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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

This is a submission on:

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

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include—

- *the reasons for your views.*

I oppose all of this application. I have worked in this community for the past 15 years and moved to Te Awamutu in 2021 from Hamilton. We sold our property in Hamilton to relocate to Te Awamutu as the prospect of living in a smaller community with a strong focus on environmental sustainability, was appealing. The work of organisations such as the Puniu River Care that supports environmental restoration has been inspiring. As a result we now refer to ourselves as proud locals of this community. The property that we pride ourselves on, love and cherish, is located within a 1.5km radius of the proposed location site which directly impacts the wellbeing of my family. I also work within a 500m radius of the proposed site and my child attends daycare within a 500m radius. The thought of my child playing outdoors and exposed to toxic emissions from a municipal solid waste incinerator is not the environment that I wish to raise my child in and would therefore prefer to consider relocation options outside of Te Awamutu.

**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 the Waipā District Council to decline this application for the following reasons:

1. At present, Aotearoa 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. Te Awamutu should not be the testing ground for this technology.
2. The application does not contain a formal Cultural Impact Assessment.
3. Fully informed consent from Iwi and Hapū must be part of this proposal including clear disclosure of human health and environmental impacts.
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5. 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.
6. There is no human health assessment of this proposal.
7. The odour and dust have not been adequately assessed. There is no indication of how often the start up, maintenance and monitoring will be done and levels exceeded.
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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: 13/10/2023 Contact person: Harata Samuel  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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include—

- *the reasons for your views.*
  - *This project has never been done in New Zealand or approved by any other council. Does Waipa want to be the first to have this in their district. The level of district and anger this is building is already evident. How will this be a good thing for the council moving forward?*
  - *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*
  - *It is not appropriate to have such a project in the middle of a residential area, regardless if the land it is being built on is designated as industrial*
  - *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.*
  - *Te Awamutu does not want to be a testing ground for this technology*
  - *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.*
  - *The application contains no formal Cultural Impact Assessment*
  - *Fully informed consent from Iwi and Hapū must be part of this proposal including clear disclosure of human health and environmental impacts*
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- *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 D. Inappropriate land use  
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 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.*
  - *Entire site is a floodplain - most of the site is designated a High Risk Flood Zone*
  - *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.*
  - *The new incinerator buildings would increase flooding spread to the Fonterra factory and houses on Factory Road, numbers 331-467*
  - *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.*
  - *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 clean up bill.*
  - *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.*

- *The addition of non-renewable energy from waste works against efforts to decarbonise the energy sector.*
  - *The incinerator will be a massive contributor to climate change. It will directly add about 150 kilo tons per year of CO<sub>2</sub>.*
  - *The facility would have a carbon footprint many times greater than the same amount of waste being sent to landfill*
  - *The incinerator would produce 23 tonnes/day of toxic ash which has to be landfilled. Incinerator ash contains heavy metals, microplastics and dioxins.*
  - *The storage of highly contaminated wastewater and other hazardous substances on site risks spills and wider contamination.*
  - *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. H. Feedstock, Waipā waste minimisation, zero waste alternatives:*
    - *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.*
      - *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.*
      - *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*
      - *Incineration does not replace the need for landfills - instead it takes ordinary materials and concentrates them into more toxic ash.*
      - *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.*
      - *The Waipa District Council has set targets for carbon minimisation, I have seen the presentations. There is no way a project like this has been taken into account. If it goes ahead, the councils targets go with it*
      - *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).*
      - *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.*

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- *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 NO<sub>2</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub>. There were 32 premature deaths due to air pollution (PM<sub>2.5</sub> and NO<sub>2</sub>) 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.*
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*I oppose this application. 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: 13/10/2023 Contact person: Kurt Shirley \_\_\_\_\_

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 35a Mangauika Rd, Pirongia \_

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

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Completely disagree with the various assessments overall conclusion that effects are minor;

**My submission is:**

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This application seeks to locate a facility burning old tyres and plastic (combined 40%) and municipal rubbish (another 40%) within the Te Awamutu urban area. Despite the company name, the applicant appears to have no technical track record or business experience commensurate with the endeavour being proposed. Furthermore the proposal is:

- not best use of this site
- on an inappropriate site for the operation
- of limited benefit to people of Te Awamutu
- despite what the documents say I anticipate issues with emissions – gases, particulates, noise and odour, as well as traffic, visual amenity and employment.

Have reservations about invoking iwi connection and despite claims to the contrary the various “green” justifications contained in the application.

Also object to the applicants thinking that incorporation of Education/Exhibition/Museum spaces in the proposal and promoting some minor planting on a short length of the Mangapiko Stream banks as being sufficient to improve the condition of this stream and justify the overall application.

**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

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Decline all consent applications (Waipa – land use, NES – air quality, Regional - discharge stormwater)

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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: 13/10/23 Contact person: Craig Smart  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: craig.smart2@outlook.com  
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Decline Application.

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Signature of submitter: Nadia Smith.  
(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: Nadia Smith  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 11 Ballance Street, Kihikini  
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Jane Simons  
3/65 Queen Street  
Pukekohe

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

My submission relates to the whole application.  
I oppose this application.  
I want the Waipa District Council to decline this application.  
I would like to be heard in support of my submission.

The possible contamination of unprocessed materials and also the waste which would be dumped, we have a stream here that runs through the town, which dioxins could flow into and contaminate.

The proposed site has residents living very close, plus a school.

We are not to be guinea pigs for this incinerator. I want to start a health business down here and generally with the ill feeling around this town about the incinerator, I am seeing no future for Te Awamutu, if this was to go ahead.

Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application



Form 13

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

This is a submission on:

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

that it adversely affects the environment + the health of the community.

My submission is:

Support parts or all of [ ] Oppose parts or all of [x] are neutral parts or all of [ ]

include—

- the reasons for your views.

NZ is not experienced in monitoring incinerator, there has been no environment impact statement or health risk assessment, the company Global metal solutions has never built or operated a incinerator, the agricultural area is vulnerable to emissions, contribute to climate change, the location is out of gear why would it be in the middle of a town with all the toxins

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

Decline application

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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~~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: Blewa  
(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: Breana Siemorek  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 343 Page crescent, Te Awamutu, 3800  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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# Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application

## Form 13



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

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- (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 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.

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

That the application by Global Contracting Solutions to build a waste-to-energy incinerator in Racecourse Rd, Te Awamutu, be 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  
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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.)

mark Christopher Smale

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

14-10-2023

Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

A above

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: \_\_\_\_\_

PO Box 55, Kihikihi 5841

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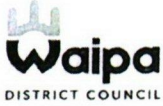
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Form 13



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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:

All of the application

My submission is:

Support parts or all of [ ] Oppose parts or all of [x] are neutral parts or all of [ ] include—

- the reasons for your views.

It is unhealthy, untested, contributes to increased carbon emissions + the company proposing to run it has contravened their previous consent conditions.

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 the application

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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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: Steel  
(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: Leanne Steel  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 100 A Greenstade Road, RD1 Raglan  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act): 3295

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Resource Management Act 1991

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
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The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are: app. No. LU/0323/21  
entire application - Specifically - I wish  
the Waipa District Council to Decline this  
whole 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.

I have lived at 360 Racecourse Rd for 9 yrs, this affects my  
family (Grandkids) directly as well as surrounding areas with health  
noise, toxic waste, property values, traffic, Smell from Trucks a  
well as Incinerator. Then the pollution to the stream, Soil, air etc

**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 entire application; and wish it  
to be declined.

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

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

Date: 10/10/23. Contact person: Maree Shortt  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 360 Racecourse Rd, Te Awamutu. 3800.  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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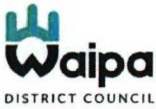
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## Form 13

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**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
The whole 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 nano-particles (and smell) released into the air, which filters will not be able to capture. These nano-particles travel a long way in the air and will have a harmful affect on humans, livestock, land, food etc. An abstract taken from The Enclopedia of Environmental Health (2019) - long term low level exposure to pollutants raises ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH concerns targeting communities within the vicinity of these facilities.

**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 seek that the application be declined in its entirety.  
\_\_\_\_\_

**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: 12/10/2023 Contact person: Helen Searle  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 1237 McClure Street RD6 Te Awamutu  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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My submission relates to the whole application

My submission is:

Support parts or all of [ ] Oppose parts or all of [X] are neutral parts or all of [ ] include—

- the reasons for your views.

Personal Health issues, goes against Waipa District plan & waste management. Will devalue properties within the area

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

No amendments or conditions. Just total denial of application

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

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

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

Postal address: 65 McKenna Place Te Awamutu  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

#### Notes to submitter

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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

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:

*all the applications*

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.*

*Especially Hazards to health and water supplies*

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

*Decline application*

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.

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- I have served a copy of my submission on the applicant.  
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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: Brian Thomas  
(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: BRIAN THOMAS SOCIETY  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 1/286 Cambridge Road Te Awamutu  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act): ~~Te Awamutu~~

### Notes to submitter

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

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

BURNING OF RUBBISH

My submission is:

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

- the reasons for your views.

I DO NOT BELIEVE THAT BURNING RUBBISH IS IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE WORLD NZ OR TE AWAMUTU IN PARTICULAR. GREENHOUSE GASES, TOXIC GASES AND INHERENT RISK TO HUMAN LIVES.

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

DECLINE THE APPLICATION

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

Date: 10/10/23 Contact person: JANE SINCLAIR  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 2/53 FRONTIER ROAD, RD6, TE AWAMUTU 3876  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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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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- (a) adversely affects the environment; and
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*my submission relates to the whole 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.

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

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

*Decline 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: 10/10/23 Contact person: SIMON JAMES SANDER  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 140 DOUGLAS AVE  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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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:**

My submission relates to the whole application.

**My submission is:**

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

*I am completely opposed to the construction of a waste incinerator in Racecourse Road.*

*It is not true that this proposed facility will have no impact on our environment – the mere volume of trucks expected to be using Racecourse Road will have a detrimental impact on the roading not to mention the exhaust fumes that will pollute the air.*

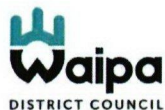
*There are no incinerators in New Zealand and Te Awamutu is not a testing ground for a company, who has no experience of waste incineration operation and whose shareholders operate other companies who have been in breach of their resource consent requirements.*

*There have been many health issues that research shows are associated with incineration. The applicant states the plant will burn 456 tons of waste per day creating 23 tons of ash. This is grossly underestimated as the most modern incinerators are reported to produce 10-20% of their daily weight in ash. Incineration will release cancer-causing dioxins and furans, sulphur dioxide, nitrogen oxide, mercury and particulate matter 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. We are amongst other things, a farming community – this threatens the very core of who we are as a community.*

*There has been no formal Cultural Impact Assessment included in this resource consent application nor fully informed consent from all the Iwi and Hapū who are mana whenua of areas that will*

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*potentially be impacted by this operation. There are significant environmental projects being undertaken in the local area including the reestablishment of native flora and fauna – these projects will be seriously compromised by this facility.*

*There is no risk assessment of the possibility of fire or explosion despite the storage of hazardous materials and highly flammable feedstock. The consequences of an incident at this facility could be catastrophic. In February this year, a fire at a waste incinerator in Doral, Miami Florida burned continuously for three weeks, with smoke and toxic fumes threatening the health of the public. We are not equipped to deal with an incident like this especially as Te Awamutu only has a volunteer fire brigade.*

#### **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 Waipā District Council to decline this application.

- I do 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: 10/10/2023 Contact person: Regan Stockmann  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 803 Mahoe Street, Te Awamutu

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This is a submission on:

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

My submission relates to the whole application.

**My submission is:**

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

*I have lived in the Te Awamutu area my whole life and in Mahoe St for the past 30 years. I am completely opposed to the construction of a waste incinerator in Racecourse Road.*

*I am appalled to think that something that will have such a far-reaching and significant impact on the whenua, the people and the identity of the Te Awamutu community is even being considered.*

*We are not a testing ground for what to date is a new technology being proposed by a company, Global Contracting Solutions, who has no experience of waste incineration operation. At this time there are no municipal solid waste incinerators in Aotearoa and that is a good thing. 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 reinforcing the concerns of our community that this is an ill thought out and poorly researched proposition. Alarming, the applicant does have a track record of violating resource consent conditions in their Hamilton operations which coupled with the absence of any human health consideration or environmental impacts makes me very afraid.*

*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. We are*

*amongst other things, a farming community – this threatens the very core of who we are as a community.*

*There has been no formal Cultural Impact Assessment included in this resource consent application nor fully informed consent from all the Iwi and Hapū who are mana whenua of areas that will potentially be impacted by this operation. 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 significantly undermine these efforts.*

*The land that is proposed for this project is currently fertile uncontaminated farmland forming a natural floodplain. The site is totally unsuitable for a large-scale waste incinerator. The incinerator would produce 23 tonnes/day of toxic ash which has to be landfilled. Incinerator ash contains heavy metals, microplastics and dioxins. The storage of highly contaminated wastewater and other hazardous substances on site risks spills and wider contamination. 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. This area is not identified as an area for industrial development in the District Plan.*

*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.*

*There is no risk assessment of the possibility of fire or explosion despite the storage of hazardous materials and highly flammable feedstock. The consequences of an incident at this facility could be catastrophic. In February this year, a fire at a waste incinerator in Doral, Miami Florida burned for continuously for three weeks, with smoke and toxic fumes threatening the health of the public. We are not equipped to deal with an incident like this especially as Te Awamutu only has a volunteer fire brigade.*

#### **I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

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

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- I have served a copy of my submission on the applicant.  
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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: 10/10/2023      Contact person: Karen Stockmann  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 803 Mahoe Street, Te Awamutu

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Form 13



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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 fly ash emitted into our air and bodies. The health effects to humans and animals are extremely detrimental and could span over generations. Cancer causing toxins and dioxins. It will add 150Kilo tons per year of CO2.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority: per year of CO2.  
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 and I want the Waipa District council to decline it.

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Date: 10/10/23 Contact person:  Helen Shaw  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 1A Nixon Street, Kihikihi  
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Support parts or all of include—
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This incinerator will produce cancer-causing dioxins, into our air, waterways, land and animals. Our health is at great risk and for generations to come. The health of our children are at great risk. This will also have a huge impact on carbon emissions. Toxic ash will be emitted into the air and our health.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority: I oppose this application and I want the Waipa District Council to DECLINE this application in its entirety.

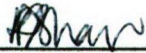
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Date: 6/10/23 Contact person: Rosie Shaw  
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Huge risk to our physical health - cancer causing dioxin. Toxic ash that has to be landfilled.  
Detrimental for our waterways, land + livestock.  
Land contamination. Harmful accumulation of microplastic

I seek the following decision from the consent authority: in our breathing air.  
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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- 1 Discharge of emissions to air
2 Discharge of waste to water
3 Fill land into a flood plain

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See attached -

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

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Reject my proposal. Te Awamutu IS NOT a suitable location for such a project. MORE SCOPING REQUIRED for PUBLIC HEALTH ENVIRONMENTAL SOCIOECONOMIC impacts essential RISK TOO GREAT FOR PROPOSED LOCATION.

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① That such a project is not allowed to be undertaken in this location or within 50km of a population of people and/or farm animals.

There is too much unknown since this would be the first of its kind in New Zealand.

Putting it in the middle of a growing township is unconscionable.

This is a compact rural community already facing an employee shortage.

There are significant public health, environmental, socioeconomic and psychosocial negative impacts this facility will have on the community, the district, and New Zealand Inc -reputationally.

Such a project destroys New Zealand's clean green image and having it in a small agricultural town is not acceptable.

② Appendix L of their application section 3.2:

There is no clear estimate from the consulting firm OR the company about particulate matter that will be extruded from the process.

Sulphur dioxide is generated from the combustion of sulphur containing compound in the fuel such as

rubber. The proposed system will absorb much of the SO<sub>2</sub>, using the dry sorbent injection that reduces

the concentration from about 540 mg Nm<sup>-3</sup> to a level of no more than 75 mg Nm<sup>-3</sup> (dry gas 6% O<sub>2</sub>). SO<sub>2</sub> has a strong odour. We smell it in Te Awamutu when there is a southeasterly from Kinleith in Tokoroa. It also has negative health implications for children and those with respiratory compromise (I myself suffer from asthma!).

Table 3-2 is only an estimate as there is no evidence to support this will actually be what the output is.

This is an unacceptable risk.

It also shows the levels of nitrous oxides emitted as 7kg/hr; 168kg/day.

Lastly there are heavy metals that will be released which when emitted into air then settle on grass, crops, water and soil are consumed by livestock and people. Livestock (all animals) concentrate heavy metals in bone, muscle and milk, most of which is eventually exported. MPI has a robust system to test animal products to ensure purity to exporters. This has the potential to damage trade in a major way. The export of meat and milk are a major source of income for New Zealand and it's "Clean Green" reputation is at stake.

To add to the uncertainty: There is no meteorological data that is readily available for Te Awamutu, and the closest NIWA or Metservice stations are those at Hamilton Airport 15 km to the north, and Waikeria, 10 km to the south which only has data from 2016. However Ag Research in Ruakura has supplied TBC with 2014

to 2016 meteorological data for Tokanui about 8 km to the south. This does not provide confidence of what weather conditions could impact the degree of particulate matter and gases exposed to people and animals.

Section 5.1 addresses particulate matter which is of greatest concern, especially given the project is requesting consent to allow this to be above environmental regulations. People most susceptible to the effects of particles include the elderly; those with existing respiratory disease such as asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease and bronchitis; those with cardiovascular disease; those with infections such as pneumonia; and children. Again the evidence emerging is that the health effects are actually associated with PM2.5 rather than PM10. Regardless, people live in this community! Nearly 20,000 within the immediate airflow area. This cannot be allowed, there is not enough known.

In the GHG emission estimation what is NOT accounted for is the massive increase in trucks (diesel driven) with odor and emissions coming into and out of site/town. This need more work. The roading in and around Te Awamutu is marginal. More trucks will damage it further. Noise pollution (engine breaking and loud trucks) are already too much of an issue in the community. We do not need/want MORE.

On that note, the fuel consumption for this facility is an abhorrent amount of diesel at 8385kg/hr! Those emissions will be released. It is increasing consumption of fossil fuels, not reducing.

Part of the site is on a flood plane requiring significant site excavation and disruption to natural contour and flora and fauna. Should there be more of what New Zealand is experiencing in one in 500 or 1000 year floods, the submission does not address this risk. Downstream contamination is inevitable and the consequences unacceptable. This is not the place to build this facility.

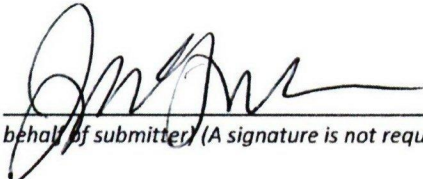
Lastly, science from Europe has shown that there is a higher incidence of cancer and infertility near the waste to energy plants in the UK and Holland. The EU is no longer allowing their construction.

Many countries that use these haul all of the waste from the incinerator to toxic waste landfills as the leachate from the ash contains many toxins. We are only transferring one problem to another. I grew up near Haverhill, Massachusetts where this is a plant like this. There was a mass exodus from the town when it went in and there is a pile of ash no one knows what to do with from it. The big picture has not been well enough scoped, the risks are unknown and the company doing this has failed to convince me and others that they have the knowledge or expertise to do this with the precision required. They have failed to engage the community and have no support from us.

There is not enough waste in Waipa alone to keep it running, Waipa will be importing waste from all over the north island adding to truck traffic and overall emissions in the little town that cannot cope, sacrificing the health and well being of its people, animals and the agricultural businesses that keep the town going.

- ③ Reject the proposal. Te Awamutu is not a suitable site for such a project. This needs a lot more scoping on its public health, environmental and socio-economic impacts. The risk is too great for the location proposed.

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Date: 10-10-2023 Contact person: Jessica Shelgren  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 197 Lawbrooke Ln, Te Awamutu 3875  
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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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- (a) adversely affects the environment; and
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The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

Discharge of emissions to the environment
Discharge of waste water
Building on a flood plane

My submission is:

Support parts or all of [ ] Oppose parts or all of [x] are neutral parts or all of [ ] include—

- the reasons for your views.

See Attached

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

Reject the application of Global Contracting Solutions to build a waste incinerator plant in Te Awamutu.

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

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1) That such a project is not allowed to be undertaken in this location or within 50km of a population of people and/or farm animals.

There is too much unknown since this would be the first of its kind in New Zealand.

Putting it in the middle of a growing township is unconscionable.

This is a compact rural community already facing an employee shortage.

There are significant public health, environmental, socioeconomic and psychosocial negative impacts this facility will have on the community, the district, and New Zealand Inc -reputationally.

Such a project destroys New Zealand's clean green image and having it in a small agricultural town is not acceptable.

2) Appendix L of their application section 3.2:

There is no clear estimate from the consulting firm OR the company about particulate matter that will be extruded from the process.

Sulphur dioxide is generated from the combustion of sulphur containing compound in the fuel such as

rubber. The proposed system will absorb much of the SO<sub>2</sub>, using the dry sorbent injection that reduces

the concentration from about 540 mg Nm<sup>-3</sup> to a level of no more than 75 mg Nm<sup>-3</sup> (dry gas 6% O<sub>2</sub>). SO<sub>2</sub> has a strong odour. We smell it in Te Awamutu when there is a southeasterly from Kinleith in Tokoroa. It also has negative health implications for children and those with respiratory compromise (I myself suffer from asthma!).

Table 3-2 is only an estimate as there is no evidence to support this will actually be what the output is.

This is an unacceptable risk.

It also shows the levels of nitrous oxides emitted as 7kg/hr; 168kg/day.

Lastly there are heavy metals that will be released which when emitted into air then settle on grass, crops, water and soil are consumed by livestock and people. Livestock (all animals) concentrate heavy metals in bone, muscle and milk, most of which is eventually exported. MPI has a robust system to test animal products to ensure purity to exporters. This has the potential to damage trade in a major way. The export of meat and milk are a major source of income for New Zealand and it's "Clean Green" reputation is at stake.

To add to the uncertainty: There is no meteorological data that is readily available for Te Awamutu, and the closest NIWA or Metservice stations are those at Hamilton Airport 15 km to the north, and Waikeria, 10 km to the south which only has data from 2016. However Ag Research in Ruakura has supplied TBC with 2014

to 2016 meteorological data for Tokanui about 8 km to the south. This does not provide confidence of what weather conditions could impact the degree of particulate matter and gases exposed to people and animals.

Section 5.1 addresses particulate matter which is of greatest concern, especially given the project is requesting consent to allow this to be above environmental regulations. People most susceptible to the effects of particles include the elderly; those with existing respiratory disease such as asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease and bronchitis; those with cardiovascular disease; those with infections such as pneumonia; and children. Again the evidence emerging is that the health effects are actually associated with PM2.5 rather than PM10. Regardless, people live in this community! Nearly 20,000 within the immediate airflow area. This cannot be allowed, there is not enough known.

In the GHG emission estimation what is NOT accounted for is the massive increase in trucks (diesel driven) with odor and emissions coming into and out of site/town. This need more work. The roading in and around Te Awamutu is marginal. More trucks will damage it further. Noise pollution (engine breaking and loud trucks) are already too much of an issue in the community. We do not need/want MORE.

On that note, the fuel consumption for this facility is an abhorrent amount of diesel at 8385kg/hr! Those emissions will be released. It is increasing consumption of fossil fuels, not reducing.

Part of the site is on a flood plane requiring significant site excavation and disruption to natural contour and flora and fauna. Should there be more of what New Zealand is experiencing in one in 500 or 1000 year floods, the submission does not address this risk. Downstream contamination is inevitable and the consequences unacceptable. This is not the place to build this facility.

Lastly, science from Europe has shown that there is a higher incidence of cancer and infertility near the waste to energy plants in the UK and Holland. The EU is no longer allowing their construction.

Many countries that use these haul all of the waste from the incinerator to toxic waste landfills as the leachate from the ash contains many toxins. We are only transferring one problem to another. I grew up near Haverhill, Massachusetts where this is a plant like this. There was a mass exodus from the town when it went in and there is a pile of ash no one knows what to do with from it. The big picture has not been well enough scoped, the risks are unknown and the company doing this has failed to convince me and others that they have the knowledge or expertise to do this with the precision required. They have failed to engage the community and have no support from us.

There is not enough waste in Waipa alone to keep it running, Waipa will be importing waste from all over the north island adding to truck traffic and overall emissions in the little town that cannot cope, sacrificing the health and well being of its people, animals and the agricultural businesses that keep the town going.

3) Reject the proposal. Te Awamutu is not a suitable site for such a project. This needs a lot more scoping on its public health, environmental and socio-economic impacts. The risk is too great for the location proposed.



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

Date: 10/10/23 Contact person: Jay Shelgren  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 197 Lawbrooke Ln, Te Awamutu 3875  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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Form 13

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ALL OF THE APPLICATION

My submission is:

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include—

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DONT WANT THE POLLUTION, TOXINS, NOISE, TRAFFIC ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROCESS OF BURNING ALL THE WASTE FOR MY COMMUNITY AND TOWN

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

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


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Date: 13.10.2023

Contact person: JAMES JOHNSON

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: PO BOX 15 TEAWAMUTU 3840

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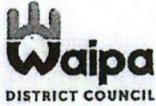
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The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

Relates to the whole application

My submission is:

Support parts or all of [ ] Oppose parts or all of [x] are neutral parts or all of [ ]

include—

- the reasons for your views.

see attached

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

We want the Waipa District Council to oppose this.

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We do not want an incinerator like this in our community for the following reasons:

The location of a heavy industrial operation immediately next to existing and planned residential housing, schools, childcare and food businesses, and operating 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, is totally inappropriate and conflicts with the intentions of the Waipā District Plan and Growth Strategy for the community. Despite supposed landscaping mitigation measures, 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.

There will be significant additional traffic and heavy vehicles in this residential area, adding to air pollution and severely impacting the rights of nearby residents to quiet enjoyment of their properties. It will change the nature of the community from a quiet residential street to an unsafe and busy thoroughfare of trucks. We don't believe that this noise has been satisfactorily considered in the applicant's noise assessment. The high traffic volume will also impact the whole community as these heavy vehicles will enter the area from various directions. Our road surfaces are not adequately maintained now so adding this volume of heavy vehicle traffic will have costly consequences.

We are very concerned that Global Contracting Solutions does not appear to have any experience of waste incineration operations. It is a scrap metal business. The company does, however, have a track record of violating resource consent conditions in their Hamilton operations. This incinerator is said to be new technology in New Zealand and it is surprising and doesn't inspire confidence that what appears to be a relatively small company with two directors is undertaking such a multimillion dollar development.

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 site is on a floodplain. Most of the site is designated a High Risk Flood Zone. The river has been straightened and narrowed over time to enable development and 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. In light of recent severe weather events and, we are told, the likelihood of more in the future, it is reckless to allow a project of this scale to proceed on this site.

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 has been 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.

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.

Almost all the material for this facility will need to be imported from outside of the district and it will be impossible to know what ongoing hazards, risks and emissions exist. This is not a proposal for the benefit of

the community. It also means that the company is more likely to burn recyclable materials and other things because it must always continue to operate. That will directly work against efforts to minimise waste.

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.

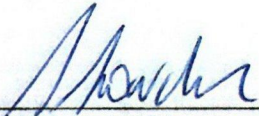
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Incineration does not replace the need for landfills; instead it takes ordinary materials and concentrates them into more toxic ash.

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.

We see no benefits at all of this proposal for Te Awamutu. The town will be severely disadvantaged and adversely affected by it.

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Date: 10/10/23 Contact person: 116 Norris - Porter Susan Snowden  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 354 Greenhill Drive Te Awamutu  
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Family health Air Pollution in residential area.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

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I OPPOSE this Application to be declined.

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Signature of submitter: RR Stokes by Stokes  
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Date: 13-10-22 Contact person: Reg & Yvonne Stokes  
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Postal address: 1/1 Towhiao St Te Awamutu  
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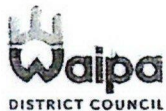
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Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application

Form 13



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

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 relates to the entire application

My submission is:

Support parts or all of [ ] Oppose parts or all of [x] are neutral parts or all of [ ] include—

- the reasons for your views.

The creation of a commercial incinerator in the middle of a residential town is quite farcical. Burning toxic waste is a danger in itself in any location.

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 The Waipa District Council to deny all aspects of this application.

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

Date: 10/10/2023 Contact person: Bruce Stott submitter  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 2 Totara St. Te Awamutu. 3800  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

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

my submission relates to the whole 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.*

waste incinerators produce toxic dioxins that will pollute the environment.  
The electricity produced is too high a price to pay in a country that is rich in 'green' electricity production.

**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 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: 10/10/23 Contact person: Tracey Stott  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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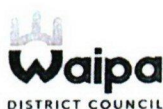
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Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application

Form 13



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

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
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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 [x] are neutral parts or all of [ ] include—

- the reasons for your views.

- 1) No one can be sure of the long term effect on people's health
2) Its prime land for homes to be built on
3) It will reduce property values in T/A

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

Decline the application

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

- [x] 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: Robert (Bob) Sinclair Ritchie  
(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: Robert (Bob) Sinclair  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 515a Waiia Rd Te Awamutu 3700  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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I oppose this application.
Decline application

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

13-10-23

Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

Joan Stretton

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: \_\_\_\_\_

177 Hillcrest Ave Te Awamutu

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all of the application

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

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I do not support such a climate unfriendly waste mins system that will ultimately pour tons of carbon emissions into the environment not to leave out the noxious, poisonous emissions that will settle + accumulate such as dioxin

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 request the Waipa District Council to decline it on my behalf


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

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*ELsie Steel*

Date: 13/10/23 Contact person: Leanne Steel daughter  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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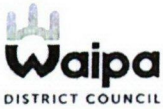
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The cultural impact, air water and land pollution. I am a direct resident of racecourse road and so is our daughters school which there is no space for such a horrible plant.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

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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: Tracy Sterenton

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 201 Racecourse Road Te Awamutu

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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

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:

All of the application

My submission is:

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

- the reasons for your views.

Too many hazardous variables that can go horribly wrong with this untested and unproven technology in an area surrounded by children, families and livestock. Te Awamutu is NOT the right place.

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

Do NOT Approve ANY part of the proposed consent Application. Decline application

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

Date: 13 Oct 23 Contact person: James Still  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 800 Pakura St. Te Awamutu 3800  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

### Notes to submitter

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Health risks from this facility are not acceptable. Dioxins are known to cause cancer and damage the immune system. There is an increased miscarriage risk and preterm delivery risk. We also do not need to increase respiratory problems in our residents.

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I want the waipa district council to decline the entire application. I oppose this facility in its entirety.

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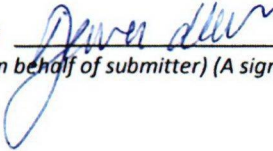
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Date: 13/10/2023 Contact person: Laura Nelson Smith  
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