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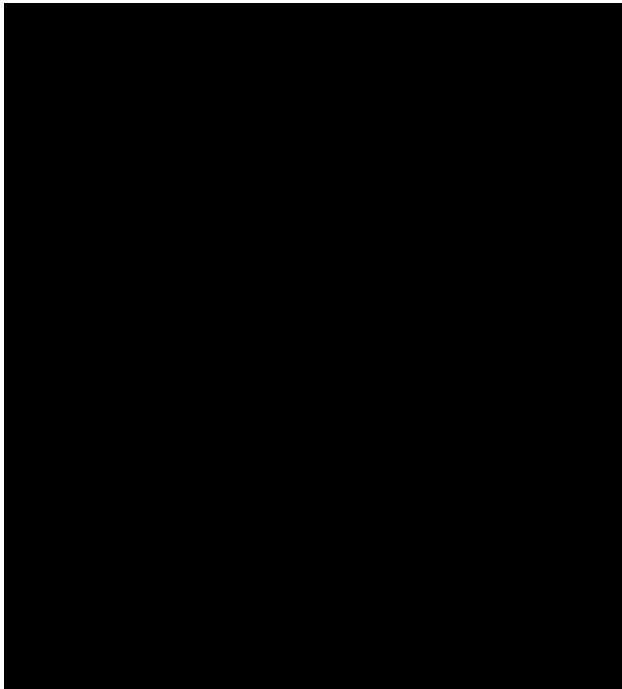
Group ID: 422

Consent name: Fulton Hogan - Roydon Quarry

Consent number: CRC192408, CRC192409, CRC192410, CRC192411, CRC192412, CRC192413, CRC192414, RC185627

Name: Timothy Howe

Care of:



Contact by email: Yes

Is a trade competitor: No

Directly affected: No

Consent support/hearing details

- CRC192408: oppose | WANT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
 - CRC192409: oppose | WANT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
 - CRC192410: oppose | WANT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
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 - CRC192414: oppose | WANT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
 - RC185627: oppose | WANT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
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Reasons comment:

I oppose the Quarry on the following grounds: - Transport safety and industry substandard methods relating to trucking - Water - Misleading critical information in the Golder / Fulton Hogan Application - Lack of information from ECAN - Strategic location - Importance of this decision as a precedent to quarrying in other residential areas.

Consent comment:

Decline all applications relating to this Consent

1. My name is Timothy Howe.
2. I live at 5 Keoghs Lane, St Albans, Christchurch.
3. This submission is in response to Fulton Hogan's application ("Application") for the quarry on the Roydon Lodge site ("Quarry").
4. I am a specialist advisor with a substantial corporate finance background. I was initially asked to provide some high-level assistance to a client regarding economic impact to the wider environment of this Quarry.
5. Information has been provided to several parties for inclusion in the individual submissions.
6. The submission is made in my personal capacity, and relates to deep concerns I have at a personal level having read all relevant application documents in detail.
7. I do not live in an area which is affected by the Quarry.
8. I oppose the issue of a Resource Consent, on the following grounds:
 - a. **Traffic**

The quantity of new traffic (truck and trailer) movements associated with the Quarry will be dangerous and will overload the narrow and poor quality roads adjacent to the Quarry, that are already under pressure from increase of commercial trucking activity from Rolleston industrial park and the inland ports.
 - b. **Covering of Trucks**

International best practice sees the covering of all trucks from quarries. Fulton Hogan have not indicated that trucks will be covered, demonstrating lower than satisfactory operational standards.
 - c. **Accuracy of Information**

Key facts, presented in the application documents by Golder as advisor to Fulton Hogan, will be shown in oral submissions, to be factually incorrect and misleading, bringing into question the balance of their report and the information that must be relied upon for this Resource Consent application.
 - d. **Water**

The Quarry will require substantial water resource. There is little information provided in the application as to the necessary volumes required and how this will be obtained. No data has been provided by Golder as to historical water levels on the Quarry site.
 - e. **Reliance on Self Reporting**

There is a disconnect between Fulton Hogan's historical self-reporting of incidents and evidence that these have not been recorded by ECAN, which will bring into question the efficiency of any self-reporting conditions imposed under this Consent.
 - f. **Precedent-Setting**

If this Quarry is to proceed in this area nestled amongst residential subdivisions, it will set a precedent that will support corporates to simply acquire land, apply for and start quarrying in other residential areas.
 - g. **Information withheld by ECAN**

Substantial information, has been withheld by ECAN, despite timely and valid requests under the LGOIMA protocols.
9. I wish to have the opportunity to address the Commissioners and will present appropriate supporting documents at this time to support the reasons for opposing the Quarry on the above grounds.