

PUBLIC NOTICE OF

Renotification of Proposed Plan Change 5 (Accessible Parking) to the Whakatāne District Plan



Whakatāne District Council hereby gives public notice of Proposed Plan Change 5 (Accessible Parking) to the Whakatāne District Plan in accordance with Clause 5 of Schedule 1 of the Resource Management Act 1991.

Proposed Plan Change 5 identifies situations where accessible parking must be provided and sets a minimum number of accessible car parks in those situations.

Details of Proposed Plan Change 5 can be viewed during normal office hours at:

- **Whakatāne District Council Customer Services**
4 Commerce Street, Whakatāne
- **Te Kōputu a te Whanga a Toi - Whakatāne Library**
49 Kākahoroa Drive, Whakatāne
- **Ōhope Library**
4 Harbour Road, Ōhope
- **Edgecumbe Library**
38 College Road, Edgecumbe
- **Murupara Library and Service Centre**
48 Pine Drive, Murupara



The submission period opens on **Monday, 29 May 2023** and closes at 5pm on **Friday, 7 July 2023**.

Should you wish to discuss any of the proposed changes, please contact the Council on 07 306 0500 or email: DistrictPlanPolicy@whakatane.govt.nz.

Submissions must be in the format of Form 5 of the Resource Management Act and state whether or not you wish to be heard on your submission. Copies of the submission form are available from the Council offices and libraries, and Council's website.

Once the submission period ends, all submissions received will be summarised and available for public viewing. Persons wishing to support or oppose any of these submissions will be able to do so by lodging a further submission. Council will then hold a hearing for the Proposed Plan Change to consider submissions that have been lodged and issue decisions on the matters raised. Anyone who makes a submission and indicated that they wish to be heard will have the right to attend the hearing and present their submission.

On receiving a decision on their submission, any person who disagrees with, or is dissatisfied with, the decision made, may appeal the decision to the Environment Court for further consideration. The proposed plan change becomes fully operative after the Council has made its decision and all appeals, if there are any, have been resolved.

Steph O'Sullivan, Chief Executive



The proposed plan change is also available online at whakatane.govt.nz/accessible-parking

Any person may make a submission using one of the following options:

Email: DistrictPlanPolicy@whakatane.govt.nz

Post: Senior Policy Planner
Whakatāne District Council
Private Bag 1002
Whakatāne 3158

Deliver: Customer Services
Whakatāne District Council
4 Commerce Street
Whakatāne

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