009 year.

Wai-iti Motor Camp Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008

26. The Wai-iti Motor Camp Ltd, located at Wai-iti Beach in North Taranaki, holds a resource consent allowing it to discharge septic tank treated sewage to groundwater via soakage trenches. Wai-iti Motor Camp Ltd also hold a consent to erect, place and maintain a rock revetment wall along the front of the motor camp to help prevent erosion problems. This report for the period July 2007-June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the environmental performance of the Wai-iti Motor Camp during the period under review.
27. The Wai-iti Motor Camp holds a total of 2 resource consents, which include a total of 24 conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must satisfy. The Wai-iti Motor Camp holds one consent to allow it to discharge septic tank treated sewage effluent to groundwater in the vicinity of the Wai-iti Stream, and one consent to erect place and maintain a rock revetment structure on the Wai-iti Beach foreshore.
28. The Council's monitoring programme for the year under review included three inspections of the wastewater system, including one inspection of the rock rip-rap seawall, and bacteriological water sampling of the Wai-iti Stream and Wai-iti Beach on one occasion.

DH Lepper Trust Piggery Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008

29. The DH Lepper Trust operates a piggery located on Mountain and Manutahi Roads, and a farm dairy located on Manutahi Road, in the Waiongana catchment. The Company holds resource consents for the discharge of treated piggery and dairy effluent to water, and for the discharge of emissions into the air. This report for the period July 2007-June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the Company's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of the Company's activities.
30. The Company holds a total of three resource consents, which include a total of 26 conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must satisfy.
31. The Council's monitoring programme included five inspections and one wastewater and receiving water survey for physicochemical analysis.
32. Because the existing treatment ponds are located in close proximity to south eastern residential properties, odour issues have become a concern within some quarters of the Lepperton community. Residential encroachment and reverse sensitivity issues in the rural countryside are also a major concern for the pork industry.
33. The Consent holder has installed a new anaerobic pond adjacent to the piggery buildings. This new pond will be covered and biogas collected and used to reduce the farm's existing energy requirements. More importantly odours associated with anaerobic activity will be trapped in the covered pond and prevented from being discharged to air. The existing pond system will receive effluent treated to a higher quality and effectively assist in reducing odour and allowing a cleaner discharge.
34. The agricultural air discharge consent expired in June 2008 and the Council has received an application for the renewal of the air discharge resource consent.
35. Monitoring indicated a good level of environmental performance and generally good consent compliance.
36. During the monitoring programme, the consent holder has ensured that consented receiving water dilution ratios were maintained throughout discharge periods.
37. The consent holder has supplied the Council with accurate effluent discharge records, including notification of discharges to water and land.
38. This report includes recommendations for the monitoring programme for the 2008-2009 year.

Osflo Spreading Industries Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008

39. Osflo Spreading Industries Ltd (Osflo) operates a used chicken litter storage and distribution facility located on Hursthouse Road, Lepperton, in the Waiongana Catchment. Osflo utilises the site for the storage of their product which is used as an all purpose fertiliser. This report for the period July 2007-June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the Company's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of the Company's activities.

40. The Company holds two resource consents, which include a total of 18 conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must satisfy. The Company holds one consent to allow it to discharge stormwater and treated waste water from the poultry litter storage area into land in the vicinity of the Awai Stream, and one consent to discharge emissions into the air from the use and storage of the used chicken litter at the Hursthouse Road site. This is the twelfth report on the environmental performance of the Company.
41. The Council's monitoring programme for the year included four inspections, which looked at the plant processes and any potential or actual discharges to the receiving watercourses and to air.
42. The monitoring showed that generally operations were carried out in a manner that was environmentally sound. There were no non-compliances recorded against the Company during the monitoring year, and on most occasions any matters requiring action were minor in nature and rectified immediately. By comparison with other years, the monitoring has indicated an improvement in the management of the discharge of emissions to air, in particular the emission of offensive odour from the site.
43. During the year, the Company demonstrated a high level of environmental performance and compliance with its resource consents.
44. This report includes recommendations for the 2008-2009 monitoring year.

Todd Energy Aquatic Centre Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008

45. The New Plymouth District Council operates the Todd Energy Aquatic Centre located on Tisch Avenue at New Plymouth. This report for the period July 2007-June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the consent holders environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of the Company's activities.
46. The NPDC holds a total of two resource consents, which include a total of twelve conditions setting out the requirements that the NPDC must satisfy. The NPDC holds a consent to allow it to discharge wastewater into the Tasman Sea, and a consent to erect, place, use and maintain a discharge pipe at the site.
47. The Council's monitoring programme for the year under review included one site inspection, two marine ecological inspections, and five water samples collected for physicochemical analysis.
48. The monitoring showed that discharge of wastewater from the Todd Energy Aquatic Centre did not result in elevated levels of chlorine beyond the mixing zone. No adverse effects were observed on low shore reef biota in the vicinity of the discharge pipe.
49. During the year, the NPDC demonstrated a high level of environmental performance and compliance with the resource consents. During the year under review there were no unauthorised incidents associated with the Todd Energy Aquatic Centre.

50. This report includes recommendations for the 2008-2009 year.

Taranaki Milk Products Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008

51. Taranaki Milk Products Limited operates a milk factory located on State Highway 45 at Okato. Waste from the site is irrigated to a property at Hampton Road, Okato, in the Kaihihi catchment. This report for the period July 2007-June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the Company's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of the Company's activities.
52. The Company holds one resource consent to discharge effluent onto and into land, which includes a total of 22 conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must satisfy.
53. The Council's monitoring programme for the year under review included three compliance monitoring inspections. No wastewater samples were taken for physicochemical analysis.
54. The Council advised that the irrigation systems at the Hampton Road farm needed closer monitoring to ensure compliance. In 2006, the Company began to discharge wastewater to the farm adjacent to the milk factory then applied retrospectively for a new consent to cover the activity.
55. Taranaki Milk Products Limited applied for variation to existing consent conditions to reflect the changes in manufacturing and the nature of the wastewater. Council requested additional information for both applications and met with the consent holder to clarify the requirements of the application. The additional information and a satisfactory contingency plan were well overdue at the time of preparation of this report. The Council has decided to decline both the variation to consent 6554-1 and the application for discharge to land.
56. At the end of the monitoring period the Company had ceased manufacturing milk products and were bottling water. At the final inspection there were no discharges to the Hampton Road farm or the adjacent farm.
57. An improvement in the Company's environmental performance is desirable.
58. This report includes recommendations for the 2008-2009 year.

Hurlstone Earthmoving Ltd Kaipi Road Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008

59. Hurlstone Earthmoving Limited (the Company) operates a quarry off Kaipi Road, Egmont Village, in the Waiwhakaiho catchment. The Company holds one resource consent to allow it to discharge treated stormwater and washwater onto and into land and into the Waiwhakaiho River.
60. This report for the period July 2007 - June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the Company's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and effects of the Company's activities.

61. Hurlstone Earthmoving Limited holds one resource consent for its Kaipi Road quarry, which includes a total of three general conditions and sixteen special conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must satisfy. This consent (4638-1) expired in November 2007 and was renewed in January 2008 (as consent 4638-2). Consent 4638-2 contains a total of three general conditions and fourteen special conditions.
62. The Company formerly held consent 4639 to discharge emissions into the air at its Kaipi Road site. However, the discharges to air (mainly dust) from the quarry have been found to meet the conditions of a permitted activity under the Rule 17 of the Regional Air Plan, and as a result, consent 4639 was allowed to expire in June 2005 and was not required to be renewed.
63. Compliance monitoring of the Company's Kaipi Road quarry by the Council in 2007-2008 included three inspections and the collection of three water samples for laboratory analyses. The monitoring showed that the level of contaminants discharged in site wastewaters did not comply with consent conditions on the occasion that samples were collected.
64. For Hurlstone Earthmoving Limited in 2007-2008, improvement is desired with respect to the level of environmental performance and compliance with the resource consent held for its Kaipi Road quarry.
65. This report includes recommendations for the 2008-2009 year.

Greymouth Petroleum Acquisitions Company Limited Deep Well Injection Monitoring Programme Quadrennial Report 2003-2007

66. During the review period 2003-2007, Greymouth Petroleum Limited exercised two resource consents to 1) discharge up to 200 cubic metres/day [5 litres/second] of produced water, well drilling fluids and commercial wastewater from hydrocarbon exploration operations via deepwell injection into the Mount Messenger Formation and 2) discharge up to 550 cubic metres per day to depths greater than 1000 metres below the ground via injection well for enhanced petroleum recovery purposes at the Kaimiro-O wellsite.
67. This report describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the Company's environmental performance in relation to the deep well discharge at Kaimiro-11 and the water-flooding operation at Kaimiro-17 during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of the Company's activities. Kaimiro-11 is located at the Kaimiro-J site and Kaimiro-17 is at the Kaimiro-O site.
68. The Company also holds two consents for its operation at the Kaimiro-J site: consent 6218-1 relates to the discharge of sand waste- from hydrocarbon production within the Kaimiro Field onto land for storage, which includes the discharge of stormwater from the site onto and into land and into an unnamed tributary of the Mangaoraka Stream in the Waiongana catchment. Consent 4613-2, allows the discharge of emissions into the air from the flaring of hydrocarbons together with miscellaneous emissions associated with hydrocarbon exploration operations at the Kaimiro-J site, these two consents are covered by other monitoring programmes.

69. In the 2003-2007 monitoring period the Council carried out a total of eight routine inspections of the Company's deep well injection sites. The two authorised Greymouth's injection wells were active during the monitoring period.
70. The Company submitted electronic records on two occasions upon request by the Taranaki Regional Council. During the four-years monitoring period the Council collected three samples of injectate and two samples of the water used for the water-flooding process. The samples were collected on 29 June 2004, 5 May 2005, and 6 July 2006. This report contains the results along with the comments associated with the inspections conducted during the period under review.
71. This quadrennial report for the period July 2003-June 2007 covers the Company's well injection activities, and describes the monitoring programmes implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the Company's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of the Company's activities.
72. Compliance monitoring of deep well injection activities is supported by an assessment of discharge records provided by the consent holder, laboratory results from collected samples and routine site visits. Record keeping is required as a consent condition for all deep well injection, and the relevant Annual Compliance Monitoring Programmes. No concerns were raised during any of the site inspections. The analytical results for the injectate collected from Kaimiro-11 were typical of produced waters.
73. Records for Kaimiro-11, consent 4921-1, show that a total of 73,412 m³ of waste was discharged in the four year period. The average daily volume discharged in this well was 50.25 m³ and the average daily pressure 9.19 bars. Maximum injection pressure recorded at the wellhead was 43 bars. The maximum daily discharge volume of 200 m³ authorised under the consent was complied with at all times, however, the maximum flow-rate consented, 5 litres per second, was exceeded on five occasions.
74. Registers for Kaimiro-17, consent 5312-1, show that a total of 177,941 m³ of water for flooding purposes was discharged in the four-year period. The average daily volume discharged in this well was 126.28 m³ and the average daily pressure 56.10 bars. Maximum injection pressure recorded at the wellhead was 100 bars. The maximum daily discharge volume of 500 m³ authorised under the consent was not complied with on two occasions.
75. The Company has provided records of the discharges via Kaimiro-11 and Kaimiro -17 for the monitoring period under review, and as such, has complied with relevant special conditions set forth in both consents. Consequently, environmental performance with the resource consents for deep well injection via these two wells was assessed.
76. During 2003-2007, the Company achieved a good standard of environmental performance with respect to consents 5312-1 and 4921-1 and no unauthorised incidents were associated with any of the Company's well injection sites. This report includes recommendations for the next monitoring period.

New Plymouth District Council Inglewood Oxidation Ponds System Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008

77. The New Plymouth District Council operates the Inglewood municipal oxidation ponds treatment system located at Inglewood in the Kurapete catchment.
78. The New Plymouth District Council holds a renewed resource consent allowing for the discharge of treated wastewater overflows to the Kurapete Stream, a small tributary of the Manganui River in the Waitara catchment. Following the successful diversion of all dry weather wastewater inflows from the ponds' system to the New Plymouth wastewater treatment plant (via the former Moa-Nui dairy pipeline) in late 1999, the renewed consent authorises only intermittent wet weather overflows of treated wastewater to the Kurapete Stream. The previous consent expired in June 2003 and was renewed in September 2004. The renewed resource consent includes a total of 13 special conditions setting out the requirements that the New Plymouth District Council must satisfy.
79. This report for the period July 2007 to June 2008 describes the recently reduced monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and effects of the consent holder's activities.
80. The Council's monitoring programme included three inspections and two biological receiving water surveys. Although four separate overflow events had occurred in the 2003-04 monitoring year, none were recorded over the four most recent periods to 2008.
81. Regular inspections indicated no problems with the ponds' system maintenance or operation, with no unauthorised overflows to the stream of any nature.
82. Pond microfloral monitoring continued to indicate a trend of improved conditions during maintenance of low main pond levels for stormwater infiltration storage purposes, although microfloral populations were of low abundances during most of the period.
83. Reduction in stormwater infiltration to the reticulation system has been the subject of ongoing work, now completed, and has been successful in reducing the frequency of authorised overflows in recent years.
84. The spring and late summer biomonitoring surveys documented maintenance of the marked recovery of biological communities recorded soon after the diversion of all discharges out of the stream (in late 1999) and the satisfactory sealing of the new outfall. A recent ten year trend evaluation highlighted a very significant statistical temporal improvement in the biological 'health' of the lower reaches of the Kurapete Stream, attributable to the removal of the discharge. Although the temporal trend has lessened in significance more recently, stream biological 'health' has been maintained.
85. Riparian initiatives have been undertaken by some landowners in the Kurapete Stream catchment (nineteen plans prepared to date) and the financial contribution provided by the consent holder (as a condition of the previous discharge permit) has been completely utilised.

86. New Plymouth District Council demonstrated a high level of environmental performance over the period and a high level of consent compliance.
87. Recommendations include continuation of the reduced monitoring programme formulated for the renewed consent, and provision for timely reporting of each overflow event in order that any additional relevant monitoring can be undertaken. This recognises the marked improvement in receiving water conditions documented in recent years and the absence of overflows from the system over the past four years.

Meadowvale Stud Farm Piggery Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008

88. The Meadowvale Stud Farm piggery is located at Midhirst, in the Manganui River catchment. This report for the period July 2007-June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the Company's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of the Company's activities.
89. The Company holds a total of three resource consents, which include a total of 25 conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must satisfy. The Company holds resource consent 0351-3 to allow the discharge of treated effluent to land and into the Rumkeg Creek, consent 5249-1 to allow the discharge of emissions into the air from the piggery site and consent 5416-1 to allow the discharge of treated effluent by spray irrigation onto land.
90. The Council's monitoring programme for the year under review included five inspections, two wastewater and receiving water physicochemical sampling surveys and one summer biomonitoring survey of the receiving waters.
91. During the year, the Company has demonstrated a high level of environmental performance and compliance with the resource consents. No unauthorised discharges relating to piggery effluent being discharged to a waterbody and no odour complaints emanating from piggery operations were received by the Council. The Company has greatly increased discharges to land in preference to discharging to water.
92. The summer biomonitoring survey indicated there is some evidence to suggest the discharge of effluent from the ponds to the Rumkeg Creek was having an influence on these communities, but this influence was not significant. During this period the consent holder had reduced wastewater discharges to surface water by partial irrigation to land.
93. Meadowvale Piggery Stud Farm addressed minor piggery maintenance issues but was unable to carry out any improvements during the monitoring period because of financial constraints. Escalating grain and fuel prices, and competition from imported pork produce, combined with low schedule market price have impacted on the Company.
94. Meadowvale are currently growing a few free range pigs for the local 'Farmers Market'. Although this is only a small part of the operation there is a growing demand for the free range product. Meadowvale are limited in the amount of free-

range pigs they can grow due to the size of their property.

95. This report includes recommendations for the 2008-2009 year including a reduction in the inspectorial component of the monitoring programme.

Stratford District Council Water Treatment Plants and Structures Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2006-2007

96. The Stratford District Council [SDC] operates three water treatment supplies in the Stratford district. These treatment plants supply water to the town of Stratford and to the villages of Midhirst and Toko. This report for the period July 2006-June 2007 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the SDC's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of the Council's activities.
97. Stratford District Council holds a total of 11 resource consents in relation to water supplies, which include a total of 62 conditions setting out the requirements that the consent holder must satisfy. The consent holder holds 4 consents to allow it to take and use water (from the Patea River, the Konini Stream, the Te Popo stream and a bore in Toko), 3 consents to discharge filter backwash (to the Patea River, the Te Popo Stream and the Manawawiri Stream, a tributary of the Toko Stream), and 4 consents to construct and maintain in-stream structures (on the Patea River and the Konini Stream).
98. The Council's monitoring programme for the year under review included an inspection of each scheme, the collection of a sample of the backwash discharge from the Stratford Water Treatment Plant for physicochemical analysis, and an inspection of the fish pass at the Konini weir.
99. Provision of abstraction data upon request is stipulated in all the water abstraction consents held by SDC in relation to its water treatment plants. There were numerous requests made by Council for the data during the monitoring year, this however was not forthcoming. The SDC did eventually provide the data, but this was well after the monitoring year had finished.
100. During the period under review the inspections revealed no other issues in regards to treatment plants and discharge sampling at the Stratford plant showed compliance with consent conditions.
101. During the 2006-2007 period an improvement in SDC's environmental performance and consent compliance was desired, with special notice going to the difficulties Council had in obtaining the necessary data from the SDC.
102. This report includes recommendations for the 2007-2008 year which includes the recommendation that the SDC provide Council with the required abstraction data on quarterly basis.

Stratford District Council Municipal oxidation ponds system Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008

103. The Stratford District Council operates the Stratford municipal oxidation ponds system located to the east of Stratford in the Patea catchment. The Stratford District Council holds a resource consent to allow it to discharge treated wastewater to the

Patea River. This report for the period July 2007 to June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and effects of the consent holder's activities.

104. The resource consent which expired on 1 June 2004 but was operative for the majority of the period, included a total of 4 special conditions setting out the requirements that the Stratford District Council must satisfy. A short term (5 year) renewal of the consent was granted late in the period conditional upon a staged upgrade of the treatment system and subsequent extensive monitoring of the effectiveness of the upgrade prior to addressing issues and options relating to longer term upgrades to the system.
105. The Council's monitoring programme included four regular inspections, wastewater analyses, and physicochemical and biological surveys of the receiving waters of the Patea River.
106. In recent years improvements in the consent holder's maintenance programme have generally enhanced the appearance of, and controlled odour from, the system. However, several odour complaints were received from neighbouring property owners during the monitoring period. Although more frequent attention to pond surface scum removal procedures had been instigated in order to reduce or eliminate these odour problems, and de-sludging of the ponds' system was completed in late autumn 2005, some further problems of surface scum accumulation and associated nuisance odours continued. Measures were taken to improve the necessary maintenance which, together with the implementation of system upgrades, should reduce the problems.
107. Stricter control of industrial waste tanker disposal was instigated by the District Council more than ten years ago, and although no problems with the wastewater treatment system performance were experienced during the monitoring period under review, a further more appropriate relocation of the tanker disposal area will provide better control of this activity and fewer operational problems for the treatment system. Liaison with the Regional Council has continued whenever uncertainties have existed with respect to proposed additional industrial loadings.
108. Regular inspections indicated no immediate problems with the oxidation ponds system's performance, with no overflow incidents. Wastewater quality was relatively good at the time of the low flow autumn receiving water physicochemical monitoring survey with the exception of an algal bloom in the wastewater (which was the subject of two receiving water complaints during the very dry summer-autumn period). The survey found some impacts of the discharge on water quality beyond the permitted mixing zone in the Patea River, mainly related to aesthetic effects and increases in nutrient loadings under very low receiving water flow conditions. The late summer biomonitoring receiving water survey, performed six weeks before the physicochemical survey, found more significant effects of the discharge on the macroinvertebrate communities of the river which were coincident with an increase in periphyton substrate cover (a consequence of nutrient enrichment) and extensive wastewater-derived microfloral deposition on the riverbed (due to the algal bloom in the treatment pond system).

109. Regular semi-quantitative pond microfloral assessments indicated satisfactory long term oxidation pond system performance, but there was a recurrence of the summer-autumn blue-green algal bloom found from time to time in the past.
110. Overall, operational performance of the system and aspects of the environmental performance required a degree of improvement during the monitoring year. These improvements have been addressed by conditions of the renewed consent, in particular the upgrade of the wastewater treatment system due for completion by mid 2009.
111. Recommendations include continuation of a similar monitoring programme over the 2008-2009 period (recognising the need for additional monitoring upon completion of the wastewater treatment system upgrade), and requirements relating to operation and maintenance of the treatment ponds system and liaison with the Taranaki Regional Council.

Contact Energy Limited Stratford Power Station Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2006-2007

112. Contact Energy Limited operates the Taranaki Combined Cycle Power Station located near Stratford, in the Patea catchment. The Company holds resource consents to allow it to abstract water from the Patea River, to discharge to the Patea River and Kahouri Stream, and to land, to provide for several structures across streams, and to discharge emissions into the air. This report for the period July 2006-June 2007 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the Company's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of the Company's activities.
113. The Company holds a total of 18 resource consents, which include a total of 152 conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must satisfy.
114. The Council's monitoring programme for the year under review included 4 inspections, 6 water samples collected for physicochemical analysis, and 2 biomonitoring surveys of receiving waters. Emission results were provided by the Company.
115. The monitoring showed that the power station continued to be well managed and any environmental impacts were negligible. There was ongoing consultation between the Council and Contact Energy Limited staff.
116. During the year, the Company demonstrated a high level of environmental performance and compliance with the resource consents. The Company has achieved a high level of performance throughout its nine years of operation.
117. This report includes recommendations for the 2007-2008 year.

Vector Kapuni GTP Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2006-2007

118. Vector Gas Limited (Vector), formerly known as NGC New Zealand Limited (NGC), operates a gas treatment plant located on Palmer Road at Kapuni, in the Kapuni catchment. This report for the period July 2006-June 2007 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess

the Company's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of the Company's activities.

119. The Company holds a total of 13 resource consents, which include a total of 109 conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must satisfy. The Company holds 2 consents to allow it to take and use water, 2 consents to discharge effluent/stormwater into the Kapuni Stream, 5 consents to discharge to land, 3 land use permits, and 1 consent to discharge emissions into the air at this site.
120. The Council's monitoring programme for the year under review included 4 inspections, 6 water samples collected for physicochemical analysis, and a review of 3 biomonitoring surveys of receiving waters.
121. The monitoring showed that, as in previous years, the site was well managed.
122. During the year, the Company demonstrated a high level of environmental performance and compliance with the resource consents.
123. This report includes recommendations for the 2007-2008 year.

Fonterra Kapuni Air and Water Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2006-2007

124. Fonterra operates a lactose manufacturing factory and inhalation grade lactose plant located on Manaia Road at Kapuni, in the Kaipokonui catchment. This report for the period July 2006-June 2007 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the Company's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of the Company's activities.
125. The Company holds a total of 16 resource consents, which include a total of 111 conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must satisfy. The Company holds two consents to allow it to take and use water, six consents to discharge stormwater and cooling water into the Kaipokonui and Motumate (cooling water only) Streams, three consents to discharge wastes to land, four land use consents and one consent to discharge emissions into the air at this site.
126. The Council's monitoring programme for the year under review included 12 inspections, 161 water samples collected for physico-chemical analysis, two biomonitoring surveys of receiving waters, and five ambient air quality analyses.
127. Ecological monitoring did not note any problems in regard to the abstraction of water from the Kaipokonui Stream for cooling water and general purposes.
128. The discharge of stormwater and cooling water did not appear to have any visible effects on receiving waters, until an extensive outbreak of sewage fungus occurred over a period of about one month during the autumn low flow period. The cause was traced to a leak of process liquid from crystallisation silos and was stopped. Appropriate steps were taken to prevent a reoccurrence.
129. Temperature increase limits on cooling water discharged to the Kaipokonui

Stream were complied with throughout the review period. Riparian planting was maintained on the factory site and a donation was received by the Taranaki Tree Trust as per consent conditions.

130. The discharge of cooling water into an unnamed tributary of the Motumate Stream did not appear to have any adverse effects on the receiving water.
131. Irrigation onto the three dairy farms was, in general, well managed, with some minor incidents. A 20 metre buffer was maintained to the bank of water courses. Effects on the groundwater in the vicinity of the farms were varied, but most showed an adverse impact on both mineral and organic component levels. This is being addressed through extension of the irrigation disposal system and by more intensive groundwater monitoring.
132. No effects were noted on the Kaipokonui Stream as a result of the stormwater discharge from the northern catchment and IGL plant. Sample results were within those prescribed by consent conditions.
133. Levels of suspended solids in the septic tank discharge continued to be higher than consent conditions allow, however these were not high in regard to a discharge of this nature. Fonterra has installed a new filter in the treatment system and its effect on suspended solids level will be monitored before a decision is taken on whether to apply for a change to consent conditions to increase the level allowed.
134. Particulate deposition from air emissions was similar to the previous monitoring periods and was well within the guideline target value set by the Council. Visual inspections found no evidence of depositions, and odour surveys continued to note low levels of odour off site, with some odour observed around the effluent tank and in the vicinity of this depending on the direction of the wind.
135. Two major projects commenced during the review period which will have long-term beneficial effects on environmental performance: extension of the wastewater irrigation system at a cost of \$2.4 million, and construction of a stormwater detention system at a cost of \$0.5 million. Both projects are due to be completed before summer 2007-2008.
136. The 41% extension of irrigation area, from 120 to 169 ha, with no increase in effluent volume, will significantly reduce loadings on soil and groundwater, and the use of automated in-ground irrigators will greatly improve the management of the combined waste disposal and farming operation.
137. The new stormwater system to contain and control stormwater from the southern catchment of the factory site will provide additional security for the area where road tankers operate and process materials are stored.
138. An improvement in the Company's performance is desirable, five breaches of consent being recorded during the review period, although performance was good in the exercise of most consents and, in general, the site was well operated. An infringement notice was issued for the unauthorised discharge to the Kaipokonui Stream that caused a sewage fungus outbreak. The Company took appropriate steps to prevent further such incidents, and to lessen the effects of its activities on the environment.

139. This report includes recommendations for the 2007-2008 year.

Taranaki Trucking Limited Quarry Monitoring programme Biennial Report 2006-2008

140. Taranaki Trucking Company Limited operates two quarries; one is located on Wiremu Road at Opunake, in the Heimama catchment. The other is located on Waiteika Road at Kaponga, in the Waiteika catchment. This report for the period July 2006-June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the Company's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of the Company's activities.
141. At the Wiremu Road quarry, the Company holds resource consents to take water from and discharge treated wastewater into an unnamed tributary of the Heimama Stream. At the Waiteika Road quarry, the Company holds a resource consent to discharge treated stormwater to an unnamed tributary of the Waiteika Stream.
142. For the Wiremu Road and Waiteika Road quarries, the Company holds a total of three resource consents, which include 17 conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must satisfy.
143. The Council's monitoring programme for the monitoring period under review included 11 inspections. No water samples were collected for physicochemical analysis, and no biomonitoring surveys of receiving waters were required.
144. The monitoring showed that the level of contaminants discharged from both quarries and into the receiving waters complied with consent conditions. By comparison with previous years there was no significant change in the level of contaminants discharged, and no adverse effects were indicated in the receiving waters from the discharges.
145. During the monitoring period, the Company demonstrated a high level of environmental performance and compliance with the resource consents.
146. This report includes recommendations for the 2008-2010 monitoring period.

RA Wallis Limited Quarry Monitoring Programme Biennial Report 2006-2008

147. RA Wallis Limited operates three quarry sites in Taranaki. The quarry sites are located on Omahuru Road, Okaiawa, in the Waingongoro catchment; Skeet Road, Matapu, in the Waingongoro catchment; and a smaller quarry on Upper Manaia Road Kaponga, in the Kapuni catchment.
148. This report for the period July 2006-June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the Company's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of the Company's activities.
149. The Company currently holds one resource consent, which includes a total of 15 special conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must satisfy. The Company holds one consent to allow the discharge of washwater and stormwater to land and water at the Okaiawa site. The Company previously held one consent

to allow the discharge of stormwater, washwater and groundwater to land and water at the Matapu Site, and one consent to allow the discharge of stormwater to land at the Kaponga site. These were surrendered during the reporting period.

150. The Council's monitoring of the three quarry sites during the period under review included 9 inspections. No samples were collected. The monitoring showed that, as in previous years, stormwater and washwater discharges from the quarries were of a high standard, and were having no significant adverse effects on receiving waters.
151. During 2006-2008 the Company demonstrated a high level of environmental performance and compliance with its resource consents.
152. This report includes recommendations for the 2008-2010 monitoring period.

Pacific Natural Gut String Company Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008

153. The Pacific Natural Gut String Company Ltd operates a natural gut processing plant located on SH45 west of Manaia, in the Kaupokonui catchment. The Company holds a resource consent to allow it to discharge wastewater into the Tasman Sea. This report for the period July 2007-June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the Company's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and effects of the Company's activities.
154. The resource consent includes two special conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must satisfy.
155. The Council's monitoring programme included two inspections, and two water samples collected from the wastewater discharge for physicochemical analysis.
156. The monitoring showed that the wastewater discharge met the consent conditions and is not expected to cause any adverse effects on the receiving marine environment when discharged to coincide with high tide. The quality of the wastewater discharge continued at a similar level to previous years.
157. During the year, the Company demonstrated a high level of environmental performance and compliance with the resource consents.
158. This report includes recommendations for the 2008-2009 year.

South Road Quarries Limited Tokaora quarry Monitoring Programme Biennial Report 2006-2008

159. South Road Quarries Limited (the Company) operates a quarry located on South Road at Tokaora, in the Waingongoro catchment. This report for the period July 2006-June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the Company's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of the Company's activities.
160. The Company holds four resource consents for its Tokaora quarry, which include a total of thirty-four conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must

satisfy. One consent licenses the abstraction and use of surface water. Two consents license the discharge of treated stormwater and washwater into the Waingongoro River, and one consent licenses the discharge of cleanfill to land.

161. The monitoring programme for the two-year period under review included five inspections of the site. No water samples were collected during the period.
162. The monitoring showed there were no significant adverse effects on the Waingongoro River as a result of the Company's activities. Compared with previous years, the monitoring indicated an improvement in environmental performance.
163. During the period under review the Company demonstrated a good level of environmental performance and compliance with its resource consents.
164. This report includes recommendations for the 2008-2010 period.

South Taranaki District Council Eltham, Hawera, Kaponga, Manaia, Patea, Opunake and Otakeho Landfills Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008

165. The South Taranaki District Council (STDC) operated a landfill at Patea until December 2007, and holds resource consents to allow the discharge of leachate and stormwater into receiving waters, and for the discharge of contaminants onto or into land and for the discharge of emissions into the air. There are also six other closed landfills for which the STDC hold consents, at Manaia, Eltham, Hawera, Opunake, Kaponga, and Otakeho. The STDC holds resource consents to allow the discharge of leachate and stormwater from all of the closed landfills into receiving waters. This report for the period July 2007-June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess STDC's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of STDC's activities.
166. The monitoring undertaken during the 2007-2008 period showed that STDC's six closed landfills at Manaia, Kaponga, Opunake, Eltham, Otakeho and Hawera were managed and maintained to a high standard. There were no significant issues observed at these sites and no adverse effects were noted. During the year, the STDC generally demonstrated a high level of environmental performance and compliance for all the resource consents it held for its closed landfills. In general, issues of concern were addressed positively and co-operatively by the STDC.
167. STDC's landfill at Patea experienced a number of issues throughout the monitoring year (both before and after closure). In regard to resource consents held by STDC for the Patea landfill, an improvement in environmental performance and compliance is desired.
168. Overall STDC demonstrated a good level of environmental performance in relation its landfills
169. This report includes recommendations for the 2008-2009 year.

Wai-inu Beach Settlement Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008

170. The South Taranaki District Council (STDC) operates a sewage treatment system located at the Wai-inu Beach Settlement, in the Waitotara catchment. This report for the period July 2007-June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the STDC's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and environmental effects of STDC's activities.
171. The STDC hold one resource consent in relation to the sewage treatment system, which includes a total of 6 conditions setting out the requirements that the STDC must satisfy.
172. The Council's monitoring programme for the year under review included three site inspections, with bacteriological sampling of seawater at two sites during each of the inspections. Inspections of the site showed that the treatment system was well maintained during the period under review. Bacteriological sampling did not indicate any bacterial contamination of seawater in the vicinity of the treatment system.
173. During the year, the STDC demonstrated a high level of environmental performance and compliance with the resource consents. During the year under review there were no unauthorised incidents or any adverse effects on the receiving environment.
174. This report includes recommendations for the 2008-2009 year.

PPCS Waitotara Monitoring Programme Biennial Report 2005-2007

175. PPCS Ltd (Waitotara) operates a meat processing plant located at Wai-inu Beach Road, Waitotara in the Waitotara catchment. This report for the period 2005-2007 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the Company's environmental performance during the period under review, and the results and effects of PPCS's activities.
176. PPCS Ltd (Waitotara) holds a total of four resource consents, which include a total of 18 conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must satisfy. The Company holds resource consents to allow it to abstract water, to discharge wastes by spray irrigation to land, to discharge stormwater and cooling water to an unnamed tributary of the Waitotara River, and to discharge emissions into the air.
177. The Council's monitoring programme for the period under review included eight inspections, and the collection of eight effluent and forty groundwater samples for physicochemical analysis. The Company supplied annual environmental monitoring reports, as well as records of the volume of water abstracted and the volume of effluent discharged in each monitoring year.
178. The monitoring showed that the exercise of the resource consents by the Company was being undertaken in accordance with the conditions of the consent with no adverse effect to the surrounding environment. As in previous years, the monitoring indicated that on most occasions the plant was operated and maintained in a manner which was acceptable to the Council with minor issues being dealt with quickly by the Company.

179. During the period under review, the Company demonstrated a high level of environmental performance and compliance with the resource consents. This report includes recommendations for the 2007-2008 year.

Concrete Batching Plants Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008

180. Firth Industries operates a concrete batching plant located on Glover Road at Hawera, in the Tangahoe catchment. The site operation includes the storage and sale of aggregate, sand and builders mix.
181. The Company holds one resource consent, which includes a total of five conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must satisfy. The Company holds one consent to discharge wastewater into an unnamed tributary of the Tawhiti Stream.
182. Allied Concrete operates a concrete batching plant located on Mould Street, Waitara, in the Waitara catchment. The site operation includes the storage of aggregate, sand and builders mix.
183. The Company holds one resource consent, which includes a total of four conditions setting out the requirements that the Company must satisfy. The Company holds one consent to discharge wastewater into an unnamed tributary of the Waitara River.
184. Dick Sybrandy Limited operated a concrete batching plant located on Bedford Street, Patea, in the Patea catchment. The resource consent to discharge wastewater into the Patea River was surrendered and the site closed down in March 2007.
185. This report for the period July 2007-June 2008 describes the monitoring programme implemented by the Taranaki Regional Council to assess the Companies' environmental performance during the period under review and the results and environmental effects of the Companies' activities.
186. The Council's monitoring programme for the year under review included two inspections at each site.
187. During the year, Firth Industries had a high level of environmental performance and compliance with the resource consent. Allied Concrete achieved a high level of environmental performance and compliance with the resource consent. The compliance monitoring inspections showed that generally the environmental performance of these sites was high overall for the year.
188. This report includes recommendations for the 2008-2009 year.

Decision-making obligations

189. Part 6 (Planning, decision-making and accountability) of the Local Government Act 2002 has been considered and documented in the preparation of this agenda item. The recommendation(s) made in this item comply with the decision-making obligations of the Act.

Policy considerations

190. This memorandum and the associated recommendations are consistent with the policy documents and positions adopted by this Council under various legislative frameworks including, but not restricted to, the Local Government Act 2002, the Resource Management Act 1991 and the Biosecurity Act 1993.

Financial considerations

191. This memorandum and the associated recommendations are consistent with the Council's adopted Long-Term Council Community Plan and estimates. Any financial information included in this memorandum has been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting practice.

Legal considerations

192. This memorandum and the associated recommendations comply with the appropriate statutory requirements imposed upon the Council.

Recommendations

THAT the Taranaki Regional Council:

1. receives the Gully Rock Limited Uruti Monitoring Programme Biennial Report 2006-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
2. receives the Urenui and Onaero Motor Camps Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
3. receives the Wai-iti Motor Camp Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
4. receives the DH Lepper Trust Piggery Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
5. receives the Osflo Spreading Industries Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
6. receives the Todd Energy Aquatic Centre Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
7. receives the Taranaki Milk Products Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
8. receives the Hurlstone Earthmoving Ltd Kaipi Road Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
9. receives the Greymouth Petroleum Acquisitions Company Limited Deep Well Injection Monitoring Programme Quadrennial Report 2003-2007 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
10. receives the New Plymouth District Council Inglewood Oxidation Ponds System Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
11. receives the Meadowvale Stud Farm Piggery Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;

12. receives the Stratford District Council Water Treatment Plants and Structures Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2006-2007 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
13. receives the Stratford District Council Municipal oxidation ponds system Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
14. receives the Contact Energy Limited Stratford Power Station Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2006-2007 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
15. receives the Vector Kapuni GTP Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2006-2007 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
16. receives the Fonterra Kapuni Air and Water Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2006-2007 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
17. receives the Taranaki Trucking Limited Quarry Monitoring Programme Biennial Report 2006-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
18. receives the R A Wallis Limited Quarry Monitoring Programme Biennial Report 2006-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
19. receives the Pacific Natural Gut String Company Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
20. receives the South Road Quarries Limited Tokaora quarry Monitoring Programme Biennial Report 2006-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
21. receives the South Taranaki District Council Eltham, Hawera, Kaponga, Manaia, Patea, Opunake and Otakeho Landfills Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
22. receives the Wai-inu Beach Settlement Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein;
23. receives the PPCS Waitotara Monitoring Programme Biennial Report 2005-2007 and adopts the specific recommendations therein; and
24. receives the Concrete Batching Plants Monitoring Programme Annual Report 2007-2008 and adopts the specific recommendations therein.

GK Bedford
Director—Environment Quality

Approved:

B G Chamberlain
Chief Executive

ITEM FIVE

22 July 2008

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**Memorandum to
Chairperson and Members
Consents and Regulatory Committee**

**Unauthorised Incident Register
1 July 2008 to 17 August 2008**

Purpose

1. This memorandum has been prepared to allow the Council to consider and receive the Unauthorised Incident Register for the period of 1 July 2008 17 August 2008.

Background

2. The Council receives and responds to pollution events throughout the year. These are recorded in the Unauthorised Incident Register together with the results of investigations and any follow-up actions. All unauthorised incidents are publicly reported to the Council through the Consents and Regulatory Committee.
3. Attached is the Unauthorised Incident Register for the period of 1 July 2008 to 17 August 2008.

Unauthorised Incidents

4. There are 57 unauthorised incidents reported. Of these, 16 incidents relate to air and 41 relate to water.

Recommendation

THAT the Taranaki Regional Council:

1. receives the Unauthorised Incident Register for the period of 1 July 2008 to 17 August 2008 adopts the recommendations therein.

Approved:

A D McLay
Director – Resource Management

B G Chamberlain
Chief Executive

UIR NO: 08-538, Update
INVESTIGATED BY: Michael Nager
DATE: Friday, 27 June 2008
INCIDENT: Excavation
SOURCE: Murray Phillips Bulldozing Limited
P O Box 74
HAWERA
CATCHMENT: Tangahoe
TYPE OF EVENT: TRC Staff Compliance Monitoring

COMMENTS: During routine monitoring it was found that earthworks were being undertaken without silt controls in place on State Highway 3, Hawera. Inspection found that earthworks had been undertaken beside the Tawhiti Stream, 30 metres upstream of the Fonterra water intake. There were no silt controls in place which resulted in some sediment discharging to the Tawhiti Stream. A letter of explanation was received and accepted.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-056
INVESTIGATED BY: James Kitto
DATE: Wednesday, 11 June 2008
INCIDENT: Effluent Discharge
SOURCE: Riverlands Eltham Limited
P O Box 124
ELTHAM
CATCHMENT: Waingongoro
TYPE OF EVENT: Self-Notification

COMMENTS: Self notification was received concerning a breach of total ammonia limit in Waingongoro River at Eltham. Results of a sample taken by the Company laboratory found ammonia levels beyond the mixing zone boundary were higher than allowable by resource consent conditions. Council is waiting on a report from the Company.

RECOMMENDATION: Investigation Continuing

UIR NO: 09-035
INVESTIGATED BY: Andres Jaramillo
DATE: Monday, 30 June 2008
INCIDENT: Water Take
SOURCE: Kaitake Golf Club Inc
P O Box 7
OAKURA
CATCHMENT: Waimoku
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: During routine monitoring it was found that a water intake flow meter had not been installed as previously instructed at the Kaitake Golf Club. Abatement Notice No.11331 was issued requiring a flow meter to be installed. Reinspection will take place after 24 October 2008.

RECOMMENDATION: Investigation Continuing

UIR NO: 09-011
INVESTIGATED BY: Robin Hughes
DATE: Tuesday, 1 July 2008
INCIDENT: Tree - Waterbody
SOURCE: ONTRACK Infrastructure Ltd
P O Box 30995
Lower Hutt
WELLINGTON
CATCHMENT: Waitotara
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received concerning a log jam under the railway bridge across the Waitotara River at Waiinu Beach Road, Waitotara. Inspection found that there was a log jam on the pillar of the bridge and there was also potential for flooding. Abatement Notice No.11321 was issued requiring the logs to be removed and disposed of in an appropriate manner. Reinspection found that the notice has been complied with.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-005
INVESTIGATED BY: Rawiri Mako
DATE: Tuesday, 1 July 2008
INCIDENT: General air emissions
SOURCE: TBS Coatings Limited
P O Box 7057
Fitzroy
NEW PLYMOUTH
CATCHMENT: Waitaha 1 (Waitaha)
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received concerning dust and odour from an abrasive blasting site on Corbett Road, Bell Block. Investigation could find no trace of any dust off site. Some paint odour was detected intermittently at the site boundary, however no odour was noticeable off-site. All operations on site were within resource consent conditions.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-001
INVESTIGATED BY: Catherine Law
DATE: Tuesday, 1 July 2008
INCIDENT: General air emissions
SOURCE: Taranaki By-Products Limited
P O Box 172
HAWERA
CATCHMENT: Inaha
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding odours from a rendering plant at Okaiawa. Investigation found that intermittent and noticeable odours could be detected offsite. Inspection of the main processing plant, the fallen stock storage area, the wastewater ponds, the fat ponds and the bio filter system found no offensive or objection odours and no particular source for the noticeable odour off site. At the time of the complaint the plant was not operating.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-040
INVESTIGATED BY: Lorraine Smith, Raymond Harris
DATE: Wednesday, 2 July 2008
INCIDENT: Unauthorised Discharge
SOURCE: Greymouth Petroleum Acquisition Company Limited
P O Box 3394
NEW PLYMOUTH 4341
CATCHMENT: Mangati
TYPE OF EVENT: TRC Staff Compliance Monitoring

COMMENTS: During routine sampling it was found that the discharge from a pipeyard site at De Havilland Drive, Bell Block was breaching resource consent conditions. Suspended solids of 880 g/m³ and oil grease of 62 g/m³ were found in the stormwater discharging from the site. This was in breach of special condition 2 which requires suspended solid levels to not exceed 100 g/m³ and oil and grease not to exceed 15 g/m³. It was also found that a stormwater management plan had not been submitted to Council so that the processing the consent renewal could be continued. Reinspection found that significant works had been undertaken to improve the stormwater discharge. Further investigation will be undertaken during routine monitoring.

RECOMMENDATION: Investigation Continuing

UIR NO: 09-003
INVESTIGATED BY: Catherine Law
DATE: Wednesday, 2 July 2008
INCIDENT: Sediment Discharge
SOURCE: W & T Hurlstone
Post Office
EGMONT VILLAGE
CATCHMENT: Mangati
TYPE OF EVENT: TRC Staff Compliance Monitoring

COMMENTS: A complaint was received concerning discoloured stormwater discharging into the Mangati Stream at Bell Block. Investigation found that a discharge of silt had come from an earthworks site upstream following a heavy rain event. There was only minor temporary discoloration in the stream. The Contractor was spoken to and undertook to ensure that silt controls were more closely monitored during wet weather.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action/ Costs Recovered

UIR NO: 09-007
INVESTIGATED BY: Catherine Law
DATE: Friday, 4 July 2008
INCIDENT: Dumping rubbish
SOURCE: GS & BK Brown
Beach Road
R D 1
WAVERLEY
CATCHMENT: Wairoa
TYPE OF EVENT: TRC Staff Notification

COMMENTS: During unrelated routine monitoring it was found that unauthorised dumping of rubbish was occurring in a stream at Waverley Beach Road, Waverley. Abatement Notice No.11328 was issued requiring all unauthorised materials to be removed from in and near the stream and to ensure that no further dumping occurs. Reinspection found that the notice was being complied with.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action At This Stage

UIR NO: 09-004
INVESTIGATED BY: Rawiri Mako
DATE: Friday, 4 July 2008
INCIDENT: Oil/petroleum spill
SOURCE: New Zealand Offshore Services Ltd
30 Centennial Drive
NEW PLYMOUTH
CATCHMENT: Tasman Sea
TYPE OF EVENT: Third Party Notification

COMMENTS: Notification was received from Maritime New Zealand concerning a diesel spill onto the deck of the vessel 'Yarabah' and then into the Tasman Sea at Port Taranaki. Investigation found that during bunkering approximately 100 litres was discharged to the deck, however only approximately 15 litres discharged to the sea. Sorbant boom was deployed around the vessel and sorbant pads were used to soak up the diesel in the water and on the deck. Any remaining diesel in the water was left to bioremediate.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action/Costs Recovered

UIR NO: 09-006
INVESTIGATED BY: Catherine Law
DATE: Tuesday, 8 July 2008
INCIDENT: Unknown
SOURCE: Lowry DP & NF Family Trusts
Tipoka Road
R D 35
RAHOTU
CATCHMENT: Waitotoroa
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received concerning a drain being filled in with gravel and some greenwaste at Tipoka Road, Rahotu. Investigation found that minor earthworks to fill in a farm drain were being undertaken. All works were within rules of the Regional Fresh Water Plan for Taranaki.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-022
INVESTIGATED BY: Catherine Law
DATE: Tuesday, 8 July 2008
INCIDENT: Tree - Waterbody
SOURCE: Hellier Family Partnership
402 Corbett Road
R D 3
NEW PLYMOUTH
CATCHMENT: Waiongana
TYPE OF EVENT: TRC Staff Notification

COMMENTS: Notification was received about a tree that had fallen on the bank of the Mangaoraka Stream at Corbett Road, Bell Block. Investigation found that there was a large tree on a river bank that was likely to have effect on the stream in medium/high flow situations. The landowner was contacted and removed the tree.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-008
INVESTIGATED BY: Tim Payne
DATE: Wednesday, 9 July 2008
INCIDENT: Dead Stock in Watercourse
SOURCE: B Robinson
246 Upper Glenn Rd
R D 28
MANAIA
CATCHMENT: Kaupokonui
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received concerning a dead cow on the bank of the Kaupokonui River near the Kaupokonui Campground. Investigation found the decomposing cow was likely to impact on the stream. The owner of the animal was traced and instructed to remove the carcass. Reinspection found that the carcass had not been removed. Abatement Notice No.11329 was issued requiring the carcass be removed. Reinspection found that the notice had been complied with.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-009
INVESTIGATED BY: Tim Payne
DATE: Wednesday, 9 July 2008
INCIDENT: Natural Event
SOURCE: Natural Event
CATCHMENT: Kaupokonui
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received concerning discolouration in an unnamed tributary of the Mangawhero Stream at Eltham Road, Riverlea. Investigation found the tributary to be discoloured, however this seemed to be as a result of heavy rainfall and runoff from upstream paddocks. No specific source of any discharge could be found.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-010
INVESTIGATED BY: Bill Crofskey
DATE: Thursday, 10 July 2008
INCIDENT: General air emissions
SOURCE: Clelands Construction Ltd
61 Katere Road
Bell Block
NEW PLYMOUTH
CATCHMENT: Huatoki
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received concerning cement like dust originating from a building site at Currie Street, New Plymouth. An inspection was undertaken and no dust was found to be discharging from the site.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-012
INVESTIGATED BY: Rik Caskey
DATE: Thursday, 10 July 2008
INCIDENT: Water Take
SOURCE: Inglewood Golf Club Inc
P O Box 83
INGLEWOOD
CATCHMENT: Waiongana
TYPE OF EVENT: TRC Staff Compliance Monitoring

COMMENTS: During routine monitoring it was found that a flow measuring device had not been fitted at a watertake as required by resource consent condition, at the Inglewood Golf Course. Abatement Notice No.11319 was issued requiring a flow measuring device to be installed. Reinspection will take place after 10 October 2008.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action At This Stage/Costs Recovered

UIR NO: 09-013
INVESTIGATED BY: Tim Payne
DATE: Saturday, 12 July 2008
INCIDENT: Oil/petroleum spill
SOURCE: DA Dobbs
70 Johnson Road
OHINEWAI
CATCHMENT: Tasman Sea
TYPE OF EVENT: Third Party Notification

COMMENTS: Notification was received concerning a fishing vessel 'Gleaner' that had run aground near the reclamation area on Ngamotu Beach. Investigation found that during stormy weather a mooring line had broken causing the vessel to go aground on the beach. At the time of inspection the vessel had extensive damage to the hull and some holes were evident with diesel discharging slowly onto the beach. Immediate action was taken to remove 1,500 litres of diesel from the vessels fuel tanks to prevent any further spillage. Approximately 10 litres of diesel had discharged onto the beach. During the day extensive works were undertaken to remove the vessel from the beach and secure it in the reclamation area. The diesel was left to breakdown in the rough tide and reinspection showed that there was no trace of any diesel on the beach or in the water.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action/Costs Recovered

UIR NO: 09-014
INVESTIGATED BY: Bruce Pope
DATE: Saturday, 12 July 2008
INCIDENT: Unauthorised Discharge
SOURCE: Cape Shipping Services Limited
P O Box 358
NEW PLYMOUTH
CATCHMENT: Tasman Sea
TYPE OF EVENT: Third Party Notification

COMMENTS: Notification was received concerning three large shipping containers that had fallen from the vessel 'Maersk Fugi' beyond the port area during stormy conditions. Investigation found that the three containers were in the sea, moving out towards shipping lanes and the Marine Park. The containers were empty and not refrigerated, therefore contained no contaminants. A discharge of this type to sea is covered under Section 15A(1) of the Resource Management Act 1991. Abatement Notice No.11322 was issued requiring the containers be located and retrieved. An extensive search was undertaken over a period of three and half days. This included the use of sonar equipment and tracking devices. No trace of any containers can be found at this stage. All shipping channels and the Marine Park area were checked during the search. The Company responsible has agreed that if these containers are spotted in the future they will undertake to remove them.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action At This Stage

UIR NO: 09-015
INVESTIGATED BY: Catherine Law
DATE: Monday, 14 July 2008
INCIDENT: General air emissions
SOURCE: Unsourcesd
CATCHMENT: Inaha
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received concerning an odour from a rendering plant at Okaiawa. Investigation could find no trace of any odour beyond the boundary of the plant site.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-017
INVESTIGATED BY: Bill Crofskey
DATE: Tuesday, 15 July 2008
INCIDENT: Excavation
SOURCE: Baldock Wayne Trust
504 Mangaehu Rd
R D 22
STRATFORD
CATCHMENT: Patea
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding silt/sediment run off from earthworks on Mangaehu Road, Stratford. Investigation found that earthworks were being undertaken there was no visible evidence of any silt discharges to the stream. However, it was also found that the earthworks required a resource consent as it did not comply with Rule 25 of the Regional Fresh Water Plan for Taranaki. A resource consent is in the process of being issued.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action At This Stage/ Costs Recovered

UIR NO: 09-018
INVESTIGATED BY: Michael Nager
DATE: Tuesday, 15 July 2008
INCIDENT: Fertiliser
SOURCE: Taranaki By-Products Limited
P O Box 172
HAWERA
CATCHMENT: Inaha
TYPE OF EVENT: TRC Staff Compliance Monitoring

COMMENTS: During routine monitoring it was found that Zeal Grow had discharged to an unnamed tributary of the Inaha Stream at Katotauru Road, Okaiawa. Investigation found that Zeal Grow had been applied to a paddock and had flowed overland to an unnamed tributary of the Inaha Stream. No environmental effects were noted. The Company Environmental Manager was spoken to and the company has undertaken to give staff more training to ensure that this type of discharge does not occur in the future.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action/Costs Recovered

UIR NO: 09-016
INVESTIGATED BY: Catherine Law
DATE: Tuesday, 15 July 2008
INCIDENT: Natural Event
SOURCE: Natural Event
CATCHMENT: Patea
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received about hydrocarbons in a freshwater pond at Warwick Road, Stratford. Investigation found that naturally occurring iron oxide was discharging in groundwater from a bank resulting in the surface discolouration.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-023
INVESTIGATED BY: Lorraine Smith
DATE: Tuesday, 15 July 2008
INCIDENT: General air emissions
SOURCE: Zelam Ltd
P O Box 7142
NEW PLYMOUTH
CATCHMENT: Waitaha 1 (Waitaha)
TYPE OF EVENT: TRC Staff Compliance Monitoring

COMMENTS: During routine monitoring results pH monitoring of scrubber liquor for shed 2 found that pH levels were below resource consent limits, at an agrichemical plant on Hudson Road, Bell Block. Results reported by Zelam for the period 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 showed that the pH of the scrubber liquor for shed 2 was 8.79 on 21 January 2008. Resource consent conditions require the level to be greater than 9.0. A letter of explanation has been received. This plant is the subject of a monitoring programme and further investigations will be undertaken during routine monitoring.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action At This Stage

UIR NO: 09-024
INVESTIGATED BY: Rik Caskey
DATE: Tuesday, 15 July 2008
INCIDENT: Sewage Discharge
SOURCE: New Plymouth District Council
Private Bag 2025
NEW PLYMOUTH 4342
CATCHMENT: Waitara
TYPE OF EVENT: Self-Notification

COMMENTS: Self-notification was received from New Plymouth District Council about discharges from the Inglewood Oxidation ponds and the Herekawe sewage pump station. An inspection was undertaken of the Inglewood site and it was found that effects were minimal. Samples were taken. Inspection of the Herekawe site found that there was no longer any sign of a discharge. Concern was raised about the delay in notification and changes in notification processes have been put in place.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-019
INVESTIGATED BY: Michael Nager
DATE: Tuesday, 15 July 2008
INCIDENT: Unauthorised Discharge
SOURCE: ABB Grain (NZ) Ltd
Level 1
9 Pacific Road
Mt Wellington
AUCKLAND
CATCHMENT: Tasman Sea
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding dust discharging from a grain store on Ocean View Parade, New Plymouth. Investigation found that palm kernel was being transported from the Port to the grain store on Ocean View Parade. Dust was discharging from the trucks during transport and from the vents on top of the building. Dust was accumulating on houses on Whitely Street. Large amounts of palm kernel were also found on the roads, gutters and footpaths along the transport route. Abatement Notice No.11325 was issued requiring that no dust generated on the site discharged beyond the boundary of the site and that no palm kernel or palm kernel dust enters any stormwater system. A review of the first shipment has been undertaken by ABB and Port officials and improvements are envisaged. Reinspection will be undertaken after the next shipment of palm kernal arrives.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action At This Stage/Costs Recovered

UIR NO: 08-027
INVESTIGATED BY: Tim Payne
DATE: Wednesday, 16 July 2008
INCIDENT: Natural Event
SOURCE: Natural Event
CATCHMENT: Waiongana
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received concerning water backing up onto a property on Kairau Road West, Brixton. Investigation found that after periods of heavy rain water collected in a naturally formed gully area and then backed up into the neighbouring property. As this is due to the natural contours of the land, the complainant was advised there is nothing this Council can do.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-026
INVESTIGATED BY: Rik Caskey
DATE: Wednesday, 16 July 2008
INCIDENT: Unknown
SOURCE: Anonymous
CATCHMENT: Wairoa
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received about a sewage like odour in the vicinity of Gloag Street, Waverley. An odour survey in the surrounding area could find no odour.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-025
INVESTIGATED BY: Rik Caskey
DATE: Wednesday, 16 July 2008
INCIDENT: Water Take
SOURCE: Kohi Investments Limited and Kohi Meats Ltd
P O Box 6
WAVERLEY
CATCHMENT: Whenuakura
TYPE OF EVENT: TRC Staff Compliance Monitoring

COMMENTS: During routine monitoring it was found that a watertake in the Kokako Stream and the Whenuakura River at Kokako Road, Waverley, required flow measuring devices fitted as per resource consent conditions. Abatement Notices No.11326 and 11327 were issued requiring flow measuring devices to be fitted to both watertake sites. Reinspection will take place after 10 October 2008.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action At This Stage/ Costs Recovered

UIR NO: 09-020
INVESTIGATED BY: Tim Payne
DATE: Wednesday, 16 July 2008
INCIDENT: Unauthorised Discharge
SOURCE: Clelands Construction Ltd
61 Katere Road
Bell Block
NEW PLYMOUTH
CATCHMENT: Patea
TYPE OF EVENT: TRC Staff Notification

COMMENTS: Notification was received concerning a discharge from a building site at Juliet Street, Stratford. Investigation found that dust from concrete cutting had been washed to the stormwater drain by rainfall. The Contractor was spoken to and they undertook to sweep up any further dust to prevent further discharge to stormwater.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 08-021
INVESTIGATED BY: Tim Payne
DATE: Wednesday, 16 July 2008
INCIDENT: Wastewater
SOURCE: National Bank of NZ Ltd
232 Broadway
STRATFORD
CATCHMENT: Patea
TYPE OF EVENT: TRC Staff Notification

COMMENTS: Notification was received concerning greywater discharging from a gully trap adjacent to the National Bank building in Stratford. At the time of investigation no discharge was occurring. The manager was spoken to and he undertook to get a plumber to check the system. This was done, and minor repairs were made.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-028
INVESTIGATED BY: Tim Payne
DATE: Thursday, 17 July 2008
INCIDENT: Drainage
SOURCE: BL & LA Andrews
215 Timaru Road
R D 4
NEW PLYMOUTH 4374
CATCHMENT: Katikara
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received concerning a culvert installation on a neighbouring property at Lower Pitone Road, Okato. Investigation found that a culvert had been installed in an unnamed tributary of the Katikara Stream following the failure of a culvert/dam in July 2007. Abatement Notice No.11332 was issued requiring the fill over the culvert pipe to be no greater than one metre as per Rule 57 (permitted) of the Regional Fresh Water Plan for Taranaki. Reinspection found that the notice had been partially complied with and further enforcement action is being considered.

RECOMMENDATION: Investigation Continuing

UIR NO: 08-029
INVESTIGATED BY: Tim Payne
DATE: Monday, 21 July 2008
INCIDENT: Spray drift
SOURCE: SG Arthur
State Highway 3
URUTI
CATCHMENT: Mimi
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received concerning overspray damaging a farm forestry block of eucalyptus and pine trees at Uruti Road, Uruti. Investigation found that there was some minor damage to a few trees immediately adjacent to the boundary. However, due to the delay in notification, there is no proof that the damage was caused by agrichemical spraying. Both parties have been advised to resolve the matter together.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-032
INVESTIGATED BY: Michael Nager
DATE: Monday, 21 July 2008
INCIDENT: Burning Materials
SOURCE: Un sourced
CATCHMENT: Huatoki
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding smoke in the Sunley Street area, New Plymouth. Inspection of the area in the vicinity of Sunley Street found thick smoke with an odour of burning rubber and plastic. It was difficult to trace where the smoke was coming from. However, it appeared to be emanating from a nearby building. The New Zealand Fire Service was called and they were unable to locate the source of the smoke.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-034
INVESTIGATED BY: Rik Caskey
DATE: Monday, 21 July 2008
INCIDENT: Water Take
SOURCE: Quintus LM & PC Family Trust
280 Kakaramea Road
R D 2
PATEA
CATCHMENT: Patea
TYPE OF EVENT: TRC Staff Compliance Monitoring

COMMENTS: During routine monitoring it was found that abstraction rates were being exceeded on a watertake at Kakaramea Road, Patea. Resource consent conditions allow for abstraction of 86.4 m³ (daily volume) but it was recorded at between 400 - 450 m³/day. Abatement Notice No.11330 was issued requiring the consent holder to ensure that the volume abstracted does not exceed resource consent limits. Reinspection will take place after 27th February 2009.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action At This Stage/ Costs Recovered

UIR NO: 09-030
INVESTIGATED BY: Michael Nager
DATE: Monday, 21 July 2008
INCIDENT: Unknown
SOURCE: Unsourcesd
CATCHMENT: Huatoki
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding a chemical odour on Doralto Road, New Plymouth. An odour survey was undertaken at the complainant's property and surrounding area. No chemical odour was found. The complaint could not be substantiated.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-031
INVESTIGATED BY: Michael Nager
DATE: Monday, 21 July 2008
INCIDENT: General air emissions
SOURCE: PEL Waste Services Limited
Private Bag 3091
HAMILTON
CATCHMENT: Mimi
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding odours along Mokau Road, Uriti. An odour survey was undertaken in the vicinity of the complainant's property. Only weak noticeable odours were found. The complainant was spoken to and she stated that the strength of the odour had decreased significantly over the previous thirty minutes.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-033
INVESTIGATED BY: Michael Nager
DATE: Tuesday, 22 July 2008
INCIDENT: Rendering Plant Odour
SOURCE: Taranaki By-Products Limited
P O Box 172
HAWERA
CATCHMENT: Inaha
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

See Separate Report

UIR NO: 08-036
INVESTIGATED BY: Tim Payne
DATE: Wednesday, 23 July 2008
INCIDENT: Tree - Waterbody
SOURCE: P Kuriger
185 Waitaia Road
R D 1
OWHANGO
CATCHMENT: Waiaua 2 (Waiaua)
TYPE OF EVENT: Third Party Notification

COMMENTS: Notification was received concerning a tree in the Waiaua River at Wiremu Road, Opunake Investigation found that a large tree had fallen from the adjacent true right bank into the middle of the stream. The landowner was contacted and undertook to get it removed to prevent erosion to the banks and also to safe guard the downstream bridge.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-037
INVESTIGATED BY: Bill Crowskey
DATE: Friday, 25 July 2008
INCIDENT: Dumping rubbish
SOURCE: Unsourcesd
CATCHMENT: Huatoki
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding rubbish in the Mangaotuuku Stream at Davies Lane, New Plymouth. Investigation found that there was a minor amount of floating debris in the stream that was having no effect.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-039
INVESTIGATED BY: Bill Crowskey
DATE: Saturday, 26 July 2008
INCIDENT: Dairy Effluent Discharge
SOURCE: Unsourced
CATCHMENT: Manganui 1 (Manganui)
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding dairy effluent in an unnamed tributary of the Maketawa Stream at Lower Durham Road, Inglewood. Investigation found that dairy effluent was evident in the stream, however inspection upstream found the stream to be running clear and no source could be traced.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-038
INVESTIGATED BY: Michael Nager
DATE: Sunday, 27 July 2008
INCIDENT: Unauthorised Discharge
SOURCE: Unsourced
CATCHMENT: Waingongoro
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding diesel in a stream on High Street, Eltham. Inspection of the stream found a heavy diesel sheen on the water. Inspection of local businesses did not find the source of the discharge. A further inspection was undertaken the following day and the discharge is likely to be from diesel poured on Conway Road by boy racers. The diesel was left to bioremediate and reinspection later that day found that there was no sign of diesel in the stream.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-045
INVESTIGATED BY: Glen Candy
DATE: Monday, 28 July 2008
INCIDENT: Tree - Waterbody
SOURCE: New Plymouth District Council
Private Bag 2025
NEW PLYMOUTH 4342
CATCHMENT: Herekawe
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding a log jam in the Herekawe Stream, New Plymouth. Investigations found the very high tidal surges pushed logs up the inlet and onto the walkway. The New Plymouth District Council were contacted and they removed the logs.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-041
INVESTIGATED BY: Catherine Law
DATE: Monday, 28 July 2008
INCIDENT: Natural Event
SOURCE: Adlam
17 Aotea Street
NEW PLYMOUTH
CATCHMENT: Waiwhakaiho
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received about slips into a stream and sewage discharging to a stream from a property at Junction Road, New Plymouth. Investigation found that wet weather and stormwater runoff had caused slumping from a dirt track, into the stream. In addition to soil, the slips had also carried wooden hand rails, concrete steps and a timber deck down the bank towards the stream. The stream was not blocked by the material at the time of the inspection but further heavy rain was likely to cause the material to enter the stream. Abatement Notice No.11333 was issued requiring works to be undertaken to ensure that no unauthorised materials enter the stream. Reinspection found the notice was being complied with at the time of inspection. No discharge of sewage was evident. New Plymouth District Council was notified and they will check the septic tank system.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action At This Stage

UIR NO: 09-044
INVESTIGATED BY: Glen Candy
DATE: Monday, 28 July 2008
INCIDENT: General air emissions
SOURCE: Unsourcesd
CATCHMENT: Huatoki
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received concerning a chemical type odour on Cowling Street, New Plymouth. Investigation could find no trace of any odour.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-043
INVESTIGATED BY: Michael Nager
DATE: Wednesday, 30 July 2008
INCIDENT: Natural Event
SOURCE: South Taranaki District Council
Private Bag 902
HAWERA 4640
CATCHMENT: Waihi 5 (Waihi)
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding a likely sewage spill adjacent to Burnside Avenue, Hawera. Inspection of the area adjacent to the main sewer line at the show grounds found that a crossing over a small stream had slumped during heavy rain. The sewer line is located within one metre of the slump. There was evidence of a minor sewage discharge, however there was no evidence of any sewage entering any waterbody. An onsite meeting was held with South Taranaki District Council staff and all required works to prevent any discharge until a permanent solution can be found were undertaken within the next two days.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action At This Stage/ Costs Recovered

UIR NO: 09-042
INVESTIGATED BY: Michael Nager
DATE: Wednesday, 30 July 2008
INCIDENT: Oil/petroleum spill
SOURCE: Thomson A G & A H Ltd
P O Box 406
HAWERA
CATCHMENT: Unnamed catchment 27
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding oil discharging from a trucking yard on State Highway 45, Manaia. Inspection found that waste oil had been applied to the yard to control dust during the summer. The recent heavy rain had resulted in a slight hydrocarbon sheen discharging to the complainant's property. The owner of the transport company was spoken to and undertook to install hay bales in the stormwater drain to filter out any oil. This was done.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-046
INVESTIGATED BY: Glen Candy
DATE: Thursday, 31 July 2008
INCIDENT: Milk Spill
SOURCE: Fonterra Co-operative Group Limited, Whareroa
P O Box 444
HAWERA
CATCHMENT: Unnamed catchment 18
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding a butter type substance that had washed up on Ohawe Beach, Hawera. Investigation found that there had been a discharge of approximately 700 litres of a butter substance via the outfall to sea. Inspection of the foreshore area found that the substance had washed up along the high tide mark for approximately 4.6 kilometres of beach area with about 3.9 kilometres of slight amenity impact. The Company undertook an immediate cleanup of the foreshore area. A letter of explanation has been received.

RECOMMENDATION: Investigation Continuing

UIR NO: 09-047
INVESTIGATED BY: Bill Crowskey
DATE: Friday, 1 August 2008
INCIDENT: Slash in Watercourse
SOURCE: SPCA
75 Colson Rd
NEW PLYMOUTH
CATCHMENT: Waiwhakaiho
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding vegetation debris in the Manganaha Stream at Egmont Road, New Plymouth. Investigation found that willows and other vegetation had been removed from stream bank and placed into two heaps. Both of the heaps were located well above any flood zone and there was no effect on the stream.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-053
INVESTIGATED BY: Bill Crowskey
DATE: Friday, 1 August 2008
INCIDENT: Sediment Discharge
SOURCE: New Plymouth District Council
PO Box 2025
New Plymouth
CATCHMENT: Oakura
TYPE OF EVENT: TRC Staff Compliance Monitoring

COMMENTS: During a compliance monitoring inspection it was found that the silt/sediment controls associated with a culvert installation were inadequate at a site at Carrington Road, New Plymouth. Abatement Notice No.11334 was issued requiring adequate silt/sediment controls be installed and maintained. Reinspection found will take place after 8 September 2008.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action At This Stage/ Costs Recovered

UIR NO: 09-048
INVESTIGATED BY: Glen Candy
DATE: Friday, 1 August 2008
INCIDENT: General air emissions
SOURCE: GDN Harvie
32 Main South Road
R D 12
HAWERA
CATCHMENT: Tangahoe
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding piggery odour in the vicinity of Tangahoe Hill, Mokoia. An odour survey undertaken in the surrounding area found that there was only a noticeable odour off-site.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-049
INVESTIGATED BY: Glen Candy, Bruce Pope
DATE: Friday, 1 August 2008
INCIDENT: General air emissions
SOURCE: Dow AgroSciences (NZ) Ltd
Private Bag 2017
New Plymouth
CATCHMENT: Unnamed catchment 61
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding a chemical odour on South Road, New Plymouth. Investigation was undertaken and no chemical odour could be found in the vicinity of the complainant's property. However, chemical odours were found near Port Taranaki and these odours were traced to empty containers from Dow AgroSciences at the Port. The containers have been returned to Dow AgroSciences site and the Company is trialling methods of cleaning to eliminate odours from these containers. It is considered that several other recent unsourced complaints received from this area regarding chemical odours could be due to this cause.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action/Costs Recovered

UIR NO: 09-050
INVESTIGATED BY: Rik Caskey
DATE: Thursday, 7 August 2008
INCIDENT: Sediment Discharge
SOURCE: Inglewood Metal Limited
P O Box 44
INGLEWOOD
CATCHMENT: Waitara
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received concerning discoloration in the Kurapete Stream at the bridge by Everett Park, Inglewood. Investigation found that there was some discolouration in the stream and an adjoining unnamed tributary. Further inspection of an upstream quarry found that the quarry was discharging stormwater to the stream however it was operating within resource conditions.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-051
INVESTIGATED BY: Tim Payne
DATE: Friday, 8 August 2008
INCIDENT: Dead Stock On Beach
SOURCE: Unsourced
CATCHMENT: Tasman Sea
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received about a dead calf washed up on Opunake Beach. At the time of inspection the dead animal could not be found and it is thought that the carcass probably washed away in the tide.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-054
INVESTIGATED BY: Michael Nager
DATE: Friday, 8 August 2008
INCIDENT: Burning Materials
SOURCE: Unsourced
CATCHMENT: Waingongoro
TYPE OF EVENT: Complaint

COMMENTS: A complaint was received regarding smoke in the vicinity of Bridge Street, Eltham. Inspection of the area surrounding the complainants could not find any smoke discharging from any site. The complaint could not be substantiated.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-055
INVESTIGATED BY: Rawiri Mako
DATE: Tuesday, 12 August 2008
INCIDENT: Oil/petroleum spill
SOURCE: Port Taranaki Limited
P O Box 348
NEW PLYMOUTH 4340
CATCHMENT: Tasman Sea
TYPE OF EVENT: Self-Notification

COMMENTS: Self-notification was received from Port Taranaki Ltd about a spill of hydraulic oil from a burst hydraulic hose on a crane on Moturoa Wharf at Port Taranaki. Investigation found that immediate action was taken to prevent discharge to the Tasman Sea, however a minor amount escaped to the sea. Dispersant was applied and there were no effects on the environment.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-057
INVESTIGATED BY: Bill Crowskey
DATE: Thursday, 14 August 2008
INCIDENT: Sewage Discharge
SOURCE: New Plymouth District Council
Private Bag 2025
NEW PLYMOUTH 4342
CATCHMENT: Mangati
TYPE OF EVENT: Self-Notification

COMMENTS: Notification was received from New Plymouth District Council that a sewer pipe had blocked resulting in a sewage overflow that may have entered the Mangati stormwater ponds. Inspection could find no trace of any sewage in the ponds.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

UIR NO: 09-052
INVESTIGATED BY: Tim Payne
DATE: Friday, 15 August 2008
INCIDENT: Dairy Effluent Discharge
SOURCE: Brennan Trusts Partnership
Skeet Rd
R D 28
MANAIA
CATCHMENT: Kaupokonui
TYPE OF EVENT: Self-Notification

COMMENTS: Self-notification was received concerning a collapsed oxidation pond wall at a property on Skeet Road, Auroa. Investigation found that a partial subsidence of the anaerobic pond bank had occurred due to heavy rainfall. Only a minor amount of effluent escaped to the nearby tributary. The consent holder undertook works to minimise any effects and to repair the pond wall as soon as weather conditions permits. There were no adverse effects on the environment.

RECOMMENDATION: No Further Action

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**Memorandum to
Chairperson and Members
Consents and Regulatory Committee**

Forthcoming Hearing:

**TrustPower Limited – Applications to reauthorise the Patea Dam,
Patea hydro-electric power scheme and Lake Rotorangi
[Consents 0488-2, 0489-2, 0491-2, 7188-1; 7190-1, 7191-1]**

Purpose

1. The purpose of this memorandum is to recommend that the Taranaki Regional Council delegates to a Hearing Committee the power to determine six notified resource consent applications lodged by TrustPower Limited (TrustPower) where submissions cannot be resolved via the pre-hearing process.

Background

2. TrustPower has lodged six applications which are listed below. The applications relate to the Patea Dam, Patea hydro-electric power scheme and Lake Rotorangi, and are to replace consents that are have expired. TrustPower continue to operate because the applications to renew the consents were made more than six months before their expiry date.
3. The applications seek all necessary resource consents to carry out the works and activities as set out in the assessment of environmental effects accompanying the applications, which are generally to reauthorise the existing activities but include a proposal to modify the water level regime in Lake Rotorangi.

Consent No	Applic. No	Type
0488-2	4814	To use the existing Patea Dam and associated infrastructure
7188-1	4816	To maintain, repair, alter and reconstruct structures and works
0491-2	4818	To take and use up to 8,640,000 cubic metres of water per day
0489-2	4820	To dam and divert the Patea River [Lake Rotorangi]
7190-1	4822	To discharge up to 100 cubic metres of water per second from the Patea power house into the Patea River
7191-1	4823	To discharge water from the Patea Hydro-electric Scheme's auxiliary spillway and emergency spillway to the Patea River via spillway creek

4. The applications were publicly notified on 2nd February 2008 and the closing date for submissions was 3rd March 2008. Nine submitters in opposition [to be heard], three neutral submitters [to be heard] and one submitter in support [not heard] were received on the applications.
5. Even though two of the submissions [from Stratford District Council and Contact Energy Ltd] were received slightly after the closing date, the Council granted an extension to the deadline under Section 37(1) of the Resource Management Act 1991, which allowed the Council to accept the submissions.
6. The issues raised in submissions includes: catchment water allocation, the adequacy of the residual flow below the dam, the recreational and natural character impacts of lowering the lake level and cultural concerns.
7. It is likely that agreement on consent conditions will not be met through the pre-hearing process with all submitters, so a hearing is likely to be necessary. The hearing is proposed for the week beginning 9 February 2009.
8. The Consents and Regulatory Committee is now required to decide whether or not a Hearing Committee should be delegated the power to determine the applications.

Decision-making obligations

9. Part 6 (Planning, decision-making and accountability) of the Local Government Act 2002 has been considered and documented in the preparation of this agenda item. The recommendation(s) made in this item comply with the decision-making obligations of the Act.

Policy considerations

10. This memorandum and the associated recommendations are consistent with the policy documents and positions adopted by this Council under various legislative frameworks including, but not restricted to, the Local Government Act 2002, the Resource Management Act 1991 and the Biosecurity Act 1993.

Financial considerations

11. This memorandum and the associated recommendations are consistent with the Council's adopted Long-Term Council Community Plan and estimates. Any financial information included in this memorandum has been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting practice.

Legal considerations

12. This memorandum and the associated recommendations comply with the appropriate statutory requirements imposed upon the Council.

Recommendations

THAT the Taranaki Regional Council:

1. receives this memorandum;

2. notes that a hearing is expected to be held on 9 February 2009 and the days following;
and
3. subject to an unsuccessful pre-hearing process, in accordance with section 34A(1) of the Resource Management Act delegates to Cr D Lean, Cr N Walker and Cr B Jeffares [as hearing commissioners] the power to determine the resource consent applications 4814, 4816, 4818, 4820, 4822 and 4823 lodged by TrustPower Limited.

AD McLay
Director-Resource Management

Approved:

B G Chamberlain
Chief Executive

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**Memorandum to
Chairperson and Members
Consents and Regulatory Committee**

Annual Activity Reports 2007/2008

Purpose

1. To introduce annual activity reports on the Council's activities in the 2006/2007 year. Directors will be available to highlight the significant activities and to answer any queries regarding the reports.
2. Attached separate to the Agenda for Members' information are the following annual significant activity reports:
 - Consents, administration and enforcement; and
 - Compliance monitoring.

Background

3. At the end of each financial year, annual activity reports are prepared outlining the progress made in achieving the Council's various programmes and activities.
4. The attached reports are structured on the Council's Annual Plan which has an objective and programme for the year under each significant area of activity. The reports describe the various activities undertaken towards the achievement of the programme. This is done in an informative and appealing way by the use of graphs, tables, charts and photographs. The reports contain more detailed information on operational matters and less emphasis on financial reporting than the Council's Annual Report. They also focus more on the outcomes achieved.
5. Copies of the reports will be sent to key stakeholders, put on the Council's website and will be made available to the public on request.

The reports

6. A brief summary of the highlights in each report follows.

Consents, adminisations and enforcement

7. The Council's consent processing and administration functions continued to achieve high standards in respect to the processing and administering of resource consent applications within the statutory timeframes.
8. During the 2007/2008 year, the Council achieved its performance measures as set out in the Annual Plan. Of note:
 - The Council granted 401 consents; 387 (97%) were processed as non-notified in accordance with the relevant regional plan.
 - Compliance with Resource Management Act 1991 timelines for consent processing in 2007/2008 was 100% for notified consents, 100% for limited-notified consents, and 100% for non-notified consents. This is the eighth consecutive year of 100% compliance.
 - three hearings were held during the year.
 - Council officers responded to all pollution incidents and other complaints within the required timeframe.
 - Council officers served 104 abatement notices, 30 infringement notices, and successfully resolved two prosecutions (from the 2006/2007 period) and resolved to pursue four prosecutions in 2007/2008.

Compliance monitoring

9. The report sets out the work undertaken by the Council to monitor compliance, and briefly describes the standard of compliance achieved. Of note during 2007/2008:
 - The Council implemented 214 individual tailored compliance monitoring programmes, involving 345 different resource consent holders with 1020 resource consents.
 - Council officers visited 1,901 dairy farms to inspect effluent treatment systems (100% of all dairy farms in the region), 21 piggeries and 48 poultry farms. Inspections included measurement of various water quality indicators in the effluent and/or receiving waters. Re-inspection of 82 farms (4.1%) was necessary due to failure to satisfy the Council's consent conditions or regional plan requirements.
 - In 2007/2008, 540 environmental incidents were registered and investigated by Council officers. 3.1% related to the marine environment, 51.2% to fresh water quality, 41.2% to air quality and 4.5% to soil.
 - Advice and information was provided to resource consent holders and the public on 556 occasions. There are 338 operational contingency plans and Council staff reviewed 47 of these in 2007/2008 to ensure they continued to be relevant.

Recommendations

THAT the Taranaki Regional Council:

1. receives the memorandum and annual reports for 2007/2008 on consents, administration and enforcement, and compliance monitoring; and
2. notes the reports will be made available to key and interested stakeholders.

A D McLay
Director—Resource Management

Approved:

B G Chamberlain
Chief Executive