

## SECTION 96 RESOURCE MANAGEMENT ACT (RMA) 1991

OR: submit by completing an on-line form at:

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

3. The specific parts of the application that my/our submission relates to are: (detail the specific activities or effects)

- Land use to excavate
- discharge contaminants to the air
- Land use to establish, maintain to operate an aggregate quarry.



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

1. Dust & contaminants being passed into the air
2. Noise of the quarry around the residential area.
3. The loss of value for citizens in close proximity to the quarry

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



6. ☐ 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

- ☒ I/we **do not** wish to be heard in support of my/our submission

(Note: this means 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 Councils.)

7. ☐ I/we **am/are** 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.

8. I/we **request**, pursuant to section 100A of the Resource Management Act 1991, that you delegate your functions, powers and duties to hear and decide the application to 1 or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority. ☒ Yes ☐ No

Signature

20/11/2020

Date

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.*
4. *If you are a trade competitor, your right to make a submission may be limited by the trade competition provisions in Part 11A of the Resource Management Act 1991.*
5. *If you make a request under section 100A of the Resource Management Act 1991, you must do so in writing no later than 5 working days after the close of submissions and you may be liable to meet or contribute to the costs of the hearings commissioner or commissioners. You may not make a request under section 100A of the Resource Management Act 1991 in relation to an application for a coastal permit to carry out an activity that a regional coastal plan describes as a restricted coastal activity.*
6. *Please note that your submission (or part of your submission) may be struck out if the authority is satisfied that at least 1 of the following applies to the submission (or part of the submission):*
  - a. *it is frivolous or vexatious:*
  - b. *it discloses no reasonable or relevant case:*
  - c. *it would be an abuse of the hearing process to allow the submission (or the part) to be taken further:*
  - d. *it contains offensive language:*
  - e. *it is supported only by material that purports to be independent expert evidence, but has been prepared by a person who is not independent or who does not have sufficient specialised knowledge or skill to give expert advice on the matter.*



## Dust & contaminants to the air

As we live in close proximity to the proposed quarry dust & contaminants to the air is a real health concern to local residents as no matter how much water is used to stop the dust health issues will happen as per other quarry sites around the country. The proposed bund will never be high enough to stop the dust as the excavation is planned to be no higher than 5 metres.

## Noise

Our land was purchased & a new home built 8yrs ago in this area, as we were close to the race course & airport, ~~as~~ this gave us a different living environment to living in the city. Noise from a quarry was not the reason for purchasing the property. If we had realised a quarry was opening close to the residential area we would never have built a home on this side of Rangiora.

## The loss of house value close to the quarry

As this quarry has been unnotified for the past 4 years many other new houses have been built including and old persons home in close proximity. It is totally unacceptable for this to happen. When ordinary everyday people purchase a property Property Values will decrease because of the quarry

## Quarry to be moved.

Within the Waimakariri there must be other areas <sup>/land</sup> away from residential property suitable for a quarry, big business should not automatically beat the detriment of the general public.

Murray Keates