

23 October 2018

Environment Canterbury Regional Council
c/o Consents Hearings
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Attn: Alison Cooper
Via Email: Hearings@ecan.govt.nz

Dear Ms Cooper

RE: Resource Consent Application (CRC190445) by Christchurch City Council (CCC) for the Comprehensive Stormwater Network Discharge to Land and Water regarding the residential red zone (RRZ) land in the Ōtākaro/Avon River catchment

1. I am writing to confirm that Land Information New Zealand (LINZ) will not be attending the hearing commencing Monday 5 November 2018 on CCC's resource consent application CRC190445.
2. I can also confirm that LINZ will not be submitting any further evidence. Our submission dated 31 August 2018 clearly conveys our position to the Panel, including about the status of decisions on the future use and ownership of Crown-owned RRZ land in the Ōtākaro/Avon River Corridor.
3. With this in mind, we request that a correction be made to paragraph 156 of the Section 42A Officer's Report (the Report), which states "*Land became available through the decision process for the future use of the Residential Red Zone (RRZ) along the Avon River Corridor.*"
4. As set out in our submission, no decisions have been made about the future use or ownership of Crown-owned RRZ land in the Corridor. Regenerate Christchurch is currently leading a Regeneration Plan process, involving community and stakeholder consultation, which will support informed decision-making about these matters.
5. To improve the accuracy of the Report, we request that this paragraph be amended to reflect the current status of decisions on the future use of the Corridor.

Should you require any further clarification, please feel free to contact me.

Kind regards



Jerome Sheppard
Deputy Chief Executive, Crown Property