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Application for Livestock Dairy Crossing Permit

Waikato District Council Livestock Movement Bylaw 2011

Form to be completed by both the Property Owner and the Crossing Manager where the two are different

PROPERTY OWNER (Applicant)

Full Name:

Postal Address: (include RAPID No.)

Property Address: (if different from above)

Telephone No: (day) **Telephone No:** (night)

Cellphone No: **Fax:**

CROSSING MANAGER

Full Name:

Postal Address: (include RAPID No.)

Telephone No: (day) **Telephone No:** (night)

Cellphone No: **Fax:**

STOCK CROSSING DETAILS

Road to be crossed:

Crossing point is metres **N/S/E/W** of the intersection with **Road**

Start date each season: **Stop date each season:**

Number of days per week: **Number in herd:**

Area /percentage of farm on other side of road: **Area:** **Percentage:**

DECLARATION

I/We confirm that we have read the Waikato District Council Livestock Movement Bylaw 2011, and hereby agree to comply with the conditions contained in this permit (see overleaf).

SIGNED: (Owner) **Date:**

(Crossing Manager) **Date:**

OFFICE USE ONLY	Date received:	Property ID:
	Visibility satisfactory? YES / NO	Sight distance in each direction:metresmetres
Est. ADT on this road is	Graph Score:	Distance to intersecting road:
Crossing points to TSG-E3? YES / NO		Permit Number

SEE OVERLEAF for Permit and Conditions

WDC DECISION

Your application to drive stock across Road has been assessed and is:

APPROVED for a period of five years, subject to the complete compliance with the conditions detailed below and in accordance with the Waikato District Council Livestock Movement Bylaw 2011.

Note: This permit is not transferable - should the Property Owner or Stock Manager change during the permit period, **the Council must be notified immediately.**

or

APPROVED for a limited period of subject to the complete compliance with the conditions detailed below and in accordance with the Waikato District Council Livestock Movement Bylaw 2011. Conversion to underpass will be required at the end of this period.

or

NOT APPROVED for the reasons outlined in the attached letter.

Signed:

Date:

On behalf of **GENERAL MANAGER ROADING & PROJECTS**

CONDITIONS FOR DAIRY CROSSINGS

- 1 Entranceways, including additional adjacent shoulders at points where livestock cross the road berm, should be surfaced in an appropriate material such as brown rock or sand and be constructed to accommodate the regular movement of stock, to a standard that prevents damage to the road and avoids mud being tracked onto the crossing.
- 2 Any new entranceways shall be constructed to the minimum dimensions shown on standard drawing TSG-E3 and surfaced with brown rock or sand so that mud is not tracked across the road. Plan TSG-E3 details Council's requirements for Rural/Residential entranceways and is available from any office of the Waikato District Council.
- 3 Temporary warning signs are required and all signage must be approved by Council. Council will arrange for the signs to be installed on behalf of the permit holder. A subsidy is available for approved signage. Correct use and maintenance of the signs is the responsibility of the permit holder.
- 4 An amber flashing light will be required at the crossing point and shall be operated continuously whilst livestock are crossing the road. It is the permit holder's responsibility to arrange installation and operate the light correctly at all times. Road cones no less than 900mm high may also be used to warn traffic in areas of limited visibility.
- 5 The requirements of the Health and Safety Act 1992 and its amendments shall be complied with at all times.
- 6 At least one competent adult shall be present at all times while livestock are using the crossing.
- 7 Persons moving livestock across the road must take all reasonable and practical steps to make way for, or allow vehicles to pass through, the stock without undue delay.
- 8 The crossing manager shall take all due care to protect the road reserve and the road surface from any damage at the point where the stock cross the road. Council may require the use of stock mats or other measures in order to meet this requirement.
- 9 Excessive stock excrement must be removed from the road immediately following every crossing.
- 10 The permit holder may be liable for payment of costs incurred by the Council to repair any damage caused to the road, or to remove excessive effluent from the road, as a direct result of the crossing manager failing to meet the requirements of Condition 8 above.
- 11 Other special conditions may be applicable to this permit and, where relevant, will be stated below.
- 12 This permit is valid for up to 5 years from the date of issue unless indicated otherwise.
- 13 The permit holder shall advise the Council of any change of ownership or grant of lease of the land to which this permit relates.
- 14 The permit holder shall advise the Council of any significant change in farming practice that may impact on the ongoing relevance of this permit or the crossing score on the "Graph to determine stock crossing status".

Special Conditions

11 A road mat is required? **Yes / No**

12 Other requirements: