

Canterbury Regional Council
Proposed Plan Change 6 (Wairewa)
to the
partially operative Canterbury Land and Water Regional Plan

MINUTE OF HEARING COMMISSIONERS
on further preparations for hearing of submissions

[Minute 2]

APPOINTMENT OF HEARING COMMISSIONER

In our previous Minute (dated 22 January 2016 – Minute 1) we advised that Gordon Whiting and Andrew Fenemor had been appointed by Council as hearing commissioners in respect of Plan Change 6 Wairewa. We also indicated that a third commissioner was still to be appointed.

At its meeting on 17 March 2016 the Canterbury Regional Council ('the Council') under section 34A of the Resource Management Act 1991 ('the Act') appointed Dr Jane Kitson as a hearing commissioner to hear and make recommendations to the Council on proposed Plan Change 6 (Wairewa) to the Proposed Canterbury Land and Water Regional Plan.

CONDUCT OF HEARING

We confirm that a hearing by the Canterbury Regional Council has been set to consider Proposed Plan Change 6 (Wairewa) to the partially operative Canterbury Land and Water Regional Plan and the submissions received.

DATE: 19 April 2016

VENUE: Lincoln Events Centre, Meijer Drive, Lincoln

TIME: 10.00am

The hearing will commence with the Council presenting its opening. We then propose to adjourn the hearing and undertake a locality visit. We will be accompanied on that visit by a Council officer. That person has had no involvement with the preparation of Plan Change 6 (Wairewa) nor with the evaluation of submissions made on the plan change and the subsequent preparation of the s42A Report.

We are aware of the limited number of submitters who have expressed a wish to be heard and give evidence in support of their submissions. Given this, and in the interests of efficiency of process, we have requested that the Council prepare for and present its Reply to those submissions on Friday 23 April 2016. This will be confirmed after the completion of the submissions and evidence to be given by submitters on Wednesday 20 April.



Gordon Whiting for and on behalf of the Panel

Gordon Whiting (Chairperson)

Andrew Fenemor

Jane Kitson

30 March 2016