

FORM 13

**SUBMISSION ON A PUBLICLY OR LIMITED NOTIFIED
APPLICATION CONCERNING RESOURCE CONSENT**

**ROTORUA
LAKES COUNCIL**

Section 96 Resource Management Act 1991

(Rotorua Lakes Council is the operating name of Rotorua District Council)

To: Chief Executive Rotorua Lakes Council Private Bag RO3029 ROTORUA	Name of Submitter: REGENA SOMMERS OF EXEO LEGAL <i>[Full Name]</i>
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This is a submission on an application from *[name of applicant]*:

Tikanga Aroro Charitable Trust AND Puwhakamua

for a Resource Consent to *[Briefly describe the type of consent, proposed activity, and location of the resource consent]*:

For Lot 1, 671 Puaiti Road, Waikite Valley, to be used for programmes offered by Puwhakamua which reintegration parolees.

at *[The location of the resource consent]*:

For Lot 1, 671 Puaiti Road, Waikite Valley

The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are *[Give Details]*:

the proposal and background information about Puwhakamua.





My submission is *[include whether you **support or oppose** the specific parts of the application or wish to have them amended; and the reasons for your views]*:

Puwhakamua has helped many parolees get connected with tikanga and reintegrated into society. Parolees are recallable while on parole, which means that any breach of the rules or deterioration in behaviour, they can be recalled by the parole board which any input by police or the courts. The process is swift which is a deterrent for parolees on parole not to breach.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority *[Give precise details, including the general nature of any conditions sought]*:

n/a

- ☐ I wish to be heard in support of my submission
- ☐ I do not wish to be heard in support of my submission
- ☒ If others make a similar submission, I will consider presenting a joint case with them at a hearing

Signature of submitter (<i>or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter</i>): 	Date: 04-Jun-2025
	
Contact person: <i>[name and designation, if applicable]</i> REGENA SOMMERS 	Fax/email:

Note to submitter:

You must serve a copy of your submission on the applicant as soon as reasonably practicable after you have served your submission on the consent authority.

The information you have provided on this form is required so that your submission can be processed under the RMA, and your name and address will be publicly available. The information will be stored on a public register and held by the Council, and may also be made available to the public on the Council's website. In addition, any on-going communications between you and Council will be held at Council's offices and may also be accessed upon request by a third party. Access to this information is administered in accordance with the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 and the Privacy Act 1993. If you have any concerns about this, please discuss with a Council Planner prior to lodging your submission. If you would like to request access to, or correction of your details, please contact the Council.