Resource Management Act 1991

Public Notice of Summary of Submissions and Call for Further Submissions to Proposed Plan Changes PC 40-45 to the

Operative Wanganui District Plan

Clause 7, First Schedule, Resource Management Act

Wanganui District Council has prepared a summary of submissions for the following proposed Plan Changes to the Wanganui District Plan:

PC40 (Financial Contributions) to provide developers and Council an opportunity to consider alternative measures to remedy or mitigate the adverse effects of land use change or subdivision; **PC41 (Noise)** updates the noise and vibration measurements in accordance with best practice :

PC42 (Signage) a review of the signage provisions has been undertaken at the same time as the development of a proposed signage bylaw;

PC43 (District Wide Rules) covers a group of small activities that can occur across the District - verandahs, relocated buildings, temporary military training activities, earthworks and beekeeping; **PC44 (Network Utilities, Parking, Loading and Vehicle Crossings)**;

PC45 (Natural Environment) reviews the current provisions relating to indigenous forestry, riparian margins and the river margin landscape overlay.

Copies of submissions, a summary of decisions requested by submitters and further submission forms can be inspected during normal office hours at the Customer Services Desk at Wanganui District Council, 101 Guyton Street, the Davis Central City Library and the Gonville Café Library. The summary of decisions requested and submission forms are available on the Council's website: www.wanganui.govt.nz/Shaping Wanganui. Contact Rachael Pull by phone on (06) 349 0001 if you have any queries.

Council now invites further written submissions from the public, in the prescribed form. Further submissions may ONLY be made in support of or in opposition to a submission already received by Council.

Make a further submission by sending a written or electronic submission to Wanganui District Council PO Box 637, 101 Guyton Street, Wanganui, Fax (06) 349 0000 or email Leayne. Huirua@wanganui.govt.nz. The submission must be in Form 6 and state whether or not you wish to be heard on your submission. Copies of the form are available from the Council offices and website. Electronic submissions do not require a signature.

Further submissions close at 5.00pm Friday, 31 July 2015.

The process for public participation in consideration of a Plan Change proposal is as follows:

- Any person may make a further submission in support of, or opposition to, a submission already made. Further submitters MUST send a copy of their further submission to the person or organisation whose submission they are supporting or opposing, within five working days of lodging a further submission with Council.
- If any person making a submission asks to be heard in support of his or her submission, a hearing must be held; and
- Council must give its decision on the provisions and matters raised in the submissions (including its reasons for accepting or rejecting submissions) and give public notice of its decisions within 2 years of notifying the proposal and serve it on every person who made a submission at the same time; and
- Any person who has made a submission has the right to appeal against the decision on the proposal to the Environment Court if, the persons submission referred to the matter for which an appeal is to be lodged; and the appeal does not seek the withdrawal of the proposal as a whole.

Kevin Ross Chief Executive on behalf of WDC

18 July 2015