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## **Discharge permit to apply diquat to the Waiwhetu Stream**

### **1. Purpose**

To report to the Committee on the resource consent application from Flood Protection Department, Greater Wellington – The Regional Council, received under the Resource Management Act 1991 (the Act).

### **2. Background**

The officer's recommending report is attached. As all submitters have withdrawn their right to be heard, there is no need to have a formal hearing. However, because the application was 'notified' the Environment Committee has delegated authority to grant the permit.

### **3. Negotiation of Consent Conditions**

Both the applicant and submitters have agreed to the recommended conditions. I am satisfied that the conditions are sufficient to avoid, remedy or mitigate the effects of the discharge of diquat to the Waiwhetu Stream.

### **4. Communication**

All parties will be informed of the Committee's decision on the application by the Flood Protection Department, Greater Wellington Regional Council.

## 5. Recommendation

*That the Committee, under delegated authority of Wellington Regional Council, grant, in accordance with Part II, sections 105 and 108 of the Resource Management Act 1991, the discharge to water permit WGN030059 [22344], to Flood Protection, Greater Wellington, subject to the conditions set out in Attachment 2.*

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**Attachment 1:** Consent Application Background Information

**Attachment 2:** Recommended Conditions