

Submissions Received

ID 1 Not Speaking

reference 801021902243220

First name lan Last name Jones

Events

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Answer

I disagree that larger events should have a waste management plan and have to report back to council on their plan

Comments

This adds yet another layer of beurocracy for organizers to have to go thru. This will also increase council staff time and requirements to approve, monitor and follow up. With the need to keep our rates as low as possible this will not help. May put organizers off from wanting to put on events in Whanganui.

Data Collection

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<u>Answer</u>

I disagree that private waste collection companies should need a licence to operate

Comments

Adding another layer of costs to the rate payer.

The providers WILL PASS ON THE EXTRA COST FOR COLLECTING THIS DATA.

This may exclude other operators from starting up.

Managing Waste Disposal Facilities

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Adding yet more costs to the rate payer. The facility will pass the license costs on.

Enforcement

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<u>Answer</u>

I agree that there should be offences for breaking our rules around waste

Comments

Your mention the govt creating infringement notices. I thought this was a council initiative.

ID 2 Not Speaking

reference 935021905244820

First name Justine Last name Burgess

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Organisers will know what's expected of them with council help, this will keep the area clean and tidy afterwards

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The cost to users may go up as this might require extra work from the companies

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Regulate and be able to control what happens in the future

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ID 3 Not Speaking

reference 312021625245022

First name Ann
Last name Blackwell

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Last name Ruokonummi

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First name Kayla Last name Young

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Because I come from auckland and working in large scale

Events for 20yrs as a co ordinator and this law is already in use up there and works extremely well. So I agree this should happen.

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Comments

Waste management affects us all. If we choose to attend an event, we need to be accountable for how our event disposes of waste responsibly. The cost of waste management needs to be factored into event pricing.

All major events should have a plan, this ensures waste management is not overlooked.

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It's reasonable that our community pulls together on this issue. If operators want to participate in this industry, it is time for them to collaborate and become a responsible part of the overall management plan.

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Governance now, saves rectification in the future.

Manage the risks.

Ensure educated Governance.

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There are always some people who disregard the greater good. They need sanctions to support change.

The council people responsible for waste monitoring need some teeth.

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reference 028020619243924

First name irene Last name davis

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If the council is truly following the "green environment and climate change" issues-, then wastemanagement should be a piorority to manage all the unregulated polluters of the community and industries.everyone with a licence or business to manufacture etc is accountable and should be monitored/measured etc.

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everyone has a moral and ethical!!! responsibility that if they take on this licence to be accountable even more so to what and how they manage the waste and their should be more industry promotion and evelopment or re-use/ recycle of products a focus and reducing toxic plastics/polysurene etc.

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there is knowledge and development of waste disposal in europe where everything is burnt off - in a non toxic manner ad the energy/heat produced is recycled back as electricity for the community - we have an opportunity to start this in NZ, there is even facilitys of sporting areas on the rooftop in Copenhagen waste management plant - open your eyes and look at what is already working overseas, e do not have to rinvent the wheel!!!!

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Comments

if you do not enforce then it is ignored, and thre is no purpose- we need to be regulated, enforced to ensure the principles are withheld

Further comments

the council need to be more diligent in this - the flow on effort is greater than you can envisage- look to europe!!!!

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First name Jo Last name Chiet

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reference 853021404242229

First name Jane
Last name Exmoor

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Maybe needing a plan for waste from large events will help organisers think twice about offering plastic food containers etc. It makes sense to discourage thoughtless behaviour such as single use of tents.

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Council needs to oversee all the above to make sure profits aren't put before careless bulk dumping of rubbish eg Brunswick Rd rubbish driven into a yard by trucks and polluting fire smelt several kilometres away.

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<u>Answer</u>

I agree that waste disposal facilities should need a licence to operate in Whanganui

Comments

As above, to protect the environment and people's health. Council would be able to make it clear where rubbish should be taken once they find out what's happening right now.

Enforcement

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<u>Answer</u>

I agree that there should be offences for breaking our rules around waste

Comments

Pretty sure the thought of a fine or being in the spotlight is the only thing that will make some of us toe the line!

ID 11 Not Speaking

reference 857031301244206

First name Marian
Last name Barclay

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Comments

Organisers, and by implication participants, should be responsible for cleaning up their waste and disposing of it in a responsible manner.

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Comments

Could they not do it voluntarily, and without a licence?

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Why not simply proof that they have a suitable place for disposal?

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Comments

Why did it not happen?

ID 12 Not Speaking

reference 305032010245708

First name Angela
Last name Stratton

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Comments

Event organisers need to tidy up after themselves, not leave it for others.

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I believe council should do rubbish collection, not let private companies profit from us; certainly keep track of what they're doing, the profiteers.

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Comments

Waste can be dangerous, we need to know what is going where.

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Comments

About waste, not around it. Let's make money from those who don't follow the rules.

Further comments

Chas Poynter said Wanganui should be a zero waste city, which was probably the most sensible thing he ever said. Can we try to stop bringing in so much rubbish? Eg, plastic bottles of water and milk, most of Crackerjack's stock, half of Mitre 10. Wanganui, city of design and quality \Box

ID 13 Not Speaking

reference 101031430240712

First name Hadi Last name Gurton

Organisation Sustainable Whanganui Trust
Role Chair, zero waste trustee

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I agree with this proposal because it will result in less rubbish to landfill being generated, by ~

- 1) waste minimization becomes integral to event planning, well in advance of date, rather than just an afterthought, as tends to be the case currently;
- 2) event planners source more sustainable products earlier on and advise participants to use recyclable or compostable products in plenty of time (pre-cycling);
- 3) with a plan, events can prepare for and order better waste minimisation facilities, eg loan of bins or trailer from WRRC.

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Improving stats helps drive waste minimization efforts.

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Waste disposal at unlicensed (and therefore unregulated) sites is potentially dangerous.

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Answer

I agree that there should be offences for breaking our rules around waste

Comments

There needs to be sanctions for wrongdoers. It's time to get serious about waste!

ID 14 Not Speaking

reference 568031612240015

First name Mike
Last name Henderson

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The costs of registering a plan should be as low as possible, no more than marginal cost recovery.

There should be a significant penalty for failing to have & register a plan, so as to provide a major incentive to comply

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The costs of obtaining a license should be moderate, Council should not treat this as a significant income stream. There should be a significant penalty for operating a waste collection service without a license, so as to provide a major incentive to comply

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Comments

The costs of obtaining a license should not be unreasonable

There should be a very significant penalty for operating a waste disposal without a license, so as to provide a major incentive to comply. A non-compliant activity could constitute a major environmental or human health hazard

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Comments

If activities are of such a nature that they might pose a danger to environmental or human health, then they should be regulated.

A regulated activity that lacks enforcement provisions is a "toothless tiger" and a waste of effort.

To be useful, enforcement provisions must be backed up with enforcement actions.

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reference 943031640244015

First name Jim Last name White

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Simple response to this question "User Pays"

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Council should. Be aware of disposal facilities to ensure they meet Central Government requirements

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Comments

I would need more information before I could comment on this subject.

If the solid waste bylaw is clear and concise and contains fair and reasonable restrictions infringement notices should not be needed

A BIG BROTHER approach should not be necessary for Councils

Further comments

I am concerned with councils approach to Kirbside collection and would be interested in being involved in decisions regarding its planning. My interest is in regards to invalid and aged ratepayers having to deal with up to five bins to be taken and removed from the Kirby on a weekly basis

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reference 013031722240215

First name i

Last name bartlet

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they make money and should pay to and provide data for the safety and cost management.

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First name Edward Last name Minnell

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reference 709031945243815

First name Glen
Last name Blythe

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Makes costs go up, they keep hiking prices

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Prices

Further comments

Lower the levy that rubbish companies have to pay

ID 19 Not Speaking

reference 531030809243316

First name Jack
Last name Ponting

Events

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Answer

I neither agree nor disagree that larger events should have a waste management plan and have to report back to council on their plan

Comments

I'm leaving this one for 'those in the know' to decide what regulations are workable and appropriate.

Data Collection

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Answer

I neither agree nor disagree that private waste collection companies should need a licence to operate

Comments

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Managing Waste Disposal Facilities

Currently the Whanganui District has no landfills or other private waste disposal facilities. The proposed Solid Waste Bylaw would require any such facility to acquire a licence from council before opening in the district.

<u>Answer</u>

I neither agree nor disagree that waste disposal facilities should need a licence to operate in Whanganui

Comments

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Enforcement

Councils can prosecute offences under a bylaw against individuals, event organisers, and private waste collection companies. The proposed bylaw also creates remedies specifically in relation to kerbside services which can include written warnings, withdrawal of services, or reclaiming kerbside bins from people who break the rules multiple times.

<u>Answer</u>

I agree that there should be offences for breaking our rules around waste

Comments

Well-thought-through and collaborative thinking is needed for this.

Further comments

If it is appropriate, could there be a place to dump concrete waste and tree stumps. So many people I know have chunks of concrete and tree stumps that sit on their property (mine included) because there is no place that is accepting such (that I am aware of).

ID 20 Not Speaking

reference 120031034243516

First name Bev Last name Waugh

Events

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Answer

I agree that larger events should have a waste management plan and have to report back to council on their plan

Comments

Individuals should be responsible for their own rubbish and reduce it or dispose of it in line with circular economy philosophy and with respect to the planet

Data Collection

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Answer

I agree that private waste collection companies should need a licence to operate

Comments

we are all responsible for reducing of or disposing of our waste in a responsible way

Managing Waste Disposal Facilities

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<u>Answer</u>

I agree that waste disposal facilities should need a licence to operate in Whanganui

Comments

Waste disposal facilities are a necessity in our modern society but they need to be environmentally sound - modern contained securely built well attractively designed landfill areas with the tight control of transportation of non organic waste can be a resource with the harvesting of emitted methane which can then be used for electricity generation... organic waste disposal should be composted or digested with education hopefully people will reduce the waste

Enforcement

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Answer

I agree that there should be offences for breaking our rules around waste

ID 21 Not Speaking

reference 932031751241116

First name Barbara Last name Gray

Events

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Answer

I agree that larger events should have a waste management plan and have to report back to council on their plan

Comments

While the council is proposing that 'Larger Scale Events' have a waste management plan, it is rather unclear what events these may refer to apart from the examples mentioned. I think this could be clarified.

Data Collection

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Answer

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Managing Waste Disposal Facilities

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<u>Answer</u>

I agree that waste disposal facilities should need a licence to operate in Whanganui

Enforcement

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<u>Answer</u>

I agree that there should be offences for breaking our rules around waste

Further comments

It does not mention what areas will be involved in the recycling pick up and whether or not those who live rurally will be included. If not, can we still have the option of dropping our recycling at the recycling station as we do now, which is my preferred method anyway.

ID 22 Not Speaking

reference 201031413240818

First name Bryce
Last name Esquilant

Events

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Answer

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Comments

Depending on the size of event.

Data Collection

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<u>Answer</u>

I agree that private waste collection companies should need a licence to operate

Comments

Better responsibility and data collected.

Managing Waste Disposal Facilities

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<u>Answer</u>

I agree that waste disposal facilities should need a licence to operate in Whanganui

Comments

Reasonability and accountability are assured.

Enforcement

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<u>Answer</u>

I agree that there should be offences for breaking our rules around waste

ID 23 Not Speaking

reference 071030846242319

First name Scott
Last name Phillips

Events

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Answer

I agree that larger events should have a waste management plan and have to report back to council on their plan

Data Collection

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Answer

I agree that private waste collection companies should need a licence to operate

Comments

Yes a license should be required to operate a waste business, but any additional compliance costs with licensing should be kept to a minimum assuming the company is compliant with requirements. Waste collection is already expensive, adding more costs to companies will only get passed on to consumers

Managing Waste Disposal Facilities

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Answer

I agree that waste disposal facilities should need a licence to operate in Whanganui

Enforcement

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Answer

I agree that there should be offences for breaking our rules around waste

Comments

This is a no brainer, without punishment the rules are not use

ID 24 Not Speaking

reference 086031148243219

First name Malcolm Last name Affleck

Events

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Answer

I agree that larger events should have a waste management plan and have to report back to council on their plan

Data Collection

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<u>Answer</u>

I disagree that private waste collection companies should need a licence to operate

Comments

you contracted it out

Managing Waste Disposal Facilities

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Answer

I disagree that waste disposal facilities should need a licence to operate in Whanganui

Enforcement

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Answer

I disagree that there should be offences for breaking our rules around waste

Further comments

If you had NOT contracted out rubbish collections then you could have collected data

ID 25 Not Speaking

reference 871031357242319

First name Brian
Last name Milham

Events

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Answer

I agree that larger events should have a waste management plan and have to report back to council on their plan

Comments

You just have to drive past the Springvale Park area after a big sporting event to see what has been left behind

Data Collection

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<u>Answer</u>

I agree that private waste collection companies should need a licence to operate

Comments

Will make future Council planning much easier

Managing Waste Disposal Facilities

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<u>Answer</u>

I agree that waste disposal facilities should need a licence to operate in Whanganui

Comments

Yes - very important. Council need to be made aware of what is being dumped there. Knowing this data will help in allowing Council to decide on the future land use of that particular area.

Enforcement

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Answer

I agree that there should be offences for breaking our rules around waste

Comments

This will make users of the facilities more responsible and careful of what is being dumped.

ID 26 Not Speaking

reference 422031608242819

First name Diane Last name Paterson

Events

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Answer

I agree that larger events should have a waste management plan and have to report back to council on their plan

Comments

Thinking through a waste management plan would encourage event organizers to think of ways to mitigate the creation of waste - or perhaps ways to host an event with little to no waste.

Data Collection

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Answer

I agree that private waste collection companies should need a licence to operate

Comments

WDC will have a better grasp of the waste produced in the district. I imagine WDC will be able to set more accurate reduction targets. Perhaps this information will facilitate better communication between groups (council, companies, recycling centers) when setting targets around reuse, recycling and waste reduction.

Managing Waste Disposal Facilities

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<u>Answer</u>

I agree that waste disposal facilities should need a licence to operate in Whanganui

Comments

It is very important to manage these sites well and to choose the location carefully.

Enforcement

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<u>Answer</u>

Comments

Communities are distressed by illegal dumping of waste and by those who do not respect the environment. I hope this bylaw will enable more ways to encourage responsible waste disposal.

Further comments

Keep up the good work.

ID 27 Not Speaking

reference 108032026241319

First name Nick
Last name Sarup

Events

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Answer

I agree that larger events should have a waste management plan and have to report back to council on their plan

Comments

Tackling waste is everyone's responsibility including organisers of events of significant scale. Organising big events though good for the economy should not trade off our environmental responsibilities.

Data Collection

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<u>Answer</u>

I disagree that private waste collection companies should need a licence to operate

Comments

Though it will be great to understand the type of waste and possible actions to recycle recycleable products, emphasis should be on encouraging general public to recycle and create awareness. If more people recycled, probably there will be less waste going to landfill and the need to understand types of waste.

More than likely data from waste collection companies will come at a cost, might be better to invest in methods to ensure only rubbish ends up as waste.

Managing Waste Disposal Facilities

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<u>Answer</u>

I agree that waste disposal facilities should need a licence to operate in Whanganui

Comments

To ensure the companies are managing waste correctly and not creating any further environmental concerns. The operators have considered all the Health & Safety aspects and have sustainable methods of managing waste.

Enforcement

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Answer

I agree that there should be offences for breaking our rules around waste

Comments

To ensure everyone plays their part diligently. In saying that, waste disposal, especially like batteries, empty tins of paint etc. should be made easier and encourage people to do the right thing. An annual/bi-annual hazardous substances waste disposal initiative from the council is great but not necessarily convenient for people with small volumes of such products.