PUBLIC NOTICE OF PLAN CHANGE 9

PROPOSED PLAN CHANGE 9 TO THE HAMILTON CITY OPERATIVE DISTRICT PLAN: HISTORIC HERITAGE AND NATURAL ENVIRONMENTS

CLAUSE 5, SCHEDULE 1, RESOURCE MANAGEMENT ACT 1991

Hamilton City Council has prepared Proposed Plan Change 9 - Historic Heritage and Natural Environments to the Hamilton City Operative District Plan 2017 under Schedule 1 to the Resource Management Act 1991 (RMA) and is now calling for submissions.

The purpose of this plan change is for the identification and protection of historic heritage or natural environments as defined by the RMA. The recommendations are from research undertaken on the following five subject matters:

- Archaeological and cultural sites
- Built heritage
- Historic Heritage Areas (HHA)
- Notable trees
- Significant Natural Areas (SNA).

WHERE PLAN CHANGE 9 CAN BE VIEWED

Proposed Plan Change 9 is available to view at Council offices in Garden Place, at all Hamilton City Libraries and online at hamilton.govt.nz/PlanChange9.

MAKING A SUBMISSION

Anyone can make a submission on Plan Change 9 online or by picking up at hard copy at Council offices in Garden Place or at all Hamilton City Libraries. You don't have to be an expert, a resident or ratepayer of Hamilton.

Submissions can be:

- made online at hamilton.govt.nz/haveyoursay
- delivered to Council offices in Garden Place
- posted to Freepost 172189, Hamilton City Council, Private Bag 3010, Hamilton 3240, Attn: Plan Change 9 Submission
- emailed to haveyoursay@hcc.govt.nz.

The submission period starts on 22 July 2022 and closes on 19 August 2022.

You must state in your submission form whether you wish to be heard in support of your submission. The relief you seek through your submission must be clearly set out.

Staff are available to discuss any concerns or questions with you. Please make contact on 07 838 6699 then ask to speak with the City Planning Unit or email **planchange@hcc.govt.nz**.

PROCESS FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

- After submissions have closed, Council will prepare a summary of decisions requested by submitters and give public notice of the availability of this summary and where both the summary and submissions can be viewed.
- The following persons may make a further submission in support of, or in opposition to, the submissions already made:
 - o Any person representing a relevant aspect of the public interest.
 - o Any person who has an interest in the proposal greater than the general public has.
 - o Council itself.
- If a person making a submission asks to be heard in support of their submission, a hearing must be held.
- Council must give its decision on the provisions and matters raised in the submissions (including its reasons for accepting or rejecting submissions) and give public notice of its decision.
- Any person who has made a submission has the right to appeal against the decision on Plan Change 9 to the Environment Court. Any appeal must be confined to matters referred to in the submission or further submission.

Hamilton

aunihera o Kirikiriroa

Notification date: 22 July 2022

SUBMISSIONS CLOSE ON FRIDAY 19 AUGUST 2022

Chief Executive Hamilton City Council Private Bag 3010, Hamilton 3240