# UNITARY PLAN UPDATE REQUEST MEMORANDUM

TO Warren Maclennan, Manager, Plans and Places, Regional,

North, West and Islands

Alison Pye, Senior Planner, Plans and Places, Regional, North,

West and Islands

**DATE** 15 July 2022

**FROM** 

SUBJECT Partial uplift of Designation in accordance with s182 of the

Resource Management Act of the Auckland Unitary Plan

(AUP) Operative in part (15 November 2016)

This memorandum requests an update to Auckland Unitary Plan Operative in part

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Reason for update – designation alteration			
Chapter	Chapter K - Designations		
Section	Watercare Services Ltd		
Designation only			
<b>Designation # 9373</b> Old North Road, Huapai (Riverhead Reser			
Locations:	403 Old North Road, Huapai		
Lapse Date	10 years from when the circumstances in section 175(1) of the Resource Management Act 1991 apply		
Purpose	Water Supply Purposes		
Changes to text (shown in underline and strikethrough)	N/A		
Changes to diagrams	N/A		
Changes to spatial data	Refer to s182 report (Attachment A to this memo).  Amend Designation Overlay in GIS viewer to remove Designation 9373 notation from the locations listed below and in accordance with revised designation boundaries shapefiles provided by WaterCare Ltd:  - LOT 2 DP 559143 (409 Old North Road)		
Attachments	Attachment A: Section 182 Report Attachment B: Updated GIS Viewer		

Prepared by:	Text Entered by:
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Regional, North, West and Islands	
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Signed off by: Warren Maclennan Manager Plans and Places, Regional, North, West and Islands			
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Attachment A: Section 182 Report

# Partial removal of a designation under section 182 of the Resource Management Act 1991



To: Peter Vari, Team Leader, Plans and Places, Regional, North, West and Islands

From: Alison Pye, Senior Policy Planner, Plans and Places, Regional, North, West and Islands

**Date:** 14 July 2022

Subject: Partial removal of Designation 9373 – Old North Road, Huapai (Riverhead Resevoir) in the

Auckland Unitary Plan.

# Summary

Auckland Council has received a request from Watercare Services Ltd under section 182 of the Resource Management Act 1991 (RMA), dated 8 July 2022, to remove in part Designation 9373 – Old North Road, Huapai (Riverhead Reservoir).

A section 182(1) request is required to uplift the existing designation in part from land which has been deemed surplus by Watercare Services Ltd.

Auckland Council, as the territorial authority, is required to amend its district plan, without using the process in Schedule 1, as soon as reasonably practicable after receiving a Section 182 request unless it considers that the effect of the removal of part of the designation on the remaining designation is more than minor.

It is recommended that the partial removal be accepted.

#### Recommendation

 That the section 182 request from Watercare Services Ltd for the partial removal of Designation 9373 – Old North Road, Huapai (Riverhead Reservoir) in the Auckland Unitary Plan be accepted for the following reasons:

Watercare Services Ltd has advised that the land is surplus to operational requirements.

 That as soon as reasonably practicable, Designation 9373 – Old North Road, Huapai (Riverhead Reservoir) in the Designation overlay of the Auckland Unitary Plan be partially up-lifted, to the extent that the designation notation currently shown on LOT 2 DP 559143 (409 Old North Road) is removed.

# 1. Description

# 1.1. References

Designation number:	Designation 9373 – Old North Road, Huapai (Riverhead Reservoir)	
Lodgement date:	8 July 2022	
Requiring authority:	Watercare Services Ltd	
Reporting officer:	Alison Pye, Senior Policy Planner, Plans and Places, Regional, North, West, and Islands	
Site address: 403 Old North Road, Huapai		
UP Zoning:	Rural – Countryside Living zone	

# 2.0 Background

# 2.1 Details of designation

Designation 9373 is identified in the AUP in Chapter K Designations, Designation Schedule for Watercare Services Ltd:

# Designation Schedule - Watercare Services Ltd (1/3)

#### North and West

9373	Water supply purposes	403 Old North Road, Huapai

# 9373 Old North Road Huapai (Riverhead Reservoir)

Designation Number	9373	
Requiring Authority	Watercare Services Limited	
Location	403 Old North Road, Huapai	
Rollover Designation	Yes	
Legacy Reference	Designation 956, Auckland Council District Plan (Rodney Section) 2011	
Lapse Date	10 years from when the circumstances in section 175(1) of the Resource Management Act 1991 apply	

# **Purpose**

Water Supply Purposes

Designation 9373 is currently shown in the AUP GIS maps as follows:



# 1.2 Land affected by removal

Watercare Services Ltd has provided legal descriptions outlining the part of the designation which is to be partially removed.

The legal description of the property from which the designation is <u>to be removed</u> is: LOT 2 DP 559143 (409 Old North Road);

The legal description of the property on which the designation is <u>to remain</u> is: LOT 1 DP 559143 (403 Old North Road).

# 1.3 Delegated authority to consider alterations to designations

The Team Leader – Planning, Regional, North, West, and Islands (Plans and Places Tier 5) has delegated authority, in accordance with Schedule 2A of the Auckland Council Delegations: Chief Executive Officer (updated May 2022), to exercise the Council's functions, powers, duties and discretions under the Resource Management Act 1991 in relation to Section 182 to approve a removal of a designation.

The section 182 request to remove the designation can therefore be considered by the Team Leader – Mr Peter Vari, (Plans and Places Tier 5) and accepted or declined.

# 1.4 Relevant Statutory Provisions

Section 182 of the RMA allows a requiring authority to remove a designation or part of a designation if it no longer wants it. This section also applies to a notice by a territorial authority, to withdraw its own designation or part of a designation within its own district.

Section 182(2) states that as soon as reasonably practicable the territorial authority shall, without using the process in Schedule 1, amend its district plan accordingly. If the territorial authority considers that the effect of the removal of part of a designation on the remaining designation is more than minor, it may, within 20 working days of receipt of a section 182 notice, decline to remove that part of the designation.

It is considered that Watercare Services Itd has provided sufficient justification for the partial removal of Designation 9373 - Old North Road, Huapai (Riverhead Reservoir) for the following reasons:

- Watercare Services Limited has subdivided the land underlying the designation into two new sites, being LOT 1 DP 559143 (403 Old North Road, still under Watercare ownership) and LOT 2 DP 559143 (409 Old North Road, under new ownership).
- Water supply infrastructure has been built on the land still under Watercare Services Limited ownership LOT 1 DP 559143 (403 Old North Road), thereby giving effect to Designation 9373 which will remain in place over 403 Old North Road.
- LOT 2 DP 559143 (409 Old North Road, under new ownership) is now deemed surplus to operational requirements. The removal of Designation 9373 from LOT 2 DP 559143 will have no impact on the operation of the remainder of the designation.

#### 2.0 Recommendation

That pursuant to Section 182 of the Resource Management Act 1991 the partial removal of Designation 9373 - Old North Road, Huapai (Riverhead Reservoir) be accepted, and the Auckland Unitary Plan (Operative in part) designation overlay be amended accordingly.

Peter Vari, **Prepared** Alison Pye, Accepted Team Leader Senior Policy Planner, Plans and by: by:

Plans and Places, Regional. Places, Regional, North, West, and

North, West, and Islands Islands

Signature: Signature: this for.

13/07/2022 14/7/2022 Date:

#### **SCHEDULE OF ATTACHMENTS:**

Attachment Watercare Services Ltd s182 Notice of Removal of part of Designation; Form 23 Notice of Removal of part of Designation; A:

Record of Title Lot 2 DP559143; WSL GIS Ownership 403 and new

ownership 409 Old North Rd; AUP GIS Current Watercare Designation

9373.

# **ATTACHMENT A**



#### **Watercare Services Limited**

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08 July 2022

Auckland Council Private Bag 92300 Auckland 1143 [By Email]

Attention: Warren Maclennan Manager – Planning North-West

Re: Removal of part of Watercare Designation 9373 (legacy reference Designation 956, Auckland Council District Plan Rodney Section 2011) at 403 and 409 Old North Road, Huapai.

We write pursuant to Section 182(1) of the Resource Management Act to undertake the following:

Reduce the area of Designation 9373 purpose "water supply purposes" under the Auckland Unitary Plan Operative in Part.

The legal description of the property from which the designation is to be removed is:

- LOT 2 DP 559143 (409 Old North Road)

The legal description of the property on which the designation is to remain is:

- LOT 1 DP 559143 (403 Old North Road)

#### Please find attached:

- Section 182 letter Notice of Part Removal of Watercare Services Limited Designation 9373
- Form 23 Notice of Removal/Removal of Part of Designation
- Record of Title Lot 2 Deposited Plan 559143
- AUP GIS Map Current designation 9373 over 403 and 409 Old North Road, Huapai
- WSL GIS Map Showing ownership of 403 Old North Road and 409 Old North Road
- Shape files reflecting 409 Old North Road, area from which Designation 9373 is to be removed

Watercare requests the Auckland Council amend the AUP Operative in Part accordingly as required by Section 182 of the Resource Management Act 1991.

Yours sincerely

Priyan Perera

Head of Strategy and Planning Watercare Services Limited

#### Form 23

#### Notice of removal of designation or heritage order or part of designation or heritage order

#### Section 182 Resource Management Act 1991

To Auckland Council

Watercare Services Limited gives notice under Section 182 (1) to Auckland Council that it no longer requires part of the following designation:

- Designation 9373 purpose "water supply purposes" under the Auckland Council Unitary Plan
   Operative in Part (legacy reference Designation 956, Auckland Council District Plan Rodney
   Section 2011) at 403 Old North Road, Huapai.
- Watercare Services Limited opted to subdivide the above property and sell off a portion of the land which was deemed superfluous to operational requirements. Legal descriptions for the subdivided property are now LOT 1 DP 559143 (403 Old North Road, still under Watercare ownership) and LOT 2 DP 559143 (409 Old North Road, under new ownership).

The owners of property address 409 Old North Road have asked that the designation be uplifted from their land to facilitate consenting of construction. Water supply infrastructure has been built on the land still under Watercare Services Limited ownership, thereby giving effect to Designation 9373 which will remain in place over 403 Old North Road.

Watercare Services Limited requests that Auckland Council amend the AUP accordingly as required by Section 182 of the Resource Management Act 1991.

Signature on behalf of requiring authority

Priyan Perera

Head of Strategy & Planning

Watercare Services Limited

Date

Address for service of requiring authority:

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# **RECORD OF TITLE UNDER LAND TRANSFER ACT 2017 FREEHOLD**

**Search Copy** 



**Identifier** Land Registration District North Auckland **Date Issued** 

995958

12 May 2021

# **Prior References**

919128

Fee Simple **Estate** 

Area 1.1522 hectares more or less Legal Description Lot 2 Deposited Plan 559143

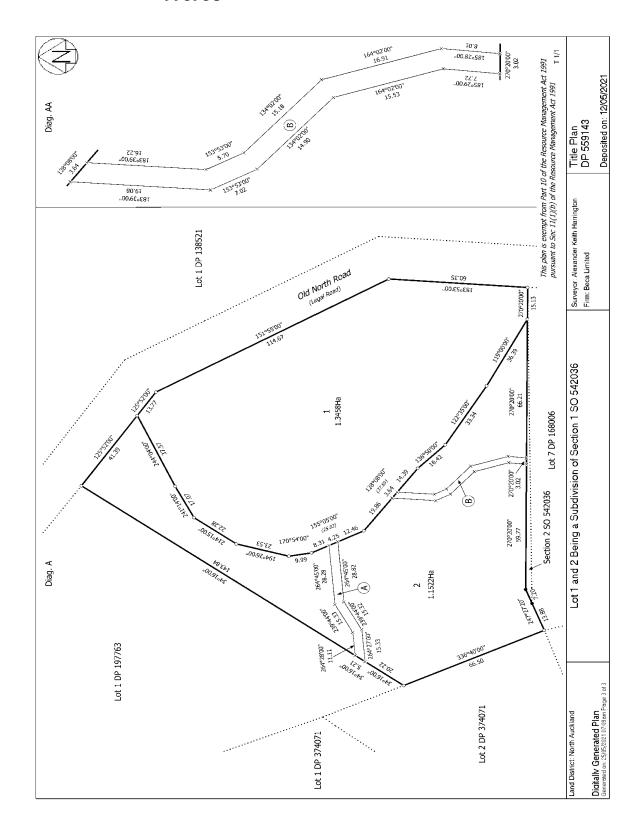
**Registered Owners** Ian Bruce Wards

#### **Interests**

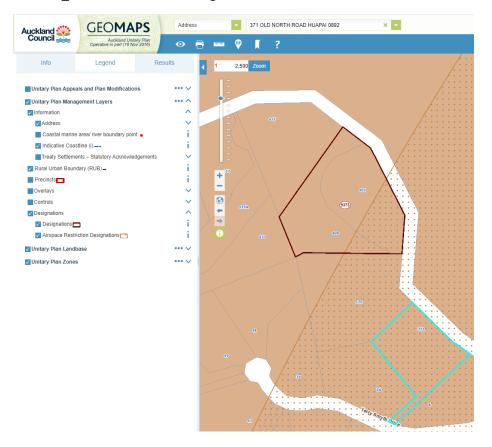
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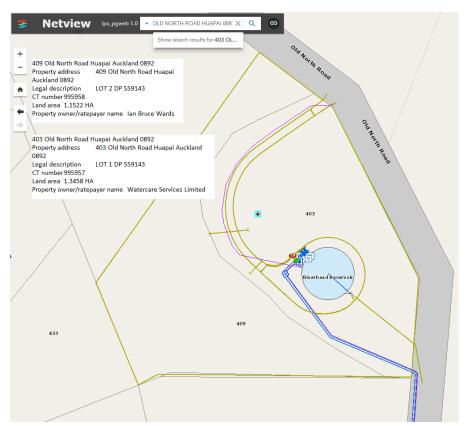
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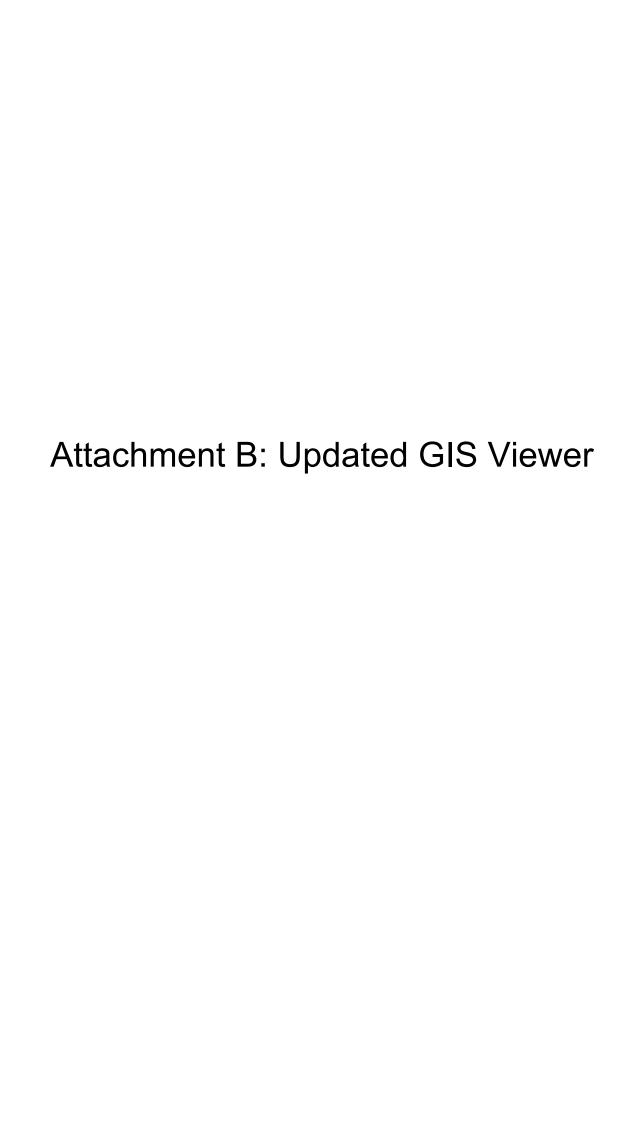


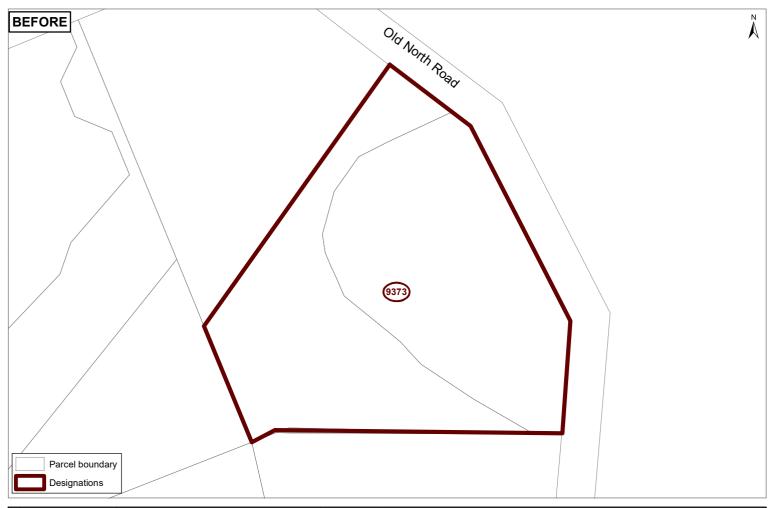
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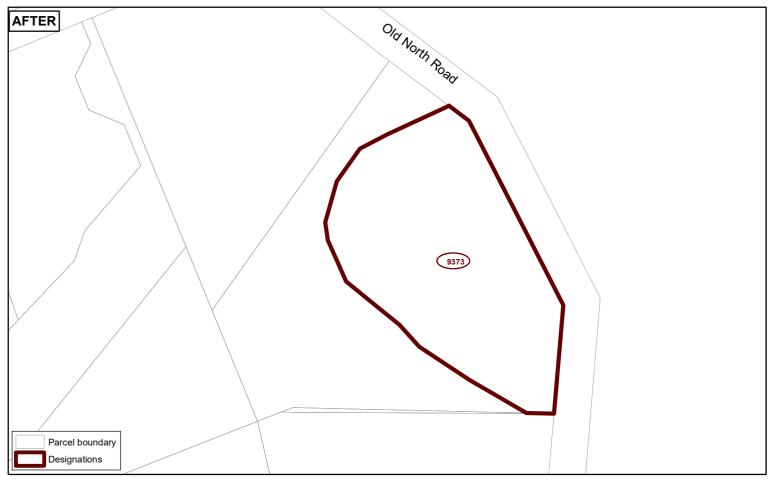


# WSL GIS\_Ownership 403 and new ownership 409 Old North Rd











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Designation Number 9373 Old North Road Huapai (Riverhead Reservoir)

