

**CON520: SUBMISSION ON
RESOURCE CONSENT APPLICATION**
(SECTION 96 RESOURCE MANAGEMENT ACT 1991)

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FILE: CRC192408, CRC192409, CRC192410,
CRC192411, CRC192412, CRC192413,
CRC192414, RC185627

Closing Date: **5.00pm Thursday 6 June 2019**

Person(s) /Group /Organisation Making the Submission

Full Name of Submitter(s):

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Contact
Person:

Name of applicant: Fulton Hogan Limited

Applications to Environment Canterbury



All of the applications as listed below OR only those as ticked.



CRC192408 Land use to excavate material



CRC182409 Land use to deposit cleanfill



CRC192410 Discharge contaminants into air



CRC192411 Discharge contaminants into water from industrial processes



CRC192412 Discharge stormwater into land



CRC192413 Discharge contaminants into land associated with deposition of cleanfill



CRC192414 Water permit



I / We support the application



I / We oppose the application



I / We are neutral to the application
(neither support or oppose)



I / We **do** wish to be heard in support of my/our submission*

(Note: this means you wish to speak in support of your submission at the hearing)

*If others make a similar submission, I will consider presenting a joint case with them at the hearing ☐ Yes ☐ No

OR



I / We **do not** wish to be heard in support of my/our submission

(Note: this means that you cannot speak at the hearing, however you will retain your right to appeal any decision to the Environment Court on any decision made by the Council.)

Application to Selwyn District Council



RC185627

Land use for gravel extraction and processes

☐ I / We support the application



I / We oppose the application



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(neither support or oppose)



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2. The reasons for making my submission are: *(state in summary the nature of your submission, giving reasons)*

My family lives in Christchurch and we regularly attend religious and meditation programmes which are held at the Samadhi Vihara, 358 Maddisons Road, in Rolleston. Samadhi Vihara is a place of worship for Buddhists to come to worship and pay homage to the Buddha. It is also a tranquil and serene place where people can come for meditation classes and Meditation Retreats. Having a quarry in such close proximity will have a negative impact on all activities at the temple for the following reasons:_____

Noise: Noise from site preparation, construction and from continuous operation of machinery at the quarry, Noise from heavy trucks travelling to and from the quarry_____

Dust: Dust from quarry operation and stockpiles, depending on wind speed and direction, Dust from trucks as they travel down narrow roads, _____

Health hazards due to dust pollution, effects on children and the elderly

Water contamination: from washing aggregates, washing trucks, dust suppression_____

Hours of operation of the quarry: 6am to 6pm daily is too long for people to endure. When this is increased for 150 days to 10pm, the evening programmes at the temple would also be affected._____

Please attach additional pages if required

3. I wish the consent authority to make the following decision: *(give details, including the general nature of any conditions sought)*

I want the consent authorities to DECLINE the application from Fulton Hogan and NOT GRANT consent for a quarry on the site bounded by Dawsons, Curragh, Maddisons and Johns Road.

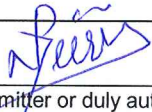
I would like the following conditions imposed if consent is given:_____

Reduce the hours of operation at the Quarry to only weekdays Monday to Friday from 7am to 6pm. Quarry should not be operating during the weekends. Religious programmes and meditation programmes are usually scheduled for the weekends and quarry operations will make it very difficult for us to carry out our normal activities at the temple. Stop quarrying processes when the Meditation Retreats are held at the temple._____

Reduce truck movements to and from the quarry to 1000 per day. Truck operations to cease between 6pm and 7am in the weekdays. No truck movements to be allowed in the weekends. Trucks should be covered to prevent dispersal of dust while in transit. Limit speed of trucks to 15km/h. No trucks on Maddisons Road._____

Independent agencies must monitor noise levels, dust conditions, wind speed, water levels and contamination_____

5. ☒ I ~~We~~ ~~am~~ / **am not** a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.
I ~~We~~ ~~am~~ / **am not** directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that (a) adversely affects the environment; and (b) does not relate to trade competition or the effects of trade competition.



Signature of submitter or duly authorised agent on behalf of submitter

Date 12 / 05 / 19.

Notes to the submitter:

1. The person making this submission must send a copy to the applicant as soon as reasonably practicable after serving Environment Canterbury
2. A list of all submissions received will be provided to the applicant.
3. Please be aware that third parties may request a copy of submissions received and that request is subject to the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987.

The address for service of the applicant is:

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