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Tēnā koe Fraser

FAST TRACKROLECT: ROGERSON BLOCK DEVELOPMENT, HMILTON CITY

Thank you for sending Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga information about the proposed Rogerson Block development in Hamilton. I note that there was no archaeological assessment provided and that there are no recorded archaeological sites in the project area. I have not visited the property.

Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Act 2014

The *Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Act 2014* makes it unlawful for any person to modify or destroy, or cause to be modified or destroyed, the whole or any part of an archaeological site (recorded or unrecorded) without the prior authority of Heritage New Zealand. If you wish to do any work that may affect an archaeological site, you must obtain an authority from Heritage New Zealand before works begin. This is the case regardless of whether the land on which the site is located is designated, or the activity is permitted under the District or Regional Plan or a resource or building consent has been granted. For more information, please see our website www.heritage.org.nz.

Archaeological Authority

In this instance an archaeological authority may then be required to proceed before starting works on the site. We recommend that an archaeological assessment is completed by a suitably qualified consultant archaeologist who can then assist you in making recommendations in accordance with statutory requirements.

Nāku noa, nā



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