

Information as to Rights of Appeal

Whanganui District Plan

1. You may appeal the decision of the Council by lodging an appeal in the prescribed form with the Registrar of the Environment Court and with the Council within 30 working days of receiving a notice of this decision by Council.

2. The address of the Environment Court of New Zealand is:

Street Address:

District Court Building, Level 5
49 Balance Street
Wellington 6011

Postal Address:

PO Box 5027,
Wellington 6145.

3. The appeal must be in the form prescribed by the Resource Management (Forms) Regulations. The form is identified as Form 7 in those regulations. Refer to the Environment Court website for the form and fee payment information <https://www.environmentcourt.govt.nz/forms-fees/>

4. A filing fee of \$600.00 must accompany the appeal, which is inclusive of GST.

If an appeal is lodged, a copy of the appeal must be given to every other person who made a submission on that matter, within 5 working days after the appeal is lodged.

5. Clause 14 of the First Schedule to the Resource Management Act sets out important information as to whom the appeal must be served on and the time when service must take place. It is essential that these provisions be adhered to. Failure to do so may result in your appeal being struck out.

The relevant Resource Management Act provisions can be viewed at the Council offices or libraries during opening hours.

6. If you are in any doubt as to the procedures to be followed, it is strongly recommended that you consult a lawyer.