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Introduction

Submission of Proposed District Plan Change 83 Kiwi Point Quarry Form 5, Clause 6 of First Schedule, Resource Management Act 1991

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directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that :

a. adversely affects the environment, and

b. does not relate to the trade competition or the effects of trade competitions.

Note to person making further submission. A copy of your further submission must be served on the original submitter within 5 working days of making the further submission to the Council

Wishes to be heard:

Yes

[•] I do NOT wish to speak in support of my submission and ask that the following submission be fully considered.

Correspondence to:

- Submitter
- Agent
- Both

Submission

The specific provisions of proposed District Plan Change 83 that my submission relates to are as follows (give details below)

Comments

Our increasingly modern, well-regarded city with its beautiful harbour deserves a memorable and suitably sophisticated entrance, not one that is scarred with a ragged landscape and the mess and stink of an industrial park. This is 2018 not 1918. Yet, WCC is proposing to let Kiwi Point (run by Holcim NZ, a private company paying 'royalties' and lease rents to the council) blast open another quarry face, this time right where motorists first encounter the beautiful and astonishing view of this jewel of a harbour city. I disagree with the city council planners and question their vision for Wellington's future.

My submission is that ... (You should include whether you support or oppose the specific provisions or wish to have them amended. You should also state the reasons for your views)

Comments

I would like the quarry to close and move elsewhere; along Transmission Gully for example. The reality is, the quarry is (a) excessively noisy to the point where residents are terrified of the sudden and violent detonated explosions reverberating around homes and rattling windows, (b) the quarry is dusty, so dusty with the rock-crushing machinery grinding away that we have to wash our cars and homes regularly to get rid of the grit and grime that attracts paint destroying mould, and (c) the quarry like all quarries is an ugly eye-sore - a vista that residents, and visitors to our fine city, look upon with dismay. We have been promised 'a full assessment of any environmental effects' if this decision to expand the quarry goes ahead. I seriously wonder if an un-biased assessor can be engaged by a council that will expect a positive outcome for their aims and benefits.

I seek the following decision from Council (please give precise details)

Comments

I suggest that the council instruct Holcim Ltd to to close the quarry once the present site is depleted. Meanwhile, Holcim's Kiwi Point Quarry should be made to adhere to the terms of safe engagement and stop its offensive air and noise contamination that regularly exceeds beyond its boundaries. Local ratepayers deserve to feel secure in the knowledge that their environment, its air particles and noise levels, is safely protected and well managed by the elected council members who are paid by the resident ratepayers.

Attached Documents

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