



Submission on resource consent application

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Application to which submission relates

Name of applicant: Syd & Jenny Baker
 Proposal (activity type and location): Consents to discharge emissions into the air and contaminants to enter waterways (Haehanga Stream)

TRC Consent number/s: 1460 Mokau Road, Uruti
 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.

We no longer wish for Remediation to continue as it has been a continuous problem from the get go from air pollution to water pollution and with constant complaints made to Taranaki Regional Council the issue is still there. The following are reasons for our submission;

- A constant chemical, vomiting stench so could not open windows to house on hot days to let air in as the stench would enter the house.
- Unable to have BBQ's on our verandah due to chemical, vomiting stench.
- Have video footage of chemical discharge coming from Haehanga Stream into the Mimi Stream, and this has happened on more than one occasion.
- A 600kg Steer drank from Mimi Stream from riverside and died of toxicity.
- Constant cost of rat bait for vermin control as rat population is prolific.
- Have asked to go up to see the Remediation Operation and advised that we must undergo an induction process which we were happy to do. When advised a day we turned up for the induction and were told that under no circumstances were we allowed to view the operation.

- We have ongoing questions from the public asking what is the smell in their cars when they drive past 1460 Mokau Road, Uruti and ask what business is running from this address as there is no signage or 0800 smell number for them to ring and complain about the chemical, vomiting stenching smell.
- Our young budgie that was kept in a cage out on the verandah died after days of chemical, vomiting stench.
- The rainfall in Uruti is 2.5 - 3 metres per annum which is an extremely high rainfall and therefore when the valley is flooding Remediation open their settling ponds to clean them out.
- Have noticed a pad being constructed of massive size further up the valley from their existing composting pads. Is this apart of the consent?
- This is not a worm farm this is a toxic dump. Remediation accept drilling mud and chemicals that must be properly contained and treated with the highest of health and safety regulations. Trucks turn up to the site, pull out a hose and dump the chemical directly onto the ground.
- There is no business along Mokau Road that does not have a sign and telephone number so people know who and what they are.
- It is all very well for the staff of Remediation to turn the compost at 4pm then go off to their homes in Inglewood, Stratford, Hawera, New Plymouth leaving us with the stench which causes headaches, stomach aches and is not good for mental health.
- Remediation has not had a consent for 12 months and yet they are still operating. WHY???

NA

Upload submission details here

Outcome sought

I seek the following decision from the Council

To refuse consent

If consent is granted, the conditions I seek are

Under no circumstances will we grant these consents to go through.

You can upload a document containing the conditions you seek here

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 Councillors. 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 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

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Authorisation

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

True

Date

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