

IN THE MATTER of the Resource Management Act 1991 (**RMA**)

AND

IN THE MATTER of **PC109 98-100 & 102 Totara Road, Whenuapai** to the
Auckland Unitary Plan

HEARING DIRECTION #2 FROM THE HEARING PANEL

1. Pursuant to section 34 of the RMA, Auckland Council (the Council) has appointed a Hearing Panel consisting of three independent hearing commissioners – Mark Farnsworth (Chairperson), Alan Pattle and Dr Lee Beattie. The Hearing Panel's function is to hear the application and submissions and make a decision on the Plan Change proposal, including any changes to it that are within scope of the notified Plan Change. It is also to deal with any procedural matters.
2. On Wednesday 30 April 2025 the hearing panel directed the applicant to file a memorandum outlining what, if any, changes they recommend to the proposal and outline which changes are in response to which submissions. On Thursday 1 May 2025 the applicant requested the following via email correspondence –

We request a 3 working day extension through to 4pm on Friday, 16 May 2025 to enable sufficient time for the memorandum to be prepared.

We do not believe any other party will be prejudiced by the extension of time, nor will it have an adverse effect on any other future timetable directions to be issued by the Hearing Panel.

3. The hearing panel has considered the applicants request and accordingly directs that the time for filing the memorandum directed in Direction 1 be extended to 4pm Friday, 16 May 2025
4. Any enquiries regarding these Directions or related matters should be directed to the Council's Senior Hearings Advisor, Chayla Walker, by email at Chayla.walker@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz.



Mark Farnsworth MNZM
Chairperson
For the Panel – Alan Pattie & Dr Lee Beattie
2 May 2025