# Chapter 14: Infrastructure and Energy

# Proposed Waikato District Plan Stage I

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# Chapter 14: Infrastructure and Energy

#### 14.1 Introduction

- (1) The provisions within this Infrastructure and Energy chapter of the district plan shall apply across the district in all the zones and overlays in the district plan. The zone chapters and their associated overlays, objectives, policies and rules do not apply to infrastructure and energy activities unless specifically referred to within this Infrastructure and Energy chapter. The objectives and policies of Ch 2 Tangata Whenua, Ch 3 Natural Environment and Ch 7 Historic Heritage will apply to infrastructure activities within the Identified Areas of those Chapters.
- (2) This infrastructure topic includes the land transport networks, network utilities operations, and electricity generation (including renewable electricity sources) and transmission. It should be noted that this chapter also contains a number of rules (such as on-site car parking and stormwater management) relating to district-wide land development activities; and as such these particular rules should be read in conjunction with the relevant zone chapters where applicable.
- (3) The Identified areas within the activity tables below this chapter 2 covers the following areas and items identified within this plan:
  - a. Urban Expansion Area
  - b. Significant Natural Area
  - c. Outstanding Natural Feature
  - d. Outstanding Natural Landscape
  - e. Significant Amenity Landscape
  - f. Outstanding Natural Character
  - g. High Natural Character
  - h. Heritage Precinct
  - i. Heritage Items
  - j. Maaori Sites of Significance
  - k. Maaori Areas of Significance
  - I. Notable Trees
- (4) In the activity tables rules <sup>3</sup> within this chapter, the letters below mean the following:
  - a. P = Permitted Activity
  - b. C = Controlled Activity
  - c. RD = Restricted Discretionary Activity
  - d. D = Discretionary Activity
  - e. NC = Non-Complying Activity
  - f. N/A = Not Applicable
- (5) Where relevant, the requirements of the National Code of Practice for Utility Operators' Access to Transport Corridors will apply to the placement, maintenance, improvement and removal of utility structures in roads (or unformed roads).
- (6) The requirements of the Resource Management (National Environmental Standards for Electricity Transmission Activities) Regulations 2009 ("NESETA") apply directly to the operation, maintenance, upgrading, relocation or removal of transmission line(s) that were operating or able to be operated on or before 14 January 2010 and remain part of the National Grid. In the case of conflict with any other provision of this plan, including any provision in the activity table rules in this section, the NESETA provisions shall prevail.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>836.72 Powerco

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 697.520 Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> 697.521 Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> 697.523 Waikato District Council

- (7) The Resource Management (National Environmental Standards for Telecommunication Facilities)
  Regulations 2016 ("NESTF") provides national consistency in the rules surrounding the deployment of telecommunications infrastructure across New Zealand. This means that many telecommunications facilities may potentially be deployed as a permitted activity. However, telecommunications facilities which do not comply with the conditions within the NESTF, or are not covered by the regulations of the NESTF, will have the activity status specified in this plan. In the case of conflict with any other provision of this plan, the NESTF provisions shall prevail, <sup>5</sup>unless located within an Identified Area other than the Urban Expansion Area, where the district plan rules for infrastructure may apply to regulated activities as per Regulation 56 of the NESTF.
- (8) The New Zealand Archaeological Association Archaeological sites are included on the planning maps for District Plan information purposes only. However, these sites are subject to the requirements of the Heritage NZPT Act 2014. Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga must be contacted regarding development on or in proximity to these sites and the need to undertake an archaeological authority. The Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Act 2014 protects both recorded and unrecorded archaeological sites. 7
- (9) Rural land uses, such as farming activities, are generally not infrastructure when they are on-farm services and do not have a public or group infrastructure purpose. In most cases they can co-exist with infrastructure, subject to activity specific conditions and any necessary protection of the infrastructure against adverse effects. Many aspects of farming activity, such as pasture maintenance, animal grazing, land cultivation, pest and weed control, maintenance of farm access and farm infrastructure such as fences, stock bridges and culverts, water pipelines, troughs and stock drinking water storage tanks are not sensitive to network utility and energy infrastructure operation. Where such land use is not incompatible with infrastructure networks, then it presents an efficient use of resources to enable their coexistence in order to maximise benefits and minimise costs. 8

This chapter is organised into the following rule sections:

- 14.2 Rules applying to all infrastructure
- 14.3 General infrastructure
- 14.4 National Grid
- 14.5 Electrical distribution
- 14.6 Electricity generation
- 14.7 Liquid fuels and gas
- 14.8 Meteorological
- 14.9 Amateur radio

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> 697.524 Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> RMA Schedule I clause 16(2) alteration

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> 559.148 Heritage NZPT

<sup>8 680.274</sup> FFNZ

- 14.10 Telecommunications and radiocommunications
- 14.11 Water, wastewater and stormwater
- 14.12 Transportation

#### Advice Notes for 14.1 Introduction:

- (10) Transpower or a suitably qualified engineer should be contacted for assistance with clearance requirements in NZECP 34:2001. Compliance with the New Zealand Electrical Code of Practice for Electrical Safe Distances (NZCEP 34:2001) is mandatory under the Electricity Act 1992. All activities regulated by NZECP34:2001, including buildings, structures, earthworks and the operation of mobile plant, must comply with that regulation. Activities should be checked for compliance even if they are permitted by the District Plan. 9
- (11) The Electricity (Hazards from Trees) Regulations 2003 applies to vegetation planted within the National Grid Corridor or near sub-transmission or distribution electricity lines and must be complied with. Vegetation to be planted within the National Grid Yard as shown on the District Plan Maps should be selected and/or managed to ensure that it will not result in that vegetation breaching the Electricity (Hazards from Trees) Regulations 2003 or prevent access to support structures. To discuss works, including tree planting near any electricity line especially works within the National Grid Yard, contact the relevant network utility operator. <sup>10</sup>

#### 14.2 Rules applying to all infrastructure

#### 14.2.1 Permitted Activities

- (a) The following activities are permitted activities if they meet the activity specific conditions set out in this table. These rules apply to all infrastructure throughout the District.
- (b) Where compliance with Rule 14.2 or 14.3 would contravene a rule in Rule 14.4, 14.5, 14.6, 14.7, 14.8, 14.9, 14.10, 14.11, or 14.12, then the requirements of Rule 14.4, 14.5, 14.6, 14.7, 14.8, 14.9, 14.10, 14.11, or 14.12 shall prevail.

Activ	ity	Activity specific conditions
PI	New infrastructure	14.2.1.1
		<ul> <li>(1) Any new infrastructure activity and associated structures listed as a permitted activity within Chapter 14 must meet all of the following conditions:         <ul> <li>(a) Not exceed 10m²-in area above-ground;</li> <li>(b) Not exceed 2.5m in height;</li> </ul> </li> <li>(c) Comply with the height in relation to boundary limits for the zone in which it is located;</li> </ul>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> 576.68 Transpower

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> 576.68 Transpower

<sup>11 697.525</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>12 697.527</sup> Waikato District Council

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		<ul> <li>(d) Comply with the height in relation to boundary limits for the adjoining zone, if located in road or unformed road;</li> <li>(e) Not exceed the relevant noise limits that are applicable to that zone, when measured at the nearest boundary of the site. and any adjacent zone.</li> <li>(f) Any other relevant conditions applying to that activity listed within Rules 14.3–14.12.</li> </ul>
		(2) The conditions in Rule 14.2.1.1(1) do not apply to:
		<ul> <li>(a) Activities with specific conditions relating to area, height, 14 location and noise listed elsewhere within Rules 14.3–14.12;</li> <li>(b) Roads or other lineal transport networks;</li> <li>(c) Road network activities, which include lighting and signage structures; and</li> <li>(d) Activities subject to National Environmental Standards Telecommunication Facilities 2016.</li> <li>(e)Support poles associated with service connections are exempt from height in relation to boundary rules 15</li> </ul>
P2	Construction noise	14.2.1.2
		(1) Construction, maintenance, repair, replacement, upgrading or removal of infrastructure or the installation of new infrastructure must comply with NZS 6803:1999 Acoustics – Construction noise.
P3	Any activity emitting electric and magnetic fields	14.2.1.3  (1) Compliance with the International Commission on Non-ionising Radiation Protection Guidelines for limiting exposure to time varying electric and magnetic fields (1Hz – 100kHz) (Health Physics, 2010, 99(6); 818-836) and the recommendations from the World Health Organisation monograph Environmental Health Criteria (No 238, June 2007.
P4	Any activity emitting radio frequency fields	14.2.1.4  (1) Radio frequency fields must not exceed the maximum exposure level of the general public in the New Zealand Standard for Radiofrequency Fields Part 1: Maximum Exposure Levels 3 kHz to 300GHz (NZS 2772.1: 1999) measured at all places reasonably accessible to the general public.

# 14.2.2 Restricted Discretionary Activities

(a) The activities listed below are restricted discretionary activities.

Activit	ty	Matters of Discretion
RDI	New infrastructure that does not	Discretion is restricted to:
	comply with one or more of the	(a) The functional and operational needs of, and
	conditions of Rule 14.2.1.1	benefits derived from, the infrastructure;
		(b) Visual, landscape, streetscape and amenity effects;
		(c) Noise levels.

<sup>13 923.142</sup> Waikato District Health Board

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> 697.527 Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> 644.32 Spark; 646.32 Vodafone; 648.32 Chorus

RD2	Construction noise that does not	Discretion is restricted to:
	comply with Rule 14.2.1.2	(a) Effects on amenity values;
		(b) Hours of construction;
		(c) Noise levels;
		(d) Timing and duration; and
		(e) Methods of construction.

#### 14.2.3 Discretionary Activities

(a) The activities listed below are discretionary activities.

DI	Any infrastructure not specifically listed provided for as a permitted, restricted discretionary or non-
	complying activity 16 within Chapter 14, including associated earthworks, not located within an
	Identified Area

#### 14.2.34 Non-Complying Activities

(a) The activities listed below are non-complying activities.

NCI	Any activity that does not comply with the electric and magnetic field emissions standard in Rule 14.2.1.3
NC2	Any activity that does not comply with the radio frequency fields standard in Rule 14.2.1.4
NC3	Any infrastructure not specifically listed provided for as a permitted, restricted discretionary, discretionary or non-complying activity 17 within Chapter 14, including associated earthworks, located within an Identified Area

#### 14.3 General infrastructure

#### 14.3.1 Permitted Activities

- (a) The following activities are permitted activities if they meet the activity specific conditions set out in this table. These rules apply throughout the District.
- (b) The Activity and activity specific conditions in 14.3 apply to all infrastructure except where a provision in the specific infrastructure type section 14.4 to 14.12 deals with the same matter, in which case the specific infrastructure type provision shall prevail. <sup>18</sup>

Activit	ту	Activity specific conditions
PI	The operation, maintenance, repair and removal of existing infrastructure	Nil

<sup>- &</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> 742.86 NZTA

<sup>- &</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> 742.86 NZTA

<sup>18 576.25</sup> Transpower

# P2 Minor upgrading of existing infrastructure

#### 14.3.1.1

- (I) The realignment, configuration, relocation or replacement of infrastructure and associated structures that meet all of the following conditions:
  - (a) Are within 5m of the existing alignment or location;
  - (b) Do not increase the height of any existing pole or support structure by more than 15% 40% to a maximum height of 20m in all zones except the Rural Zone, Industrial Zone, Industrial Zone Heavy 19 and Motor Sport and Recreation Zone; 20
  - (c) Do not increase the diameter (width) of any existing pole or support structure by more than 45-50% or 100% increase in the case of a double pole in ALL zones; <sup>21</sup>
  - (d) Do not increase the diameter of any existing above-ground pipe by more than 45%300mm; and 22
  - (e) Do not increase the area of any existing above-ground structure by more than  $\frac{15\%25\%}{23}$ .
- (2) Alterations and additions to overhead electricity and telecommunication lines on existing poles or support structures involving any of the following:
  - (a) The addition of conductors to form a twinned or duplex-pairing;
  - (b) The reconductoring of the line with higher capacity conductors;
  - (c) The resagging of conductors;
  - (d) The addition of longer, more efficient insulators;
  - (e) The addition of earth wires (which may contain telecommunication lines), earthpeaks and lightning rods;
  - (f) The addition, replacement or relocation of transformers or visually similar fixtures; <sup>24</sup>
  - (g) The addition, replacement or relocation of circuits and conductors;
  - (h) The addition or replacement of telecommunication lines and fittings;
  - (i) The replacement of existing crossarms with crossarms of an alternative design;
  - (j) The increase in voltage of electric lines up to 110kV; or
  - (k) The installation of mid-span electricity poles in existing networks to address clearances in New Zealand Electrical Code of Practice for Electrical Safe Distances 34:2001 ISSN 0114-0663 (NZECP34:2001).
- (3) The addition, replacement or relocation of existing antennas where:
  - (a) The antennas shall not increase in the largest face area by more than 20% of the relevant permitted standard for new panel antennas and shall not increase the diameter of dish antenna by more than 20% of the relevant permitted standard for a new dish antenna; and 25

<sup>19 697.518</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> 580.4 Meridian Energy; 692.6 WEL Networks; 648.33 Chorus; 646.33; Vodafone; 644.33 Spark

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>21</sup> 580.4 Meridian Energy; 692.6 WEL Networks; 648.33 Chorus; 646.33; Vodafone; 644.33 Spark

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>22</sup> 423.17 Watercare; 405.24 Counties Power

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> 423.17 Watercare; 405.24 Counties Power; 692.6 WEL Networks

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> 405.25 Counties Power

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>25</sup> 648.33 Chorus; 646.33; Vodafone; 644.33 Spark

		(b) The antennas shall not increase in height by more than 20% of the relevant permitted standard for new dish and panel antennas. 26  Except that this rule shall not restrict the size of an antenna that would otherwise comply with the permitted activity rules applying to new antennas. 27  Earthworks activities associated with the minor upgrading of existing infrastructure must comply with the conditions of Rule
		<ul> <li>(4) The minor upgrading of existing infrastructure must not remove any tree identified in Schedule 30.2.</li> <li>(5) Any trimming of a tree identified in Schedule 30.2 associated with the minor upgrading of existing infrastructure must be undertaken in accordance with the conditions of Rule 14.3.1.4.</li> <li>(6) The conditions in Rule 14.3.1.1(1) do not apply to road network activities or other lineal transport networks.</li> </ul>
P3	Temporary infrastructure	14.3.1.2
	Temporary minastructure	<ul> <li>(1) Installation and operation of temporary infrastructure that meets all of the following conditions:</li> <li>(a) Any buildings and/or structures must be removed from the site on completion of the works;</li> <li>(b) The ground must be reinstated on completion of works; and</li> <li>(c) The activity, including the requirements of Rule 14.3.1.2(1) (a) and (b), must not exceed 12 months in total.</li> </ul>
P4	Earthworks activities associated with infrastructure	Any earthworks associated with infrastructure, including formation and maintenance of access tracks, 29 must comply with all of the following conditions:  (a) Do not exceed a volume of more than 2,500m³ for any single activity;  (b) Do not exceed an area of more than 2,500m² for any single activity;  (c) Within 10m of a watercourse (excluding artificial watercourses) 30 or 20m of Mean High Water Springs do not exceed a volume of more than 5m³ and an area of more than 5m² for any single activity, excluding existing rail infrastructure; 31

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>26</sup> 648.33 Chorus; 646.33; Vodafone; 644.33 Spark

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup> 648.33 Chorus; 646.33 Vodafone, 644.33 Spark

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>28</sup> 697.529 Waikato District Council
- <sup>29</sup> 576.29 Transpower

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>30</sup> 742.89 NZTA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>31</sup> 986.83 KiwiRail

		<ul> <li>(d) Erosion and sediment controls are implemented and maintained to retain sediment on the site of the earthworks activity;</li> <li>(e) All fill material used must be clean fill;</li> <li>(f) Areas exposed by earthworks activities are to be recontoured and replanted within 6 months of the commencement of the earthworks;</li> </ul>
		(g) Earthworks shall not obstruct or divert any stormwater overland flow path or in such a way as to 32 result in
		changed stormwater drainage patterns on another site. (h) Earthworks are not located within: any Historic Heritage
		sites identified within Appendix Schedule 30.1; any Maaori Sites or Areas of Significance within Schedule 30.3 or 30.4; the dripline of any Notable Tree within Schedule 30.2; any
		Heritage Precinct; or any Significant Natural Area. 33
		(2) Rule 14.3.1.3(1)(f) does not apply to earthworks required to
		establish a foundation or surface that will ultimately be sealed
		or constructed upon.  (3) Earthworks associated with infrastructure in Landscape and
		Natural Character Areas must not:
		(a) Exceed 1.5m in height in relation to the cut or fill
		batter face; and
		(b) Use imported soil, other than the placement of
		aggregate/metal on any access track or in association
		with laying underground infrastructure or for land
		transport network infrastructure <sup>34</sup> ; and
		(c) Disturb or move more than 50m3 or exceed an area of 250m2 in a Significant Amenity Landscape sand
		dune over any consecutive 12 month time period; and
		(d) Disturb or move more than 50m3 or exceed an area
		of 250m2 in a High or Outstanding Natural Character
		area of the coastal environment over any consecutive 12 month time period; and
		(e) Disturb or move more than 50m3 or exceed an area
		of 250m2 in an Outstanding Natural Feature or
		Outstanding Natural Landscapes over any consecutive
		12 month time period. Rule 14.3.1.3(3)(e) shall not
		apply to earthworks associated with land transport
		network infrastructure. <sup>35</sup>
P5	Trimming, maintenance or	14.3.1.4
	removal of vegetation or trees	(1)Trimming and pruning of trees and vegetation, except for Notable
	associated with infrastructure	trees in Schedule 30.2, necessary to protect all overhead electric
		lines or telecommunication lines; <sup>36</sup> and any trimming, maintenance
		or removal of vegetation or trees associated with infrastructure,
		including access tracks. 37 that meet all of the following conditions:
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<sup>32 405.27</sup> Counties Power
33 559.150 Heritage NZPT; 697.530 & 697.531 Waikato District Council; 644.34 Spark & 646.34 Vodafone & 648.34 Chorus

- 34 986.82 KiwiRail

- 35 986.82 KiwiRail

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>37</sup> 576.30 Transpower

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		(a) No tree identified in Schedule 30.2 is removed;
		(b) Any required trimming of a tree identified in Schedule
		30.2 is either:
		(i) To remove dead, dying, or diseased branches and the
		tree work is undertaken by a works arborist; or (ii) The maximum branch diameter does not exceed
		50mm at severance and no more than 10% of live
		foliage growth is removed over any consecutive 12
		month time period.
		(c) Any indigenous vegetation alteration or removal within a
		Significant Natural Area must not:
		(i) Include any trees over 6m in height or 600mm in
		girth at a height of 1.4m; and
		(ii) Exceed 50m <sup>2</sup> per site over any consecutive 12 month
		time period. <sup>38</sup>
		(2) Any trimming, maintenance or removal of vegetation or trees
		associated with infrastructure, including access tracks, 39 that meet
		all of the following conditions:
		(2) Any trimming, maintenance or removal of vegetation, where
		required for the safe operation or maintenance of the National Grid
		or to remove a potential fire risk associated with the National Grid.
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		Note: Trimming maintenance or removed of vegetation or an
		Note: Trimming, maintenance or removal of vegetation or non-
		notable tTrees in and around electrical assets are required to be
		shall be managed 41 in accordance with the Electricity (Hazards from Trees) Regulations 2003.
		Trees) Negulations 2003.
P6	Pipe and cable bridge	14.3.1.5
	structures for the conveyance	
	of electricity,	(I) Pipe and cable bridge structures that meet all of the following
	telecommunications, water,	conditions:
	wastewater, stormwater and	(a) Do not exceed 25m total length; (b) Do not exceed 1m width;
	<u>'</u>	(c) Do not exceed I'm width;
	gas	(d) Are not located in an Identified Area.
P7	Electric vehicle chargers	14.3.1.6
	22272 . 22000 2000 8000	
		(1) Electric vehicle chargers that meet all of the following
		conditions: (a) Do not exceed maximum height of <del>1.8m 2.5m</del> each; <sup>42</sup>
		(a) Do not exceed maximum neight of 1.5m <sup>2</sup> each;
		(c) Have a socket connection, or a fitted cable management
		accessory;
		(d) Have at least one formed car park (in accordance with the
		relevant requirements of Table 14.12.5.11) per connection
		or charging cable if the site is located outside the road; 43
1		or charging capie if the site is located outside the foad;

<sup>38 81.246</sup> Waikato Regional Council

<sup>39 576.30</sup> Transpower 40 576.30 Transpower 41 419.142 Hort NZ 42 692.11 WEL Networks

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>43</sup> 692.11 WEL Networks

		(e) (c) Are not located in an Identified Area. 44
P8	Service connections	14.3.1.7
P9	Minor infrastructure structure	(I) There is no connection to an area, façade or item specifically
PIO	Closed-circuit television (CCTV) systems attached to existing buildings and structures	listed in Schedule 30.1.
PII	Signage associated with infrastructure required for health and safety or asset identification purposes and/or required by legislation	Nil
PI2	Service connections for subdivision	<ul> <li>(1) All new lots created as part of a subdivision other than a utility allotment, access allotment or reserve allotment, must be designed and located so that provision is made for access and service connections up to the boundary of the lot for: <ul> <li>(a) Wastewater;</li> <li>(b) Water supply;</li> <li>(c) Stormwater (a management system that complies with Rule 14.11.1.1);</li> <li>(d) Electricity supply;</li> <li>(e) Telecommunications that is hard-wired or wireless; and</li> <li>(f) Vehicle access that complies with Rule 14.12.1.1.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>(2) Rule 14.3.1.8(1)(a) does not apply to any allotment that is served by a site-contained wastewater system in accordance with Rule 14.11.1.3.</li> <li>(3) Within all zones, except the Rural, and Country Living and Village Zones where there is no reticulated water supply, 45 the water supply required under Rule 14.3.1.8 (1)(b) must be adequate for fire-fighting purposes in accordance with New Zealand Fire Service Firefighting Water Supplies Code of Practice SNZ PAS 4509:2008. Compliance with this Code of Practice can typically be achieved through connection to a Council reticulated water supply.</li> <li>(4) Within the Rural, Country Living and non-reticulated Village Zones, where a subdivision is for the purposes of an additional house or workplace building, provision shall be made for an adequate supply of water and access to water supplies for fire-fighting</li> </ul>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>44</sup> 692.11 WEL Networks

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 45}$  397.4 Horotiu Properties Limited; 602.38 Greig Metcalfe  $^{\rm 46}$  378.15 FENZ

purposes in accordance with New Zealand Fire Service Firefighting Water Services Code of Practice SNZ PAS 4509:2008. 47
(5) Rule 14.3.1.8(1)(b) and (c) do not apply to any Rural or Country Living Zone site. 48

#### 14.3.2 Controlled Activities

(a) The activity listed below is a controlled activity.

Activity		Activity specific conditions	Matters of control	
CI	Subdivision to create a utility allotment for accommodating infrastruc ture	14.3.2.1  (1) Is undertaken by a network utility operator as defined by the Resource Management Act 1991; and  (2) Is for infrastructure permitted under Chapter 14; or  (3) Is for infrastructure that has all necessary resource consents granted or notices of requirement confirmed. 49	Control is reserved over:  (a) The adequacy of the allotment for its intended use;  (b) Whether any easement is required.	

# 14.3.3 Restricted Discretionary Activities

- (a) The activities listed below are restricted discretionary activities.
- (b) Discretion to grant or decline consent and impose conditions is restricted to the matters of discretion set out in the following table.

Activity		Matters of Discretion
RDI	Minor upgrading of existing infrastructure that does not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.3.1.1 which are relevant to the activity proposed	Discretion is restricted to:  i. The functional and operational needs of, and benefits derived from, the infrastructure;  ii. Visual, streetscape and amenity effects;  iii. Transport read 50 network safety and efficiency;  iv. Management of sediment and dust, including the staging of works;  v. The volume, extent and depth of the earthworks activities; 51  vi. The location of the earthworks activities, taking into account any effects on the values, qualities and characteristics of the site;  vii. Any flood or land stability risks; 52

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>47</sup> 378.15 FENZ

<sup>48 697.532</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>49</sup> 697.536 Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>50</sup> 742.91 NZTA

<sup>51 697.1</sup>Waikato District Council

<sup>52 697.1</sup> Waikato District Council

		viii. Visual, landscape and amenity effects; 53
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		ix. Whether alternative methodologies avoiding the need to affect any tree identified in Schedule 30.2 have been adequately considered. 54
RD2	Earthworks associated with	Discretion is restricted to:
11.52	infrastructure that do not comply with	(a) Management of sediment and dust, including the
	one or more of the conditions of Rule	staging of works;
	14.3.1.3	(b) The volume, extent and depth of the earthworks activities;
		(c) The location of the earthworks activities, taking
		into account any effects on the values, qualities and
		characteristics of the site, including Maaori Sites
		and Areas of Significance and any Heritage Items; 55
		(d) Any flood or land stability risks; and
RD3	Time in a series of the series	(e) Visual, landscape and amenity effects.
KD3	Trimming, maintenance or removal of	Discretion is restricted to:
	vegetation or trees that does not	(a) The extent of the works required;
	comply with one or more of the	(b) Effects on the values, qualities and characteristics
	conditions of Rule 14.3.1.4	of any tree identified in Schedule 30.2 or any
		Significant Natural Area <sup>56</sup> ;
		(c) Whether alternative methodologies avoiding the
		need to affect the tree(s)/vegetation have been
		adequately considered.
		(d) land transport network safety and efficiency 57
RD4	Pipe and cable bridge structures for	Discretion is restricted to:
	the conveyance of electricity,	(a) The functional and operational needs of, and
	telecommunications, water,	benefits derived from, the infrastructure; (b) Visual, streetscape and amenity effects,
	wastewater, stormwater and gas:	(c) Public safety;
	(a) That do not comply with one or	(a) Effects on the values, qualities and characteristics
	more of the conditions of Rule	of any Identified Area <mark>.</mark>
	14.3.1.5; or	
25-	(b) Are located within Identified areas	
RD5	Electric vehicle charging stations	Discretion is restricted to:
	located:	(a) The functional and operational needs of, and benefits derived from, the infrastructure;
	(a) That do not comply with one or	(b) Visual, streetscape and amenity effects;
	more of the conditions of Rule	(c) Road-Land transport network safety and
	14.3.1.6; or	efficiency; <sup>58</sup>
	(b) Are located within Identified areas.	(d) Public safety;
		<ul><li>(b) Effects on the values, qualities and characteristics of any Identified Area.</li></ul>
RD6	The following activities that does not	Discretion is restricted to:
	comply with Rule 14.3.1.7:	(a) The functional and operational needs of, and
	(a) CCTV systems attached to	benefits derived from, the activity, and
	existing buildings and structures	(b) Effects on the specific values, qualities and
	(b) Service connections	characteristics of the item specifically listed in
1	(c) Minor infrastructure structures.	Schedule 30.1.

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>53</sup> 697.537 Waikato District Council
 <sup>54</sup> 697.1; 697.537 Waikato District Council
 <sup>55</sup> 559.154 Heritage NZPT
 <sup>56</sup> 81.246 Waikato Regional Council
 <sup>57</sup> 742.03 NIZZA

<sup>57 742.93</sup> NZTA 58 742.94 NZTA

vice connection;
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of the proposed use nce unnecessary:
activities to be served
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# 14.3.4 Discretionary Activities

(a) The activities listed below are discretionary activities.

ĐI	Activities and permanent structures or facilities located within road or unformed road not
	provided as road network activities under Rule 14.12.1 60

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 59}$  749.72 HNZC and copied from 14.12.2 RD1 (as amended in response to other submissions)  $^{\rm 60}$  697.2 Waikato District Council

	[and re-number remaining discretionary activities].
D <u>21</u>	Temporary infrastructure that does not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.3.1.2
<del>D3</del>	Access and service connections for subdivision that do not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.3.1.8 61
D4 <u>2</u>	Subdivision to create a utility allotment for accommodating infrastructure that does not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.3.2.1

#### 14.4 National Grid

#### [National Grid rules may be amended further]

#### 14.4.1 Permitted Activities

(a) The following activities are permitted activities within the National Grid Yard if they meet the activity specific conditions set out in this table. These rules apply throughout the District.

Activity		Activity specific conditions
PI	Buildings, structures and sensitive land uses within the National Grid Yard in existing Residential or Village Zones as of 18 July 2018	<ul> <li>14.4.1.1</li> <li>(1) Within the National Grid Yard in the Residential or Village Zone: <ul> <li>(a) Building alterations and additions to an existing building or structure for a sensitive land use that does not involve an increase in the building height or footprint;</li> <li>(b) New, or additions to existing buildings and or structures that are not for a sensitive land use;</li> <li>(c) Infrastructure (other than for the reticulation and storage of water for irrigation purposes) undertaken by a network utility operator as defined in the Resource Management Act 1991.</li> <li>(d) Fences less than 2.5m in height 63</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>(2) All buildings or structures permitted by Rule 14.4.1.1(1) must: <ul> <li>(a) Comply with the New Zealand Electrical Code of Practice for Electrical Safe Distances 34:2001 ISSN 0114-0663 under all National Grid transmission line operating conditions;</li> <li>(b) Locate a minimum of 12m from the outer visible foundation of any National Grid support structure tower and a minimum 12m from any pole and associated stay wire, unless it is one of the following: <ul> <li>i. A building or structure where Transpower has given written approval in accordance with clause 2.4.1 of the New Zealand Electrical Code of</li> </ul> </li> </ul></li></ul>

<sup>61 749.72</sup> HNZC

<sup>62 576.53</sup> Transpower

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>63</sup> 576.53 Transpower

		Practice for Electrical Safe Distances
		NZECP34:2001 ISSN 0114-0663; 64
		(c) The maximum height of fences are 2.5m within 5m from the
		nearest National Grid Pole or 6m from the nearest National
		Grid Tower.
		ii. Fences less than 2.5m in height and located a minimum of 5m
		from the nearest National Grid support structure foundation
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		iii. Network utilities (other than for the reticulation and storage
		of water for irrigation purposes) or any part of electricity
		infrastructure undertaken by a network utility operator as
		defined in the Resource Management Act 1991, that connects
		to the National Grid.
		(c) Not permanently physically impede existing vehicular access
		to a National Grid support structure. 65
		to a mational one support structure.
P2	Buildings, structures and	14.4.1.2
	sensitive land use within the	
	National Grid Yard in all other	(I) Within National Grid Yard in the Business, Industrial, Country
	zones as of 18 July 2018	Living, Heavy Industrial, Rural, Town Centre Business,
	Zones as or rojuly 2010	Hampton Downs Motorsport and Recreation, Tamahere
		Business, Te Kowhai Zone 66 Airpark, or Reserves Zone or
		Coal Mining Area, Aggregate Extraction Area or Aggregate
		Resource Area: 6768
		(a) Building alterations and additions to an existing building or structure that does not involve an increase in the building
		height or footprint; or
		(b) Infrastructure (other than for the reticulation and storage
		of water for irrigation purposes) undertaken by a network
		utility operator as defined in the Resource Management
		Act 1991; or
		(c) Non-habitable buildings or structures for farming activities
		in rural zones <u>including accessory structures and yards for</u>
		milking/dairy sheds (but not including any intensive farming
		buildings, commercial greenhouses and milking/dairy
		sheds); <sup>69</sup> or
		(d) <del>Yards for milking/dairy sheds</del> <u>Non-habitable horticultural</u> <u>buildings</u> ; or <sup>70</sup>
		(e) Artificial crop protection and support structures
		(excluding commercial greenhouses and Pseudomonas
		syringae pv. Actinidiae (Psa) disease control structures); 71
		(f) Fences less than 2.5m in height. 72
		(g) Minor structures associated with farming activity that are
		not situated within 12m of the outer visible foundation of any
		National Grid tower or 10m of the outer visible foundation of

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a National Grid tower, including: fences, gates, stock exclusion structures, cattle-stops, stock underpasses, stock bridges and culvert crossings, and drinking water supply pipelines, troughs, and water storage tanks. <sup>73</sup>

- (2) All buildings or structures permitted by Rule 14.4.1.2(1) must:
  - (a) Comply with the New Zealand Electrical Code of Practice for Electrical Safe Distances 34:2001 ISSN 0114-0663 under all National Grid transmission line operating conditions; and
  - (b) Locate a minimum 12m from the outer visible foundation of any National Grid support structure foundation tower and locate a minimum 12m from any pole 74 and associated stay wire, unless it is:
    - A building or structure where Transpower has given written approval in accordance with clause 2.4.1 of the New Zealand Electrical Code of Practice for Electrical Safe Distances NZECP; 75 or
    - ii. Fences less than 2.5m in height and located a minimum of 5m from the nearest National Grid support structure foundation; <sup>76</sup> or
    - iii. Artificial crop protection. Network utilities
      (other than for the reticulation and storage of
      water for irrigation purposes) or any part of
      electricity infrastructure undertaken by a
      network utility operator as defined in the
      Resource Management Act 1991, that connects
      to the National Grid; and
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    - (c) Not permanently physically impede existing vehicular access to a National Grid support structure <sup>78</sup>
  - (3) The maximum height of fences are 2.5m within 5m from the nearest National Grid Pole or 6m from the nearest National Grid tower. 79
- (3) Artificial crop protection <u>structures</u> and support structures between 8m and 12m from a <u>single</u> pole support structure <u>but</u> <u>not a tower</u> and any associated guy wire <del>(but not tower) must</del> that: <sup>80</sup>
  - (a) Meet the requirements of the New Zealand Electrical
    Code of Practice for Electrical Safe Distances NZECP 81
    34:2001 ISSN 0114-0663 for separation distances from the conductor;
  - (b) BeAre no higher than maximum 2.5m-high; 82
  - (c) BeAre 83 removable or temporary, to allow a clear working space of at least 12 metres from the pole when necessary for maintenance and emergency repair purposes;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>73</sup> 680.282 FFNZ

<sup>74 576.54</sup> Transpower

<sup>75 576.54</sup> Transpower

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>76</sup> 576.54 Transpower

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>78</sup> 576.54 Transpower <sup>79</sup> 576.54 Transpower

<sup>80 576.54</sup> Transpower

<sup>81 576.54</sup> Transpower

<sup>82 576.54</sup> Transpower; 697.5 Waikato District Council

<sup>83 576.54</sup> Transpower

		(d) Allow all-weather access to the pole and a sufficient area
P3	Earthworks activities within	for maintenance equipment, including a crane.  14.4.1.3
	the National Grid Yard	(I) Earthworks within the for 84 National Grid Yard support poles and any stay wires 85 that comply with all of 86 the following conditions:  (a) Do not exceed a depth (measured vertically) 87 of 300mm within 12m of the outer visible edge of any National Grid support structure foundation. 2.2m of the pole or stay
		wire; and 88  (b) Do not exceed a depth of 750mm between 2.2m and 5m of the pole or stay wire. 89
		(2) Earthworks for National Grid support towers (including any tubular steel tower that replaces a steel lattice tower) that comply with all of the following conditions:  (a) Do not exceed 300m depth within 6m of the outer edge of the visible foundation of the tower;  (b) Do not exceed 3m between 6m and 12m of the outer edge of the visible foundation of the tower;  (b) Are not located within an Identified Area; 91
		(c) Do not compromise the stability of a National Grid support structure;
		(d) Do not result in the loss of access to any National Grid
		support structure; and  (e) Do not result in a reduction in the ground to conductor clearance distances of less than 6.5m (measured vertically) from a 110kV National Grid transmission line, or 7.5m 9measured vertically) from a 220kV National Grid transmission line. Must be less than the minimum ground to conductor clearance distances in Table 4 of the New Zealand Electrical Code of Practice for Electrical Safe Distances 34:2001 ISSN 0114-0663.
		(3) (2) The following earthworks activities are exempt from Rules 14.4.1.3(1)(a) and (2): 93  (a) Earthworks that are undertaken by a network utility
		operator (other than for the reticulation and storage of water for irrigation purposes) as defined by the Resource Management Act 1991;
		(b) Earthworks undertaken as part of agricultural or domestic cultivation, or repair, sealing or resealing of a road, footpath, driveway or farm track;
		(c) Vertical holes not exceeding 500mm in diameter that:  i. are more than 1.5m from the outer edge of the pole support structure or stay wire, or

<sup>84 576.55</sup> Transpower
85 576.55 Transpower
86 697.7 Waikato District Council
87 576.55 Transpower
88 576.55 Transpower
99 576.55 Transpower
90 576.55 Transpower
91 559.156 Heritage NZPT
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	ii. are a post hole for a farm fence or horticulture
	structure more than 6m from the visible outer
	edge of a tower support structure foundation;
	(d) Earthworks for which a dispensation has been granted by
	Transpower under New Zealand Electrical Code of Practice for
	Electrical Safe Distances 34:2001 ISSN 0114-0663. 94

#### 14.4.2 Restricted Discretionary Activities

- (a) The activities listed below are restricted discretionary activities.
- (b) Discretion to grant or decline consent and impose conditions is restricted to the matters of discretion set out in the following table.

Activity		Matters of Discretion	
RDI	Below ground transmission lines associated with the National Grid not located within identified areas  Transformers, substations and switching stations associated with the National Grid not located within Identified Areas	Discretion is restricted to:  (a) The functional and operational needs of, and benefits derived from, the infrastructure;  (b) Visual, streetscape and amenity effects;  (c) The risk of electrical hazards affecting public or individual safety, and risk of	
RD3	Earthworks within the National Grid Yard that does not comply with one or more of the conditions (a) of Rule 14.4.1.3(1) or and Rule 14.4.1.3(2) but complies with conditions (b) (c) (d) and (e) of Rule 14.4.1.3(2) 95	property damage.  Discretion is restricted to:  (a) Impacts on the operation, maintenance, upgrading and development of the National Grid;  (b) The risk to the structural integrity of the affected National Grid support structure(s);  (c) Any impact on the ability of the National Grid owner (Transpower) to access the National Grid;  (d) The risk of electrical hazards affecting public or individual safety, and the risk of property damage.  (e) Technical advice provided by the National Grid owner (Transpower);  (f) Any effects on National Grid support structures including the creation of an unstable batter. %	
RD4	The subdivision of land in any zone within the National Grid Subdivision <sup>97</sup> Corridor that complies with all of the following conditions:  (a) All resulting allotments intended to contain a sensitive land use must	Discretion is restricted to:  (a) The subdivision layout and design in regard to how this may impact on the operation, maintenance, upgrading and development of, including access to. 99 the National Grid;	

<sup>94 576.55</sup> Transpower

<sup>95 576.58</sup> Transpower

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>96</sup> 576.58 Transpower

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>97</sup> 576.39; 576.40 Transpower

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>99</sup> 576.59 Transpower

provide-be able to demonstrate that they are capable of accommodating a building platform for the likely principal building(s) and any building(s) for a sensitive land use to be located outside of the National Grid Yard, other than where the allotments are for roads, access ways or infrastructure; or and 98

(b) The layout of allotments and any enabling earthworks must ensure that physical access is maintained to any National Grid support structures located on the allotments, including any balance area.

- (b) The ability to provide a complying building platform outside of the National Grid Yard;
- (c) The risk of electrical hazards affecting public or individual safety, and the risk of property damage;
- (d) The nature and location of any vegetation to be planted in the vicinity of National Grid transmission lines, and the how such landscaping will impact on the operation, maintenance, upgrade and development (including access) of the National Grid; 100

(e) The risk to the structural integrity of the National Grid; 101

(f) The extent to which the subdivision design and consequential development will minimise the potential reverse sensitivity on and amenity and nuisance effects of the National Grid asset.

#### 14.4.3 Discretionary Activities

(a) The activities listed below are discretionary activities.

DI	New <u>above and</u> 103 below ground transmission lines associated with the National Grid within Identified Areas
D2	New above-ground transmission lines associated with the National Grid not located within identified areas
<u>D3</u>	Buildings and structures for non-sensitive land uses and Earthworks within the National Grid Yard which are also within an Identified Area 104

#### 14.4.4 Non-Complying Activities

(a) The activities listed below are non-complying activities.

<u>NCI</u>	Earthworks within the National Grid Yard that is not a permitted activity under Rule 14.4.1 P1 P3 or a restricted discretionary activity under Rule 14.4.2 RD3 or a discretionary activity under Rule 14.4.3 D3
NCI	Above-ground transmission lines associated with the National Grid located within identified areas 106

<sup>98 576.59</sup> Transpower

<sup>100 576.59</sup> Transpower

<sup>101 576.59</sup> Transpower

<sup>102 576.59</sup> Transpower

<sup>103 576.60</sup> Transpower; 576.62 Transpower

<sup>104 559.156</sup> Heritage NZPT; 81.246 Waikato Regional Council

<sup>105 576.66</sup> Transpower

<sup>106 576.60</sup> Transpower; 576.62 Transpower

NC2	Transformers, Substations 107 and switching stations associated with the National Grid located within Identified Areas identified areas 108
NC3	Any activity within the National Grid Yard that does not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.4.1.1
NC4	Any activity within the National Grid Yard that does not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.4.1.2
NC5	Any new building for a sensitive land use, or addition to an existing building that involves an increase in the building envelope or height for a sensitive land use, 109 within the National Grid Yard
NC6	Any change of use of an existing building to a sensitive land use within the National Grid Yard
NC7	The establishment of any new sensitive land use within the National Grid Yard
NC8	Any new hazardous facility that involves the storage and handling of hazardous substances with explosive or flammable intrinsic properties within 12m of the centre line of a National Grid Transmission Line
NC9	Dairy/milking sheds (excluding accessory structures and buildings), commercial greenhouses, Pseudomonas syringae pv. Actinidiae (Psa) disease control structures, 110 or buildings for intensive farming within the National Grid Yard
NCI0	Any subdivision of land in any zone within the National Grid Corridor that does not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.4.2.1
NCH	Earthworks within the National Grid Yard that is not a permitted activity under Rule 14.4.1 P3 or a restricted discretionary activity under Rule 14.4.2 RD3 or a discretionary activity under Rule 14.4.3 D4. H1

#### 14.5 Electrical distribution

#### 14.5.1 Permitted Activities

- (a) The following activities are permitted activities if they meet the activity specific conditions set out in this table. These rules apply throughout the District.
- (b) Rule 14.2.1.1 will apply to the activities set out in this table unless there is a specific area, height, location and noise condition listed below 112

Activity		Activity specific conditions
ΡI	Below ground distribution lines	Nil
P2	Overhead distribution lines and support structures within the Rural Zone	<ul> <li>14.5.1.1</li> <li>(a) Overhead distribution lines and support structures that comply with the following:</li> <li>(i) Do not exceed a voltage up to and including 110kV; and</li> </ul>
P3	Overhead distribution lines and support structures within road or unformed road located adjacent to the Rural Zone	<ul> <li>(i) Do not exceed a voltage up to and including 110kV; an</li> <li>(ii) Do not exceed a maximum height of 25m; or</li> <li>(iii) Do not exceed a maximum height of 30m for colocation of at least two operators; and</li> <li>(iv) Are not located within an Identified Area.</li> </ul>

<sup>107 576.61</sup> Transpower

<sup>108 697.12</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>- 109 576.63</sup> Transpower

<sup>110 576.64</sup> Transpower

<sup>111 576.66</sup> Transpower

<sup>112 697.21</sup> Waikato District Council

P4	Substations and associated transformers and switching stations	<ul> <li>(a) Substations and associated transformers and switching stations distributing electricity that comply with the following: <ol> <li>Distribute electricity at a voltage up to and including I10kV; and</li> <li>Are located within the Business Zone, Business Town Centre Zone, Tamahere Business zone, Te Kowhai Airpark Zone, Industrial Zone, Industrial Zone Heavy and Motor Sport and Recreation Zone; and the Rural Zone III</li> <li>Any ancillary buildings do not exceed I00m² in gross floor area; and</li> <li>Are not located within an Identified Area.</li> <li>Maximum height I0m</li> </ol> </li> </ul>
<del>P5</del>	Construction or alteration of a building for a sensitive land use	(a) The construction or alteration of a building for a sensitive land use that complies with all of the following conditions:  (i) It is set back a minimum of 10m from the centre of line of any electrical distribution or transmission lines, not associated with the National Grid, that operate at a voltage of up to 110kV; or  (ii) It is set back a minimum of 12m from the centre of line of any electrical distribution or transmission lines, not associated with the National Grid, that operate at a voltage of 110kV or more. Hat operate at a

#### 14.5.2 Restricted Discretionary Activities

- (a) The activities listed below are restricted discretionary activities.
- (b) Discretion to grant or decline consent and impose conditions is restricted to the matters of discretion set out in the following table.

Activi	ty	Matters of Discretion
RDI	<ul> <li>(a) Overhead distribution lines and support structures not exceeding a voltage up to and including I I 0kV:</li> <li>(i) Not located within the Rural Zone;</li> <li>(ii) Not located within an Identified Area.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(a) Discretion is restricted to:</li> <li>(i) The functional need and operational need of, and benefits derived from, the infrastructure;</li> <li>(ii) The extent to which alternative technologies and techniques have been considered;</li> <li>(iii) The extent to which co-location of overhead lines is technically, economically and practically reasonable;</li> <li>(iv) The extent to which the proposal is in accordance with relevant industry standards and meets specified clearance requirements for operational and safety reasons;</li> <li>(v) The extent to which the proposal will adversely affect the amenity values of the site and locality;</li> </ul>

<sup>113 697.518</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>114 405.53</sup> Counties Power Limited; 836.19 Powerco

<sup>697.22</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>116 697.310; 697.23</sup> and 697.24 Waikato District Council; 405.54 Counties Power

		(vi) The extent to which there are difficult ground conditions, topography or obstructions which make undergrounding impractical.
RD2	Construction or alteration of a building for a sensitive land use that does not comply with Rule 14.5.1.3	(a) Discretion is restricted to:  (i) Effects on the amenity values of the site;  (ii) The risk of electrical hazards affecting the safety of people;  (iii) The risk of damage to property;  (iv) Effects on the operation, maintenance and upgrading of the electrical distribution or transmission lines.

#### 14.5.3 Discretionary Activities

(a) The activities listed below are discretionary activities.

DI	Overhead distribution lines and support structures exceeding a voltage of 110kV
D2	Overhead distribution lines and support structures of any voltage located within an identified area
D3	Substations and associated transformers and switching stations that do not comply with one or more conditions of Rule 14.5.1.2

## 14.6 Electricity generation

#### 14.6.1 Permitted Activities

- (a) The following activities are permitted activities if they meet the activity specific conditions set out in this table. These rules apply throughout the District.
- (b) Rule 14.2.1.1 will apply to the activities set out in this table unless there is a specific area, height, location and noise condition listed below.

Activity		Activity specific conditions
PI	Small-scale electricity generation	(a) Small-scale electricity generation and community-scale electricity generation that comply with each of the following conditions,
P2	Community-scale electricity generation	where applicable:  (a) Is not located within an Identified Area;  (b) Is not located on a road, or unformed road;  (c) Less than 20kW of electricity is generated;  (d) Maximum one wind turbine per site in the Residential, Rangitahi Peninsula and Village Zones;  (e) Freestanding wind turbines must not exceed the building height limit of the zone in which they are located by more than 3m;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>117</sup> 697.310; 697.23 and 697.24 Waikato District Council

<sup>118 697.25</sup> Waikato District Council

		(f) Freestanding wind turbines have a maximum blade diameter of 2.5m;  (g) Roof-mounted wind turbines must not exceed the building height limit of the zone in which they are located by more than 3m;  (h) Roof-mounted wind turbines have a maximum blade diameter of 2.5m;  (i) Any wind turbine on a site adjoining Residential, Rangitahi Peninsula or Village Zones must meet the height in relation to boundary limits on the boundary with that adjoining zone;  (j) Solar panels on the roof of a building must not exceed 1.5m in height above the existing roof; or attached to a ground mounted frame  (k) Wind turbine noise must:  (i) Not exceed the background sound level (L95) by more than 5dBA, or a level of 40dBA (L95), whichever is the greater, when measured at operational wind speeds, and for properties located adjacent to the facility when measured at:  (1) Any existing building or structure for sensitive land uses; and  (2) Any potential building site where a building or structure for sensitive land uses could be located as a permitted activity;  (ii) Be measured and assessed in accordance with NZS6808: 2010 Acoustics — Wind Farm Noise  (l) All other structures not listed above must not be higher than the maximum building height limit of the zone in which they are located.
P3	Research and exploratory- scale investigations for renewable electricity generation activities	(a) Research and exploratory-scale investigations for renewable electricity generation activities that comply with all of the following:  (i) The noise limits that are applicable to the zone;  (ii) The height of any equipment must not exceed the building height limit of the zone in which they are located by more than 3m, or within the Rural Zone must not exceed 20m total height; 121  (iii) The size and location of any equipment must not exceed height in relation to boundary relevant to the zone in which it is located; and  (iv) Setbacks relevant to the zone in which it is located;  (v) Is not located within an identified area;
P4	Temporary diesel-fuelled electricity generation activities	(vi) Is not located on a road, or unformed road.  Nil
P5	Electricity generation within the Huntly Power	14.6.1.3

<sup>119 836.21</sup> Powerco 120 697.26 Waikato District Council 121 692.20 WEL Networks Limited

Station site in the	Electricity generation within the Huntly Power Station site in the
Industrial Zone Heavy 122.	Industrial Zone Heavy 123 that complies with the Industrial Zone Heavy
	<sup>124</sup> <u>rules.</u> <sup>125</sup>

## 14.6.2 Restricted Discretionary Activities

- (a) The activities listed below are restricted discretionary activities.
- (b) Discretion to grant or decline consent and impose conditions is restricted to the matters of discretion set out in the following table.

Activi	ty	Matters of Discretion
RDI	Small-scale electricity generation that do not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.6.1.1	Discretion is restricted to:  (a) The functional and operational needs of, and benefits derived from, the infrastructure;  (b) Visual, landscape, streetscape and amenity
RD2	Community-scale electricity generation that do not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.6.1.1	effects, including noise; (c) Shadow flicker effects; (d) The risk of hazards affecting public or individual safety, and risk of property damage;
RD3	Research and exploratory-scale investigations for renewable electricity generation activities that do not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.6.1.2	(e) Effects on the values, qualities and characteristics of any Identified Area.  (f) Ecology and biodiversity effects 126
RD4	Electricity generation within the Huntly Power Station site in the Industrial Zone Heavy 127 that do not comply with one or more conditions of the Rule 14.6.1.[X].	Discretion is restricted to the extent of effects associated with the Industrial Zone Heavy 128 rules that the activity does not comply with. 129

#### 14.6.3 Discretionary Activities

(a) The activities listed below are discretionary activities.

DI	Large-scale wind farms located within the Rural Zone, not within an Identified Area. 130
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#### 14.6.4 Non-Complying Activities

(a) The activities listed below are non-complying activities.

<sup>122 697.518</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>123 697.518</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>124 697.518</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>924.27</sup> Genesis Energy Limited
- 126 585.11 Department of Conservation

<sup>127 697.518</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>128 697.518</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>924.27</sup> Genesis Energy Limited

<sup>130 697.27</sup> Waikato District Council

NCI	Large-scale wind farms not located within in a zone other than the Rural Zone, including within an Identified Area
NC2	Large-scale wind farm located within any Identified Area in 131 the Rural Zone and within an Identified Area 132

# 14.7 Liquid fuels and gas

#### 14.7.1 Permitted Activities

- (a) The following activities are permitted activities if they meet the activity specific conditions set out in this table. These rules apply throughout the District.
- (b) Rule 14.2.1.1 will apply to the activities set out in this table unless there is a specific area, height, location and noise condition listed below.

Activity		Activity specific conditions	
PI	Below ground pipelines for the conveyance of liquid fuels and gas	<ul> <li>(a) Below ground pipelines for the conveyance of liquid fuels and gas that comply with all of the following: <ol> <li>(i) Any aboveground sections of pipeline must comply with the following: <ol> <li>A. Not exceed 25m in length, and</li> <li>B. Not exceed 300mm in diameter.</li> </ol> </li> <li>(ii) Gas pipelines must not exceed a gauge pressure of 2,000 kilopascals.</li> <li>(iii) Is not located within an Identified Area.</li> </ol></li></ul>	
P2	Below ground pipelines located within an Identified Area	<ul> <li>(a) Below ground pipelines for the conveyance of liquid fuels and gas, <sup>134</sup> located within an Identified Area that comply with the following: <ol> <li>(i) There are no aboveground sections of pipeline within the Identified Area; and</li> <li>(ii) Gas pipelines must not exceed a gauge pressure of 2,000 kilopascals.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>	
P3	Storage facilities and pump stations for liquid fuels and gas which are operated by a network utility	<ul> <li>(a) Storage facilities and pump stations for liquid fuels and gas which are operated by a network utility <sup>135</sup> that comply with all of the following:</li> <li>(i) Is not located within an Identified Area, and</li> <li>(ii) Is not located on a road, or unformed road.</li> </ul>	

<sup>131 580.15</sup> Meridian Energy

<sup>132 697.28</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>133 697.29</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>134 697.31</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>135</sup> 559.167 Heritage NZPT; 680.298 FFNZ

#### 14.7.2 Discretionary Activities

(a) The activities listed below are discretionary activities.

DI	Pipelines for the conveyance of liquid fuels and gas that do not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.7.1.1 or 14.7.1.2
D2	Storage facilities and pump stations for liquid fuels and gas that do not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.7.1.3

#### 14.8 Meteorological

#### 14.8.1 Permitted Activities

- (a) The following activities are permitted activities if they meet the activity specific conditions set out in this table. These rules apply throughout the District.
- (b) Rule 14.2.1.1 will apply to the activities set out in this table unless there is a specific area, height, location and noise condition listed below. 136

Activity		Activity specific conditions
PI	Meteorological enclosures and buildings, including automatic weather stations	<ul> <li>(a) Meteorological enclosures and buildings, including automatic weather stations, that comply with all of the following:</li> <li>(i) The size of the structure must not exceed 30m² in gross floor area;</li> <li>(ii) The structure complies with any relevant building height condition for the applicable zone;</li> <li>(iii) Is not located within an Identified Area;</li> <li>(iv) Is not located on a road, or unformed road.</li> </ul>
P2	Meteorological and air quality monitoring structures and devices	<ul> <li>(a) Meteorological and air quality monitoring structures and devices that comply with all of the following: <ul> <li>(i) Do not exceed 12m in height;</li> <li>(ii) There shall be no more than one structure instrument, or device</li> <li>(iii) Is not located within an Identified Area;</li> <li>(iv) Is not located on a road, or unformed road.</li> <li>(v) Maximum area is 10m².</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

#### 14.8.2 Restricted Discretionary Activities

- (a) The activities listed below are restricted discretionary activities.
- (b) Discretion to grant or decline consent and impose conditions is restricted to the matters of discretion set out in the following table.

<sup>136 697.32</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>137 697.34</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>138 697.33</sup> Waikato District Council

Activity		Matters of Discretion	
RDI	Meteorological enclosures and buildings, including automatic weather stations located within road or unformed road	(a) Discretion is restricted to:  (i) The functional and operational needs of, and benefits derived from, the infrastructure;  (ii) Visual, streetscape and amenity effects;	
RD2	Meteorological and air quality monitoring structures and devices located within road or unformed road	(iii) Road network safety and efficiency; and  (iv) Effects on the specific values, qualities and  characteristics of any Identified Area. 139	

# 14.8.3 Discretionary Activities

(a) The activities listed below are discretionary activities.

DI	Meteorological enclosures and buildings, including automatic weather stations located within Identified areas
D2	Meteorological and air quality monitoring structures and devices located within Identified areas
<u>D3</u>	Meteorological enclosures and buildings, including automatic weather stations that do not comply with one or more conditions in Rule 14.8.31 (P1)
<u>D4</u>	Meteorological and air quality monitoring structures and devices that do not comply with one or more conditions in Rule 14.8.31 (P2) 141

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>139</sup> 697.35 Waikato District Council <sup>140</sup> 697.36 Waikato District Council <sup>141</sup> 697.36 Waikato District Council

#### 14.9 Amateur radio

#### 14.9.1 Permitted Activities

- (a) The following activities are permitted activities if they meet the activity specific conditions set out in this
- table. These rules apply throughout the District.

  (b) Rule 14.2.1.1 will apply to the activities set out in this table unless there is a specific area, height, 142 location and noise condition listed below.

Activity		Activity specific conditions
PI	Antennas associated with amateur radio configurations	<ul> <li>(a) Antennas associated with amateur radio configurations that comply with all of the following: <ul> <li>(i) Where attached to a building or other structure (including a mast): <ul> <li>A. The maximum diameter is 2m for an antenna dish;</li> <li>B. The maximum area is 2m² in area for a panel antenna;</li> <li>C. The maximum dimension in any direction is 2m for a panel antenna;</li> <li>D. The antenna must not overhang a site boundary;</li> <li>(ii) One pedestal-mounted antenna per site that meets the following: <ul> <li>A. The antenna is pivoted less than 4m above the ground;</li> <li>B. The maximum diameter is 5m;</li> <li>C. Complies with the setback and height in relation to boundary requirements of the relevant zone;</li> <li>(iii) Are not located within an Identified Area;</li> <li>(iv) Is not located on a road, or unformed road.</li> </ul> </li> </ul></li></ul></li></ul>
P2	Aerials associated with amateur radio configurations	<ul> <li>(a) Aerials associated with amateur radio configurations that comply with all of the following: <ol> <li>(i) Any of the elements making up the aerial do not exceed 80mm in diameter;</li> <li>(ii) For horizontal HF yagi aerials, the maximum element length does not exceed 14.9m, and the boom length does not exceed 13m;</li> <li>(iii) No part of the aerial (including aerial wires) overhangs a site boundary;</li> <li>(iv) The setback standards applying to buildings in the applicable zone, except that aerial wires are not required to comply with the setback standards;</li> <li>(v) No part of the aerial exceeds the maximum stated height applying to buildings in the applicable zone by more than 2m (except for vertical aerials as provided for in Rule 14.9.1.2(1)(f) below) Rule 14.9.1.2(a)(vi): 143</li> </ol> </li> <li>(vi) For vertical aerials, one vertical aerial to a maximum height of 20m, provided there is only one vertical aerial or one supporting structure (and attached aerial(s) or antenna(s) under Rule 14.9.1.3(1)(c) below Rule 14.9.1.3(a)(iii)</li> </ul>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>142</sup> 697.32 Waikato District Council <sup>143</sup> 594.5 NZART

		maximum stated height applying to buildings in the applicable zone
		by more than 2m;
		(vii) Are not located within an Identified Area;
		(viii) Is not located on a road, or unformed road.
P3	Support structures	14.9.1.3
	associated with	
	amateur radio	(a) Support structures associated with amateur radio configurations that
	configurations	comply with all of the following:  (i) For wire aerials of less than 115mm in outside diameter, no more
	J	(i) For wire aerials of less than 115mm in outside diameter, no more than six support poles per site provided that:
		A. The maximum height of the support poles is the maximum
		building height applying in the zone in which they are located;
		B. The setback and height in relation to boundary standards shall
		not apply to these support poles;
		(ii) Where guy wires are used these must not exceed 12mm in diameter;
		(iii) One pole support structure (excluding support poles for wire
		aerials) or lattice support structure per site, provided that:
		A. The maximum height of the pole support structure is 9m and the maximum inscribed circle of the pole and any lowering
		mechanism shall be 600mm below 4m in height and 115mm
		above 4m; or
		B. The maximum height of the lattice support structure is 9m
		and the maximum inscribed circle and any lowering
		mechanism shall be 900mm below 8m in height and 660mm
		above 8m;  C. The pole or lattice structure is located in accordance with
		setback standards applying to buildings in the zone in which
		they are located. For the purpose of this rule the height in
		relation to boundary standards shall not apply to the pole or
		lattice support structure;
		D. Where guy wires are used these must not exceed 12mm in
		diameter;
		E. At no point must any guy wire overhang the boundary; (iv) For each site, one support structure can exceed the maximum
		stated height applying to buildings in the applicable zone by more
		than 2m, provided that:
		A. The maximum height of the support structure and any
		attached aerials or antennas is 20m;
		B. Theis single tall supporting structure may be one of the following:
		Ba A pole, a tubular guyed mast, a lattice mast, and may be guyed
		or self-supporting. The maximum inscribed circle of the mast
		below 9m shall be 1000mm, and above 9m must fit within a tapering envelope with a maximum inscribed circle of 660mm at
		9m, and 420mm at 20mshall be 115mm, or
		BbA guyed lattice mast. The maximum inscribed circle of the mast
		below 9m shall be 1000mm, and above 9m shall be 300mm. The
		mast may be of constant width or tapering, or
		BcA self-supporting lattice mast. The maximum inscribed circle of
		the mast below 9m shall be 1000mm, and above 9m must fit
		within a tapering envelope with a maximum inscribed circle of 660mm at 9m and 420mm at 20m, or
		BdA self-supporting tubular mast. The maximum inscribed circle of
		the mast below 9m shall be 1000mm, and above 9m must fit
		within a tapering envelope with a maximum inscribed circle of
		230mm at 9m and 115mm at 20m; and

Bb There may be local enlargement of the support structure to
accommodate a rotator mechanism; and
<u>Bc</u> The supporting structure is located in accordance with setback standards applying to buildings in the applicable zone. For the
purpose of this rule the height in relation to boundary standards
shall not apply to the supporting structure; and
Bd Where guy wires are used, these must not exceed 12 mm in
diameter; and
Be At no point must any guy wire overhang the boundary;
Bf A second pole or support structure up to 14m height is
permitted for operation of 3.6MHz radio; 145
(v) Are not located within an Identified Area; and
(vi) Is not located on a road, or unformed road.

#### 14.9.2 Restricted Discretionary Activities

- (a) The activities listed below are restricted discretionary activities.
- (b) Discretion to grant or decline consent and impose conditions is restricted to the matters of discretion set out in the following table.

Activity		Matters of Discretion
RDI	Amateur radio configurations that are not located on a road, unformed road or Identified Area, and Identified Area and Identif	Discretion is restricted to:  (a) The bulk, form, scale, location and number of antennas, aerials and supporting structures;  (b) Location on site; and  (c) Visual, streetscape and amenity effects.

#### 14.9.3 Discretionary Activities

(a) The activities listed below are discretionary activities.

DI	Antennas, aerials and support structures associated with amateur radio configurations located within road and unformed road
D2	Antennas, aerials and support structures associated with amateur radio configurations located within Identified areas

# 14.10 Telecommunications and radiocommunications

#### Notes:

+1 Means activities not provided as a permitted activity under the Resource Management (National Environmental Standards for Telecommunication Facilities ("NESTF")) Regulations 2016

146 697.38 Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>145</sup> 594.8 NZART

## 14.10.1 Permitted Activities

- (a) The following activities are permitted activities if they meet the activity specific conditions set out in this table. These rules apply throughout the District.
- (b) Rule 14.2.1.1 will apply to the activities set out in this table unless there is a specific area, height, 147 location and noise condition listed below.

Activity		Activity specific conditions		
PI	Ancillary equipment <sup>+1</sup>	<ul> <li>(a) Ancillary equipment that complies with the following: <ul> <li>(i) It is not connected to an area, façade or item specifically listed in Schedule 30.1.</li> <li>(ii) Not exceed 10m² in area above-ground;</li> <li>(iii) Not exceed 2.5m in height. 148</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		
P2	Below ground telecommunications and radiocommunications facilities, lines, cables and ducts	(a) Not located within an Identified Area 149		
P3	Cabinets+1	<ul> <li>(a) Cabinets that comply with the following condition: <ul> <li>(i) Are not located within an Identified Area.</li> <li>(ii) Not exceed 10m² in area above-ground;</li> <li>(iii) Not exceed 2.5m in height.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		
P4	Antennas and lines attached to retaining walls, tunnels, bridges and other structures located within the road+1	<ul> <li>(a) Antennas that comply with all of the following conditions: <ol> <li>(i) Do not connect to an area, façade or item specifically listed in Schedule 30.1;</li> <li>(ii) Panel antenna do not exceed 0.7m in width;</li> <li>(iii) Dish antenna do not exceed 0.6m in width diameter within the Residential Zone;</li> <li>(iv) Within the Residential Zone the maximum number of antennas per site is 4.</li> </ol> </li> <li>(b) Rule 14.10.1.3(1)(a) does not apply a face-mounted panel antenna located within the fascia and below the roof line of an existing building, except where the area, façade or item is specifically listed in Schedule 30.1</li> </ul>		
P5	Antennas+1 attached to a building and/or structure	<ul> <li>(a) Antennas attached to a building and/or structure that comply with all of the following conditions:</li> <li>(i) Do not connect to an area, façade or item specifically listed in Schedule 30.1;</li> <li>(ii) The building and/or structure is located within: <ul> <li>A. Business Zone</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		

<sup>147 697.39</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>148 697.40</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>149 559.179</sup> Heritage NZPT

<sup>150 697.41</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>151 644.36</sup> Spark; 646.36 Vodafone; 648.36 Chorus

<sup>152 559.181</sup> Heritage NZPT

		B. Business Town Centre Zone C. Tamahere Business Zone D. Te Kowhai Airpark Zone E. Industrial Zone F. Industrial Zone Heavy G. Motor Sport and Recreation Zone H. Rural Zone I. Country Living Zone J. Reserve Zone (iii) The face of the antenna does not exceed 1.5m² or I.2m in diameter for dish antennas, or I.6m in length for Yagi antenna on an existing pole.  [b) Rule 14.10.1.4 does not apply to private television antennas and satellite dishes + 1.2 156
P6	Antennas inside new or existing buildings	Nil
P7	Other Antennas not attached to a building and/or structure	<ul> <li>(a) Antennas that comply with all of the following conditions are excluded from any height standards in 14.10.1 P4, P5 and P9: <ol> <li>(i) GPS Antennas that do not exceed the following dimensions: <ul> <li>A. 300mm high: and</li> <li>B. 130mm in diameter.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(ii) Omni-directional 'whip' or di-pole type antennas that do not exceed the following dimensions: <ul> <li>A. 1.6m high;</li> <li>B. 1.5m horizontal length whip or rod; or</li> <li>C. Cross section element no more than 60mm in diameter.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(iii) Are not located within an Identified Area</li> <li>(iv) Do not connect to an area, façade or item specifically listed in Schedule 30.1.</li> </ol></li></ul>
P8	Small cell units exceeding the permitted volumetric dimension of 0.11m³ regulated in the NESTF	I4.10.1.6  (a) Small cell units exceeding the permitted volumetric dimension of $0.11 \frac{m^2}{m^3} \frac{m^3}{157}$ regulated in the NESTF that comply with all of the following conditions:  (i) Do not exceed a maximum volumetric volume dimension of $0.25 m^3$ ; 158  (ii) Are not located within an Identified Area; and (iii) Do not connect to an area, façade or item specifically listed in Schedule 30.1.
P9	Poles, antennas and headframes+	<ul> <li>14.10.1.7</li> <li>(a) Any poles and attached antenna that comply with the following conditions: <ul> <li>(i) Are not located within an Identified Area;</li> <li>(ii) Do not connect to an area, façade or item specifically listed in Schedule 30.1;</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

<sup>153 697.519</sup> Waikato District Council 154 697.518 Waikato District Council 155 405.59 Counties Power 156 697.42 Waikato District Council 157 644.42 Spark; 646.39 Vodafone; 648.XXChorus 158 697.43 Waikato District Council

		<ul> <li>(iii) Comply with the height in relation to boundary limits for the zone in which it is located;</li> <li>(iv) Not exceed the height limits set out in the following table:</li> </ul>			
			Zone	Permitted height	
			Rural, Country Living	25m (and 30m for colocation of at least two operators)	
			Industrial, Heavy Industrial and Motor Sport and Recreation	25m (and 30m for colocation of at least two operators)	
			Business, Business Town Centre, Business Zone Tamahere, Te Kowhai Airpark	20m	
			Reserve	20m	
			Residential, Rangitahi Peninsula, Village	15m	
			Road or unformed road	That of the adjoining zone	
		<ul> <li>(b) Headframes that comply with the following conditions:</li> <li>(i) Comply with the height in relation to boundary limits for the zone in which it is located;</li> <li>(ii) Within the Residential Zone do not exceed 1.0m diameter; or</li> <li>(iii) Within all other zones and unformed roads do not exceed 6.0m diameter; and</li> <li>(iv) Within the road do not exceed 0.7m diameter.</li> </ul>			
			and GPS antennas, omni dii telecommunication devices	es not apply to lightning rods rectional whip antenna, ancillary and earth peaks.	
PIO	Externally-mounted telecommunication satellite dishes and ancillary components	<ul> <li>14.10.1.8</li> <li>(a) Externally-mounted telecommunication satellite dishes and ancillary components that comply with the following conditions: <ul> <li>(i) Do not exceed 1.0m in diameter, or 1.8m in diameter in Industrial Zone, Industrial Zone Heavy 160, Country Living Zone and Rural Zone.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			

 <sup>159 644.39</sup> Spark; 646.40 Vodafone; 648.39 Chorus
 160 697.518 Waikato District Council

PII	Telecommunication kiosk	<ul> <li>(ii) Are attached to existing buildings; and/or including a pole or structure other than a building when located in the Country Living and Rural Zones. <sup>161</sup></li> <li>(iii) Do not connect to an area, façade or item specifically listed in Schedule 30.1; and</li> <li>(iv) Are not located within an Identified Area.</li> <li>14.10.1.9</li> <li>(a) Telecommunication kiosks that comply with all of the following conditions:</li> <li>(i) Are not located within road or unformed road located adjacent to an Identified Area;</li> <li>(ii) Do not connect to an area, façade or item specifically listed in Schedule 30.1; and</li> <li>(iii) Are not located within an Identified Area.</li> <li>(iv) Not exceed 10m² in area above-ground;</li> <li>(v) Not exceed 2.5m in height <sup>162</sup></li> </ul>
PI2	Telephone exchanges, including the installation and operation of equipment inside existing telephone exchanges  Self-contained power units	<ul> <li>14.10.1.10</li> <li>(a) Telephone exchanges, including the installation and operation of equipment inside existing telephone exchanges, that comply with the following conditions: <ul> <li>(i) Do not exceed 20m² in area in roads or sites zoned Residential and Country Living; or</li> <li>(ii) Do not exceed 30m² in area in all other zones;</li> <li>(iii) Comply with the height and height in relation to boundary limits for the zone in which it is located;</li> <li>(iv) Are not located within road or unformed road located adjacent to an Identified Area; and</li> <li>(v) Are not located within an Identified Area.</li> </ul> </li> <li>14.10.1.11</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>(a) Self-contained power units that comply with all of the following conditions:</li> <li>(i) Do not connect to an area, façade or item specifically listed in Schedule 30.1;</li> <li>(ii) Are not located within an Identified Area.</li> <li>(iii) Not exceed 10m² in area above-ground;</li> <li>(iv) Not exceed 2.5m in height.</li> </ul>
PI4	Aerial telecommunication lines and associated support structures, including those not complying with regulations 41-42 of the NESTF	<ul> <li>(a) Aerial telecommunication lines and associated support structures, including those not complying with regulations 41-42 of the NESTF, that comply with all of the following conditions: <ol> <li>(i) Do not exceed 20m in height; and</li> <li>(ii) Are located within the Rural Zone; or</li> <li>(iii) Are located within road or unformed road located adjacent to the Rural Zone.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>
PI5	Lightning rods	14.10.1.13

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>161</sup> 644.40 Spark; 646.41 Vodafone; 648.40 Chorus

<sup>162 697.44</sup> Waikato District Council 163 697.45 Waikato District Council

(a) Lightning rods that comply with all of the following conditions:
<ul> <li>(i) Do not exceed I.8m in height;</li> <li>(ii) Do not connect to an area, façade or item specifically listed in Schedule 30.1.</li> </ul>

#### 14.10.2 Controlled Activities

(a) The activities listed below are controlled activities.

Activity		Matters of Control
CI C2	Ancillary equipment that do not comply with the conditions of Rule 14.10.1.1  Cabinets that do not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.10.1.2	(a) Control is reserved over: (i) The size, colour and design of the proposed facility, equipment or structure;
C3	(a) Cabinets not meeting the NESTF regulations 19, 20, and 21 that are located within:  (i) Business Zone  (ii) Business Town Centre Zone  (iii) Business Zone Tamahere  (iv) Te Kowhai Airpark Zone  (v) Industrial Zone  (vi) Industrial Zone Heavy  (vii) Motorsport and Recreation Zone  (viii) Rural Zone  (ix) Country Living Zone	<ul> <li>(ii) The location of the proposed facility, equipment or structure;</li> <li>(iii) The ability to provide screening or landscaping; and</li> <li>(iv) Effects on the values, qualities and characteristics of the site and/or items in</li> </ul>
C4	(x) Reserve Zone  Antennas attached to an existing pole in the road reserve that do not comply with Regulations 26 and 27 of the NESTF and antennas attached to an existing pole in unformed road	
C5	(a) Antennas attached to a building that do not comply with the conditions of Rule 14.10.1.4 and are located within:  (i) Business Zone  (ii) Business Town Centre Zone  (iii) Business Zone Tamahere  (iv) Te Kowhai Airpark Zone 167  (v) Industrial Zone  (vi) Industrial Zone Heavy 168  (vii) Motorsport and Recreation Zone  (viii) Rural Zone  (ix) Country Living Zone  (x) Reserve Zone	
C5	<ul> <li>(a) Dish antennas not complying with regulations 26-35 of the NESTF that are located within:</li> <li>(i) Business Zone</li> <li>(ii) Business Town Centre Zone</li> <li>(iii) Business Zone Tamahere</li> </ul>	

<sup>164 559.191</sup> Heritage NZPT 165 697.519 Waikato District Council 166 697.518 Waikato District Council 167 697.519 Waikato District Council

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	(iv) Te Kowhai Airpark Zone 169	
	(v) Industrial Zone	
	(vi) Industrial Zone Heavy 170	
	(vii) Motor Sport and Recreation Zone	
	(viii) Rural Zone	
	(ix) Country Living Zone	
	(x) Reserve Zone	
C6	(a) Antennas located within an Identified Area that comply with	
	the following:	
	(i) GPS antennas that do not exceed the following	
	dimensions:	
	A. 300mm high: and	
	B. 130mm in diameter.	
	(ii) Omni-directional 'whip' or di-pole type antennas that do	
	not exceed the following dimensions:	
	A. I.6m high;	
	B. I.5m horizontal length whip or rod; or	
	C. Cross section element no more than 60mm in	
	diameter.	
C7		
C/	Small cell units located in an Identified Area exceeding the	
	max <u>imum <del>volumetric dimension</del> volume</u> 171 of 0.11 m <sup>23</sup> regulated in	
	the NESTF, up to a maximum volume of 0.25m <sup>23</sup> . 172	

<sup>169 697.519</sup> Waikato District Council 170 697.518 Waikato District Council 171 697.43 Waikato District Council 172 644.41 Spark; 648.41 Chorus; 646.42 Vodafone

C8	Poles, antennas and headframes located within	Control is reserved over:
С9	an Identified Area that comply with Rule  14.10.1.7  (a) Externally-mounted telecommunication satellite dishes and ancillary components that:  (i) Do not exceed I.0m in diameter;  (ii) Are attached to existing buildings; and  (iii) Are not located within an Identified Area. 174	<ul> <li>(a) The size, colour and design of the proposed facility, equipment or structure;</li> <li>(b) The location of the proposed facility, equipment or structure;</li> <li>(c) The ability to provide screening or landscaping; and</li> <li>(d) Effects on the values, qualities and characteristics of the site.</li> </ul>
CIO	Telecommunication kiosks, located within road	
C10	or unformed road adjacent to an Identified	
	Area, that complies with the conditions for a	
	new infrastructure activity and associated	
	structures under Rule 14.2.1.1.	

#### 14.10.3 Restricted Discretionary Activities

- (I) The activities listed below are restricted discretionary activities.
- (2) Discretion to grant or decline consent and impose conditions is restricted to the matters of discretion set out in the following table.

Activi	ty	Matters of Discretion
RDI	<ul> <li>(a) Cabinets not meeting the NESTF regulations 19, 20, and 21 that are located within:</li> <li>(i) Residential Zone</li> <li>(ii) Rangitahi Peninsula Zone</li> <li>(iii) Village Zone</li> <li>(iv) Road and unformed road</li> </ul>	Discretion is restricted to:  (a) The functional and operational needs of, and benefits derived from, the infrastructure;
RD2	<ul> <li>(a) Antennas attached to a building and/or structure that comply with all of the following conditions:</li> <li>(i) Are located within: <ul> <li>A. Residential Zone</li> <li>B. Rangitahi Peninsula Zone</li> <li>C. Village Zone</li> <li>D. Road and unformed road</li> <li>(ii) The face of the antenna does not exceed 1.5m² or 1.2m in diameter for dish antennas.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	(b) The bulk, form, scale, location of the structure; (c) Visual, landscape, streetscape and amenity effects; (d) Where located within a road, the operation and
RD3	<ul> <li>(a) Dish antennas not complying with regulations 26-35 of the NESTF that are located within:</li> <li>(i) Residential Zone</li> <li>(ii) Rangitahi Peninsula Zone</li> <li>(iii) Village Zone</li> <li>(iv) Road and unformed road</li> <li>Poles, antennas and headframes not complying with regulations 26-35 of the NESTF or Rule 14.10.1.7</li> </ul>	function of road network activities,  (e) Effects on the values, qualities and characteristics of the site, heritage item or area.

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>173</sup> 559.193 Heritage NZPT
 <sup>174</sup> 559.193 Heritage NZPT
 <sup>175</sup> 559.195 Heritage NZPT

RD5	(a) Aerial telecommunication lines and associated support structures, including those not complying with regulations 41-42 of the NESTF, that:		
	(i) Do not comply with one or more conditions of Rule 14.10.1.12; and (ii) Are not located within an Identified Area.		
RD6	Telecommunication kiosks that do not comply with one or more		
	conditions of Rules 14.10.1.9 or 14.10.2(C10)		
RD7			
	for a new infrastructure activity and associated structures		
	under Rule 14.2.1.1		
RD8	Poles, antennas and headframes located within an Identified Area		
	that comply with Rule 14.10.1.7 176		
RD9	(a) Externally-mounted telecommunication satellite dishes and		
	ancillary components that:		
	(i) Are located within an Identified Area. 177		

### 14.10.4 Discretionary Activities

(a) The activities listed below are discretionary activities.

DI	Cabinets not meeting the NESTF regulations 19, 20, and 21 that are located within an Identified Area
D2	Antennas attached to a building and/or structure that do not comply with one or more conditions of
	Rule 14.10.3(RD2)
D3	Antennas attached to a building and/or structure located within an Identified Area
D4	Dish antennas not complying with regulations 26-35 of the NESTF that are located within an Identified Area
D5	Poles, antennas and headframes located within an Identified Area not complying with regulations 26-35 of the NESTF or Rule 14.10.1.7
D6	Telephone exchanges located within an Identified Area or do not comply with one or more conditions of Rule 14.10.1.10
D7	Self-contained power units located within an Identified Area
D8	Aerial telecommunication lines and associated support structures located within an Identified Area

 <sup>176 559.192</sup> Heritage NZPT
 177 559.193 Heritage NZPT

#### 14.11 Water, wastewater and stormwater

#### 14.11.1 Permitted Activities

- (I) The following activities are permitted activities if they meet the activity specific conditions set out in this table. These rules apply throughout the District.
- (2) Rule 14.2.1.1 will apply to the activities set out in this table unless there is a specific area, height 178 location and noise condition listed below.

Activity	Activity specific conditions	
PI Stormwater systems for new development or subdivision	<ul> <li>14.11.1.1</li> <li>(a) New development or subdivision must have a stormwater system that complies with all of the following conditions: <ul> <li>(i) Operates by gravity;</li> <li>(ii) Manages stormwater through a Stormwater Management Plan 179 in the following manner:</li> <li>A. Primary systems detain or retain 180 runoff from all impervious surfaces during a 10% Annual Exceedance Probability storm event to ensure that the rate of any stormwater discharge off-site is at or below predevelopment rates; and</li> <li>B. Secondary overflows are conveyed to a system or drainage path designed to collect concentrated stormwater during events up to and including a 1% Annual Exceedance Probability; or</li> <li>C. A controlled discharge to a network or receiving environment that will have equivalent capacity (as in (i) and (ii) above) once the catchment is fully developed.</li> <li>(iii) Stormwater management measures must be in place and operational upon the completion of subdivision and/or development;</li> <li>(iv) Systems must be designed using rainfall data specific to the area in which the property is located and be adjusted for a climate change temperature increase of 2.1°C;</li> <li>(v) Stormwater management measures, including low impact design measures, must be implemented as appropriate in accordance with the following drainage hierarchy:  A. Retention of rainwater/stormwater for reuse;  B. Soakage techniques;  C. Infiltration rate of a minimum of 7mm/hour;  D. Treatment, detention and gradual release to a watercourse;  E. Treatment, detention and gradual release to a piped stormwater system.</li> <li>F. Stormwater treatment shall address water quality: downstream erosion and scour effects; and cumulative volume effects.</li> <li>(vi) Where land is subject to instability, stormwater discharges directly to ground occurs only where the ground conditions have been identified as being suitable to absorb such discharges without causing, accelerating or contributing to land instability</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

<sup>178 697.47</sup> Waikato District Council

<sup>179 697.565</sup> Waikato District Council 180 81.248 Waikato Regional Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>181</sup> 81.150 Waikato Regional Council; 535.60 Hamilton City Council

and downstream effects either on the site or on neighbouring properties;  (vii) Connection of new development to any existing stormwater drainage system must not result in the minimum level of service not being met or the minimum level of capacity being exceeded. Alteration of the existing receiving stormwater network drainage system to achieve minimum level of service or additional onsite detention volume to ensure existing capacity will be required.  Notes:
(iii) (i) Acceptable means of compliance for the provision, design and construction of stormwater infrastructure, including low impact design features, are contained within the Regional Infrastructure Technical Specifications (RITS). Refer also to Waikato Stormwater Management Guideline and Waikato Stormwater Run-off Modelling Guideline.  (iii) A stormwater discharge consent may also be required from the Waikato Regional Council.

<del>P2</del>	The establishment of impervious surfaces associated with new development or subdivision 183	(a) The establishment of impervious surfaces associated with new development or subdivision that complies with the following condition:  (i) The maximum impervious surface of a site within the Residential Zone, Rangitahi Peninsula Zone, Village Zone or Country Living Zone is 70%.
		[Delete P2 and 14.11.1.2, and Re-locate 14.11.1.2 P2 and activity specific condition impervious area controls to the zone chapters Residential Zone; Rangitahi Peninsula Zone; Village Zone; and Country Living Zone] 185
P3	Wastewater servicing for new development or subdivision	<ul> <li>14.11.1.3</li> <li>(a) New development or subdivision must have a wastewater system that complies with the following conditions: <ul> <li>(i) Is connected to public, reticulated wastewater network; or</li> <li>(ii) Is connected to a community-scale wastewater system; or</li> <li>(iii) Is provided with a site-contained, alternative method of wastewater disposal that complies with AS/NZS 1547:2012.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
P4	Below ground pipelines for the conveyance of water, wastewater and stormwater	<ul> <li>(a) Below ground 186 Pipelines for the conveyance of water, wastewater and stormwater that comply with all of the following: <ol> <li>(i) Any aboveground section of a pipeline must comply with the following:</li> <li>A. Not exceed 25m in length, and</li> <li>B. Not exceed 300mm in diameter.</li> <li>(ii) Is not located within an Identified Area.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>

 <sup>182 697.50</sup> Waikato District Council; 81.144 Waikato Regional Council
 183 697.9; 697.51 Waikato District Council

<sup>184 697.310</sup> Waikato District Council 185 697.9; 697.51 Waikato District Council

<sup>186 697.52</sup> Waikato District Council

P5	Below ground pipelines for the conveyance of water, wastewater and stormwater located within an Identified Area	<ul> <li>(b) The maximum dimensions in Rule 14.11.14(a)(i) do not apply to any above-ground section of pipeline which is attached to or contained within the superstructure of a bridge.</li> <li>14.11.1.5</li> <li>(a) Below ground pipelines for the conveyance of water, wastewater and stormwater located within an Identified Area that comply with all of the following: <ul> <li>(i) There are no aboveground sections of pipeline within an Identified Area.</li> <li>(ii) Are not within a site or area in Schedule 30.1 or 30.3 or 30.4.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
P6	Pump stations for the conveyance of water, wastewater and stormwater	<ul> <li>(a) Pump stations for the conveyance of water, wastewater and stormwater that complies with the following conditions: <ul> <li>(i) Is not located within an Identified Area.</li> <li>(ii) Not exceed 10m² in area above-ground;</li> <li>(iii) Not exceed 3m in height.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
P7	Stormwater treatment, detention and retention facilities or devices	<ul> <li>(a) Stormwater treatment, detention and retention facilities or devices, excluding stormwater wetlands or ponds that comply with the following:</li> </ul>

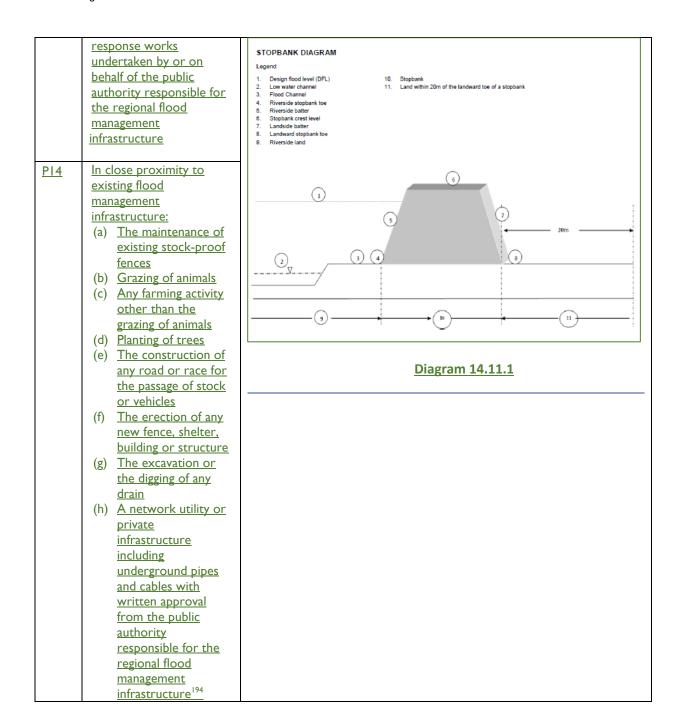
<sup>187 559.198</sup> Heritage NZPT 188 697.53 Waikato District Council 189 423.9 Watercare Services Limited

		(i) is not a stormwater wetland or pond. 190
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DO	T _	14.11.1.8
P8	Stormwater ponds or wetlands	<ul> <li>(a) Stormwater ponds or wetlands that comply with the following:</li> <li>(i) The area of the pond or wetland does not exceed the equivalent site building coverage conditions applicable to the zone.</li> </ul>
P9	Ventilation facilities,	14.11.1.8
	drop shafts and manholes	<ul><li>(a) Ventilation facilities, drop shafts and manholes that comply with the following:</li><li>(i) Are not located within an Identified Area.</li></ul>
PIO	Below ground reservoirs	14.11.1.9
		<ul> <li>(a) Below ground reservoirs that comply with all of the following:</li> <li>(i) Are not located within an Identified Area; or</li> <li>(ii) Are not located within road or unformed road.</li> </ul>
PII	PII Water supply	14.11.1.11
	servicing for new development or	(a) New development or subdivision must have a water supply system that
	subdivision 191	complies with the following conditions:
		(i) Is connected to any available public, reticulated water supply system
		nearby: 192
		(ii) In addition to connection to reticulated supply for potable water, may
		also use rainwater harvesting (installation of rain storage tanks for water conservation) to supplement water supply, but not for potable uses. 193
P12	The construction of new	14.11.1.12
	regional flood	(1) All pativising moves according to the following conditions:
	management	(1) All activities must comply with the following conditions:  (a) Activities are carried out:
	infrastructure in close proximity to existing flood	(i) within 20m of the landward toe of a stopbank (See diagram 14.11.1 below)
	management infrastructure, undertaken	(ii) On a stopbank
	by or on behalf of the	(iii) Within the flood channel (between a stopbank and river
	public authority	bank)
	responsible for the	(iv) Within a 20m radius of a pump station or floodgate.
	regional flood management	Advice note: Flood control schemes are managed by public authorities, and as
	<u>infrastructure</u>	such activities associated with flood control schemes require the approval of the
		relevant public authority.
<u>P13</u>	Flood control, renewal, maintenance,	
	unscheduled, and storm	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>190</sup> 697.54 Waikato District Council <sup>191</sup> 697.48 Waikato District Council

 <sup>192 535.61</sup> Hamilton City Council; 697.48 Waikato District Council
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#### 14.11.2 Restricted Discretionary Activities

- (a) The activities listed below are restricted discretionary activities.
- (b) Discretion to grant or decline consent and impose conditions is restricted to the matters of discretion set out in the following table.

Activit	У	Matters of Discretion
RDI	Stormwater systems for new development or subdivision that does not comply with	Discretion is restricted to:

<sup>194 81.190; 81.191</sup> Waikato Regional Council

	and an argue of the agriduation of D. L.	(a) The liber offers in the first of the second of the sec
	one or more of the conditions of Rule  14.11.1.1	(a) The likely effectiveness of the system to avoid flooding, nuisance or damage to other buildings and sites;
		(b) The capacity of the system and suitability to manage stormwater.
		(c) The potential for adverse effects to the
		environment in terms of stormwater quantity
		and stormwater quality effects. 195
		(d) Extent to which low impact design principles and approaches are used 196
RD2	The establishment of impervious surfaces	<del>Discretion is restricted to:</del>
	associated with new development or	(a) Site design, layout and amenity;
	subdivision that do not comply with one or	(b) The risk of flooding, nuisance or damage to
	more of the conditions of Rule 14.11.1.2	the <mark>site</mark> or other <mark>buildings</mark> and <mark>sites</mark> . <sup>197</sup>
RD3	Wastewater servicing for new	Discretion is restricted to:
	development or subdivision that do not	(a) Health and safety of the occupants;
	comply with one or more of the conditions	(b) Capacity of the system;
	of Rule 14.11.1.3	(c) Infiltration capacity of the soil;
		<ul> <li>(d) Location, including proximity to waterways and effects on habitats;</li> </ul>
		(e) Contamination of downstream properties by
		wastewater.
RD4	Below ground pipelines that do not comply	Discretion is restricted to:
	with one or more of the conditions of Rules	(a) The functional need and operational need of,
	14.11.1.4 and 14.11.1.5	and benefits derived from, the infrastructure;
RD5	Pump stations for the conveyance of water,	(b) Visual, streetscape and amenity effects;
	wastewater and stormwater located within	(c) Road network safety and efficiency; (d) The risk of bazards to public or individual
	an Identified Area, or larger than the	(d) The risk of hazards to public or individual safety, and risk of property damage; and
	area/height limits of Rule 14.11.1.6 <sup>198</sup>	(e) Effects on the specific values, qualities and
RD6	Stormwater ponds or wetlands, that serve	characteristics of any Identified Area.
	more than one site, located within:	,
	(v) (i) Residential Zone	
	(vi) (ii) Rangitahi Peninsula Zone	
	(vii) (iii) Village Zone	
	(viii) (iv) Country Living Zone	
	(ix) (v) Road and unformed road	
	(x) (vi) Identified Area. 199	
RD7	Outfall structures located within an	
	Identified Area	
RD8	Ventilation facilities, drop shafts and	
	manholes that do not comply with one or	
	more of the conditions of Rule 14.11.1.9	
RD9	Below ground reservoirs located within an	
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<sup>195 81.145</sup> Waikato Regional Council
- 196 81.7 Waikato Regional Council
197 697.56 Waikato District Council; 697.310 Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>198</sup> 697.53 Waikato District Council; 423.9 Watercare<sup>199</sup> 697.57 Waikato District Council

RDI0	Water supply that does not comply with Rule 14.11.1(P1).	Discretion is restricted to: (a) Health and safety of the occupants; and (b) Sufficiency of supply for fire-fighting. 200
RD11	New capital works relating to regional flood management infrastructure, including but not limited to flood control dams, flood gates, stopbanks, channels, and culverting of waterways.	Discretion is restricted to:  (a) The extent to which adverse effects are avoided, remedied or mitigated.  Advice Note: "Emergency Works" undertaken in accordance with Section 330 of the Resource Management Act 1991 in response to a sudden event causing or likely to cause loss of life, injury, or serious damage to property are a permitted activity.
RD12	Any other activity that is not permitted under Rule 14.11.1 P12, P13 or P14 but complies with activity specific condition 14.11.1.12 shall be a restricted discretionary activity.	Discretion is restricted to:  (a) The extent to which the activity will affect the integrity of the flood control asset  (b) The extent to which the activity will impede maintenance access  (c) Methods to avoid, remedy, or mitigate adverse effects on the integrity of the flood control assets  (d) Methods to avoid, remedy, or mitigate adverse effects on maintenance access.  Non-notification  Applications utilising RD12 that do not simultaneously trigger other consent requirements shall not be publicly notified and shall not be served on any party other than Council and the public authority responsible for the regional flood management infrastructure. 201

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>200</sup> 697.49 Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>201</sup> 81.190; 81.191 Waikato Regional Council

#### 14.11.3 Discretionary Activities

(a) The activities listed below are discretionary activities.

DI	Water treatment plants not located within road and or unformed road or an Identified Area 203
D2	Wastewater treatment plants located within the following:  (iv) (i) Industrial Zone  (v) (ii) Industrial Zone Heavy 204  (vi) (iii) Motor Sport and Recreation Zone
	(vii) (iv) Rural Zone (viii) (v) Country Living Zone (ix) (vi) Reserve Zone <sup>205</sup>
D3	Above ground reservoirs not located within an Identified Area <sup>206</sup>

#### 14.11.4 Non-Complying Activities

(a) The activities listed below are non-complying activities.

NCI	Water treatment plants located within the following:	
	<del>(i)</del> Road <del>and</del> <u>or <sup>207</sup></u> unformed road <del>; or</del>	
	(ii) Identified Area <sup>208</sup>	
NC2	Wastewater treatment plants located within the following:	
	(xix)(i) Residential Zone	
	(xx)(ii) Rangitahi Peninsula Zone	
	<del>(xxi)</del> (iii) Village Zone	
	(xxii)(iv) Business Zone	
	(xxiii)(v) Business Town Centre Zone	
	(xxiv)(vi) Tamahere Business Zone	
	(xxv) Te Kowhai Airpark Zone	
	(xxvi)(vii)_Road and unformed road	
	(xxvii)(viii) Identified Area 209	
NC3	Above ground reservoirs located within an Identified Area <sup>210</sup>	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>202</sup> 697.58 Waikato District Council - <sup>203</sup> 423.14; 423.15 Watercare

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>204</sup> 697.518 Waikato District Council

<sup>205 697.59</sup> Walkato District Council
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- 207 697.60 Walkato District Council
- 208 423.14; 423.15 Watercare

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>209</sup> 697.61 Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>210</sup> 423.14; 423.15 Watercare

## 14.12 Transportation

#### 14.12.1 Permitted Activities

(a) The following activities are permitted activities if they meet the activity specific conditions set out in this table. These rules apply throughout the District.

Activity		Activity specific conditions
<b>Activit</b>	Vehicle access for all activities	<ul> <li>I4.12.1.1</li> <li>(1) All activities must comply with the following vehicle access conditions: <ul> <li>(a) The site has a vehicle legal physical access to a formed road that is maintained by a road controlling authority; <sup>211</sup></li> <li>(b) The site has a vehicle access that is constructed to comply with the relevant requirements of Table 14.12.5.1, Figure 14.12.52, Table 14.12.5.3 and Figure 14.12.5. Table 14.12.5.14 and Table 14.12.5.15 <sup>212</sup> except: <ul> <li>i. Rule 14.12.1.1(1)(b) does not apply where the separation distance requirements of Table 14.12.5.1 and Figure 14.12.5.2 cannot be achieved on a site's road frontage due to existing vehicle accesses on adjacent sites;</li> <li>(c) No new vehicle access shall be created from Newell Road (south of Birchwood Lane);</li> </ul> </li> </ul></li></ul>
		and Figure 14.12.5.2 cannot be achieved on a site's road frontage due to existing vehicle accesses on adjacent sites;  (c) No new vehicle access shall be created from Newell Road
		(e) On a site with legal access to two roads, the activity only accesses the road with the lower classification in the road hierarchy in Tables 14.12.5.5 and 14.12.5.6 (where the roads have the same classification, access is only to the road with the lower average daily traffic movements);
		<ul> <li>(f) New vehicle accesses/entrances are not to be constructed to any site from the following roads: <ol> <li>Main Street, Huntly;</li> <li>Jesmond Street, Ngaruawahia;</li> <li>Bow Street, Raglan (James Street to Cliff Street);</li> <li>George Street, Tuakau (Gibson Road to Liverpool Street);</li> <li>Great South Road, Pokeno (Selby Street to Market Street); and</li> <li>Main Street, Te Kauwhata (Saleyard Road to Baird Avenue); and</li> </ol> </li> </ul>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>211</sup> 742.95 NZTA

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		(g) No new vehicle access shall be created within 30 metres of a railway level crossing.
		(h) All existing and new accesses and roads that cross an
		operational rail network via a level crossing must be
		maintained in accordance with the sight line triangles
		provided in Table 14.12.5.22. 213
		(i) New vehicle access shall not be located within an Identified
		Area <sup>214</sup>
		Note: Any new vehicle access (or additional land use utilising an
		existing vehicle entrance) on a <del>limited access road or</del> state highway
		will require the approval of the NZTA, as the road controlling
		authority, and on a limited access road will require the approval of the
		road controlling authority. 215
P2	On-site parking and	14.12.1.2
	loading	(1) All activities must comply with the following on-site parking and loading conditions:
		(a) The parking requirements in Table 14.12.5.7 and 14.12.5.11,
		noting:
		i. When calculating the requirements for parking and
		loading on the basis of the prescribed floor area, the
		area for parking, loading and manoeuvring shall be
		excluded; ii. If the calculation results in a fraction, then that figure
		shall be rounded to the nearest whole number;
		iii. 90 percentile car dimensions in Figure 14.12.5.8
		apply;
		iv. The requirements of Table 14.12.5.7 do not apply to residential and 216 rural activities;
		v. Parking spaces must comply with the New Zealand
		Building Code D1/AS1 New Zealand Standard for
		Design for Access and Mobility – Buildings and
		Associated Facilities (NZS: 4121-2001);
		vi. The number of accessible car park spaces required in Table 14.12.5.9 can be included in the number of car
		parking spaces required in Table 14.12.5.7.
		(b) On-site bicycle space requirements in Table 14.12.5.10,
		except:
		i. The requirements of Table 14.12.5.10 do not apply to residential and rural activities;
		(c) Any on-site car parking spaces for non-residential activities
		within the Residential Zones must be set back at least 3m
		from the road boundary of the site and screened by planting
		or fencing <u>from being viewed from the road;</u> <sup>217</sup>
		(d) On-site car parking spaces and loading bays are to be
		provided in accordance with the requirements of Table
		14.12.5.7, Figure 14.12.5.8 and Table 14.12.5.11 and be
		located on the same site as the activity for which they are
		required;

<sup>213 986.87</sup> KiwiRail 214 81.246 Waikato Regional Council 215 742.96 NZTA 216 742.98 NZTA; 697.62 Waikato District Council 217 697.63 Waikato District Council

		(e) On-site car parking spaces and loading bays are formed to be
		sealed if five or more parking spaces are required; 218
		(f) On-site car parking spaces and loading bays are to be
		permanently marked if five or more parking spaces are
		required;
		(g) On-site car parking spaces and loading bays are not to be
		located on any shared access or residential living 219 court;
		(h) Vehicles occupying any on-site car parking or loading spaces
		must have ready access to the road (or relevant access or
		right of way) at all times, without needing to move any other
		vehicle occupying other on-site car parking or loading spaces;
		(i) On-site car parking spaces and loading bays are not required
		on <mark>sites</mark> with sole frontages to the following:
		i. Main Street, Huntly;
		ii. Jesmond Street, Ngaruawahia;
		iii. Bow Street, Raglan (James Street to Cliff Street);
		iv. George Street, Tuakau (Gibson Road to Liverpool Street);
		v. Great South Road, Pokeno (Selby Street to Market
		Street);
		vi. Main Street, Te Kauwhata (Saleyard Road to Baird
		Avenue).
		(j) New on-site parking and loading bays shall not be located within an Identified Area 220
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<sup>218 697.64</sup> Waikato District Council 219 697.65 Waikato District Council 220 81.246 Waikato Regional Council 221 697.66 Waikato District Council 222 742.99 NZTA 223 742.101 NZTA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>224</sup> 742.101 NZTA

		i. Length is measured from the road boundary where
		vehicles first enter the site; and
		ii. On-site queuing above must not encroach into the
		required on-site manoeuvring area;
		(f) On-site manoeuvring and queuing spaces are not required on
		sites with vehicle accesses/entrances to the following:
		i. Main Street, Huntly;
		ii. Jesmond Street, Ngaruawahia;
		iii. Bow Street, Raglan (James Street to Cliff Street);
		iv. George Street, Tuakau (Gibson Road to Liverpool
		Street);
		v. Great South Road, Pokeno (Selby Street to Market
		Street);
		vi. Main Street, Te Kauwhata (Saleyard Road to Baird
		Avenue).
		(g) New on-site manoeuvring shall not be located within an Identified
		Area <sup>225</sup>
P4	Traffic generation	14.12.1.4
	Trame generation	(I) Where any site gains access from an arterial or regional arterial (including
		state highway) road, there is a maximum of 50 Equivalent Car Movements
		(ECM) per day. <sup>226</sup>
		Note: ECM - 1 car movement is equivalent to 1 car movement / 1 truck
		movement is equivalent to 3 car movements / 1 truck and trailer movement is
		equivalent to 5 car movements.
		Any activity Any other Each site 227 must comply with the following
		traffic generation conditions:
		(a) Within the Residential, Village or Country Living Zones there
		is a maximum of 100 vehicle movements per site 228 per day,
		and no more than 15% of these vehicle movements are heavy
		vehicle movements; or
		(b) Within the Rangitahi Peninsula Zone there is a maximum of
		200 vehicle movements per site 229 per day, and no more than
		5% of these vehicle movements are heavy vehicle movements;
		or
		(c) Within the Business Zone Tamahere, Business Zone or
		Business Town Centre Zone there is a maximum of 300
		vehicle movements per site 230 per day, and no more than
		15% of these vehicle movements are heavy vehicle
		movements; or
		(d) Within the Rural Zone:
		i. There is maximum 200 vehicle movements per site
		<sup>231</sup> per day and no more than 15% of these vehicle
		movements are heavy vehicle movements; or
		ii. For activities directly associated with horticulture
		harvesting, a maximum of 300 vehicle movements
		per site per day for up to a month, once in a 12
		month period and no more than 33% of these vehicle
		movements are heavy vehicle movements; or 232

<sup>225 81.246</sup> Waikato Regional Council
- 226 742.105 NZTA
227 697.68 Waikato District Council
228 742.102 NZTA
230 742.102 NZTA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>230</sup> 742.102 NZTA
<sup>231</sup> 742.102 NZTA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>232</sup> 419.107 Hort NZ; 466.3 Balle Bros Group

- iii. Within the Agricultural Research Centres identified on the planning maps as a Specific Area there is maximum 3000 vehicle movements <u>per site</u> <sup>233</sup> per day; or
- (e) Within the Industrial and Heavy Industrial Zone (excluding the Huntly Power Station and Huntly Quarry site):
  - i. Maximum 250 vehicle movements per site <sup>234</sup> per day and no more than 15% of these vehicle movements are heavy vehicle movements; or
- (f) From the Huntly Power Station site as shown as the Industrial Zone Heavy <sup>235</sup> on the planning maps:
  - All traffic vehicle 236 movements generated from all activities on the site combined (including those movements which were lawfully established prior to 5 December 2012), there is a maximum 750 vehicle movements per site 237 per day; and
  - Maximum 300 of these vehicle movements are heavy vehicle movements; or
- (g) From the Huntly Quarry site:
  - All traffic vehicle 238 movements generated from all activities on the site combined (excluding those movements which were lawfully established prior to 5 December 2012), there is maximum 350 vehicle movements per site 239 per day; and
  - ii. No more than 150 of these vehicle movements are heavy vehicle movements, increasing to 200 once the Huntly Bypass section of the Waikato Expressway is open for public use.
- (h) Within Precincts A and B of the Te Kowhai Airpark Zone <sup>240</sup> there is a maximum 250 vehicle movements per site <sup>241</sup> per day and no more than 15% of these vehicle movements are heavy vehicle movements.
- (i) Within Precincts C and D of the Te Kowhai Airpark Zone <sup>242</sup> there is a maximum of 30 vehicle movements per site <sup>243</sup> per day and no more than 4 of these vehicle movements are heavy vehicle movements except:
  - Movement restrictions do not apply if the activity is an event or promotion (including temporary events) in Precinct C or a community facility in Precinct C.
- (j) From the Horotiu Industrial Park does not exceed 15.4 trips/ha gross land area/peak hour. 244

Note: Where the likely traffic generation vehicle movement <sup>245</sup> rates or the actual generation rates of the actual activity are unknown, <sup>246</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>233</sup> 742.102 NZTA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>234</sup> 742.102 NZTA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>235</sup> 697.518 Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>236</sup> 697.67 Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>237</sup> 742.102 NZTA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>238</sup> 697.67 Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>239</sup> 742.102 NZTA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>240</sup> 697.519 Waikato District Council

<sup>742.102</sup> NZTA; 823.3 NZTE Operations Limited

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>242</sup> 697.519 Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>243</sup> 742.102 NZTA; 823.3 NZTE Operations Limited

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>244</sup> 578.39 POAL

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>245</sup> 781.8 Ministry of Education

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>246</sup> 578.39 POAL

		Table 14.12.5.13 provides indicative traffic generation rates for various activities.
P5	Operation, maintenance and minor upgrading of existing public roads, State Highways and associated road network activities	<ul> <li>14.12.1.5</li> <li>(1) Operation, maintenance and minor upgrading of existing public roads, State Highways, rail corridors and associated rail network and 247 road network activities must comply with the following conditions:         <ul> <li>(a) The works occur within the road reserve or unformed road or railway corridor; 248</li> <li>(b) Works within the road or railway corridor must be for the purpose of: 249</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
		(i) Maintaining or improving effectiveness or efficiency consistent with the Incidental to, and serve a supportive-function of for, 250 the existing public road or railway corridor; 96 or
		(ii) Maintaining or improving safety for road users or adjacent properties  Required for the safety of road users; or 251
		iii. Required for the safety of adjacent landowners or occupiers; 97
		Lighting shall be designed and located to comply with the Australia
		New Zealand Roading Lighting Standard 1158, (series) – Lighting for Roads and Public Spaces: 2005; and
		(c) Any earthworks must comply with Rule 14.3.1.3.
P6	New public roads, including where the road has been identified on the planning maps as an Indicative road, and associated road network activities	14.12.1.6  (1) New public roads, including where the road has been identified on the planning maps as an Indicative road, and associated road network activities must comply with the following conditions:  (a) The public road is located within road or unformed road as shown on the planning maps;  (b) The public road is not located within an Identified Area;  (c) The design requirements of Table 14.12.5.14 or 14.12.5.15, based on their function within the Road Hierarchy as set out in Table 14.12.5.5, except:  i. Any National routes or Regional arterial roads would shall 253 be subject to Rule 14.12.2 (RD6);  ii. The specified minimum Road/right of way reserve widths in Table 14.12.5.14 or 14.12.5.15 do not include any additional width required for a turning head;  iii. Any private access, right of way or access allotment over 70m in length must be constructed to be in accordance with the highest dimensions required for an access allotment in Table 14.12.5.14 or 14.12.5.15; and

 <sup>247 986.84</sup> KiwiRail
 248 742.103 NZTA; 986.84 KiwiRail
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		iv. The requirements of Table 14.12.5.14 or 14.12.5.15
		shall not apply to taxiways within the Te Kowhai
		Airpark Zone.
		(d) Within road or unformed road located within the Tamahere
		Country Living Zone, all roads must:
		i. Comply with the The The 254 minimum widths specified in
		Figure 14.12.5.17; and
		ii. Have swale drains on both sides of the carriageway
		capable of collecting all road runoff and overland flow towards the road or right of way from a 20%
		Annual Exceedance Period Probability 255 event; and
		iii. In areas of poorly-drained soils, either the
		stormwater is to be directed to areas with higher
		infiltration, or infiltration systems are to be
		constructed.
		(e) Within road or unformed road located within the Rangitahi
		Peninsula Zone, the relevant access and road requirements of
		the Rangitahi Structure Plan take priority over the conditions
		in Table 14.12.5.14 or 14.12.5.15 in the event of any conflict;
		(f) Within road or unformed road located within the Te
		Kauwhata Structure Plan area <u>, being</u> Residential Ecological Te
		Kauwhata, Residential West Te Kauwhata, and Residential Te
		Kauwhata South: <sup>256</sup>
		i. All roads and vehicle accesses shall be constructed in
		accordance with Table 14.12.5.14 and Figures
		14.12.5.18, 14.12.5.19 and 14.12.5.20; and
		ii. Stormwater collection must be through grassed
		swales prior to reaching reticulated systems.
		(g) Any earthworks must comply with Rule 14.3.1.3.
		Note: Where the conditions of Table 14.12.5.14 or 14.12.5.15 do not
		specify a specific dimension and instead state this aspect is subject to a
		specific design; this aspect of the road is considered to be exempt
		when determining a permitted activity under Rule 14.12.1.6(1). The
		design of that specific aspect of the road is therefore subject to a
		separate certification process by the relevant road controlling authority.
P7	Access and New Roads –	14.12.1.7
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	Te Kowhai Airpark	(I) Airpark roads which are to be vested in Council must comply
	Zone <sup>257</sup>	with the following conditions:
		(a) The design requirements of Table 14.12.5.14 or 14.12.5.15,
		based on their function within the Road Hierarchy as set out
		in Table 14.12.5.5, except:
		i. The requirements of Table 14.12.5.14 or 14.12.5.15 shall not apply to taxiways within Te Kowhai airpark.
		Shall not apply to taxiways within Te Nowhal airpark.
		(2) Road alignment and the taxiway network within the Te Kowhai
		Airpark Zone <sup>258</sup> shall be in general 259 accordance with Appendix 9
		The Te Kowhai Airpark Zone 260 Framework Plan.
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>254</sup> 742.242 NZTA
<sup>255</sup> 697.69 Waikato District Council
<sup>256</sup> 368.17 Ian McAlley
<sup>257</sup> 697.519 Waikato District Council
<sup>258</sup> 697.519 Waikato District Council
<sup>259</sup> 823.4 NZTE Operations Limited
<sup>260</sup> 697.519 Waikato District Council

P8	Off-road pedestrian	<ul> <li>(3) The western boundary of the Te Kowhai Airpark Zone<sup>261</sup> shall provide for future connectivity options (vehicular and / or pedestrian) in general 103 accordance with the location identified in Appendix 9 – The Te Kowhai Airpark Zone 262 Framework Plan.</li> <li>(4) Any earthworks must comply with Rule 14.3.1.3.</li> <li>14.12.1.8</li> </ul>
	walkways and cycleways facilities, <sup>263</sup> being sections of the public walkway and cycleway network that are not located within the road network <sup>264</sup>	(a) Off-road pedestrian walkways and/or cycleways cycling facilities, 265 that comply with all of the following conditions:  i. Have a minimum 2.0m width or 2.5m where alongside an arterial road or forming a shared path;  ii. Are formed;  iii. Comply with the relevant setback standards for the applicable zone; and 267  — iv. Any earthworks must comply with Rule 14.3.1.3; and iv. Are not located within an Identified Area
P9	Stock underpasses located within:  (a) Road and unformed road (b) Rural Zone	<ul> <li>14.12.1.9</li> <li>(1) Stock underpasses in the Rural Zone located in the road and unformed road that comply with all of the following conditions: <ul> <li>(a) Any earthworks must comply with Rule 14.3.1.3; and</li> <li>(b) Are not located within an Identified Area.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
PIO	Esplanade reserves and strips where a road is stopped	14.12.1.10 (a) Where land comprising a stopped road or any part of a stopped road adjoins:  (i) the mark of mean high water springs of the sea; or (ii) the bank of any river with an average width of 3 metres or more; or  (iii) the margin of any lake with an area of 8 hectares or more Section 345(3) of the Local Government Act 1974 and section 118 of the Public Works Act 1981 will apply only where the land comprising the stopped road or part of the stopped road is identified:  (iv) in Appendix 5 (Esplanade Priority Areas); or  (v) on the planning maps as requiring an esplanade reserve, esplanade strip or access strip to be set aside. 268

## 14.12.2 Restricted Discretionary Activities

- (a) The activities listed below are restricted discretionary activities.
- (b) Discretion to grant or decline consent and impose conditions is restricted to the matters of discretion set out in the following table.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>261</sup> 697.519 Waikato District Council

<sup>262 697.519</sup> Waikato District Council 263 697.71 Waikato District Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>264</sup> 535.63 Hamilton City Council

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>267</sup> 535.64 Hamilton City Council

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>268</sup> 697.80 Waikato District Council

Activity		Matters of Discretion
RDI	Vehicle access that does not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.12.1.1	Discretion is restricted to:  (a) Traffic generation by the activities to be served by the access;  (b) Location, design, construction and materials of the vehicle access;  (c) Safety for vehicles and pedestrians all users of the access and/or intersecting road including but not limited to vehicle occupants or riders and pedestrians; 269  (d) Road network safety and efficiency; and  (e) Mitigation to address safety and/or efficiency, including access clearance requirements for fire-fighting purposes. 270  (f) The foreseeable needs for access by emergency services and their vehicles 271  (g) The extent to which the safety and efficiency of rail and road operations will be adversely affected, including:  i. The outcome of any consultation with KiwiRail;  NZTA; Waikato District Council, as the rail or road controlling authority.  ii. Any characteristics of the proposed use that will make compliance unnecessary. 272  (h) Management of effects on the values of the Identified Area 273
RD2	On-site parking and loading that does not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.12.1.2	Discretion is restricted to:  (a) The number, area, type, location and marking of parking spaces;  (b) The area, design, gradient, stormwater management, construction and materials of parking and loading spaces,  (c) Accessibility of parking areas from on-site activities;  (d) Safety for vehicles and pedestrians all users of the access and/or intersecting road including but not limited to vehicle occupants, vehicle riders and pedestrians; 274  (e) Mitigation to address amenity and connectivity.  (f) Need for parking spaces. 275  (g) The foreseeable needs for access by emergency services and their vehicles. 276  (h) Management of effects on the values of the Identified Area <sup>277</sup>
RD3	On-site manoeuvring and queuing that does not comply	Discretion is restricted to:  (a) Location, area, design, construction and materials of the manoeuvring and queuing space;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>269</sup> 742.245 NZTA

<sup>270 378.17</sup> FENZ
271 297.51 Counties Manukau Police
272 986.86 KiwiRail
273 81.246 Waikato Regional Council
274 742.246 NZTA

 <sup>275 697.72</sup> Waikato District Council
 276 297.59 Counties Manukau Police
 277 81.246 Waikato Regional Council

	with one or more of the	(b)	Type and frequency of t	ıse;	
	conditions of Rule 14.12.1.3	(c)	Safety design for vehicle	es and pedestrians The design of	
			features intended to ens	sure safety for all users of the	
			access site, and/or inter	secting road including but not	
			limited to vehicle occup	ants, vehicle riders and	
			pedestrians; 278		
		(d)	Road network safety an	d efficiency.	
		<u>(e)</u>	Management of effects	on the values of the Identified	
		Area <sup>279</sup>			
RD4	Traffic generation that does not	Discreti	on is restricted to:		
	comply with one or more of the	(a)	The trip characteristics	of associated with the proposed	
	conditions of Rule 14.12.1.4	()	activity on the site; 280		
	Conditions of Rule 14.12.1.4	(b)		es and pedestrians The design of	
		( )		sure safety for all users of the	
			access site, and/or inter	secting road including but not	
			limited to vehicle occup	oants, vehicle riders and	
			pedestrians; 281		
		(c)	Road Land transport ne	etwork safety and efficiency,	
				fic times (of both the activity and	
			road network); 282		
		(d)	Mitigation to address ac	lverse effects, such as:	
			<ul> <li>Travel planning;</li> </ul>		
			• Providing alternativ	es to private vehicle trips,	
			including accessibili	ty to public transport;	
		<ul> <li>Staging development; and</li> </ul>			
		<ul> <li>Contributing to improvements to the road network.</li> </ul>			
		The following information shall be provided with an application			
			ource consent: <sup>283</sup>		
		(a)	If a site gains access from	m a regional arterial (including	
		( )		I generates 51 – 100 ECM per	
				Transport Assessment (ITA), or	
			more than 100 ECM pe	r day a broad ITA	
		(b)	If a site gains access from	m an arterial road and generates	
				a simple ITA, or more than 250	
			ECM per day a broad IT	<u>'A</u>	
		(c)		emplying with one or more of the	
			conditions of Rule 14.12		
			A simple ITA shall conta		
			escription	Details to be included	
		1. Backg	round	Description of proposed activity, purpose and intended use of ITA	
		2. Existi	ng land data	Description of location, site layout,	
			9	existing use, adjacent and	
				surrounding land use.	
		3. Existing transport data		Description of access arrangements, onsite car parking, surrounding road	
				network (including hierarchy, traffic	
				volumes and crash analysis).	
				Comment on public transport,	
				walking and cycling networks.	

<sup>278 742.104</sup> NZTA 279 81.246 Waikato Regional Council 280 742.106 NZTA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>281</sup> 742.107 NZTA <sup>282</sup> 742.108 NZTA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>283</sup> 742.105 NZTA

4. Committed environmental changes	Consideration of other developments and land use in the immediate
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5. Existing travel characteristics	Trip generation of existing use.
6. Proposal details	Consideration of other developments
	and land use in the immediate
	vicinity.
7. Predicted travel data	Trip generation of proposal.
	Consideration of other modes.
8. Appraisal of transportation	Assessment of safety, efficiency and
<u>effects</u>	environmental effects.
9. Avoiding or mitigating actions	Details of any mitigating measures and revised effects.
10. Compliance with policy and other frameworks	Waikato District Plan objectives, policies and rules.
11. Discussion and conclusions	Assessment of effects and conclusion of effects.
12. Recommendations	Proposed conditions (if any).
(e) A broad ITA shall conta	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
Item Description	Details to be included
I. Background	Description of proposed activity,
1. Dackground	purpose and intended use of ITA, outline of any previous discussions
2.5.4.4.1.1.1.	with Council
2. Existing land data	Description of location, site layout, existing use, adjacent and surrounding land use.
3. Existing transport data	Description of existing access and
3. Existing transport data	service arrangements, onsite car parking;
	Description of , surrounding road
	network (including hierarchy, traffic
	volumes, crash analysis, congestion
	and intersections;
	Description of public transport
4.6	modes, walking and cycling networks.
4. Committed environmental changes	Consideration of other developments
	and land use and transport network
	improvements (including public
	transport, walking and cycling)
5. Existing travel characteristics	Existing trip generation, modal split, assignment of trips to the network.
6. Proposal details	Description of the proposal (site
	layout, operational hours, vehicle
	access, on site car parking and drop
	off, internal vehicle circulation, end of
	journey facilities, travel demand
	management);
	Construction management
	Any staging, triggers and thresholds
7.0	for activities and mitigation measures.
7. Predicted travel data	Trip generation of proposal, modal
	split, trip assignment to the network,
	trip distribution and trip type
	proportions. Future traffic volumes
	and trip generation. Consideration of
	appropriate assessment year (eg 10
	year forecast for local and collector roads; 30 year forecast for arterials).
O Apprecial of the control of	
8. Appraisal of transportation	Assessment of safety, efficiency and
effects	environmental effects. Sensitivity testing
9. Avoiding or mitigating actions	Details of any mitigating measures
	and revised effects. This should
	include travel planning and travel
	demand management measures and
	sensitivity testing mitigations

RD5	Operation, maintenance and minor upgrading of existing public roads, State Highways and	10. Compliance with policy and other frameworks   Waikato District Plan objectives, policies and rules.     11. Discussion and conclusions   Assessment of effects and conclusion of effects.     12. Recommendations   Proposed conditions (if any).     Discretion is restricted to:   (a) Adverse effects on amenity values, including construction effects such as vibration and noise;
	associated road network activities that do not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.12.1.5	<ul> <li>(b) Adverse operational effects, particularly on residential or other sensitive land uses, including effects of vibration, noise, glare and vehicle emissions;</li> <li>(c) Severance and changes to drainage patterns;</li> <li>(d) The benefits provided by the activity, including safety and efficiency of the road network;</li> </ul>
RD6	New public roads, including where the road has been identified on the planning maps as an Indicative road, and associated road network activities that:  (i) Are not located within an Identified Area; and  (ii) Do not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.12.1.6	<ul> <li>(e) Management of sediment and dust, including the staging of works;</li> <li>(f) The volume, extent and depth of the earthworks activities;</li> <li>(g) The location of the earthworks activities, taking into account any effects on the values, qualities and characteristics of the site.</li> </ul>

RD7	Access and New Roads – Te Kowhai Airpark Zone <sup>284</sup> that do not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.12.1.7	Discretion is restricted to:  (a) The extent to which the Te Kowhai Airpark Zone 285 Framework Plan is not complied with;  (b) The extent to which connectivity can safely and practically be achieved between Te Kowhai aerodrome and Te Kowhai village;  (c) Adverse effects on amenity values, including construction effects such as vibration and noise;  (d) Adverse operational effects, particularly on residential or other sensitive land uses, including effects of vibration, noise, glare and vehicle emissions;  (e) Severance and changes to drainage patterns;  (f) The benefits provided by the activity, including safety and efficiency of the road network;  (g) Management of sediment and dust, including the staging of works;  (h) The volume, extent and depth of the earthworks activities;  (i) The location of the earthworks activities, taking into
		account any effects on the values, qualities and characteristics of the site or area; 286  (j) adverse effects on the safety and efficiency of the land

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>284</sup> 697.519 Waikato District Council
<sup>285</sup> 697.519 Waikato District Council
<sup>286</sup> 559.211 Heritage NZPT
<sup>287</sup> 742.109 NZTA

RD8	Off-road pedestrian and cycle facilities that do not comply with one or more of the conditions of Rule 14.12.1.8	Discretion is restricted to:  (a) Design, construction and materials; (b) Safety for cyclists and pedestrians; (c) Connectivity with other off-road pedestrian and cycle facilities and the road network; and (d) Visual and amenity effects. (e) The location of the earthworks activities, taking into account any effects on the values, qualities and characteristics of the site or area.		
RD9	Buildings and structures within a road/rail level crossing sight triangle	Discretion is restricted to:  1. The extent to which the safety and efficiency of rail and road operations will be adversely affected  2. The outcome of any consultation with KiwiRail  3. Any characteristics of the proposed use that will make compliance unnecessary. 289		

## 14.12.3 Discretionary Activities

(a) The activities listed below are discretionary activities.

DI	Stock underpasses not provided for under Rule 14.12.1.9
D2	New public roads, including where the road has been identified on the planning maps as an Indicative road, and associated road network activities that are located within an Identified Area
D3	Esplanade reserves where a road is stopped that does not comply with Rule (14.12.1.10) 290

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>288</sup> 559.212 Heritage NZPT <sup>289</sup> 986.87 KiwiRail

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>290</sup> 697.80 Waikato District Council

## 14.12.5 Transportation tables and figures

# Table 14.12.5.1 - Separation distances <sup>291</sup>

		Sepa	ration distance of an a	ccess onto a road fro	m an intersection or b	petween accesses			
Posted Speed Environment	Design Speed 292	Distance (m)							
			P K M					N	
		National Regional Arterial and Arterial	Collector Road and Local Road	National Regional Arterial and Arterial	Collector Road and Local Road	National Regional Arterial and Arterial	Collector Road and Local Road	National Regional Arterial and Arterial	Collector Road and Local Road
100 km/h	110 km/h	800	500	<del>200</del> - <u>500</u>	100		60	200	100
80 km/h	100 km/h	550	<del>200</del> <u>305</u>	<del>120</del> - <u>305</u>	80	-		100	80
70 km/h	80 km/h	220	200	<del>100</del> - <u>220</u>	30		45	40	30
<u>60 km/h</u>	70 km/h	160	<u>160</u>	160		<u>20</u>			<u>20</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>291</sup> 742.110 NZTA <sup>292</sup> 697.81 Waikato District Council

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50 km/h or less	<u>60 km/h</u>					
		125	100	<del>30</del> <u>125</u>	20	15

Note: The references P, K, M and N are illustrated in Figure 14.12.5.2

Figure 14.12.5.2 - Separation distances

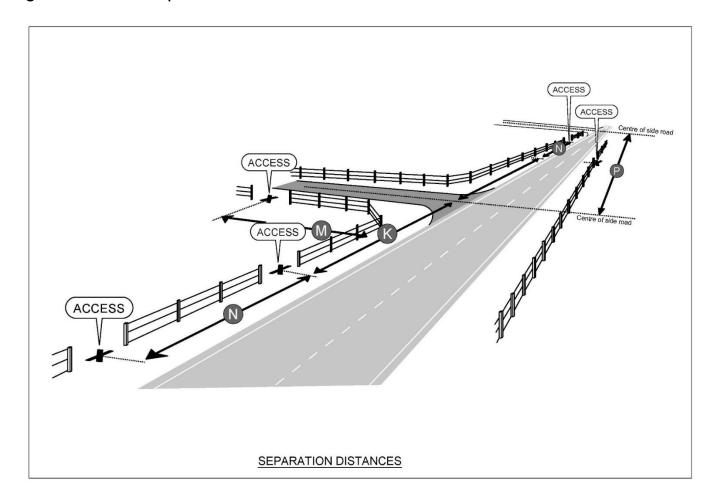


Table 14.12.5.3 - Minimum sight distances <sup>293</sup>

Design Speed Environment (km/h) 294	From a vehicle entrance generating up to	From a vehicle entrance generating more than 40 vehicle movements per day			
(km/n)	and including 40 vehicle movements per day	Rural Areas	Urban Areas		
40	40m <u>65m</u>	<del>70m</del> - <u>75m</u>	<del>60m-<u>65m</u></del>		
50	<del>60m</del> - <u>90m</u>	<del>90m</del> - <u>100m</u>	<del>80m</del> - <u>90m</u>		
60	<del>80m</del> - <u>I I 5m</u>	<del>115m</del> - <u>125m</u>	<del>105m</del> - <u>115m</u>		
70	<del>100m</del> - <u>140m</u>	<del>140m</del> - <u>150m</u>	<del>130m</del> - <u>140m</u>		
80	<del>130m</del> _ <u>180m</u>	<del>175m</del> - <u>180m</u>	<del>165m</del> - <u>170m</u>		
90	<del>160m</del> - <u>215m</u>	<del>210m</del> - <u>215m</u>			
100	<del>200m</del> - <u>250m</u>	250m			
110	<del>240m</del> <u>290m</u>	290m			
<del>120</del>		<del>330m</del>			

Note: Sight distances are measured as illustrated in Figure 14.12.5.4

Note: Urban areas being those with a posted speed limit of 70 km/h or below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>293</sup> 742.112 NZTA

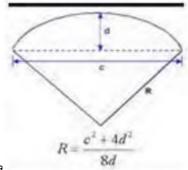
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>294</sup> 697.82 Waikato District Council

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Road Centreline Radius	Approx. Design Speed
<u>0 - 45m</u>	50 km/h
<u>45 - 60m</u>	60 km/h
<u>60 - 80m</u>	65 km/h
<u>80 - 100m</u>	70 km/h
<u>100 - 120m</u>	75 km/h
<u>120 - 150m</u>	80 km/h
<u>150 - 200m</u>	85 km/h
<u>200 - 300m</u>	95 km/h
<u>300 - 400m</u>	100 km/h
>400m	110km/h

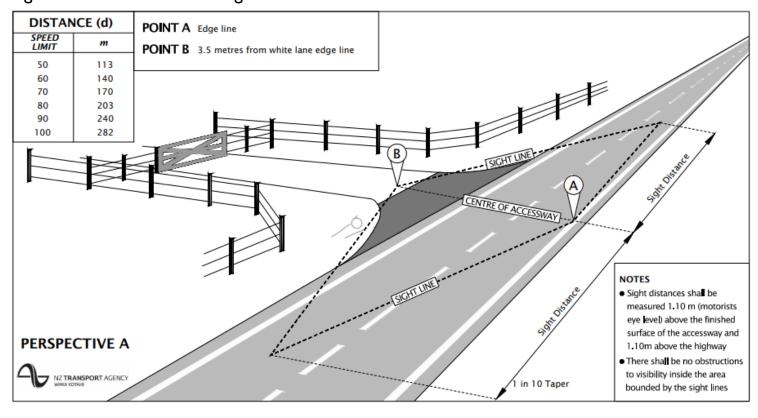
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>295</sup> 697.83 Waikato District Council



Curve radius can be determined using the following formula: 129

Figure 14.12.5.4 - Minimum sight distances



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<sup>296</sup> 742.113 NZTA

Table 14.12.5.5 - Functions of roads within the Road Hierarchy

Category	Function
National routes	Motorways, expressways and state highways that:              form a strategic network of national importance             provide for the collection and distribution of goods significant to the national economy             the through traffic function predominates.
<ul> <li>Regional arterial roads:</li> <li>state highways not included in National Routes category</li> <li>roads giving access to important tourist areas or centres of large populations</li> <li>roads linking different transport modes</li> <li>roads providing significant intra-urban links.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>State highways and roads that:</li> <li>form a strategic network of regional importance</li> <li>provide for the collection and distribution of goods significant to the regional economy</li> <li>rural roads that typically provide for more than 6,000 vehicle movements per day (vmpd)</li> </ul>
Arterial roads:	<ul> <li>include rest areas</li> <li>the through-traffic function predominates.</li> </ul> Roads that:
<ul> <li>links between residential, commercial, industrial or recreational land use activities</li> <li>provide alternative links between centres of population or are significant for the movement of goods or produce within the district.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>form a strategic network of district importance</li> <li>provide for the collection and distribution of goods significant to the district's economy</li> <li>rural roads that typically provide for less than 6,000 vehicle movements per day (vmpd)</li> <li>the through traffic function needs to be balanced against the property access function.</li> </ul>
Collector roads:	Roads that:
provide links between local roads and arterials.	<ul> <li>provide locally-preferred routes between or within areas of population or activities</li> <li>provide alternative routes to arterials</li> <li>are sealed and are of road geometry aligned with operational safety standards required for the traffic volumes on each section</li> <li>the through traffic function needs to be balanced against the property access function.</li> </ul>
Local roads	Roads whose primary function is property access.
Cul-de-sacs and no-exit roads	Roads that do not provide a vehicular thoroughfare between roads, and whose primary function is property access.

**Note:** Corridor widths, road standards and the location of structures and services will vary for each road category, in accordance with Tables 14.12.5.14 and 14.12.5.15.

Table 14.12.5.6 - Road Hierarchy list

National Routes			
Road Name	Start	Finish	
State Highway I	North district boundary	Hamilton City boundary	
State Highway I	Hamilton City boundary	South district boundary	
State Highway 2	State Highway I	East district boundary	
State Highway 26	Hamilton City boundary	East district boundary	

Regional Arterial			
Road Name	Start	Finish	
State Highway IB (Gordonton Road)	State Highway I	Taylor Road	
State Highway IB (Taylor Road)	Gordonton Road	Puketaha Road	
State Highway 1B (Puketaha Road)	Taylor Road	Telephone Road	
State Highway IB (Telephone Rd)	Puketaha Road	Holland Road	
State Highway IB (Marshmeadow Road)	Holland Road	State Highway 26	
State Highway IB (Hoeka Road)	State Highway 26	Tauwhare Road	
State Highway IB (Marychurch Road)	Tauwhare Road	Southeast district boundary	
Gordonton Road	Taylor Road	Hamilton City boundary	
State Highway 23	Hamilton City boundary	Manukau Road, Raglan	
State Highway 21 (Airport Road)	Tamahere interchange	West district boundary	
State Highway 39 (Koura Drive)	State Highway I	State Highway 39 (Limmer Road)	
State Highway 39 (Te Kowhai Road)	State Highway 39 (Koura Drive)	State Highway 39 (Limmer Road)	
State Highway 39 (Limmer Road)	State Highway 39 (Limmer Road)	State Highway 39 (Horotiu Road)	

Regional Arterial		
Road Name	Start	Finish
State Highway 39 (Horotiu Road)	State Highway 39 (Limmer Road)	State Highway 39 (Whatawhata Road)
State Highway 39 (Kakaramea Road)	State Highway 23	South district boundary
Great South Road	Gordonton Road	State Highway I (Waikato Expressway)

Arterial		
Road Name	Start	Finish
Buckland Road	Tuakau Road	George Street
George Street (Tuakau)	Buckland Road	Whangarata Road
Glen Murray Road	Te Ohaki Road	Marshall Road
Gordonton Road	Borman Road/Hamilton City boundary	State Highway IB/Taylor Road
Great South Road	Gordonton Road	State Highway I (Waikato Expressway)
Hetherington Road	Te Ohaki Road	State Highway 22
Holland Road	Ruakura Road	Waverley Road
Horotiu Bridge Road	River Road	Great South Road
Horotiu Road	Ngaruawahia Road	State Highway 39
Ngaruawahia Road	Havelock Road	Horotiu Road
Okaeria Road	Cozen Road	State Highway 2
Piako Road	State Highway IB	Valintine Road
Puketaha Road	Gordonton Road	Piako Road
River Road (Ngaruawahia)	Kay Road	Great South Road
River Road (Tuakau)	Whangarata Road	Tuakau Bridge
Ruakura Road	State Highway 26	District boundary
Tahuna Road	Ohinewai South Road	District boundary
Tauwhare Road	State Highway 21	State Highway 26
Te Kauwhata Road	State Highway I	Mahi Road
Victoria Road	Tauwhare Road	Bellevue Road
Waerenga Road	Wira Street	Cozen Road

Arterial		
Road Name	Start	Finish
Waverley Road	Holland Road	Piako Road
Whatawhata Avenue	Ellery Street	Havelock Road
Whitikahu Road	State Highway IB	Orini Road

Collector		
Road Name	Start	Finish
Aka Aka Road	Waiuku Road	Otaua Road
Bankier Road	Horsham Downs Road	State Highway 1B/Gordonton Road
Dean Road	Great South Road	State Highway I
George Street (Tuakau)	Dominion Road	Buckland Road
Great South Road (Huntly)	State Highway I	Rayner Road
Great South Road (Pokeno)	State Highway I	State Highway I
Hakanoa Street	Onslow Street	Fletcher Street
Harris Street	Rotowaro Road	Te Ohaki Road
Harrisville Road	Mill Road	Dominion Road
State Highway 22	Tuakau Bridge	Hetherington Road
Horace Russell Road	Riverbank Road	State Highway I
Kaiaua Road	Mangatangi Road	District boundary
Lake Road	River Road	State Highway 1B
Lyons Road	Mangatawhiri Road	Paparimu Road
Mangatangi Road	Mangatawhiri Road	Kaiaua Road
Mangatawhiri Road	State Highway 2	Mangatangi Road
Matangi Road	District boundary	Tauwhare Road
Mercer Ferry Road	Riverbank Road	Murray Road
Mile Bush Road	State Highway 22	Murray Road
Newell Road	State Highway I	Devine Road
Onewhero-Tuakau Bridge Road	State Highway 22	Speed restriction
Onslow Street	Cul-de-sac west end	William Street
Otaua Road	Aka Aka Road	Waiuku-Otaua Road
Paparimu Road	Lyons Road	District boundary

Collector		
Road Name	Start	Finish
Platt Road	State Highway 26	Tauwhare Road
Pokeno Road	Great South Road	Ridge Road
Rawiri Road	Mangatangi Road	State Highway 2
Rayner Road	Main Street	William Street
Rotowaro Road	Harris Street	Waingaro Road
State Highway 22	Tuakau Bridge	Hetherington Road
Tainui Bridge Road	State Highway I	Harris Street
Te Mata Road	State Highway 23	Ruapuke Road
Te Pahu Road	State Highway 23	District boundary
Tuakau Bridge-Port Waikato Road	State Highway 22	Maunsell Road
Waingaro Road	Great South Road	Ohautira Road
Wainui Road	Bow Street	Whaanga Road
Wainui Road/Bankart Street	Wainui Road (north)	Wainui Road (north)
Waiuku-Otaua Road	Otaua Road	Misa Road
Wallis Street	Bow Street	End of kerb and channel
Whangarata Road	River Road	Ridge Road
William Street	Rayner Road	Onslow Street

Table 14.12.5.7 – Required parking spaces and loading bays

Activity	Minimum Required Parking Spaces	Minimum Required Loading Bays
Bulk retail and car yards	I car space per I50m <sup>2</sup> gross floor area (GFA)	I heavy goods vehicle (HGV)
Child-care Early Childhood Education and day care facility 297	For facilities with less than 100 pupils, 10.5 car space per every full-time staff equivalent plus I car space per 510 children that the facility is designed to accommodate plus one 99% car loading bay:	Nil
	For facilities with 100 or more pupils,  2.5 car parks per new classroom or classroom equivalent (to be allocated as staff and visitor parking) plus one	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>297</sup> 781.7 Ministry of Education

Activity	Minimum Required Parking Spaces	Minimum Required Loading Bays
	99% car loading bay (or pick-up/drop-	
	off bay) per 100 pupils <sup>131</sup>	
Clubrooms at sports facilities	I car space per 35m² <mark>GFA</mark>	I HGV <u>heavy goods vehicle</u> <sup>298</sup>
Community facilities, conference facilities and place of assembly	I car space per I5m <sup>2</sup> GFA, or I per 5 persons that the facility is designed to accommodate, whichever is greater	I HGV <u>heavy goods vehicle</u> <sup>299</sup>
Marae complex	I car space per 15m² <mark>GFA</mark>	I HGV heavy goods vehicle 300
Papakaainga building	I car space per 30m² <mark>GFA</mark>	Nil
Dairies, takeaway food, bottle stores	I car space per 30m <sup>2</sup> GFA, except that in the Rangitahi Residential Zone I car space per 50m <sup>2</sup> GFA is required	I HGV, except that in the Rangitahi Residential Zone I HGV heavy goods vehicle 301 per 1000m <sup>2</sup> of GFA of Rangitahi commercial activity is required
Minor dwelling	l car space per <mark>dwelling</mark>	Nil
Dwelling	l car space is required for a dwelling on a site less than 300m² in area or for studio or I-bedroom residential units: 302  2 car spaces are required for all other dwellings with 2 or more bedrooms and one car space is required for studio or I-bedroom residential units.	Nil
<u>Dwellings located within the</u> <u>Lakeside Te Kauwhata</u> <u>Precinct</u>	I car space per dwelling on a site less than 300m <sup>2</sup> in area  [consequential deletion if 'Dwelling' amendment above is agreed][579.54 Lakeside2017; 697.73  Waikato District Council]]	<del>Nil</del>
Retirement village	I car space per dwelling or unit <u>except in</u> <u>Te Kauwhata Lakeside</u> <sup>303</sup>	Nil
<u>Te Kauwhata Lakeside</u> <u>Retirement Village</u>	0.5 car parking spaces per independent living unit and one visitor space for every 10 residents	<u>Nil</u>

<sup>298 697.76</sup> Waikato District Council
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302 386.15 Pokeno Village Holdings Limited; 697.73 Waikato District Council; 749.77 HNZC

<sup>303 579.56</sup> Lakeside2017; 697.73 Waikato District Council

<sup>304 579.57</sup> Lakeside2017; 697.73 Waikato District Council

Activity	Minimum Required Parking Spaces	Minimum Required Loading Bays
Retirement villages located		
within the Lakeside Te		
Kauwhata Precinct		
Multi-unit development	I car space per <mark>dwelling</mark> or unit	Nil
Boarding houses / boarding	I car space per three units 305	<u>Nil</u>
<u>establishments</u>		
Emergency service facilities	I car space per on-	Nil
,	duty staff person, plus sufficient space	
	for all the emergency vehicles that use the <mark>site</mark>	
Garden centres	I car space per 100m² <mark>site</mark> area	I HGV heavy goods vehicle 306
Health  facility, veterinary and pers  onal services	3 car spaces per <del>professional</del> <u>full-time staff</u> equivalent <sup>307</sup>	Nil
Home occupations	In addition to residential requirements,	Nil
•	I car space per employee plus I where	
	the activity attracts clients to the <mark>site</mark>	
Hospitality services	I car space per 10m² net public	I HGV heavy goods vehicle,
(e.g. cafés, taverns)	floor area, except that in the	except that in the Rangitahi
(e.g. cares, caverris)	Rangitahi Residential Zone 1 car	Residential Zone 1 HGV heavy
	pace per 15m <sup>2</sup> net public floor	goods vehicle per 1000m <sup>2</sup> GFA of
	area is required	Rangitahi commercial activity is required. 308
Housing for the elderly/ residential care	I car space per 4 occupants	Nil
Indoor sports facilities	4 car spaces per sports court or I	Nil
	car space per 4 persons provided for	
	in the design, whichever is the	
	greater number of carparks 309	
Industrial activity	I car space per 100m² <mark>GFA</mark>	I <del>HGV</del> <u>heavy goods</u> vehicle <sup>132</sup>
Infrastructure sites and	I car space per on-duty staff person	Nil
activities	No parking space requirement	
	shall apply to unstaffed facilities and sites	
Office	I car space per 35m² <mark>GFA</mark>	Nil
Outdoor sports field	15 car spaces per hectare of sports field	Nil

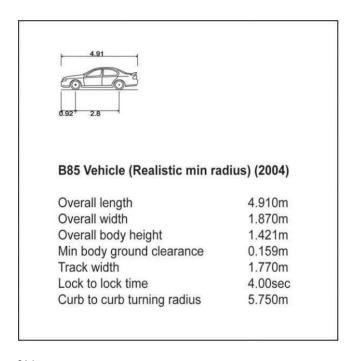
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Activity	Minimum Required Parking Spaces	Minimum Required Loading Bays
Hospital or care facilities associated with retirement village	2 car spaces per 3 patients accommodated plus 1 per 2 full- time staff equivalents	I HGV <u>heavy goods vehicle</u> 310
Retail activity	I car space per 30 m <sup>2</sup> <mark>GFA</mark> , including indoor and outdoor retail area	Nil
School	Primary - I car space for every full- time staff equivalent plus 2 for every 50 students accommodated plus one 99% car loading bay (or pick-up/drop- off bay) per 100 pupils. Secondary – I car space for every full-time staff equivalent plus I per 10 students accommodated in Years II to 13-3 car parks per new classroom or classroom equivalent plus one 99% car loading bay (or pick-up/drop-off bay) per 100 students	I bus space per 200 students where school bus services are provided
Service stations	I car space per 45m <sup>2</sup> GFA excluding car washes and canopies over petrol pumps, plus 3 queuing per car wash, plus 4 per repair bay	Nil
Supermarket activity	I car space per 25m <sup>2</sup> <mark>GFA</mark>	2 HGV  Under 2500m² GFA – I heavy goods vehicle  Over 2500m² GFA – 2 heavy goods vehicles
Tertiary education facilities	I car space per every full- time staff equivalent plus I per every 3 full-time equivalent students provided for by the institution	I HGV
Travellers' accommodation	I car space per 4 persons to be accom modated (or in the Rangitahi Peninsula Zone I car space per accommodation unit), plus 2 for manager residences with more than I bedroom, plus I for every 2 full-time staff equivalents (whichever is greater), plus	I HGV heavy goods vehicle 313

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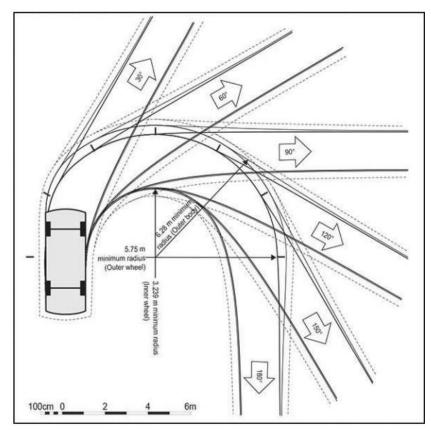
Activity	Minimum Required Parking Spaces	Minimum Required Loading Bays
	I coach park per 30 hotel or	
	back packers' beds	

Figure 14.12.5.8 – 90<sup>th</sup> Percentile car tracking curve minimum radius



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Note 1

The dotted line about the vehicle depicts a 300mm clearance about the vehicle.

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### Table 14.12.5.9 – Required accessible parking spaces

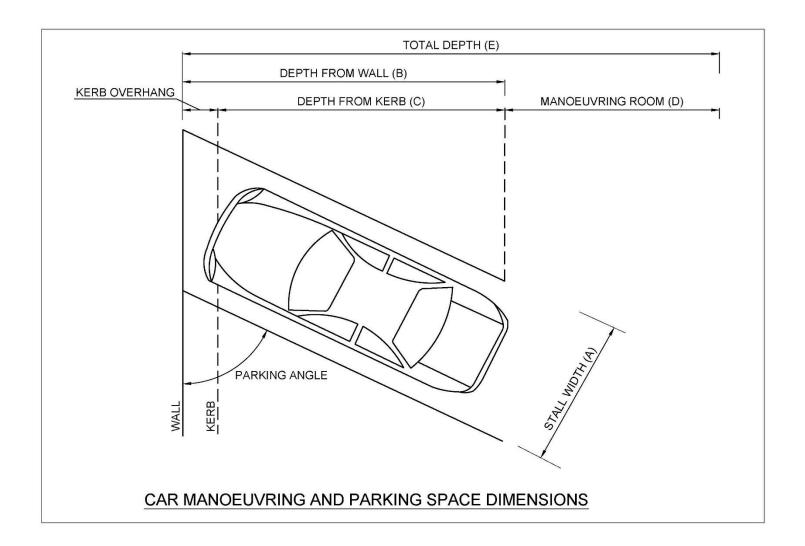
Total number of car park spaces being provided	Minimum number of accessible car park spaces
I-20	I
21-50	2
For every additional 50 car parks above 50 car park spaces	l additional

### Table 14.12.5.10 – Required bicycle spaces

Activity	Number of bicycle spaces
All activities	Bicycle parking spaces are provided at a ratio of 1 bicycle space for every 10 car park spaces required.

Table 14.12.5.11 – Car manoeuvring and parking space dimensions

Type of Parking		Stall Width (a)	Stall Width (a) Stall Depth		Aisle Width (d)	Total Depth (e)				
Parking	Туре		From Wall (b) From Kerb (c)			One Row	Two Rows			
Angle		ALL MEASUREMENTS ARE IN METRES								
0°	Parallel	2.5	See Note I		3.5	5.9	8.3			
30°	Nose in	2.5	4.2	4.0	3.5	7.7	11.9			
45°	Nose in	2.5	4.9	4.5	3.5	8.4	13.3			
60°	Nose in	2.5	5.4	4.9	4.1	9.5	14.9			
		2.6			3.5	8.9	14.3			
		2.7			3.5	8.9	14.3			
75°	Nose in	2.5	5.4	4.9	6.3	11.7	17.1			
		2.6			5.2	10.6	16.0			
		2.7			4.6	10.0	15.4			
90°	Nose in	2.5	5.1	4.6	7.7	12.8	17.9			
		2.6			7.0	12.1	17.2			
		2.7			6.8	11.9	17.0			



### Table 14.12.5.12 – Queuing space

Number of parking spaces	Minimum queuing length at each vehicle entrance
Less than 3	
Residential activities	No queuing space required.
3 - 20	5.5m
21 - 50	10.5m
51 - 100	15.5m
101 - 150	20.5m
ISI or over	25.5m
Drive-through facilities with access from an arterial road	50m

Table 14.12.5.13 – Traffic generation Vehicle movement rates 316

Activity	Indicative daily vehicle movements*					
Bulk retail and car yards	45 per 100m² gross floor area (GFA)					
Childcare - Early childhood education and day care facility 142	4 per child the facility is designed to accommodate					
Dairies, <del>takeaway food,</del> bottle stores	100 per 100m² GFA					
Takeaway food	360 per 100m <sup>2</sup> GFA <sup>317</sup>					
Dwellings	10 per dwelling					
Garden centres	100   100   100 m²   100					
Health facility veterinary, and personal services	79.4 319 per professional the facility is designed to accommodate					
Hospitality services (e.g. cafés, bars)	90 per 100m² GFA					
Housing for the elderly/residential care	2 per resident the facility is designed to accommodate					
Industrial activities	Manufacturing 30 per 100m <sup>2</sup> GFA Warehouse 2.4 per 100m <sup>2</sup> GFA <sup>320</sup>					
Offices	25 per 100m² GFA					
Hospital	15 per patient bed the facility is designed to accommodate					
Retail activity	I30 per I00m² GFA					
School	2 per student the primary school is designed to accommodate, or 1 per student the secondary school is designed to accommodate					
Service stations	700 per 100m² GFA					
Supermarket activity	130 per 100m² GFA					

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>316</sup> 781.8 Ministry of Education

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Tertiary education facilities	2 per student the facility is designed to accommodate					
Travellers' accommodation	3 per bed the facility is designed to accommodate					

<sup>\*</sup> Based on Trips and parking related to land use - NZ Transport Agency research report 453, November 2011

Table 14.12.5.14 – Access and road conditions (Residential, Village, Business, Business Town Centre, and Industrial, Te Kowhai Airpark 321, Rangitahi Peninsula and Motorsport and Recreation Zones) 322

General				Seal Width			Berms		General			
Road Type	Number of Allotments or Activities	Design Speed (km/h)	Design Vehicle (RTS 18 Vehicle)	*Minimum Road/ROW Reserve Width (m)	Minimum Trafficable Carriageway (m)	Minimum Median Provision (m)	Parking Provision	Minimum Total Seal Width (m) Does not include concrete kerb width	Minimum Services (m)	Minimum Footpath / Shared path (m)	Kerb and Channel / Water-table	Turning Area for no exit roads (RTS 18 Vehicle)
		Acce	ss and road cond	litions (Residential,	Village, Business, B	usiness Town Cer	ntre, Industrial and	I Industrial Zone	s Heavy <sup>323</sup> )			
Access leg to an allotment (Residential, Village)	I	N/A	8m Rigid	4	N/A							
Access leg to an <mark>allotment</mark> (Business and Industrial)	I	N/A	_	6	N/A							
Private access, including ROWs ar access allotments  (Residential, Village)	nd 2 to 4	N/A	-	8	5	N/A	N/A	4	Unsealed 1.2m on at least one side		Nib on one side, mountable on other	Subject to specific design that has been certified
Private access, including ROWs ar access allotments (Business and Industrial)	nd 2 to 8	N/A		10	6		N/A	6		I	Mountable	Subject to specific design that has been certified
Access allotment (Residential, Village)	5 to 8	N/A		8	5		Optional	5			Mountable	Yes
Service Lane (Business and Industrial)	N/A	N/A	Subject to specific design that has been certified	2.8	6		No parking	6	Subject to specific design that has been certified	Optional	Non-mountable	Subject to specific design that has been certified
Local Road (Residential, Village)	>8	50	8m Rigid	20	6	None	Im on each side	8	-	1.8m on each side		8m Rigid
Local Road (Business and Industrial)		I	19m Semi	-	9		Optional	9	-	I	l	19m Semi
Collector Road (Residential, Village)	>100	50	8m Rigid	22	6	Subject to specific design that has been certified	2.5m on each side	11	-	1.8m on each side		8m Rigid
Collector Road (Business and Industrial)		I	19m Semi		7		1	12	-	I	I	19m Semi
Arterial Road (Residential, Village)	N/A	60	19m Semi	30	10	3	Recessed 2.5m on each side	13	-	1.8m on each side		N/A

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Arterial Road (Business and Industrial)				
Local roads in Lorenzen Bay Structure Plan Area	50-80 (max)	N/A	(Complies with Figure 14.1.5.18)	2.5 metres on alternative sides  Subject to specific design that has been certified  Subject to specific design that has been certified  Subject to specific design that has been certified
Roads in Te Kauwhata Structure >I Plan area	50-80 (max)	N/A	20	Refer to Figures 14.1.5.19-14.1.5.21 (cross-sections)

#### Notes:

- The Regional Integrated Infrastructure Technical Specifications May 2018 324 contains further details on road width/design requirements.
- Figure 14.1.4.16 illustrates the various parts of the road (seal width, berm etc.) defined in Tables 14.12.4.14 and 14.12.4.15
- \*Accesses shall have a minimum height clearance of 4.0m and a maximum gradient of 1 in 5 (with minimum 4.0m transition ramps of 1 in 8) except where the access terminates less than 135m from the nearest road that has reticulated water supply (included hydrants). 325

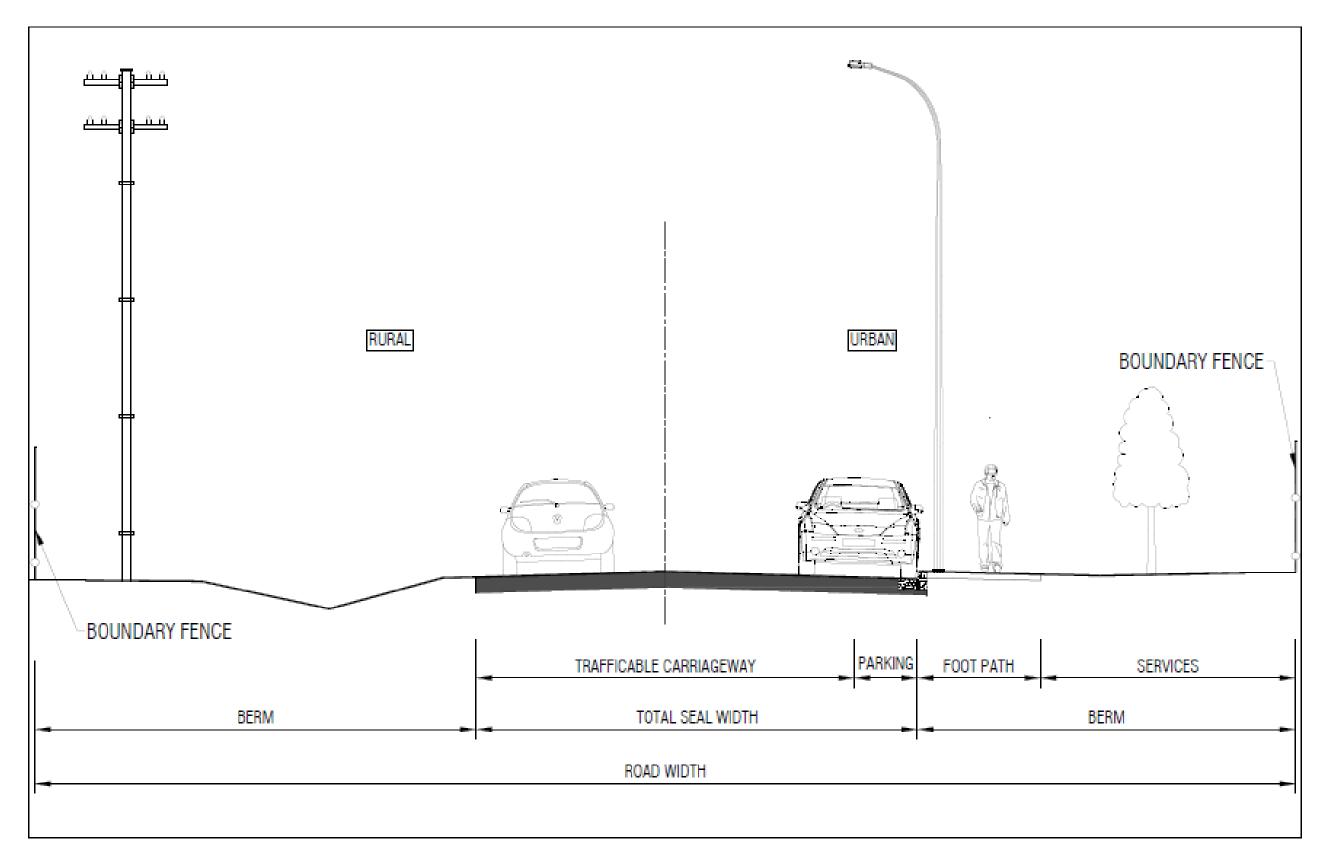
Table 14.12.5.15 – Access and road conditions (Rural and Country Living Zones)

	General				Seal Width				Berms		General	
Road Type	Number of Allotments or Activities	Design Speed (km/h)	Design Vehicle (RTS 18 Vehicle)	*Minimum Road/ROW Reserve Width (m)	Minimum Trafficable Carriageway (m)	Minimum Median Provision (m)	Parking Provision	Minimum Total Seal Width (m) Does not include concrete kerb width	(m)	Minimum Footpath / Shared path (m)	Kerb and Channel / Water-table	Turning area for no exit roads (RTS 18 Vehicle)
					Rural a	nd Country Living	Zones					
Access leg to an allotment	I	N/A	8m Rigid	6	N/A							
Private access, including ROWs and access allotments	2 to 3	N/A		6	3	N/A	N/A	3	Subject to specific design that has been certified		Optional	Subject to specific design that has been certified
Access allotment	4 to 8	N/A		10	5			5				Yes
Local	>8	Subject to specific design	Subject to specific design that has been certified		6	No		6		Subject to specific design that has been certified		8m Rigid
Collector < 1000 adt	>100		19m Semi	20	7	Subject to specific		8.5			specific design that has been certified.	
Collector >1000 adt or Arterial	N/A	110		20	7	design that has been certified		10			nas been cer uned.	N/A

#### Notes:

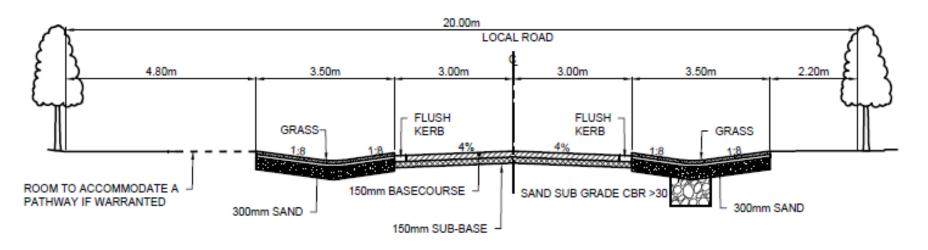
\*Accesses shall have a minimum height clearance of 4.0m and a maximum gradient of 1 in 5 (with minimum 4.0m transition ramps of 1 in 8) 326

Figure 14.12.5.16 – Attachment to Tables 14.12.5.14 and 14.12.5.15

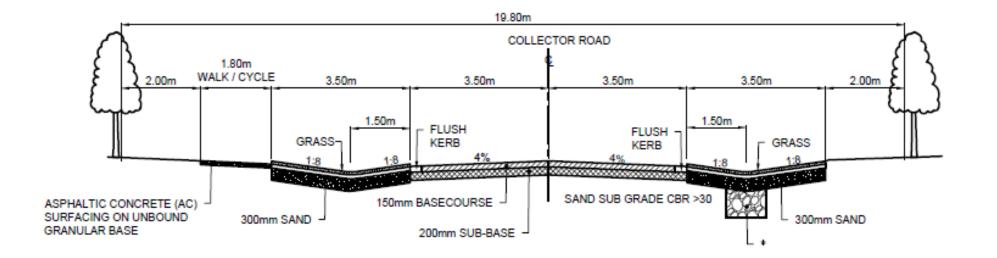


Note: The purpose of Figure 14.12.5.16 is to define the various aspects of the road as set out in Tables 14.12.5.14 and 14.12.5.15. Figure 14.12.5.16 is not intended to prescribe a preferred road layout.

Figure 14.12.5.17 – Tamahere Country Living Zone - Road cross sections



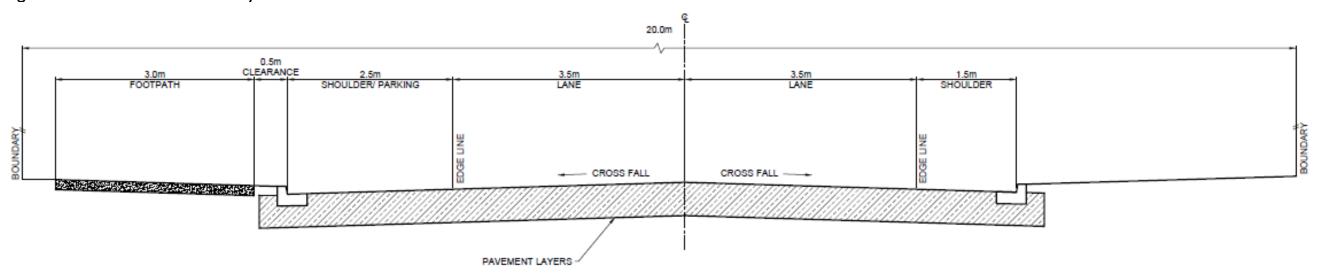
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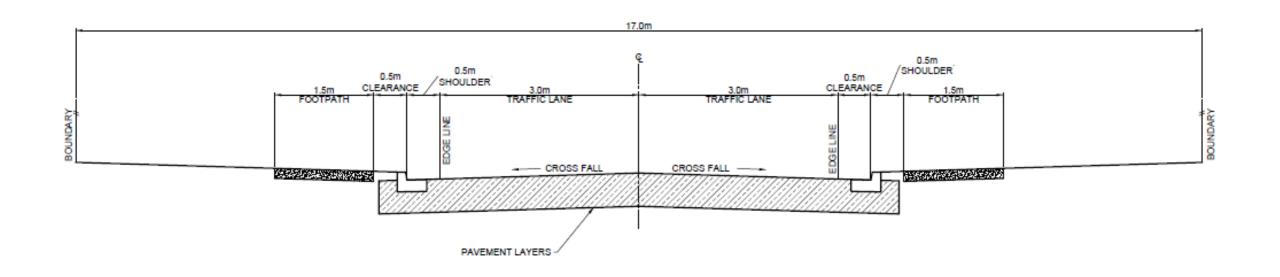
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Figure 14.12.5.18 - Lorenzen Bay Structure Plan - Road cross sections



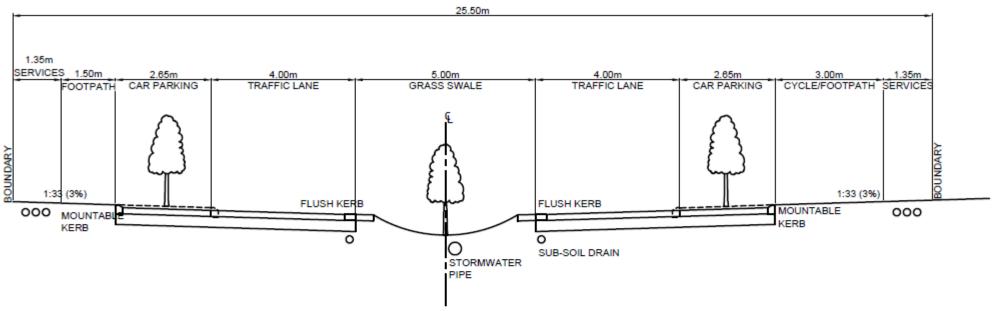
# CROSS SECTION THROUGH COLLECTOR ROAD - LORENZEN BAY SCALE: 1:25



## CROSS SECTION THROUGH MINOR ROAD - LORENZEN BAY SCALE: 1:25



Figure 14.12.5.19 – Te Kauwhata Structure Plan – Road cross sections – Collector Roads



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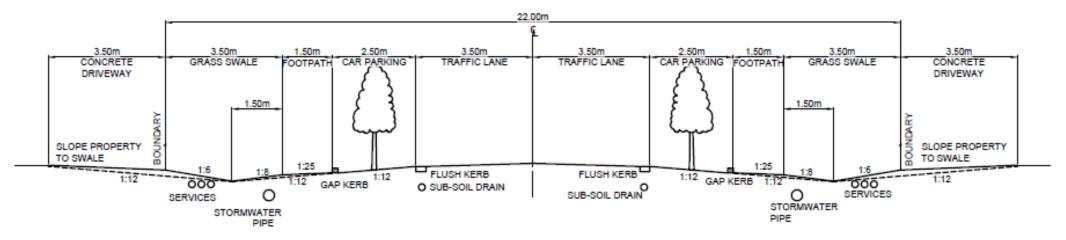
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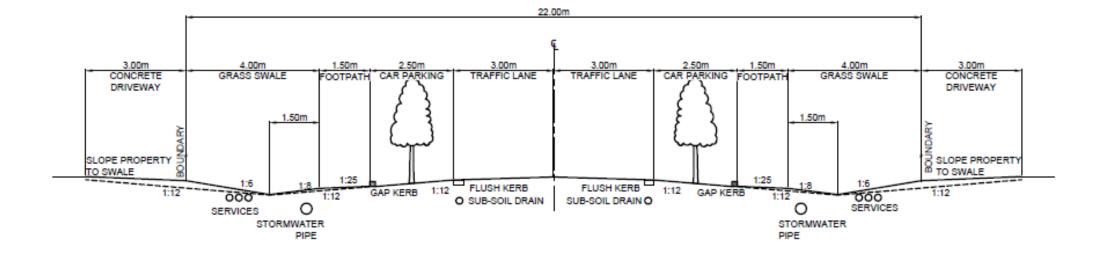
Figure 14.12.5.20 – Te Kauwhata Structure Plan – Road cross sections – Local Roads



# CROSS SECTION THROUGH LOCAL ROAD A (500</br> SCALE: 1:50 TE KAUWHATA STRUCTURE PLAN

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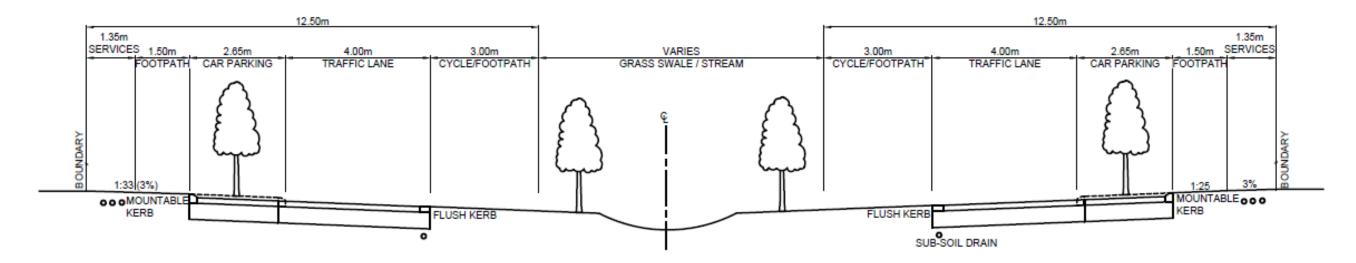
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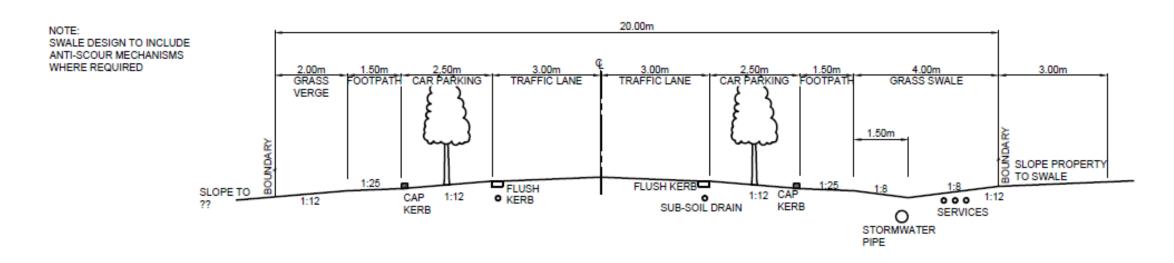
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Figure 14.12.5.21 – Te Kauwhata Structure Plan – Road cross sections – Greenway Corridor and Whangamarino Margin Roads



### CROSS SECTION THROUGH GREENWAY CORRIDOR 25m SCALE: 1:50 TE KAUWHATA STRUCTURE PLAN



CROSS SECTION THROUGH WHANGAMARINO MARGIN (vpd<500)
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#### 14.12.5.22 Railway Level Crossing Sight Triangles and Explanations

Level Crossing Sight Triangles and Explanations

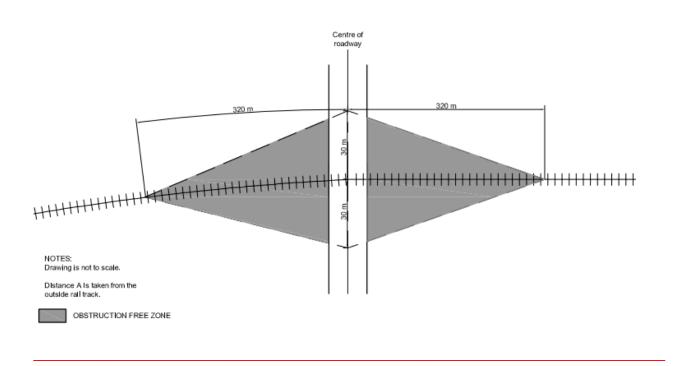
**Developments near Existing Level Crossings** 

It is important to maintain clear visibility around level crossings to reduce the risk of collisions. All the conditions set out in this standard apply during both the construction and operation stages of any development.

Approach sight triangles at level crossings with Give Way signs

On sites adjacent to rail level crossings controlled by Give Way signs, no building, structure or planting shall be located within the shaded areas shown in 14.12.5.22 Figure 1. These are defined by a sight triangle taken 30 metres from the outside rail and 320 metres along the railway track.

APPROACH SIGHT TRIANGLES AT RAILWAY LEVEL CROSSINGS



14.12.5.22 Figure 1: Approach Sight triangles for level crossings with "Give Way" Signs

Advice Note: The approach sight triangles ensure that clear visibility is achieved around rail level crossings with Give Way signs so that a driver approaching a rail level can either:

- See a train and stop before the crossing: or
- Continue at the approach speed and cross the level crossing safely.

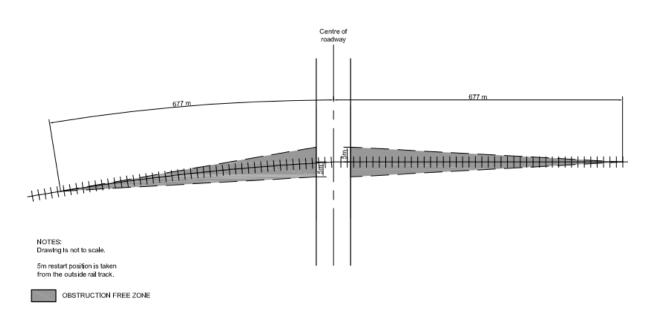
Of particular concern are developments that include shelter belts, tree planting, or series of building extensions. These conditions apply irrespective of whether any visual obstructions already exist.

No approach sight triangles apply for level crossings fitted with alarms and/or barrier arms. However, care should be taken to avoid developments that have the potential to obscure visibility of these alarm masts. This is particularly important where there is a curve in the road on the approach to the level crossing, or where the property boundary is close to the edge of the road surface and there is the potential for vegetation growth.

Restart sight triangles at level crossings

On sites adjacent to all rail level crossings, no building, structure or planting shall be located within the shaded areas shown in 14.12.5.22 Figure 2. These are defined by a sight triangle taken 5 metres from the outside rail and distance A along the railway track. Distance A depends on the type of control (14.12.5.22 Table 1).

#### RESTART SIGHT TRIANGLES AT RAILWAY LEVEL CROSSINGS



14.12.5.22 Figure 2: Restart Sight Triangles for all Level Crossings (except those fitted with train activities barriers)

#### 14.12.5.22 Table 1: Required Restart Sight Distances for Figure 2

Required approach visibility along tracks A (m)						
Signs only	Alarms only	Alarms and barriers				
<u>677 m</u>	<u>677 m</u>	<u>60m</u>				

Advice Note: The restart sight line triangles ensure that a road vehicle driver stopped at a level crossing can see far enough along the railway to be able to start off, cross and clear the level crossing safely before the arrival of any previously unseen train. Of particular concern are developments that include shelter belts, tree planting or series of building extensions. These conditions apply irrespective of whether any visual obstructions already exist.

#### Notes:

- 1. 14.12.5.22 Figures 1 and 2 show a single set of rail tracks only. For each additional set of tracks add 25 m to the along—track distance in Figure 1, and 50 m to the along—track distance in Figure 2.
- 2. All figures are based on the sighting distance formula used in NZTA Traffic Control Devices Manual 2008, Part 9 Level Crossings. The formulae in this document are performance based; however, the rule contains fixed parameters to enable easy application of the standard. Approach and restart distances are derived from a:
- train speed of 110 km/h
- vehicle approach speed of 20 km/h

- fall of 8 % on the approach to the level crossing and a rise of 8 % at the level crossing
- 25 m design truck length
- 90° angle between road and rail 327

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