

Appendix 4: Consultation

The below table sets out the consultation undertaken in accordance with Clause 3 and 4A, Schedule 1 of the Resource Management Act.

Table 1: Mana Whenua/Waikato Tainui			
Date	Who	Form	Topic
General			
16 June 2021	THaWK /Ngati Wairere	Hui	Introduction to the Plan Change programme
12 July 2021	Waikato-Tainui	email	Introduction to the Plan Change programme.
16 July 2021	Waikato-Tainui	email	Communications from HCC sent to Waikato-Tainui and all stakeholders about Plan Change programme.
28 July 2021	THaWK /Ngati Wairere	Hui	Plan Change Programme overview
29 July 2021	Waikato-Tainui Environmental Team.	Hui	Plan Change programme overview
10 August 2021	Marae Tukere (Waikato-Tainui Acting CEO)	Hui	Update on the Plan Change programme, highlighting the Accessibility and Modal Transport workstream.
3 September 2021	THaWK	Hui	RMA online training
22 September 2021	THaWK, Ngaati Wairere and Waikato-Tainui.	Hui	Te Ture Whaimana presentation
23 September 2021	THaWK, Ngaati Wairere and Waikato-Tainui.	Hui	Second session for Te Ture Whaimana presentation.
20 October 2021	THaWK /Ngati Wairere	Hui	Plan Change programme update
16 December 2021	THaWK	Hui	Plan Change programme update
22 February 2022	Waikato-Tainui Management and Environmental Team	Hui	Plan Change programme update

2 March 2022	Te Arataura (Waikato Tainui board)	Hui	Plan Change programme update
Significant Natural Areas			
8 March 2022	Waikato-Tainui	Hui	Significant Natural Areas workstream
10 March 2022	Waikato-Tainui	Memo	Summary SNA discussion paper
14 March 2022	Ngaati Wairere representative	Hui	Significant Natural Areas workstream
16 March 2022	Waikato Tainui	Joint Management Governance meeting	Updates on the Plan Change programme.
1 June 2022	Waikato Tainui	Joint Management Governance meeting	Updates on the Plan Change programme.
Archaeological and Cultural sites			
February 2020	Waikato Tainui/THaWK/Ngati Wairere	Hui	Review of archaeological and cultural sites inventory
6 March 2020	Waikato Tainui/THaWK/Ngati Wairere	Hui	Discussion and agreement of approach to updating the archaeological sites inventory
15 October 2020	Waikato Tainui/THaWK/Ngati Wairere	Hui	Recirculated draft reports were discussed.
15 June 2021	Waikato Tainui/THaWK/Ngati Wairere	Hui	Confirmation that the archaeological inventory will add another 50 sites to the district plan.
15 November 2021	THaWK	Hui	Discussion on draft plan provisions
25 November 2021	THaWK	Hui	Discussion on revised draft plan provisions
14 December 2021	THaWK	Hui	Further discussion on revised draft plan provisions
17 December 2021	Ngati Wairere	Hui	Discussion on draft plan provisions

Table 2: Elected Members		
Date	Who	Topic
8 December 2021	District plan committee meeting	Approval of the proposed DP plan change programme approach which included: 1. New/expanded Significant Natural Areas (SNA) and protection for indigenous habitat 2. Reviewing the schedule of heritage listed sites and refreshing the protected tree schedule.
4 March 2021	District plan committee meeting	DP plan change programme
28 April 2021	District plan committee meeting	Historic heritage-work done to date
1 June 2021	District plan committee meeting	SNA & Historic heritage update
7 March 2022	Elected Member workshop	Included a Plan Change 9 update
10 March 2022	District plan committee meeting	Plan Change 9 timeframes & appointment of an independent chair for Plan Change 9
14 April 2022	Elected Member briefing	Plan Change 9 update
27 April 2022	Elected Member briefing	Historic Heritage update
3 May 2022	DP committee briefing	Historic Heritage Area and Archaeological and Cultural sites update.

16 June 2022	DP committee meeting	Plan Change 9 update consisting of the draft section 32 report & draft plan provisions.
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Table 3: Identified Stakeholders			
Date	Who	Form	Topic
7 April 2021	Kainga Ora	Meeting	Qualifying Matters including Historic Heritage Areas
1 June 2021	Go Eco	Meeting	SNA update
1 September 2021	Targeted stakeholders	Webinar	Plan Change programme
12 November 2021	Kainga Ora	Meeting	Discussion about potential Built Heritage items Kainga Ora own
22 November 2021	Heritage NZ, Waikato Historical society, Waikato Heritage group	Meeting	Historic Heritage update
21 January 2022	Waikato Regional Council	Meeting	Peer review of draft Significant Natural Areas of Hamilton City: Terrestrial and Wetland ecosystems report and draft dataset.
16 March 2022	Department of Conservation	Meeting	Peer review of draft Significant Natural Areas of Hamilton City: Terrestrial and Wetland Ecosystems report and draft dataset.
25 March 2022	Waikato Regional Council	Meeting	Significant Natural Areas planning provisions workshop
1 April 2022	Targeted stakeholders	Meeting	Plan Change programme

27 May 2022	Kainga Ora	Meeting	Built Heritage & Historic Heritage Areas
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Table 4: Landowners		
Date	Topic	Further detail
Jul-21	Built heritage assessments	This letter introduced the work relating to Built Heritage to be undertaken as part of the plan change process to potentially impacted landowners.
Jul-21	Notable trees	This letter introduced the work relating to notable trees to be undertaken as part of the plan change process to potentially impacted residents.
Nov-21	Built heritage	This letter informed landowners that initial assessments identified the building for further visual assessment
Nov-21	Notable trees	This letter sought permission from landowners for site access to do a visual assessment.
Dec-21	Built heritage	This letter sought permission from landowners for site access to do a visual assessment.
Dec-21	Built Heritage	This letter informed landowners that their property did not meet the criteria for further assessment
Jan-22	Significant Natural Areas	This letter introduced the work relating to SNAs to be undertaken as part of the plan change process to potentially impacted residents.
Feb-22	Built heritage	This letter informed landowners that initial assessments identified the building for further visual assessment
Feb-22	Built Heritage	This letter informed landowners that their property did not meet the criteria for further assessment
May-22	All PC9 matters	This letter sets out all of the matters under plan change 9 that impacts individual landowners, provides links to further information and invites them to a set of webinars to be held.

Table 5: Statutory Bodies		
Date	Statutory Body	Feedback
3 June 2022 – Draft s.32 Documentation, planning provisions and technical reports provided	Ministry for the Environment (CouncilPlanning@mfe.govt.nz)	As of 21 June 2022 no feedback received
	Ministry of Culture and Heritage (info@mch.govt.nz)	As of 21 June 2022 no feedback received
	Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga (HNZPT) (bpick@heritage.org.nz and CMcAlley@heritage.org.nz)	Received 17 June 2022 – HNZPT is supportive of PC9; provided specific feedback of cultural values and archaeological sites. Some of which has been incorporated into the final set of proposed planning provisions relating to archaeological and cultural sites.
	Department of Conservation (milewis@doc.govt.nz and hamilton@doc.govt.nz)	As of 21 June 2022 no feedback received
	Waikato Regional Council (WRC) (info@waikatoregion.govt.nz and Michelle.Begbie@waikatoregion.govt.nz)	Received 17 June 2022 – WRC's feedback related to SNAs only. Some of which has been incorporated into the final set of proposed planning provisions relating to SNAs.
	Waikato District Council (tony.quickfall@waipadc.govt.nz Waikato and jim.ebenhoh@waidc.govt.nz)	As of 21 June 2022 no feedback received
	Waipa District Council (Wayne.allen@waipadc.govt.nz and info@waipadc.govt.nz)	Received 22 June 2022 – Waipa District Council advised “ <i>we appreciate the opportunity and don't have any comment to make.</i> ”

Table 6: Waikato-Tainui, Iwi Authority		
Date	Feedback	
3 June 2022 - Draft s.32 Documentation, planning	Chapter 19 – Historic Heritage	Supportive of the amendments proposed to the Activity Status table (19.3.2).

provisions and technical reports provided		Supportive of the need for engagement with Mana Whenua when undertaking earthworks within archaeological sites.
		Supports the addition of policy 19.2.1d as this give effect to Objective B and C of Te Ture Whaimana o Te Awa o Waikato.
		Supportive of rule 19.8 – Other Methods. Nevertheless, this rule has been deleted from the final version of planning provisions as it is considered HCC is committed to do this and does not need to set out in the district plan.
Chapter 20 – Natural Environments		Supports the recognition of the role of Mana Whenua as kaitiaki of SNAs and indigenous biodiversity.
		Supports the amendments providing clear permitted activity pathways for activities that need to be enabled in SNAs, specifically customary activities.
		Noted that SNA's have been identified on Waikato-Tainui land and these lands held by Waikato-Tainui Land Holding Trustee should not be subject to the provisions of the SNA if it limits, or prevent achieving the aspirations of the Iwi Authority.
		Supports the amendments to include the while of the Waikato River corridor and gully systems.
Sites and Areas of Significance to Maaori (SASM)		Waikato-Tainui understand that the SASM work has been decoupled from PC9. Waikato-Tainui see value and importance in keeping the SASM and would like to see that progress as this achieves sections 5 and 6 of the RMA; and is included in the definition of 'historic heritage'.