

MEMO

TO All Councillors
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Regional Council input into city and district council planning

1. Purpose

To inform Councillors of Greater Wellington Regional Council’s input into the statutory resource management processes of territorial authorities in the region for the period from 8 February 2014 to 21 March 2014.

GWRC’s interest arises from the Council’s responsibilities for regional planning and the integrated management of natural and physical resources in the Wellington region.

2. City and District Council plan changes and resource consents

Territorial Authority	Status of Document	Name of Document	Main issues	Action
Wellington City Council	Three appeals lodged	Plan Change 77 – Curtis Street Business Area	Storm water management and impacts on biodiversity values	GWRC to become interested party to appeals (Section 274)
Hutt City Council	Submitted in opposition	Plan Change 31 – Amendments to the Extraction Activity Area	Loss of significant indigenous vegetation	Discussions underway with applicant