

Appendix 1

Summary of Submissions

Surname	First Names	Submission Reason	Support/Oppose/ Conditional	Hearing Wish FI
Regional Public Health	Chris Edmonds	Neither supports nor opposes the application. Submission made in Regional Public Health's capacity as a public health provider. Has concerns regarding potential public health risks from exposure to untreated sewage in the Black Stream. Requests that the Regional Council impose consent conditions that require a sewage contingency plan to be developed which will include responses The Hutt City Council will take to reduce public health risks in any overflow event.		Y
Grey Power Wainuiomata	Norman Wright	<p>Submission opposes the application. Has concerns regarding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - application fails to provide adequate research to substantiate the case to discharge sewage in to the Black Stream. - inadequate screening to control passage of solids in to the Black Stream - inadequate screening to control passage of solids in to the Black Stream (which may be infectious and non-biodegradable). - insufficient expert assessments of procedures to identify illegal stormwater connections, cross connections and low gully traps. - the reliability of overflow occurrence estimates (as frequency of overflows is dependent on weather conditions). - the applicants justification and policy towards funding wastewater services in Wainuiomata in relation to the population (size and age distribution). - the issue of sewage odour has not been addressed. <p>Submitter notes that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the Black Stream is a play area for children. - the Black Stream enters the Wainuiomata River where there is an adjacent recreational area. - the Black Stream is a breeding area for wild life. 	Oppose	Y

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - there is the potential to contaminate trout fishing in the Wainuiomata River and effect surfing at the Wainuiomata River mouth. - the banks of the black Stream are used for recreational walking and exercise. <p>Submission requests that the Regional Council:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - decline the application. - require a comprehensive scientific and environmental study of the Black Stream to be undertaken. - negotiate with the applicant and insist that the overflow problems are overcome before granting the discharge permit. - ask the applicant to provide estimates of discharge volumes under varying conditions and their relationship to the size of the discharge pipe. 		
Fraser	Iris	Opposes the application. Has concerns regarding flood waters containing sewage entering on property during extreme wet weather events. Flood waters currently enter on to property under such extreme events. Requests that the Regional Council not permit the discharge of sewage to the Black Stream.	Oppose	N
Te Runanganui o Taranaki Whanui ki te Upoko o Te Ika a Maui	Teri Puketapu	Opposes the application. Opposes the discharge of sewage to the Black Stream (and any natural waterway) on cultural grounds. Requests that the Regional Council ensure that upgrades are made to the pipe and pump capacities to prevent the need for such discharges. Also requests that a programme is put in place to ensure that infiltration of non-sewage water is reduced to a minimum.	Oppose	Y