



Submission on resource consent application

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Application to which submission relates

Name of applicant: Remediation (NZ) Ltd
 Proposal (activity type and location): To discharge; a) waste material to land for composting; and b) treated stormwater and leachate from composting operations and wanting contaminants to enter waterways in the Haehanga Stream catchment and unnamed tributary of the Haehanga Stream
 To discharge emissions into the air, namely odour and dust, from composting operations
 TRC Consent number/s: 5838-3.0 & 5839-3.0
 I am a trade competitor for the purposes of [section 308B](#) of the Resource Management Act 1991: No

The specific parts of the application this submission relates to are:

My submission relates to the whole application: Yes

Submission details

Please provide details of your submission. If your submission is in a document, you can upload the document below.

Remediation (NZ) Ltd, 1460 Mokau Road, Uruti must cease operation reasons below;

- Battling breast cancer having endured chemotherapy and radiation and can not have toxicity or pathogens in the air as immunity is low.
- We have video footage of chemical coming from Haehunga Stream into the Mimi Stream.
- Eye Witness of drilling mud and radioactive material, oil and gas deposits of highly toxic material which was contained at Methanex under the highest of health and safety act, was then trucked to 1460 Mokau Road, Uruti and poured onto the ground with no containment then left to the elements. No persons working within this had any PPE. The rainfall rate in Uruti is 2.5 - 3 metres per year and so this highly toxic material is leaching into our streams then out to sea.
- When constant complaints were made from chemical stench and vomiting odour coming from Remediation, TRC would send someone out to us to say there was no smell, we were making this all up and there was nothing they could do but record all

the complaints. This never helped our situation the stench is a constant problem from Remediation.

- Never been able to view site. When asked to view the site were advised we must undergo an induction process which we were happy to do but turned up for the induction and were told we can not under any circumstances enter the premises.
- Talked to previous workers of Remediation and advised they were told to open the catchment ponds to flooded river as company policy is "dilution is the solution.
- Have had a 600kg Freisian, Hereford Steer drink from Mimi Stream, down stream from Remediation and the Steer died of toxicity.
- The toxic waste washes down Mimi Stream out to sea where there is a fish reserve and camping ground affecting our fish and aquatic life and detriments human health when entering the river or sea. People have had rashes after being in river.
- The stench from diseased rotten carcasses coming from poultry, dairy, beef, sheep and human waste along with highly toxic materials affects the community of Uruti smelling it even at the local school and surrounding area.
- Rat plagues that are never-ending. Having to spend thousands of dollars per annum for vermin control.
- The Ducks at 1358 Mokau Road, Uruti lay eggs for people with cancer as Duck eggs are alkaline and unwell people can eat them and not react to them. Putrid, rotten, stenching chemical smells disrupt egg and duck production. The smells not only affect humans but also affects animals as well.
- Our young budgie which used to be kept on the front balcony in a cage died after continuous days of stench.
- This is not a worm farm, this is a highly toxic dump.
- No sign showing who is up the valley.
- Prime Minister Jacinda Ardern is wanting to clean up our rivers not destroy them so this consent will be sent to her for her opinion on this matter.

NA

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Outcome sought

I seek the following decision from the Council

To refuse consent

If consent is granted, the conditions I seek are

This consent must not be granted!!

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NA

Attendance and wish to be heard at consent hearing

I/we wish to be heard in support of my/our submission

Yes

By answering yes, you will have the option to speak in support of your submission at any consent hearing.

If others make a similar submission, I/we will consider presenting a joint case with them at the hearing.

Yes

Request for independent commissioner/s

Pursuant to section 100A of the Resource Management Act 1991, I request that the Taranaki Regional Council delegates its functions, powers, and duties required to hear and decide the application to one or more hearing commissioners who are not Taranaki Regional Councilors.

NA

Note: Such a request may be made (in writing) up to 5 working days after close of submissions. If you do make a request under section 100A of the Resource Management Act 1991, you will be liable to meet or contribute to the costs of the hearings commissioner or commissioners.

Provision of submission to applicant

The Resource Management Act 1991 requires you to send a a copy of the submission to the applicant.

Would you like the Applicant to be automatically sent a copy of this submission via email? Yes

Please enter the applicant's email address here david@revitalfert.co.nz

Authorisation

By selecting this checkbox, you are confirming you are the person making submission, or person authorised on behalf of person making submission. True

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