Auckland Unitary Plan

Notice of Requirement for designation for a new rapid transit station, including transport interchange facilities and accessway.

Notice of Requirement (NOR KS Kumeu Rapid Transit Station)

Auckland Council has received a notice of a requirement for a designation from Waka Kotahi NZTA as the Requiring Authority, for public work.

The requirement is for construction, operation and maintenance of a public transport station and associated facilities at Kumeu to enable the Requiring Authority to:

- Provide new and upgraded transport corridors to support and enable Auckland Council's growth aspirations for Auckland.
- Improve access to economic and social opportunities and improve resilience of the strategic transport network.
- Integrate future transport outcomes with Auckland Council's aspirations for land use and urban form.
- Help to address existing and increasing safety risks on transport corridors as growth areas urbanise.
- Support mode shift towards more sustainable travel choices such as public transport and walking and cycling.

The site to which the requirement applies is adjacent to the Kumeū Library between the SH16 Main Road Upgrade and the Rapid Transit Corridor to the west of the Kumeū River Tributary.

Viewing the notice of requirement

The explanation of the notice of requirement can be found on our web site https://www.aucklandcouncil.govt.nz/nor. If you don't have access to a computer, please visit your local library or service centre and they will help you view the notice of requirement on our website.

If you have any questions about the notice of requirement, please contact: Unitary Plan at unitaryplan@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz or on 09 365 3786.

Making a submission on the notice of requirement

Any person or organisation may make a submission on the notice of requirement, but a person who is a trade competitor or the requiring authority may do so only if that person is directly affected by an effect of the activity to which the requirement relates that –

- (a) Adversely affects the environment; and
- (b) Does not relate to trade competition or the effects of trade competition.

You may make a submission by sending a written or electronic form to Auckland Council at:

- Auckland Council, Unitary Plan Private Bag 92300, Auckland 1142, Attention: Planning Technician, or
- By using the online form on the Auckland Council website at https://www.aucklandcouncil.govt.nz/nor, or
- By email to: <u>unitaryplan@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz</u>; or
- Lodging your submission in person at Auckland Council, Libraries or offices.

Submissions close on 24 April 2023.

You must serve a copy of your submission on Waka Kotahi NZTA, whose address for service is Waka Kotahi, Level 5, 203 Queen Street, Auckland 1010, as soon as reasonably practicable after serving your submission on Auckland Council.

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