Appendix E Cultural Values Documents

NGĀI TAI KI TĀMAKI
Tapuwae o Nuku · Tapuwae Ariki · Tapuwae o Tai

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Project: Clevedon Quarry Expansion Fast Track Consent Application (FTC)
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Kaupapa: Confirmation of ongoing engagement

Tēnā kōrua,

Ngāi Tai ki Tāmaki (Ngāti Tai) are the original inhabitants of Tāmaki Makaurau. Ngāti Tai trace their ancestry from ancient pre-waka peoples known as Turehu and Patupaiarehe, led by Koiwiriki and his daughter Hinemairangi of the Hunua, Papakura, Maraetai and Pakuranga districts.

The iwi is now based in Maraetai, Te Waitematā and Tīkapakapa Moana (Hauraki Gulf), and exercises mana whenua and mana moana interests across Tāmaki Makaurau and with a longstanding connection to Te Waitematā and Tīkapa Moana. Ngāti Tai have maintained customary interests and ahikā in Tāmaki Makaurau, Hauraki, and Tīkapakapa Moana since time immemorial and are acknowledged as being amongst the original inhabitants of Aotearoa.

The Ngāi Tai ki Tāmaki treaty settlement legislation was passed exclusively in 2018 as the Ngāi Tai ki Tāmaki Settlement Act 2018. Ngāti Tai also maintains shared interests in the collective settlements of;

- (13 iwi) via the Ngā Mana Whenua o Tāmaki Makaurau Collective 2014,
- (63 hapū) Waikato – Tainui Raupatu Settlement 1995;
- and is awaiting the enactment of the (12 iwi) Hauraki Collective Iwi Settlement

Ngāi Tai ki Tāmaki (NTKT), as Iwi Mana Whenua of Clevedon and the surrounding area, acknowledges and appreciates the engagement undertaken by Stevenson Aggregates Limited (SAL) with NTKT prior to the lodgement of the FTC application.

At the initial meeting, SAL advised that the proposed project application would seek to increase the aggregate resource at the Clevedon Quarry from approximately 60 million tonnes (MT) to approximately 150 million tonnes (MT), with the resource anticipated to be extracted over a period of up to 50 years.

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Following a number of discussions and meetings with SAL, NTKT supports an approach that establishes an ongoing relationship and engagement process between SAL and NTKT throughout the life of the project. In this context, NTKT considers that a one-off Cultural Values Assessment (CVA) would not provide the most appropriate mechanism for ensuring meaningful and enduring Mana Whenua involvement.

Instead, NTKT considers that establishing a formalised ongoing engagement framework, potentially through a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU), would provide greater value. An MoU would enable the parties to establish clear expectations, processes and responsibilities for ongoing engagement and provide an appropriate mechanism for NTKT to provide cultural guidance and input as the project progresses.

Accordingly, NTKT confirms its support for continued engagement with Stevenson Aggregates Limited in relation to the FTC application and any subsequent matters requiring Mana Whenua input.

Ngāi Tai ki Tāmaki looks forward to continuing to work with Stevenson Aggregates Limited to provide Mana Whenua input, guidance and cultural advice throughout the FTC process and, where appropriate, for the ongoing management and development of the project.

Mauri ora,



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