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This is a submission on:

APPLICANT'S NAME: Global Contracting Solutions Limited

LOCATION: 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

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Support parts or all of ☐ Oppose parts or all of ☒ are neutral parts or all of ☐
include—

- the reasons for your views.

~~Decline the application~~
Please see attached. (cow farts and bunnies and this stinky thing? allowed???)

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

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I am Mark Anthony Stead a
well known both hated and loved
Respected community member

This plastic and Junk proposed
to be burnt for electricity is
full of plastic Nano Particulates and
carcinogenic Junk. The same sort
of rubbish ~~was~~ (the Government) spread over
us during the Fake pandemic and
you put Junk in our water to make
us sick. This power station burning
if Junk will add to the Burden
that promotes ill health and sickness
in a community that is dear to me.
Because I have Tolerated (excuse the filthy
word) the utter gaslighting and Hypocrisy
on a day to day Basis I won't stand
for this any longer as the Government at
the day complains of cows farting while
this goes on (your Junk Pollution Bill)

I request/do not request*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: _____

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: _____

Contact person: _____

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: _____

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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Form 13

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include—

- the reasons for your views.

I don't believe that this could all be contained as you assert. ~~It is~~ Ash will get out and ruin our large veg garden + fruit trees which are spray free. Not to mention all the health problems that will occur.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

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Decline application

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Signature of submitter: Ch Mathus
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Christine Mathus

Date: 12.10.2023 Contact person: Ian Charles Mathus
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 290 Mangapika Street, Te Awamutu
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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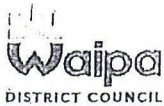
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Form 15

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The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

The entire application

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐
include—

- the reasons for your views.

Health issues unknown long term effects.
Drop in developer prices already!
Air pollution.

Risk losing guests to our
properties.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

To decline the entire application

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

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Signature of submitter: Ruth West
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

mt Pirongia Coast House

Date: 12/10/23

Contact person: Ruth West
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 373/1 Sainsbury Rd, RD6, Te Awamutu 3878
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

The whole application.

My submission is:

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include—

- the reasons for your views.

As per my attached submission (2 pages).
Concerns for human and environmental health.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

To decline the application in its entirety.

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

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Submission opposing the application by Global Contracting Solutions Limited to build a proposed incineration facility at 401 Racecourse Road Te Awamutu.

We found out about the planned incinerator just 10 days before the deadline closed for submissions.

This does not allow adequate time for a thorough response from the general public and the people immediately affected in the community.

The Ministry for the Environment Fact Sheet: 'A waste to energy guide for New Zealand' gives four basic principles to consider whether a Waste to Energy proposal is viable. Principle Four states: *"There should be a strong level of support from the community and Treaty partners"*.

Here in Waipā there is a huge level of community opposition to the Waste to Energy incinerator and the applicant, Global Contracting Solutions Limited (GCS) has one only email of support from a single local iwi member. We suggest the Crown (as a Treaty partner) decline any and all application/s for Waste to Energy plants not only here in Te Awamutu, but anywhere in Aotearoa New Zealand.

We do not believe it is in the best interests of the people of Waipā and their descendants to allow this incinerator to be built and to emit noise, dust, odour and toxins such as dioxin into our air, land and water, insect and wildlife and our own bodies. The applicant is new to this type of waste management, but not new to breaching rules around noise and traffic at other facilities managed by it, and/or it's affiliated companies. GCS has left out details of the proposed operation, such as how much diesel will be stored on site and how much will be used to run the plant. What if something goes horribly wrong such as the three-week-long Covanta incinerator fire at Doral in Florida in February this year? Where is the health assessment and the cultural assessment? With the changes to our climate surprising us at every turn, how would a flood, fire or explosion be managed without risk to lives and livelihoods?

It seems incredulous to even be considering that this plant be constructed in the middle of a residential and educational area, surrounded by some of the most productive food growing land in the country.

Economy

- If allowed to proceed, this Waste to Energy plant will compromise not only our health, our beautiful town, our food growers and exporters, but also our international reputation as a clean, green place to live in, and an attractive part of the world to visit.
- Our rapidly increasing organic export sector will be impacted as local farms may find it impossible to meet the requirements for organic certification, due to an increased presence of toxins and heavy metals in their soils.
- The economy of Te Awamutu will be affected with less people wishing to live, work or set up business here and the value of residential housing diminishing the closer the houses are to the incinerator.
- How will effects of emissions from the smokestacks affect the pollination and fruiting of the many berry and fruit orchards lying to the east and southeast, i.e: effects on pollinators such as bees?

Environment

- The flood assessment appears to have been based purely on desktop analysis and does not comprehensively address the issues raised in the Te Awamutu Flood Management Plan 1993, particularly lacking any credible ground-truthing for the modelling.
- In attempting to model the Mangapiko catchment, the flood assessment has relied on data from a flow gauge in a different catchment almost 30km away (Hamilton's Mangaonua Stream) and relied on the assumption that the hydrogeological characteristics (soils and slopes) are comparable which leads to much room for error.
- The assessment itself acknowledges that "[t]he Mangapiko has no flow gauge sites... However, there is a gauged site further north in Hamilton... [T]he level of confidence should be good for a 50-year flow." Good is simply not good enough when it comes to the potential for flooding to impact the site and transport and distribute toxic substances throughout the Mangapiko catchment and on into the Waipā and Waikato Rivers.
- The flood assessment states that construction of the Waste to Energy plant would increase flood levels by 120mm and dismisses this as being of minor consequence. The application fails to consider the effect of an additional 12cm of flowing water on streambank erosion and land stability for all properties along the length of the awa.
- The flood assessment fails to address indirect stormwater flooding, only direct flooding from the Mangapiko Stream. The extent of Waipā District Council's own 1% AEP Stormwater Flood Hazard Mapping project does not cover the Waste to Energy plant site and the applicant's assessment does not consider the cumulative effects of the plant's construction on this modelling or flow-on impacts to surrounding stormwater capacity by raising the flood level 120mm in a 1% AEP event.

Community and Social Health & Wellbeing

- The proposed waste to energy plant has united the community in strong opposition to its construction and shown that Waipā is committed to improving the way it manages waste through more appropriate means.
- A protest march held on October 8th saw hundreds of people of all ages take to the streets in a peaceful manner to show their opposition to the project.
- Townspeople are afraid they will not be able to sell their houses, or achieve a fair price, from homes which have traditionally been well valued and viewed as attractive places to live.
- There are concerns about the facility drawing water during the summer months when water restrictions are usually in place. With the facility planning to draw up to 70,000 litres per day, where does that leave the home gardeners, growers and farmers, who need water to grow their food, particularly as the effects of climate change are predicted to lead to increasing instances of drought?
- Schools, kura, elder-care facilities, playcentres, day care, housing and businesses are all within a kilometer or less of the proposed site. People are fearful for their health and that of their children and neighbours. Noise, dust and emissions 24 hours a day, seven days a week will impact on everybody.

In summary, based on the limited opportunity to assess the application and the inappropriateness of the selected site, the only appropriate response is to decline the application and we respectfully ask that you do.

Signed by

Margaret McQuillan, on behalf of the McQuillan Family.

I ~~request~~/do not request*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: *M. A. McQuillan*
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

McQuillan Family

Date: 11/10/2023 Contact person: Margaret McQuillan
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 419 Mc Clure St, PIRONGIA 3802
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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include—

- the reasons for your views.

- Decrease property valuations
- Affects land - food - waterways
- Affects people.
- Affects on stock/plants.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

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I OPPOSE TO THIS APPLICATION - I WANT THE WAIPA
DISTRICT COUNCIL TO DECLINE THIS APPLICATION


I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

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Signature of submitter: 

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 13/10/23

Contact person: T. Maresca-Aitson

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 60 Williams St Te Awamutu

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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WAIPĀ DISTRICT COUNCIL

Form 13 Resource Management Act 1991

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Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application

YOUR DETAILS: (please write clearly)

Title: Name of submitter: Mr o Mrs o Ms o Miss o Dr o

Organisation: (if applicable) N.A – Personal Submission

Address for correspondence:

[REDACTED]

Post Code:

3800

Email:

[REDACTED]

Contact phone number:

[REDACTED]

This is a submission on an application from Global Contracting Solutions to construct and operate a waste incinerator on a site adjacent to the Waipā Racecourse in Te Awamutu.

I am not a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that—

- (a) adversely affects the environment; and
- (b) does not relate to trade competition or the effects of trade competition.

The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

Me timata ahau i kā mihi ka tika.

Tēnā koutou e kā rakatira

Nei rā āku mihi kauanuanu ki kā ahi kā, kā mana o te whenua, ko Pirongia te Aroaro o Kahu te mauka wairua, ko te mauka Te Kakepuku o Kahu e tū mai nei hoki.

Ko kā wai maha o te rohe, ko kā manga e rere tata nei, Ko Mangaohoi, Ko Mangapikopiko e peka atu ki te awa matua, ko Waipā.

Ko Kāti Apakura tēnā koutou.

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Naia taku tāpaetaka e pā ana ki te tūtohu kia waihaka te tūmatataka nui ki roto i te taone o Te Awamutu.

Ko taku tāpaetanga nei e hono ana ki te whakaritenga katoa. Ko ngā tino āwangawanga, ko te kawekawe o te tūmatatanga ki runga i te whenua, i te aangi hoki. me kī te hauora o ngā karāhe, te whenua, te ngahere, te taiao, ngā tangata e noho nei ki te takiwā o Te Awamutu.

My submission is:

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Nā reira, kāore koutou e noho kuare ana ki taku tono. Me whakaroko koutou ki ahau. Ko tōku hiahia, kia tū ki mua i o koutou aroaro kia tukua mai ōku whakaaro.

Ko te mea nui, kāore tēnei mea, ko te pouri o tēnei mea, te unuhaka taniwha kia whakatū mai ki konei. Mā te wiahaka o tēnei, ka hika te hauora o te hāpori o tēnei wāhi.



Support (parts or all) of
or all of)

Oppose (parts or all of)

Neutral (parts

Include — the reasons for your views

Ko te mahere rautaki moo tēnei takiwā, kia whakamahia ai he ara rere mō kā manu atu i Pirongia ki Maungatautari. He kino rawa atu te pupuhi o te kino, o te paitini, o te tāoke o te whenua, te paitini o te karaehe me kā kau e ngau ana i te pātiki.

Ko te āwangawanga, pēhea te mahi, pēhea te rakahau kia whakamārama mai te kino o tēnei tūmatataka ki ruka i te taiao nei?

Ki te kore i te pai moo te whenua, kore i te pai moo kā takata.

Toitū te whenua, toitū te takata.

Kore te kino o te mahi o te tūmatataka e mōhiotia whānuitia. Anō nei he whakamāutau pūtaiao ki ruka i a mātou o te rohe nei. Tēra pea, he whakamāutau ki ruka i kā reaka kei te haere mai.

Kei te hui o te Poari o te Hāpori o Te Awamutu, i roko ahau i te kōrero o te mā kai o kā rakatira o “Global Contracting Solutions”. “He aha koutou e kore ai e tapiri tētehi ripoata e pā ana ki te kawekawe o ngā paitini e pupuhi ake i te tumere o te whare tūmata?” I whakautua e ia tēnei pātai o tētehi o te komiti. Ko te whakautu, “Kaaore he pātai e pā ana ki tēnei i roto i kā whaaraki o te whakariteka. Ehara tēnei i te kawatau o te ripoata.”

Kare tēnei i te mahi hei tautokokia te oraka o te katoa. He oraka moo te tokoiti, kia whakakī ngā pūkoro o ngā rikatohu o Global Contracting Solutions i te moni.

He nui te rakahau mō te paika o te waihaka nei, hei tūraka mahi, hei putea mō te taone. He rukahu tēnei.

Heoi, me rakahautia tonutia te raruraru ki ruka i te taiao, ki te hauora o kā takata, o ka wahine e hapū ana.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

Kare au e hiahia ana kia tini ētehi o kā āhua o te whakariteka nei, ko taku hiahia kia whakakāti ai te tono nei o te Kamupene "Global Contracting Solutions."

Nā reira

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Ko koutou o te kaunihera me whakaroko ki kā takata e noho ana ki kōnei.

Kia kaha, kia māia, kia manawanui

Mauri ora ki a tātou katoa.

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

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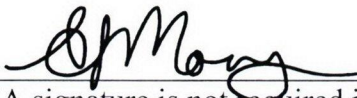
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Full Name of submitter: Andrew James Morgan

Signature of submitter:  (or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 5 October 2023

Contact person: _____ (name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address:

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act)

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Māori	English
<i>The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:</i>	<i>The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:</i>
Me timata ahau i kā mihi ka tika. Tēnā koutou e kā rakatira	As protocol dictates, I must begin with the proper acknowledgements. Greetings to you, esteemed leaders.
Nei rā āku mihi kauanuanu ki kā ahi kā, kā mana o te whenua, ko Pirongia te Aroaro o Kahu te mauka wairua, ko te mauka Te Kakepuku o Kahu e tū mai nei hoki.	I offer respectful acknowledgement to the local people of this place, Pirongia te Aroaro o Kahu is the mountain of spiritual importance, and so is Te Kakepuku o Kahu which stands here also.
Ko kā wai maha o te rohe, ko kā manga e rere tata nei, Ko Mangaohoi, Ko Mangapikopiko e peka atu ki te awa matua, ko Waipā. Ko Kāti Apakura tēnā koutou. Ko ka hapū o Kāti Maniapoto, ko kā hapū o Raukawa ki Wharepuhunga e kapapoti ana tēnei rohe, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou katoa. Ahakoa kare au he mana whenua, nō iwi kē au, (Ko Kāi Tahu, Kāti Mamoe, Ko Waitaha ōku iwi), i whānau mai āku tamariki ki kōnei i te takiwā o Te Awamutu ki Waipā. Kei te tino matakau au e pā ana ki te tomoka ki mua i te roopu mātanga, ko te tomoka APP143 988. Naia taku tāpaetaka e pā ana ki te tūtohuka kia waihaka te tūmatataka nui ki roto i te	I greet the many waters of this region, the streams that flow close by here, Mangaohoi and Mangapikopiko, which branch off towards the major river of Waipā. Ngāti Apakura, I greet you. To the subtribes of Ngāti Maniapoto, to the subtribes of Raukawa ki Wharepuhunga that surround this area, I extend my greetings and acknowledgement to you all. Although I am not indigenous to this region (I am from other tribes, from Kāi Tahu, Kāti Mamoe and Waitaha), my children were born in this area of Te Awamutu ki Waipā. I am extremely fearful about the proposal before the expert group, APP143 988. Below is my submission regarding the consent application for the building of a large incinerator in the town of Te Awamutu.

taone o Te Awamutu.	
Ko taku tāpaetanga nei e hono ana ki te whakaritenga katoa. Ko ngā tino āwangawanga, ko te kawekawe o te tūmatatanga ki runga i te whenua, i te aangi hoki. me kī te hauora o ngā karaehe, te whenua, te ngahere, te taiao, ngā tangata e noho nei ki te takiwā o Te Awamutu.	My submission relates to the entire application. My main anxieties relate to the impact of the incinerator upon the land and the air, that is to say, its effects on the health of livestock, the land, the forest, the wider environment and the people living in the area of Te Awamutu.
<i>My submission is:</i>	<i>My submission is:</i>
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<p>Ko te mea nui, kāore tēnei mea, ko te pouri o tēnei mea, te unuhaka taniwha kia whakatū mai ki konei. Mā te wiahaka o tēnei, ka hika te hauora o te hapori o tēnei wāhi.</p>	<p>consequences on the community in this area.</p>
<p><i>Include — the reasons for your views</i></p>	<p><i>Include — the reasons for your views</i></p>
<p>Ko te mahere rautaki moo tēnei takiwā, kia whakamahia ai he ara rere mō kā manu atu i Pirongia ki Maungatautari. He kino rawa atu te pupuhi o te kino, o te paitini, o te tāoke o te whenua, te paitini o te karaehe me kā kau e ngau ana i te pātiki.</p> <p>Ko te āwangawanga, pēhea te mahi, pēhea te rakahau kia whakamārama mai te kino o tēnei tūmatataka ki ruka i te taiao nei? Ki te kore i te pai moo te whenua, kore i te pai moo kā takata.</p> <p>Toitū te whenua, toitū te takata.</p> <p>Kore te kino o te mahi o te tūmatataka e mōhiotia whānuitia. Anō nei he whakamāutau pūtaiao ki ruka i a mātou o te rohe nei. Tēra pea, he whakamātautau ki ruka i kā reaka kei te haere mai.</p>	<p>The strategic plan for this region includes the establishment of an eco-corridor for the birds from Pirongia to Maungatautari.</p> <p>We will see extremely negative impacts from the dispersal of pollutants and poisons, from toxins in the land, from the poisoning of animals and the cows that graze in the paddocks.</p> <p>I am anxious about the nature of your efforts, of your research into understanding the negative impacts of this incinerator on the environment here. If it has negative impacts on the land it will have negative impacts on the people. If the land is well, so too the people. The negative effects of what the incinerator does are not widely understood. It is like a science experiment is being carried out upon us, upon the people of this area. Perhaps, a science experiment carried out on future generations.</p>
<p>Kei te hui o te Poari o te Hapori o Te Awamutu, i roko ahau i te kōrero o te mā kai o kā rakatira o “Global Contracting Solutions”. “He aha koutou e kore ai e tapiri</p>	<p>At the Te Awamutu Community Board meeting I heard from a representative of the executives of “Global Contracting Solutions”.</p>

<p>tētehi ripoata e pā ana ki te kawekawe o ngā paitini e pupuhi ake i te tumere o te whare tūmata?" I whakautua e ia tēnei pātai o tētehi o te komiti. Ko te whakautu, "Kaaore he pātai e pā ana ki tēnei i roto i kā whaaraki o te whakariteka. Ehara tēnei i te kawatau o te ripoata."</p> <p>Kare tēnei i te mahi hei tautokokia te oraka o te katoa. He oraka moo te tokoiti, kia whakakāi ngā pūkoro o ngā rikatohu o "Global Contracting Solutions" i te moni. He nui te rakahau mō te paika o te waihaka nei, hei tūraka mahi, hei putea mō te taone. He rukahu tēnei.</p> <p>Heoi, me rakahautia tonutia te raruraru ki ruka i te taiao, ki te hauora o kā takata, o ka wahine e hapūu ana.</p>	<p>"Why didn't you include a report on the effects of emissions from the incinerator?"</p> <p>He answered this question from one of the committee members by saying, "There weren't any questions regarding this in the application. This is not an expectation of the report."</p> <p>This is not something that is going to support the health and wellbeing of the whole. This will benefit a small number of people, and fill the pockets of the directors of "Global Contracting Solutions".</p> <p>There has been a lot of research about the benefits of building this, in terms of jobs and revenue for the town. This is unfounded. Accordingly, there needs to be more research into the environmental harm, the harm to human health and to pregnant women.</p>
<p><i>I seek the following decision from the consent authority:</i></p>	<p><i>I seek the following decision from the consent authority:</i></p>
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o te katoa. E noho ana au ki tēnei
taone. E noho hoki nei āku tamariki. Kāore
au e hiahia ki te noho tata mai ki
tēnei, ko te ahi tipua nei.
Ko koutou o te kaunihera me whakaroko ki
kā takata e noho ana ki kōnei.
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to this fire monster. You of the council, you
must listen to the people who live here.

Be strong, be bold, be big of heart

Well wishes to you all.

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I oppose this application. I want
WDC to decline this application.


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Date: 13.10.23

Contact person: Carol Marsh

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 9^A Meadowbank Cres, Kihikihi 3800

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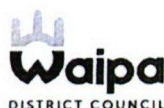
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Form 13



Sections 41D, 95A, 95B, 95C, 96, 127(3) and 234(4),
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Burning rubbish in the middle
of our lovely town

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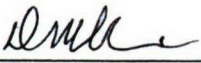
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(name and designation, if applicant)

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include—

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The Waste to Energy will be a health Hazard
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Subject: Concerns Regarding Waste-to-Energy Incinerator in 401 Racecourse Rd, Te Awamutu

Application from: *Global Contracting Solutions Limited*

Submission Attachment From: Janice Mark, 400 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

Dear Waipa Council Members,

Thank you for the opportunity to oppose this application from *Global Contracting Solutions Limited*.

As a concerned resident of the Te Awamutu community, I wanted to express my strong opposition to the proposed waste-to-energy incinerator project. I firmly believe that this facility would have detrimental effects on both our community and our country as a whole.

Introduction

Many experts and Organisations, now state the Waste to Energy concept is an obsolete process for waste management and should be discarded.

The New Zealand Ministry for the Environment, United Nations and Professor Paul Connett are some official/organisations that disagree with Waste to Energy Incinerators.

One of the primary concerns I have is the potential environmental impact of the incinerator. Incineration processes release harmful pollutants, such as furans and other emissions, into the air we breathe. These pollutants can have serious health consequences, including respiratory issues and other related illnesses, to humans, animals, birdlife and plants.

Our community deserves clean and healthy air, and I fear that the incinerator would compromise this fundamental right.

Furthermore, the construction and operation of the waste-to-energy incinerator will lead to increased traffic, noise pollution, and visual blight in our community. This may negatively impact the quality of life for residents and deter potential visitors or new businesses from settling in our area. We should focus on sustainable and environmentally friendly alternatives that prioritise the well-being of our community.

Additionally, I am concerned about the long-term sustainability of the waste-to-energy approach. While it may seem like a convenient solution to our waste management challenges, it does not address the root causes of our waste generation. Instead, we should prioritise waste reduction, recycling, and composting initiatives that promote a circular economy and minimise our reliance on incineration.

Information

In 2008 the New Zealand Government introduced the "Waste Minimisation Act". The Minimisation Act, encourages a reduction in the amount of waste by putting a cost on the waste and encouraging product stewardship. Product Stewardship is the concept of manufacturers, importers of products taking responsibility for them at the end of the product's usable life.

The Ministry for the Environment oversees the Waste Minimisation Act. The New Zealand Government is developing a work waste and resource efficiency programme, to create a low waste and low emission economy . The programme is based on the Circular Economy concepts, that relates the waste management hierarchy.

Waste Management Hierarchy is based on the following six principles:

(1 being the best option and 6 being the least favourable option)

1. Avoid unnecessary resource use and waste by designing waste out
2. Reduce the quantity, toxicity and ecological footprint of consumption
3. Reuse or repurpose products and components for the same purpose, or repurpose them for another use that does not reduce their value or require further processing
4. Recycle/ compost – recover and process materials to make the same or different materials of similar value when reuse is no longer possible
5. Recover value (eg, energy) from materials that cannot be reused or recycled
6. Treat the waste with processes to remove or reduce potential harm before disposing of the waste safely on land set aside for that purpose.

Please Note:

There is no mention of "Waste to Energy Incinerators" in this Waste Management Hierarchy. Because the process doesn't remove or reduce potential harm before disposing of the waste safely on land set aside for that purpose.

In fact a Waste to Energy Incinerator produces dangerous toxics to the air and poisonous Sly and Bottom ash to landfill.

Summary of questions that a waste to energy proposal should address.

(Questions taken from the Ministry for the Environment Factsheet "A waste to energy guide for New Zealand"

Supporting New Zealand's move up the waste hierarchy

1. Will this WtE proposal complement or compete with other options for reusing or recycling the waste material further up the waste hierarchy? What effect will it have on local, regional or national resource recovery efforts?

2. What are the alternatives for treating this kind of waste?
3. Would this WtE proposal motivate people to produce more waste and consume more resources, rather than finding ways to avoid and reduce waste?
4. Is the feedstock that would be used likely to be the subject of future regulatory action, for example to ban some or all of it, or to introduce a product stewardship scheme? How would that affect the proposal and vice versa?
5. Does the proposal include a plan for how the plant will be decommissioned at the end of its useful life, so the infrastructure and materials can be reused, repurposed or recycled?

Managing the environmental impacts

6. Does this technology contribute to electricity generation emissions? How will these be accounted for?
7. Are there viable alternative lower-emissions technologies available to support your energy needs?
8. What are the by-products, emissions, and residues that will be created by the plant? How will they be captured, treated, and disposed of?
9. What emissions or residues will be allowed to enter the environment?
10. Will the plant create greenhouse gas emissions? How will these be accounted for?
11. Will the plant create or release any other harmful or problematic substances, such as heavy metals, dioxins or microplastics?
12. Does the technology meet the appropriate standards required by regional council plans and the National Environmental Standard for Air Quality?
13. What contingency plans are in place if something goes wrong and harmful emissions or residues escape into the environment? Does the proposal include strong risk management and contingency planning?

Commercial viability

14. Is there a sufficient long term supply of the required feedstock? Is it genuinely renewable? Could it be affected by future changes in the waste management sector, such as regulatory changes to ban products, increased recycling, design and behaviour changes?
15. Will you source the feedstock locally or does it need to be collected and transported from elsewhere? What challenges would the need to transport the waste material create (cost, safety, emissions, feasibility)?
16. Can the technology use mixed waste streams or does the waste material need sorting before it is used? What would happen to the waste material excluded from the feedstock?
17. Have you identified the ongoing operating costs for the plant, including management of health and safety risks, environmental management requirements, inspections, maintenance, and so on?
18. What market is there for the energy generated? Have you identified a specific customer? How will the energy reach the customer or the market? Is the market likely to endure?

19. How established is the technology or is it still experimental? Are there examples of the same technology functioning at a similar scale and with similar waste streams elsewhere?

20. Has a cost-benefit analysis been done? Does it show the long-term viability of the proposed plant?

Community support

21. Has a full socio-economic impact assessment been carried out, to understand the potential effects for those living near the proposed plant, in terms of health and well-being, environmental and economic effects?

22. Has that work involved consultation with treaty partners and the community?

23. What concerns have been identified and how are they to be addressed?

24. What proposals are included to reflect good neighbour and corporate citizen principles? How is the plant intending to become a constructive and contributing part of the community?

Looking into the future

Based on the **Circular Economy concepts**, it would appear there wouldn't be sufficient waste to run a Waste to Energy Incinerator plant. They would become uneconomic and if built, obsolete and would be required to be decommissioned. Who would be responsible for this decommissioning?

The United Nation Environment, Waste to Energy paper, "considerations for informed decision-making", Foreword by Keith Alverson (Director) stated the following:

Quote - Early 2019 marked the fourth United Nations Environmental Assembly, held in Nairobi, Kenya. Delegates discussed and resolved to reduce single use plastic, and better manage waste. Much of the discourse was centred around transitioning to a "green circular economy" sustainability, climate neutrality and "zero" waste. Clearly in an ideal world - one where all these concepts are a reality - there would be no need for Waste to Energy Plants. Unquote.

The United Nation, Waste to Energy paper - Executive summary, States:

Thermal Waste to Energy (WtE), also known as incineration with energy recovery, is a major waste treatment method in some developed countries and most widely adopted technology that dominates the global WtE market. The European Union, however, which has relied on waste incineration for the past few decades, is now moving away from thermal WtE and other forms of incineration and focusing on more ecologically accepted solutions, such as waste prevention, reuse and recycling as it shifts towards a Circular Economy.

Based on all the above guidelines, information and questions, being linked to the Waste Minimisation Act 2008. How could planning consent be given to the below non complying areas, that Waipa Council has identified.

Waipa Council Notification Report Land use consent comments. Dated 27th September 2022

Areas of Non Complying - 5

Areas of Restricted Discretionary consent required - 3

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Activity Status - Non complying Activity

Areas of non compliance, based on Waipa District Plan rule Assessment are:

1. Residential Zone - The activity is not listed in the Residential zone activity status table and requires consent as a non complying activity.
2. Industrial Zone - The activity is not listed in the Industrial zone activity status table and requires consent as a non complying activity.
3. Site suitability: within or adjoining a flood hazard area - Performance standard in terms of site levels have been identified by GCS as non complying in terms of freeboard.
4. Site suitability within or adjoining flood hazard area - Part of site development is located in a high risk area.
5. Infrastructure within the urban limits - Part of the recycling wastewater will be collected and disposed of to an off site facility.

Areas that need "Restricted Discretion"

1. The proposal is located within s Specialised Dairy Industrial Area and is not an activity listed as permitted in this area and therefore requires consent as a restricted discretionary activity.
2. Temporary Construction buildings - Construction duration will exceed one year.
3. Maximum building length - The proposed acoustic fences to be installed along the accessway adjoining Residential Zone sites, will exceed the maximum building length control. Will required consent

Areas that need Discretionary consent.

1. Noise - The level of noise predicted to be received at 381 Racecourse exceeds the permitted daytime level. NOTE: have other residential properties been checked. How was the noise baseline from GCS achieved?
2. Signs - Proposed signs exceed the permitted provisions
3. Earthworks - Proposed earthworks exceed the permitted activity rule provisions of 25 m3 or 250 m2.
4. Minimum building setback from eternal boundaries.

5. Height - The chimney stacks have a height of 38 metres. Maximum height permitted is 20 metres. In addition building height is 35 metres, which is also above the maximum height permitted.
6. Design and layout of adjoining water bodies and reserves - required to be designed to ensure adjoining water bodies and reserves are fronted by transparent windows.
7. Landscaping and Screening - A landscaping strip and solid visual screen is not proposed along the boundary common with the Racecourse land.
8. Noise - Compliance of noise limits will not comply at the site boundary.
9. Earthworks - Permitted volume of 1000 m² is exceeded.
10. Vehicle entrance separation from intersections and other vehicle crossing - The proposed vehicle crossing will be located from a neighbouring crossing, where a distance of less than 4 metres or more 11 metres is required. Which crossing is being referred to?

Increase of Racecourse Road traffic

Based on the Global Construction Solutions Limited application 100 percent of their waste will be coming from outside the Te Awamutu area.

Sixty percent of waste trucks will come from Auckland/Hamilton, thirty percent of waste trucks will come from Cambridge, Tirau and Tauranga and 10 percent from New Plymouth and Taupo. **Note:** no waste will come from Te Awamutu.

100 percent of all waste trucks will turn into Racecourse Road from SH 3, this intersection is already extremely busy, and adding movement of waste trucks, trucks taking toxic waste from the WtE plant, service vehicles and fuel and waste water tankers will add to the heavy traffic load already using this intersection.

The WtE is a 24/7 hour operation. This road may be called a collector, but the majority of property along this road is residential. In the future the Racecourse land will become residential and approximately 400+ houses will be built, linking onto Racecourse Road.

WtE have estimated that an extra 378 vehicles per day (84 per hour) will use the Racecourse Road. Existing road use is approximately 1500 to 1600 vehicles, thus increasing the road to about 2000 vehicles per day.

There is already noise and in many areas heavy vehicles shake residential property.

The WtE entrance (401 Racecourse Road) is on a sharp corner which has seen a number of reported and non reported accidents. Adding extra turning to and from 401 Racecourse will produce more possibilities of accidents.

Air pollution to Te Awamutu.

Global Construction Solution Limited states the air pollution from its three 38 metre chimney stacks (possible 4 stacks) is minimal. They state that new filter technology can filter out most toxics. The problem is this statement is based on a computer model software called "Calpuff" (many other software do the same thing). They only predict the spread of Toxics and emissions within the community. The Data that was used for the Calpuff software came from kilometres away from Te Awamutu. For example from Waikeria prison Location, the Agi-research from Tokanui and Hamilton Airport. No data was used from Te Awamutu.

Now add the other important part of the calculation, which is what toxic and emissions are emitted from the chimney stacks. Unfortunately there is no exact formula that gives an exact measure. So based on the Global Construction Solid Limited application, assumptions were made based on the specs of the 38 metres chimney stacks.

So based on the above Calpuff software they have **predicted and made the assumption** that the air pollution is minimal.

This is a very dangerous comment to make when People, Animals and land/rivers are affected.

Please find a list of the emissions and properties that will be emitted in the atmosphere.

Particulate PM10 and PM 2.5

How long does PM2.5 stay in the air?

PM2.5, or fine particles, can remain airborne for long periods and travel hundreds of miles. Coarse particles, or the subset of PM10 that is larger than 2.5 μm , do not remain airborne as long and their spatial impact is typically limited because they tend to deposit on the ground downwind of emissions sources.

Does rain reduce PM2.5?

Rain has only an 8.7% effect on PM_{2.5} reduction

The most noticeable impact is after hefty rainfall, where air pollutants are cut by up to 30%. In addition, a study from China revealed that minor pollutants were reduced by only 8.7%. The effect on PM_{2.5} is close to zero for light to moderate rain.13/09/2022

Particulate matter (PM) is one of the most harmful inhaled pollutants. When PM is emitted into the atmosphere, the only possible method for cleaning ambient air is through vegetation acting as biological filters for pollutants.

Sulphur dioxide

How long does sulphur dioxide stay in the environment?

The atmospheric lifetime of sulphur dioxide is about 10 days (IARC 1992). Sulphur dioxide is oxidised rapidly by both homogeneous and heterogeneous reactions and is removed from the atmosphere by precipitation and by dry deposition on surfaces, mainly as sulfuric acid.

Hydrogen fluoride

Is hydrogen fluoride an air pollutant?

Hydrogen fluoride (HF) is listed as a Title III Hazardous Air Pollutant. Hydrogen fluoride is produced in 2 forms, as anhydrous hydrogen fluoride and as aqueous hydrofluoric acid. The predominant form manufactured is hydrogen fluoride, a colourless liquid or gas that fumes on contact with air and is water soluble. Fluorides that are attached to very small particles may stay in the air for many days. Hydrogen fluoride gas will be absorbed by rain and into clouds and fog

Nitrogen Oxides

What happens to nitrogen dioxide in the atmosphere?

Nitrogen dioxide can form secondary particles called nitrates that cause haze and reduce visibility. Nitrogen dioxide is the gas that makes summer smog look brownish in colour.29/09/2021

How long does pollution stay in the atmosphere?

Abstract. The atmospheric residence time of carbon dioxide is **hundreds of years**, many orders of magnitude longer than that of common air pollution, which is typically hours to a few days.

Mercury

How does mercury pollute the atmosphere?

Much of the mercury in the environment originates from combustion and can travel long distances in the atmosphere before being deposited on the land surface. As a result, mercury can bioaccumulate in fish in areas with no obvious source of mercury pollution.

Dioxins and Furan

What are the effects of furans pollution?

Dioxins and furans can adversely affect human and animal health in a number of ways, including by: affecting the immune and reproductive systems. causing birth defects. affecting neurobehavioural development.29/09/2021

How long does dioxin stay in the environment?

The half-life of dioxins in the soil is from 60 to 80 years, and at the same time, it persists for a long time in the environment, seeps into the soil and sediments, and migrates into vegetation and aquatic life, leading to bioaccumulation in the soil and food chain [2,9,44].

Carbon Monoxide

What is carbon monoxide in the atmosphere?

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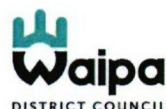
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My name is Olivia McFarlane, my young family (ages 3 and 2) and husband live on a dairy farm, and own the cows located directly behind the proposed location of the site. I am deeply concerned for this and would leave the area if it goes ahead. I do not want a toxic incinerator in our community, we do not want rubbish brought into this community and then burnt. This is high input, will put pressure on our water systems, particularly when there are water restrictions in summer. Also, my daughter has asthma and my son has a respiratory condition therefore I do not want more toxins in the air which would greatly impact them. Both my children attend the daycare located 100metres from the proposed site which is concerning. I work 700metres from the site in a school which has over 1400 students which would be affected by the air pollution. The site also backs directly onto a farm we are working on and planned to purchase. This will greatly affect the choice of whether we go ahead with this due to risk to our animals and also to the milk and our airways. My concerns impact every aspect of our lives. What is the cumulative effect of the air, water and land pollution over time? The incinerator will produce dioxins that are cancer-causing even in extremely low levels. These will be emitted into the air, and will settle on the land and in the water. There is no safe level of dioxins, and these "bio-accumulate" - meaning that over time they build up in human fat tissue and in animals. There is no assessment of land contamination included in the application. International research shows that the land surrounding incinerators can be extensively contaminated with heavy metals, microplastics and other toxic emissions including dioxin. Stormwater from the site will be discharged into the Mangapiko Stream. This water is likely to be contaminated with heavy metals and dioxin. Filtration systems and settlement ponds do not eliminate all of the toxic products meaning these will make their way into the waterways. One of the emissions from burning tyres/tyre derived fuel is zinc oxide which has not been modelled and which is highly toxic to aquatic life. The huge earthworks over several years will impact the health and wellbeing of the Mangapiko River. Furthermore, The site is totally unsuitable for a large scale waste incinerator. The current "Specialised Dairy Industrial Area" designation means that the land use is intended to ensure that any activity there was aligned with Fonterra's activities. It is not appropriate to have an incinerator burning millions of tyres next to a milk production facility. This area is not identified as an area for industrial development in the District Plan. Two areas are identified for industrial growth: at Bond Road and Paterangi Road. The location of a heavy

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industrial operation immediately next to existing and planned residential housing, schools and food businesses, and operating 24-hrs/day, 7day/week is not appropriate and conflicts with the intentions of the Waipā District Plan and Growth Strategy for the community. The very large size of the building and stacks does not fit in with the area. It will dominate, have a significant impact on the landscape and turn the entire area into the feel of an industrial zone. Lastly, There is no human health assessment of this proposal. The incineration plant is a hazardous facility with serious risks of harm to human health. The plant will emit cancer-causing dioxins and furans, sulphur dioxide, nitrogen oxide, mercury and particulate matter will be released into the air. Dioxins damage the human immune system and cause cancer. Studies have shown direct links to non-Hodgkins lymphoma, increases in risks of miscarriages and pre-term delivery of babies. There are links to reduced male fertility. Exposure to particulate matter impacts those with respiratory problems such as asthma, cardiovascular issues, the elderly and children. In the Netherlands, research conducted indicated that the high dioxin output from waste incinerators could be responsible for contamination of cow's milk and meat. As a result, the production and sales of dairy products from was prohibited for several years. In 2016, human-made (anthropogenic) air pollution in New Zealand resulted in an estimated 3,317 premature deaths (in people aged 30+ years). The largest causes were NO₂ and PM_{2.5}. There were 32 premature deaths due to air pollution (PM_{2.5} and NO₂) in Waipā District (among people aged 30+ years) in 2016. The incinerator will significantly add to these pollutants, and therefore, contribute to the premature death of Waipā residents. Under NZ's air quality standards, it is illegal to burn even one tyre because the health and environmental effects are so toxic - yet, this project is proposing to burn 35,000 tonnes a year. Burning tyres emits cyanide, carbon monoxide, sulfur dioxide, and products of butadiene and styrene. And the smell of those tyres burning will fill the community with an unbelievable stench. The odour and dust have not been adequately assessed. There is no indication of how often the start up/maintenance will be done and levels exceeded. There will be significant additional traffic in a residential area, adding to air pollution and impacting those who are old, very young and immunocompromised. It will change the nature of the community from a quiet residential street to an unsafe and busy thoroughfare of trucks at all hours of the day and night.

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I oppose this application. I want the Waipā District Council to decline this application.

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Signature of submitter: Olivia Achenza McFarlane

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Date: 08/10/2023 Contact person: Olivia Achenza McFarlane

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Postal address: 632 Paterangi Road, RD3, Ohaupo 3883

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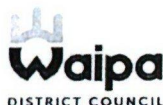
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It will produce to much CO²
the Air pollution will affect the whole town

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Signature of submitter: Fraser Macdonald
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 13-10-23 Contact person: Fraser Macdonald
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 200 Saint Marys Ave
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From: [kerry mason](#)
To: [info](#)
Subject: External Sender: Submission on incinerator 401 Racecourse Rd; Te Awamutu
Date: Sunday, 8 October 2023 1:45:20 pm

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to whom it may concern,

For the reasons listed below, I DO NOT think that an incinerator should be installed anywhere in the Waipa District

- 100% of the heavy metals will NOT be captured
- nanoparticles that can carry toxic materials and cross the lung membrane will also NOT be captured
- 70,000 litres of fresh water that would be used by the process and then disposed of is a waste of water and more importantly, what toxins might that waste water contain

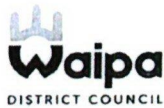
It strikes me as reckless that Global Metals Solutions has not had to provide a health impact assessment as part of the application process.

Robyn Mason

[REDACTED]
Pukecanna

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Date: 13.10.24

Contact person: Grant Magon

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 364 Goodfellow St.

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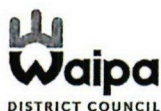
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Subject: Concerns Regarding Waste-to-Energy Incinerator in 401 Racecourse Rd, Te Awamutu

Application from: *Global Contracting Solutions Limited*

Submission Attachment From: Neville Mark, 400 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

Dear Waipa Council Members,

Thank you for the opportunity to oppose this application from *Global Contracting Solutions Limited*.

As a concerned resident of the Te Awamutu community, I wanted to express my strong opposition to the proposed waste-to-energy incinerator project. I firmly believe that this facility would have detrimental effects on both our community and our country as a whole.

Introduction

Many experts and Organisations, now state the Waste to Energy concept is an obsolete process for waste management and should be discarded.

The New Zealand Ministry for the Environment, United Nations and Professor Paul Connett are some official/organisations that disagree with Waste to Energy Incinerators.

One of the primary concerns I have is the potential environmental impact of the incinerator. Incineration processes release harmful pollutants, such as furans and other emissions, into the air we breathe. These pollutants can have serious health consequences, including respiratory issues and other related illnesses, to humans, animals, birdlife and plants.

Our community deserves clean and healthy air, and I fear that the incinerator would compromise this fundamental right.

Furthermore, the construction and operation of the waste-to-energy incinerator will lead to increased traffic, noise pollution, and visual blight in our community. This may negatively impact the quality of life for residents and deter potential visitors or new businesses from settling in our area. We should focus on sustainable and environmentally friendly alternatives that prioritise the well-being of our community.

Additionally, I am concerned about the long-term sustainability of the waste-to-energy approach. While it may seem like a convenient solution to our waste management challenges, it does not address the root causes of our waste generation. Instead, we should prioritise waste reduction, recycling, and composting initiatives that promote a circular economy and minimise our reliance on incineration.

Information

In 2008 the New Zealand Government introduced the "Waste Minimisation Act". The Minimisation Act, encourages a reduction in the amount of waste by putting a cost on the waste and encouraging product stewardship. Product Stewardship is the concept of manufacturers, importers of products taking responsibility for them at the end of the product's usable life.

The Ministry for the Environment oversees the Waste Minimisation Act. The New Zealand Government is developing a work waste and resource efficiency programme, to create a low waste and low emission economy . The programme is based on the Circular Economy concepts, that relates the waste management hierarchy.

Waste Management Hierarchy is based on the following six principles:

(1 being the best option and 6 being the least favourable option)

1. Avoid unnecessary resource use and waste by designing waste out
2. Reduce the quantity, toxicity and ecological footprint of consumption
3. Reuse or repurpose products and components for the same purpose, or repurpose them for another use that does not reduce their value or require further processing
4. Recycle/ compost – recover and process materials to make the same or different materials of similar value when reuse is no longer possible
5. Recover value (eg, energy) from materials that cannot be reused or recycled
6. Treat the waste with processes to remove or reduce potential harm before disposing of the waste safely on land set aside for that purpose.

Please Note:

There is no mention of "Waste to Energy Incinerators" in this Waste Management Hierarchy. Because the process doesn't remove or reduce potential harm before disposing of the waste safely on land set aside for that purpose.

In fact a Waste to Energy Incinerator produces dangerous toxics to the air and poisonous Sly and Bottom ash to landfill.

Summary of questions that a waste to energy proposal should address.

(Questions taken from the Ministry for the Environment Factsheet "A waste to energy guide for New Zealand")

Supporting New Zealand's move up the waste hierarchy

1. Will this WtE proposal complement or compete with other options for reusing or recycling the waste material further up the waste hierarchy? What effect will it have on local, regional or national resource recovery efforts?

2. What are the alternatives for treating this kind of waste?
3. Would this WtE proposal motivate people to produce more waste and consume more resources, rather than finding ways to avoid and reduce waste?
4. Is the feedstock that would be used likely to be the subject of future regulatory action, for example to ban some or all of it, or to introduce a product stewardship scheme? How would that affect the proposal and vice versa?
5. Does the proposal include a plan for how the plant will be decommissioned at the end of its useful life, so the infrastructure and materials can be reused, repurposed or recycled?

Managing the environmental impacts

6. Does this technology contribute to electricity generation emissions? How will these be accounted for?
7. Are there viable alternative lower-emissions technologies available to support your energy needs?
8. What are the by-products, emissions, and residues that will be created by the plant? How will they be captured, treated, and disposed of?
9. What emissions or residues will be allowed to enter the environment?
10. Will the plant create greenhouse gas emissions? How will these be accounted for?
11. Will the plant create or release any other harmful or problematic substances, such as heavy metals, dioxins or microplastics?
12. Does the technology meet the appropriate standards required by regional council plans and the National Environmental Standard for Air Quality?
13. What contingency plans are in place if something goes wrong and harmful emissions or residues escape into the environment? Does the proposal include strong risk management and contingency planning?

Commercial viability

14. Is there a sufficient long term supply of the required feedstock? Is it genuinely renewable? Could it be affected by future changes in the waste management sector, such as regulatory changes to ban products, increased recycling, design and behaviour changes?
15. Will you source the feedstock locally or does it need to be collected and transported from elsewhere? What challenges would the need to transport the waste material create (cost, safety, emissions, feasibility)?
16. Can the technology use mixed waste streams or does the waste material need sorting before it is used? What would happen to the waste material excluded from the feedstock?
17. Have you identified the ongoing operating costs for the plant, including management of health and safety risks, environmental management requirements, inspections, maintenance, and so on?
18. What market is there for the energy generated? Have you identified a specific customer? How will the energy reach the customer or the market? Is the market likely to endure?

19. How established is the technology or is it still experimental? Are there examples of the same technology functioning at a similar scale and with similar waste streams elsewhere?

20. Has a cost-benefit analysis been done? Does it show the long-term viability of the proposed plant?

Community support

21. Has a full socio-economic impact assessment been carried out, to understand the potential effects for those living near the proposed plant, in terms of health and well-being, environmental and economic effects?

22. Has that work involved consultation with treaty partners and the community?

23. What concerns have been identified and how are they to be addressed?

24. What proposals are included to reflect good neighbour and corporate citizen principles? How is the plant intending to become a constructive and contributing part of the community?

Looking into the future

Based on the **Circular Economy concepts**, it would appear there wouldn't be sufficient waste to run a Waste to Energy Incinerator plant. They would become uneconomic and if built, obsolete and would be required to be decommissioned. Who would be responsible for this decommissioning?

The United Nation Environment, Waste to Energy paper, "considerations for informed decision-making", Foreword by Keith Alverson (Director) stated the following:

Quote - Early 2019 marked the fourth United Nations Environmental Assembly, held in Nairobi, Kenya. Delegates discussed and resolved to reduce single use plastic, and better manage waste. Much of the discourse was centred around transitioning to a "green circular economy" sustainability, climate neutrality and "zero" waste. Clearly in an ideal world - one where all these concepts are a reality - there would be no need for Waste to Energy Plants. Unquote.

The United Nation, Waste to Energy paper - Executive summary, States:

Thermal Waste to Energy (WtE), also known as incineration with energy recovery, is a major waste treatment method in some developed countries and most widely adopted technology that dominates the global WtE market. The European Union, however, which has relied on waste incineration for the past few decades, is now moving away from thermal WtE and other forms of incineration and focusing on more ecologically accepted solutions, such as waste prevention, reuse and recycling as it shifts towards a Circular Economy.

Based on all the above guidelines, information and questions, being linked to the Waste Minimisation Act 2008. How could planning consent be given to the below non complying areas, that Waipa Council has identified.

Waipa Council Notification Report Land use consent comments. Dated 27th September 2022

Areas of Non Complying - 5

Areas of Restricted Discretionary consent required - 3

Areas of Discretionary consent required - 10

Activity Status - Non complying Activity

Areas of non compliance, based on Waipa District Plan rule Assessment are:

1. Residential Zone - The activity is not listed in the Residential zone activity status table and requires consent as a non complying activity.
2. Industrial Zone - The activity is not listed in the Industrial zone activity status table and requires consent as a non complying activity.
3. Site suitability: within or adjoining a flood hazard area - Performance standard in terms of site levels have been identified by GCS as non complying in terms of freeboard.
4. Site suitability within or adjoining flood hazard area - Part of site development is located in a high risk area.
5. Infrastructure within the urban limits - Part of the recycling wastewater will be collected and disposed of to an off site facility.

Areas that need "Restricted Discretion"

1. The proposal is located within s Specialised Dairy Industrial Area and is not an activity listed as permitted in this area and therefore requires consent as a restricted discretionary activity.
2. Temporary Construction buildings - Construction duration will exceed one year.
3. Maximum building length - The proposed acoustic fences to be installed along the accessway adjoining Residential Zone sites, will exceed the maximum building length control. Will required consent

Areas that need Discretionary consent.

1. Noise - The level of noise predicted to be received at 381 Racecourse exceeds the permitted daytime level. NOTE: have other residential properties been checked. How was the noise baseline from GCS achieved?
2. Signs - Proposed signs exceed the permitted provisions
3. Earthworks - Proposed earthworks exceed the permitted activity rule provisions of 25 m3 or 250 m2.
4. Minimum building setback from eternal boundaries.

5. Height - The chimney stacks have a height of 38 metres. Maximum height permitted is 20 metres. In addition building height is 35 metres, which is also above the maximum height permitted.
6. Design and layout of adjoining water bodies and reserves - required to be designed to ensure adjoining water bodies and reserves are fronted by transparent windows.
7. Landscaping and Screening - A landscaping strip and solid visual screen is not proposed along the boundary common with the Racecourse land.
8. Noise - Compliance of noise limits will not comply at the site boundary.
9. Earthworks - Permitted volume of 1000 m² is exceeded.
10. Vehicle entrance separation from intersections and other vehicle crossing - The proposed vehicle crossing will be located from a neighbouring crossing, where a distance of less than 4 metres or more 11 metres is required. Which crossing is being referred to?

Increase of Racecourse Road traffic

Based on the Global Construction Solutions Limited application 100 percent of their waste will be coming from outside the Te Awamutu area.

Sixty percent of waste trucks will come from Auckland/Hamilton, thirty percent of waste trucks will come from Cambridge, Tirau and Tauranga and 10 percent from New Plymouth and Taupo. **Note:** no waste will come from Te Awamutu.

100 percent of all waste trucks will turn into Racecourse Road from SH 3, this intersection is already extremely busy, and adding movement of waste trucks, trucks taking toxic waste from the WtE plant, service vehicles and fuel and waste water tankers will add to the heavy traffic load already using this intersection.

The WtE is a 24/7 hour operation. This road may be called a collector, but the majority of property along this road is residential. In the future the Racecourse land will become residential and approximately 400+ houses will be built, linking onto Racecourse Road.

WtE have estimated that an extra 378 vehicles per day (84 per hour) will use the Racecourse Road. Existing road use is approximately 1500 to 1600 vehicles, thus increasing the road to about 2000 vehicles per day.

There is already noise and in many areas heavy vehicles shake residential property.

The WtE entrance (401 Racecourse Road) is on a sharp corner which has seen a number of reported and non reported accidents. Adding extra turning to and from 401 Racecourse will produce more possibilities of accidents.

Air pollution to Te Awamutu.

Global Construction Solution Limited states the air pollution from its three 38 metre chimney stacks (possible 4 stacks) is minimal. They state that new filter technology can filter out most toxics. The problem is this statement is based on a computer model software called "Calpuff" (many other software do the same thing). They only predict the spread of Toxics and emissions within the community. The Data that was used for the Calpuff software came from kilometres away from Te Awamutu. For example from Waikeria prison Location, the Agi-research from Tokanui and Hamilton Airport. No data was used from Te Awamutu.

Now add the other important part of the calculation, which is what toxic and emissions are emitted from the chimney stacks. Unfortunately there is no exact formula that gives an exact measure. So based on the Global Construction Solid Limited application, assumptions were made based on the specs of the 38 metres chimney stacks.

So based on the above Calpuff software they have **predicted and made the assumption** that the air pollution is minimal.

This is a very dangerous comment to make when People, Animals and land/rivers are affected.

Please find a list of the emissions and properties that will be emitted in the atmosphere.

Particulate PM10 and PM 2.5

How long does PM2.5 stay in the air?

PM2.5, or fine particles, can remain airborne for long periods and travel **hundreds of miles**. Coarse particles, or the subset of PM10 that is larger than 2.5 μm , do not remain airborne as long and their spatial impact is typically limited because they tend to deposit on the ground downwind of emissions sources.

Does rain reduce PM2.5?

Rain has only an 8.7% effect on PM_{2.5} reduction

The most noticeable impact is after hefty rainfall, where air pollutants are cut by up to 30%. In addition, a study from China revealed that minor pollutants were reduced by only 8.7%. The effect on PM_{2.5} is close to zero for light to moderate rain. 13/09/2022

Particulate matter (PM) is one of the most harmful inhaled pollutants. When PM is emitted into the atmosphere, the only possible method for cleaning ambient air is through vegetation acting as biological filters for pollutants.

Sulphur dioxide

How long does sulphur dioxide stay in the environment?

The atmospheric lifetime of sulphur dioxide is about **10 days** (IARC 1992). Sulphur dioxide is oxidised rapidly by both homogeneous and heterogeneous reactions and is removed from the atmosphere by precipitation and by dry deposition on surfaces, mainly as sulfuric acid.

Hydrogen fluoride

Is hydrogen fluoride an air pollutant?

Hydrogen fluoride (HF) is listed as a Title III Hazardous Air Pollutant. Hydrogen fluoride is produced in 2 forms, as anhydrous hydrogen fluoride and as aqueous hydrofluoric acid. The predominant form manufactured is hydrogen fluoride, a colourless liquid or gas that fumes on contact with air and is water soluble. Fluorides that are attached to very small particles may stay in the air for many days. Hydrogen fluoride gas will be absorbed by rain and into clouds and fog

Nitrogen Oxides

What happens to nitrogen dioxide in the atmosphere?

Nitrogen dioxide can form secondary particles called nitrates that cause haze and reduce visibility. Nitrogen dioxide is the gas that makes summer smog look brownish in colour.29/09/2021

How long does pollution stay in the atmosphere?

Abstract. The atmospheric residence time of carbon dioxide is **hundreds of years**, many orders of magnitude longer than that of common air pollution, which is typically hours to a few days.

Mercury

How does mercury pollute the atmosphere?

Much of the mercury in the environment originates from combustion and can travel long distances in the atmosphere before being deposited on the land surface. As a result, mercury can bioaccumulate in fish in areas with no obvious source of mercury pollution.

Dioxins and Furan

What are the effects of furans pollution?

Dioxins and furans can adversely affect human and animal health in a number of ways, including by: affecting the immune and reproductive systems. causing birth defects. affecting neurobehavioural development.29/09/2021

How long does dioxin stay in the environment?

The half-life of dioxins in the soil is from 60 to 80 years, and at the same time, it persists for a long time in the environment, seeps into the soil and sediments, and migrates into vegetation and aquatic life, leading to bioaccumulation in the soil and food chain [2,9,44].

Carbon Monoxide

What is carbon monoxide in the atmosphere?

Carbon monoxide is a **trace gas** in the atmosphere, and it does not have a direct effect on the global temperature, like methane and carbon dioxide do. However, carbon monoxide plays a major role in atmospheric chemistry, and it affects the ability of the atmosphere to cleanse itself of many other polluting gases.

WHAT HAPPENS TO CARBON MONOXIDE WHEN IT ENTERS THE ENVIRONMENT? It enters the air and remains in the atmosphere for an average of about 2 months. Eventually, carbon monoxide reacts with other compounds in the atmosphere and is converted to carbon dioxide.

Remember: Emissions will be coming from 3 chimney stacks (possible 4 chimney Stacks. Many emissions can be cumulative and stay on the ground and in the atmosphere for years.

For the final comment I will leave to Professor Paul Connett

My name is Paul Connett.

I am a retired professor of chemistry specialising in environmental chemistry and toxicology.

I have been researching the issue of waste management since 1985. I have given over 2500 public presentations in a total of 70 countries. I have helped citizens prevent the building of between 300 and 400 trash incinerators worldwide.

I would like to share my knowledge on this matter with this community in several ways.

1) I will be providing the council with two power points one giving the detailed arguments against incineration and the other providing information on an alternative Zero Waste strategy.

2) I will be producing a written critique of the proposal by Oct 13 and

3) If provided the opportunity I would also like to present via zoom a 90-minute presentation to the public, as well as more specialised talk for the farming community on the dangers incineration poses to agriculture, particularly to those producing grazing animals.

From an environmental and health perspective the burning of waste is a highly complicated and risky business. A modern incinerator converts hundreds of tons of waste per day to trillions of extremely tiny particles which are very difficult to capture. The particles are so small that they can carry toxics across lung membranes into the bloodstream and into every tissue in the body. These nanoparticle emissions are not regulated or monitored.

There is no question that the air emission control equipment on incineration has improved since 1985, especially in Germany. However, this improvement has come at a price: a) it has made incineration extremely expensive (over half the capital costs of a modern incinerator goes

into the apc) making incineration the most expensive way of handling waste and the most expensive way of making electricity and

b) the residues in the apc are very, very toxic. In most European countries the fly ash is treated as hazardous waste. In Germany, it is put in nylon bags and deposited in salt mines. Ash disposal could be a much greater problem than Global metal solutions admit.

Over the last few years monitoring of chickens' eggs produced near the most advanced

incinerator in the Netherlands has shown dioxin emissions have exceeded the most stringent

standards. In most countries the monitoring of incinerators has been grossly inadequate.

In my view, the use of the term “Waste to Energy” is a massive deception of the public.

Incinerators are actually “Waste of Energy” facilities because they do not recover the embedded energy in commercial products and materials – that is the amount of energy used in extraction, manufacture and transport. Compare this to a Zero Waste where reuse, recycling and composting does reduce energy used in subsequent production cycles.

In my view, this project has the potential of being a disaster to the taxpayer. There are only two ways an incinerator can make money

a) with the sale of energy as electricity and waste heat and

b) with a tipping fee. This is what customers (local communities will be charged) for every ton of waste they deliver to the facility.

There are many examples of where incinerators don't make a profit from energy sales. So the burden of paying off the capital investment for this facility will fall on the tipping fee – i.e. The taxpayers.

These facilities produce very little energy for the investment involved. This 400-ton burner would yield the same amount of energy as 2-4 wind turbines.

Finally, even if you made incineration safe you would not make it sensible. The task of handling waste has changed dramatically from the 20th to the 21st Century.

In the 20 th century the task was seen as finding ways of getting rid of waste safely and efficiently.

In the 21 st century, the task has become how to handle our discarded resources in ways we can share some if not all their value with the future. In other words, our task is not to get better and better at destroying waste but to stop making products and packaging that has to be destroyed.

We have to say to industry if we can't reuse it, recycle it or compost it you shouldn't be making it. Waste is a design problem – we need better industrial design for the 21st Century that is what the zero waste program is all about. That is the future, incineration belongs in the past.

Incineration is NOT sustainable. It cannot be part of a circular economy.

Dr. Paul Connett, PhD
14 Greenacres, Preston Park Avenue,
Brighton, BN1 6HR, UK

In conclusion,

I urge the council to carefully consider the potential consequences of allowing a waste-to-energy incinerator in our community.

Let us explore the recommendations from Officials/Experts who state “alternative waste management strategies that prioritise the health and well-being of our residents, protect our environment, and promote a sustainable future for our community and country”

I request/do not request*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: [Signature]
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 9/10/2023 Contact person: Neville Mark
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 400 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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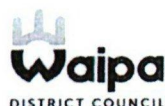
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Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application

Form 13



Sections 41D, 95A, 95B, 95C, 96, 127(3) and 234(4),
Resource Management Act 1991

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LOCATION: 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I ~~am~~/am not* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am/~~am not~~ directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that—

- (a) adversely affects the environment; and
- (b) does not relate to trade competition or the effects of trade competition.

The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

The lack of background research on long term exposure to the health
& well being of the citizens of Te Awamutu, especially the immediate
residents, including the local dog core.

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐
include—

- the reasons for your views.

There is no long term research being undertaken.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

I oppose this application. I want the Waipa District Council
to decline this application.

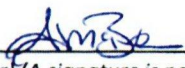
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(this means that you will speak at the hearing)
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(this is required by section 96(6) (b) of the Resource Management Act 1991)

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Signature of submitter: 
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 13.10.23. Contact person: Amada McBeh
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 1472 Arapan Road RPO Te Awamutu
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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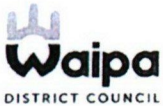
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Form 13

Sections 41D, 95A, 95B, 95C, 96, 127(3) and 234(4),
Resource Management Act 1991

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LOCATION: 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I ~~am~~/am not* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

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The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

ALL OF THE APPLICATION

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ Oppose parts or all of ☒ are neutral parts or all of ☐
include—

- the reasons for your views.

LONG TERM HEALTHY RISKS
SITE UNSUITABLE 'FLOOD ZONE'
COMPANY PROPOSING TO OPERATE PLANT CLEARLY UNSUITABLE

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

I OPPOSE TO THIS APPLICATION. I WANT THE WALPA
DISTRICT COUNCIL TO DECLINE THIS APPLICATION


I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

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(this means that you will speak at the hearing)
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Date:

13/10/22

Contact person:

PAUL MARSH

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address:

48 OAK RIDGE DRIVE TE AWAMUTU.

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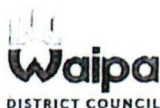
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All of the Application

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐
include—

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Health

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

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I oppose this application. I want the Waipa District Council to decline the application.


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Date: 13.10.2023

Contact person: Peter Bryan Morris
(name and designation, if applicant)

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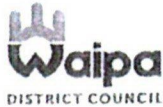
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The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

AIR QUALITY, TRAFFIC HAZARDS, ENVIRONMENTAL
POLLUTION, INCORRECT ZONING, NOISE POLLUTION
FLOODING

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐
include—

- the reasons for your views.

DIRECTLY AFFECTS ALL LOCALS. AFFECTS MARINE
CHILD CARE CENTRE, OLD FOLK HOME, SCHOOLS

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

DISMISS APPLICATION

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

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Submission to Waikato Regional Council /Waipa District Council Re Global Contracting Solutions LTD

Waikato Regional Council File no APP143988

Waipa District Council WDC REF LU/0323/21

This submission is made on behalf of owners of Barnyard Kids child care centre 504 Racecourse Rd

1 Proposed sighting of this incineration plant is within a 300metre radius of a childcare centre Barnyard Kids located at 504 Racecourse Rd . Also in very close proximity is a residential area and elderly gated community . Te Awamutu college , Wanaga O Aoteroa and local food businesses are also very close by .

2 The proposed incineration plant is to process 456 tonnes per day of tyres, plastics and general waste ,the which is a major concern regarding environmental pollution and air quality for those who are living in the immediate area,and also the children and adolescents attending the childcare and local college. Under NZ air quality standards it is illegal to burn a single tyre due to the environmental pollution and toxic cyanide produced once tyres are burnt . This project proposes to incinerate 35000 tonnes per year approximately 3million tyres per year. At risk are the elderly , children and those who suffer with respiratory, cardio-pulmonary,bronchitis, and asthma. Dioxins will also be produced and are highly toxic causing serious health issues including, infertility,learning disabilities, endometriosis,birth defects,immune system compromised ,and cancer. The risk to the health and well being of the Te Awamutu community from environmental pollution and emissions from this plant can not be ignored and certainly not to be gambled with .

3 From the projected figures there will be 84 trucks per hour dumping waste at the plant. This is significant increase in road traffic in and out of Te Awamutu and also surrounding areas . This has to increase congestion within Racecourse

Rd as well as on going road damage . Our major concern is for the parents of preschoolers dropping their children off at Barnyard Kids , and the possibility of serious accidents with 84 more trucks an hour on Racecourse Rd . Children from the local college crossing roads , earphones in place and the extra traffic . Residential dwellings with kids on bikes further accidents to happen . There is already enough happening around this site currently , to increase the proposed traffic flow of 84 trucks per hour is madness and asking for trouble.

4 With the site estimated at only 3 metres above the Mangapiko stream , this site will flood , as we have experienced some 300 metres away . I also raise the point of contamination to the stream with the estimates of 200kg of contaminated waste ash treatment per hour and a further 2.65 tonnes of general waste water per hour . Some will definitely make its way into the stream

5 Climate change effects are obvious, burning fossil fuel waste in the form of tyres and plastics must emit carbon gases . An independent report shows that there would be an extra 150kt p/a Coe from combustions itself . Also the amount of waste ash that will never break down going into a landfill near you ?

6 The cost of losing the tranquillity and peace from the Te Awamutu community is immeasurable . A rubbish plant belching away 7 days a week 24hrs per day , exuding toxic fumes and gases . The noise and stench to the local community is without question , plus you now have light pollution from all the lighting necessary to run a 24/7 operation .

7 Research shows that in the Northern Hemisphere they are now legislating against this form of energy production as the technology is failing and flawed

8 The proposal of this plant does not comply in any way to the Waipa District council zonings or building codes . The benefit to the community of a possible 60 jobs is far outweighed by environmental, health and human costs .

Manawatu District council has also had an earlier application for an incineration plant from the same company . It was withdrawn when a chemical engineer Andrew Curtis withdrew his support citing insufficient information and fundamental flaws in the modelling . This was then followed by a statement from the lead consents planner Byrony Huirua of the Horizon regional council . "There were too many unknowns regarding environmental

impact ,due to insufficient and disparate information from the applicant . The Horizon regional council clearly dodged a bullet, please put an end to this ridiculous idea and plan .

I request/do not request*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: _____

V.S. Madsen

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 5-10-23

Contact person: TERRY MADSEN

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: AS PER PAGE 1

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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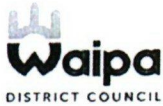
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Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application

Form 13



Sections 41D, 95A, 95B, 95C, 96, 127(3) and 234(4),
Resource Management Act 1991

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APPLICANT'S NAME: Global Contracting Solutions Limited

LOCATION: 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I am/am not* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am/~~am not~~ directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that—

- (a) adversely affects the environment; and
- (b) does not relate to trade competition or the effects of trade competition.

The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

All of application

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ Oppose parts or all of ☒ are neutral parts or all of ☐
include—

- the reasons for your views.

*pollution - harmful - too close with community - traffic build up -
↳ to human life - insects -*

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

Have application declined.

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

- ☒ I do wish to be heard in support of my submission
(this means that you will speak at the hearing)
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Signature of submitter: _____

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 13.10.2023.

Contact person: _____

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: _____

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The entire application!

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ Oppose parts or all of ☒ are neutral parts or all of ☐
include—

- the reasons for your views.

• Toxic ash will need to be disposed of & the applicant has no plan for this. No environmental impact study has been done! No human health assessment has been done!

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

I want you to decline the application!

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

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Signature of submitter: Erin
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 11/10/23 Contact person: Erin Myers
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 745 Fairview Road, Te Awamutu
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

My submission relates to the whole application number LU/0323/21

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐
include—

- the reasons for your views.

I **oppose** this application.

I am 53 years of age. Whilst living in the expensive rat race of Auckland, we decided to search elsewhere for a better way of life. Whilst doing a road trip, my husband and I came across the small community of Te Awamutu in January 2022 and were so taken by it we decided to purchase our first New Zealand home since immigrating here from South Africa 15 years ago. This was a huge decision for us as we invested our lifesavings, but we were upbeat about it as it was for our future as well as to get a better work and lifestyle balance and knowing that we would be retiring here as well. We purchased our dream home in Te Awamutu and moved in on 12 April 2022 and have been leading and extremely happy life since then.

I am a professional person with full-time employment. I have a full office setup at home to enable me to be able to perform my company duties. My duties entail managing a team of 40 team members remotely. I spend a lot of time in conference calls planning, scheduling, and implementing the projects and these calls are with senior managers, colleagues, customers and suppliers.

I actually live on the intersection of Tawhiao Street, Factory Road, Mangapiko Street and Racecourse Road. All these roads currently experience considerable volumes of traffic, including what I classify to be an above average number of Fonterra, livestock, and tipper trucks from anything like 4 am though to 10 pm daily all of which are currently a disturbance as despite my house being of a solid concrete construction it vibrates each time a truck goes past. It must be noted that we experience the greater percentage of traffic during the week and during daylight hours with considerably less traffic after hours and even less on weekends.



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In addition to this I suffer from asthma and must use a pump. Having this plant so close to me I would need to use my pump more often. I would more than likely need to visit the doctors more often, which would cost me more money. **My health will decline and I will have to take more time off work and again this will affect my income.** Noting that we are effectively 700 meters from the proposed site and are obviously on one of the main roads leading to/from it, I am an extremely concerned resident and member of the community and have huge concerns about numerous aspects of the proposed application.

Concerns:

1. **My mental wellbeing** is now under enormous strain based on worries and concerns of having an unthought through, unwanted, human impacting, personally financially impacting, 24 hours per day x 7 days a week x 365 days a year, incinerator plant in the middle of a community!
2. **My house value is going to be affected by this plant!** As mentioned above we made the decision to invest our life savings in our home @ 338 Tawhia Street in Te Awamutu and plan to retire in it and we now believe that our home and our future is at risk should the plant be built. I believe my property values will drop and it will fall on me suck it up and will still need to pay my mortgage for the price it was purchased at.
3. **I expect that this will impact my rates!** If this plant goes ahead and there is additional infrastructure needed initially or even a period down the line for repairs to said infrastructure, i.e. electricity, water, roading and specifically roading repairs, that my rates money will be used to cover those costs and more than likely will result in an increase in my rates! Additionally, heaven forbid that this plant goes ahead and my house value decreases as we believe it will, I doubt my rates would drop in line with a lower property value.
4. **Noise pollution will have big impacts on me**
 - a. Traffic:
 - i. In the submission there 189 vehicles estimated every 24 hours which include 30 HPMV's and 100 single truck units per day, meaning that if 100% of them travel through the Tawhiao, Factory Road, etc. intersection I will have a truck going past my house approximately every 8 minutes, and if 50% of them travel through the Tawhiao, Factory Road, etc. intersection I will have a truck going past my house approximately every 16 minutes – where in any reasonable person's mind does that make sense!
Bearing in mind that the proposed plant is operation 24 hours per day x 7 days a week x 365 days a year, so it would also work out that the trucks will be travelling past my house though the night at anything from every 8 minutes based on the routes taken.
 - ii. With me working from home all the time I believe there will be an unacceptable amount of noise which will disrupt me from performing my daily duties as well as having further mental impacts on my wellbeing.
 - iii. We have great established garden at home with a large deck and a spa pool and the traffic noise is going to have a big impact on our ability to still enjoy them going forward, especially after hours and on weekends. This will have an unacceptable a negative impact on my quality of life at my home that I pay the mortgage for!

- iv. I expect that there are going to be fundamental traffic issues should there be a breakdown at the incinerator plant and it is shut-down for hours/days, etc. caused by the trucks already on route and those that have arrived at the plant.
- b. **Factory:**
 - i. The incinerator machinery (conveyor belts, blast doors, ect.) and furnaces – burning, hissing, etc, is going to generate an unacceptable level of noise.
 - ii. Ongoing heavy plant equipment, such as trucks, diggers, forklifts, etc. moving around continuously, especially considering most of them will be beeping continuously as a warning that they are moving around is also going to generate an unacceptable level of noise.
5. **I believe there is going to be an unacceptable amount of light pollution** generated by the incinerator plant operating 24 hours per day x 7 days a week x 365 days a year which once again is going to impact my general quality of life especially considering my sleep and outdoor living.
6. **Te Awamutu College (the only college in TA) students park in Tawhiao street** and basically full up both sides of the street between Alexandra Street and the Tawhiao, Factory Road, etc. intersection daily, and having whatever number of additional trucks per hour or per day. on these roads will create unnecessary danger for them, notwithstanding the fact that there are homes with small children in them living in Tawhiao street.
7. Not being a roading specialist but a person of intellect I do not see how the current roads (Racecourse and Tawhiao) will have the capacity to carry the sheer amount of continuous traffic and their heavy loads.
8. **Tamariki that visits regularly**
 - a. We have a young family that are very close to us and they have 2 very young children who spend a lot of time with us and have regular stayovers. I believe that it will have a huge impact on the children's health and wellbeing. Once child has Ashma and is effected by dust and fumes. Having this plant 700m away from my garden will mean they can no longer come and visit me. This will affect my mental wellbeing as I will no longer be able to be part of their life, as well as it will be a big impact to them as they consider us to be their grandparents.
9. **Hanging out my washing to dry**
 - a. I will no longer be able to hang my washer out to dry. As the dust and fumes will stain it and make it smell. This means my power bill will go up. Effecting my lifestyle my income and my wellbeing.
10. **My Garden**
 - a. **My Garden will be affected by this. My plants are mature and well looked after. It has taking years to get the garden to look like it does. The dust and Toxic fumes will make them die. This is part of the house and will bring the value down even more.**
11. **Human Health:**
 - a. There is no human health assessment of this proposal
 - b. The incineration plant is a hazardous facility with serious risks of harm to human health. The plant will emit cancer-causing dioxins and furans, sulphur dioxide, nitrogen oxide, mercury and particulate matter will be released into the air.

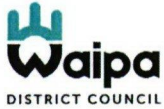
- c. Dioxins damage the human immune system and cause cancer. Studies have shown direct links to non-Hodgkins lymphoma, increases in risks of miscarriages and pre-term delivery of babies. There are links to reduced male fertility. Exposure to particulate matter impacts those with respiratory problems such as asthma, cardiovascular issues, the elderly and children.
- d. In 2016, human-made (anthropogenic) air pollution in New Zealand resulted in an estimated 3,317 premature deaths (in people aged 30+ years). The largest causes were NO₂ and PM_{2.5}. There were 32 premature deaths due to air pollution (PM_{2.5} and NO₂) in Waipā District (among people aged 30+ years) in 2016. The incinerator will significantly add to these pollutants, and therefore, contribute to the premature death of Waipā residents.
- e. Under NZ's air quality standards, it is illegal to burn even one tyre because the health and environmental effects are so toxic - yet this project is proposing to burn 35,000 tonnes a year. Burning tyres emits cyanide, carbon monoxide, sulfur dioxide, and products of butadiene and styrene. And the smell of those tyres burning will fill the community with an unbelievable stench.
- f. The odour and dust have not been adequately assessed. There is no indication of how often the startup/maintenance will be done and levels exceeded.
- g. There will be significant additional traffic in a residential area, adding to air pollution and impacting those who are old, very young and immunocompromised. It will change the nature of the community from a quiet residential street to an unsafe and busy thoroughfare of trucks at all hours of the day and night.

12. Air, Water and Land Pollution & Emissions:

- a. The incinerator will produce dioxins that are cancer-causing even in extremely low levels. These will be emitted into the air, and will settle on the land and in the water. There is no safe level of dioxins, and these "bio-accumulate" - meaning that over time they build up in human fat tissue and in animals.
- b. There is no assessment of land contamination included in the application. International research shows that the land surrounding incinerators can be extensively contaminated with heavy metals, microplastics and other toxic emissions including dioxin.
- c. Stormwater from the site will be discharged into the Mangapiko Stream. This water is likely to be contaminated with heavy metals and dioxin. Filtration systems and settlement ponds do not eliminate all of the toxic products meaning these will make their way into the waterways
- d. One of the emissions from burning tyres/tyre derived fuel is zinc oxide which has not been modelled and which is highly toxic to aquatic life.
- e. The huge earthworks over several years will impact the health and wellbeing of the
- f. Mangapiko River

13. Hazards, Risks, Toxic Ash and other toxic byproducts:

- a. The incinerator would produce 23 tonnes/day of toxic ash which has to be landfilled. Incinerator ash contains heavy metals, microplastics and dioxins.



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- b. The storage of highly contaminated wastewater and other hazardous substances on site risks spills and wider contamination.
- c. There is no risk assessment of the possibility of fire or explosion despite the storage of hazardous materials and highly flammable feedstock. The community only has a volunteer fire brigade.

14. Untested technology

- a. At present Aotearoa New Zealand has no municipal solid waste (MSW) incinerators. The incinerators that were in operation around 2000 have all closed. Many of them were a significant source of dioxin contamination
- b. A similar, larger, proposal for a waste-to-energy incinerator in Waimate, South Canterbury has been “called in” by the Minister for the Environment in part because this is new technology with national implications.
- c. Te Awamutu does not want to be a testing ground for this technology
- d. Global Contracting Solutions does not have any experience of operation in waste incineration. It is a scrap metal business. The company does, however, have a track record of violating resource consent conditions in their Hamilton operations.

15. Cultural Impact

- a. The application contains no formal Cultural Impact Assessment
- b. Fully informed consent from Iwi and Hapū must be part of this proposal including clear disclosure of human health and environmental impacts
- c. Taiea te Taiao was created to promote an ecological corridor to link Maungatautari and Pirongia te aroaro o Kahu. This corridor will reconnect these maunga/mountains with biodiversity plantings which will enhance native species present, transform iwi connections to the Mangapiko stream, and ultimately improve water quality. An incinerator will undermine these efforts.

16. Inappropriate land use

- a. The site is totally unsuitable for a large-scale waste incinerator. The current “Specialised Dairy Industrial Area” designation means that the land use is intended to ensure that any activity there was aligned with Fonterra’s activities.
- b. It is not appropriate to have an incinerator burning millions of tyres next to a milk production facility
- c. This area is not identified as an area for industrial development in the District Plan. Two areas are identified for industrial growth: at Bond Road and Paterangi Road.
- d. The location of a heavy industrial operation immediately next to existing and planned residential housing, schools and food businesses, and operating 24-hrs/day, 7day/week is not appropriate and conflicts with the intentions of the Waipā District Plan and Growth Strategy for the community.
- e. The very large size of the building and stacks does not fit in with the area. It will dominate, have a significant impact on the landscape and turn the entire area into the feel of an industrial zone.

17. Flooding

- a. Entire site is a floodplain - most of the site is designated a High Risk Flood Zone

- b. The river has been straightened and narrowed over time to enable development, this is now considered one of the major causes of flooding. Allowing rivers the ability to spread to accommodate severe rainfall events in future protects infrastructure, business and housing from inundation.
- c. The new incinerator buildings would increase flooding spread to the Fonterra factory and houses on Factory Road, numbers 331-467
- d. The company wants to build its building lower than existing requirements (because it will cost them a lot more money to build to the required levels). This will mean even greater risk to the community.
- e. Insurance companies are warning New Zealanders not to build on floodplains due to climate change. The incinerator may become uninsurable, and the community left with the cleanup bill.

18. Climate change

- a. The incinerator will use non-renewable feedstock (plastic waste, tyres, mixed solid waste & flock) to create energy: this is equivalent to a fossil fuel production plant, but much dirtier and riskier because of the different composition of the materials.
- b. The addition of non-renewable energy from waste works against efforts to decarbonise the energy sector.
- c. The incinerator will be a massive contributor to climate change. It will directly add about 150 kilo tons per year of CO₂.
- d. The facility would have a carbon footprint many times greater than the same amount of waste being sent to landfill

19. Feedstock, Waipā waste minimisation, zero waste alternatives:

- a. Te Awamutu will need to import almost all of the material for this facility from outside of the district. This is not a proposal for the benefit of the community.
- b. The company has no contracts for the delivery of the feedstock except from its own operations (as Global Metal Solutions). This means it is impossible to know what hazards, risks and emissions exist because only a small percentage of the feedstock is known. It also means that the company is more likely to burn recyclable materials and other things because it must always continue to operate. It will directly work against efforts to minimise waste.
- c. The inclusion of 35,058 tonnes of plastic (as well as a considerable portion of MSW that includes plastic) does not align with the recently released National Plastics Action Plan for Aotearoa New Zealand by the Ministry for the Environment
- d. Incineration does not replace the need for landfills - instead it takes ordinary materials and concentrates them into more toxic ash.
- e. The Waipā District Council has a great waste minimisation plan and opportunities for more comprehensive zero waste strategies that would fit with the goals of minimise wastes, while meeting community aspirations for a healthy environment, job creation and mitigation of climate emissions.

Sections 41D, 95A, 95B, 95C, 96, 127(3) and 234(4),
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Investing hundreds of millions of dollars into an incinerator locks in the need for continued production of waste, meaning the community misses out on other waste uses further up the waste hierarchy (like reuse, repair and repurposing).

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

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I want the **Waipā District Council** to **decline this application**

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(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 8 October 2023

Contact person: Jacqueline Maskell

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 338 Tahwiao Street, Te Awamutu

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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All of the application

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐
include—

- the reasons for your views.

see attached

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Decision - declined in full

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Re Application No APP143988

From: Debbie McCormick

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

I wish to oppose the above application and I am very upset that the council saw fit to help source the land for an industrial incinerating business in the middle of residential properties.

Furthermore, the incinerator is in close proximity to a daycare, the Te Wananga and the local college.

It is non complaint under the district council rules. 18 breaches

Please confirm that this land is not flood prone and the company will not be using water for the Te Awamutu residents who currently face water restrictions over summer.

Who is going to pay for the additional road maintenance especially in Racecourse Road.

Where is the ash going to be disposed of?

I am concerned about my property value (Decreased property values would result in a lower rate intake)

I am concerned about the noise that I would have to endure 24 hours a day.

I am concerned about the smell, dust and ash in the air which gets trapped in the valley Te Awamutu is set in.

Worst of all in the strive for New Zealand to be green you are allowing the worst type of pollutants into our local atmosphere with severe consequences from dioxin and other toxic emissions. It will affect the Mangapiko stream and its water life. The world is currently pushing for recycling, and you are allowing an out of date and unproven model to apply for consent in our town. This has a negative effect on climate change also.

Is rubbish from out of town going to be trucked in to keep the venture running?

What is the composition of the rubbish?

How many litres of diesel will be stored on site?

Who is responsible for overseeing that the facility is compliant?

Are the air quality figures for Te Awamutu from Te Awamutu only and are they current within a 6 month window?

What plan is in place for and accidents or emergencies remembering that volunteers run our fire brigade.

The proposed height of the 3 chimneys is 18meters higher than the legal rules

Can this facility be Insured?

The cost to the Te Awamutu's resident's health is my major concern. What plans are in place to insure no ill effects on our health?

As voted representatives of our region I find it distressing that such an important event in our region only ONE councillor took the time to come and hear the views of the people they represent.

I DONOT WISH FOR THIS INCINERATOR PROPOSAL TO PROCEED

I request/do not request*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: 
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 2/10/23 Contact person: Deborah McCormick
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 794 Mahoe St Te Awamutu
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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Form 13



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Resource Management Act 1991

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ALL OF THE APPLICATION

My submission is:

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include—

The reason for your views

is the Air quality and
the fact that is in a
residential area and
daycares and schools are
near. Not at all good for our town.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

I OPPOSE TO THIS APPLICATION. I WANT THE WAIPA DISTRICT COUNCIL TO DECLINE THIS APPLICATION.

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

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*You can change your
mind later*

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Date: 13.10.2023

Contact person: Erin Maate

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 23 Linelan Road. Te Awamutu

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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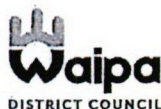
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trucks & further damage to roads & emissions from quarrying
closeness to urban areas & education facilities

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐

include—

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to decline application

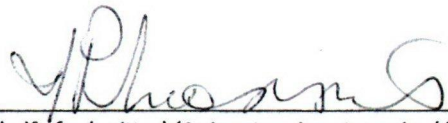
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(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 04.10.23

Contact person: Trudi Morris

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 9 Windermere Drive, Te Awamutu

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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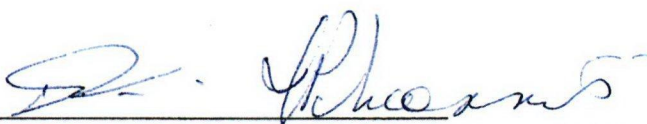
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Date: 04.10.23 Contact person: Tudi Morris
(name and designation, if applicant)

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Date: ^{at} 10. 2023 Contact person: David Morris
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 9 Windermere Drive, Te Awamutu.
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This is a submission on:

APPLICANT'S NAME: Global Contracting Solutions Limited

LOCATION: 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I am/am not* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am/am not directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that—

- (a) adversely affects the environment; and
- (b) does not relate to trade competition or the effects of trade competition.

The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐
include—

- the reasons for your views.

Not appropriate in the area of mostly residential
houses

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

Not allowed.

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

- ☐ I do wish to be heard in support of my submission
(this means that you will speak at the hearing)
- ☒ I do not wish to be heard in support of my submission
(this means that you will not be advised of the date of the hearing and will not speak at the hearing)
- ☐ If others make a similar submission I will consider presenting a joint case with them at the hearing.

You must tick one of the boxes above, otherwise it will be deemed that you do not wish to be heard and we will not advise you of the date of the hearing.

- ☒ I have served a copy of my submission on the applicant.
(this is required by section 96(6) (b) of the Resource Management Act 1991)

I request/do not request*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: _____

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 26/9/23

Contact person: TONY ARTHUR MORGAN

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: PO Box 71, Te Awamutu 3840

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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