

Wildlife Approval – 13 February version as requested by the Panel's RFI#5

This version of Westpower's proposed Wildlife Approval conditions incorporates the following as requested by the Panel's RFI#5:

- (a) Text with no tracking and no highlighting where there is agreement with the Department.
- (b) Tracked text with **yellow highlighting** for Westpower's preferred wording where not agreed by the Department;
- (c) Tracked text with **grey highlighting** for the Department's preferred wording where not agreed with Westpower; and
- (d) Text with no tracking and **blue highlighting**, for changes in the 21 January version, or made since then, that the Department has not commented on.

WILDLIFE APPROVAL

THIS APPROVAL is made this [Date] day of [Month] 2026

PARTIES:

Waitaha Hydro [FTAA-2505-1069] Expert Panel under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024 (the **Grantor**)
Westpower Limited **or Waitaha Hydro Limited** (the **Wildlife Approval Holder**)

BACKGROUND

- A. The Wildlife Approval Holder proposes to construct the Waitaha Hydro Scheme (**Scheme**).
- B. The Wildlife Approval Holder has applied for a wildlife approval under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024 in relation to the Scheme.
- C. A wildlife approval granted under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024 has force and effect for its duration, and according to its terms and conditions, as a lawful authority for the purposes of Part 5 of the Wildlife Act 1953 for the act or omission for which the approval was granted and is treated as if it were granted under that Act.
- D. This wildlife approval under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024 in relation to the Scheme was granted by an expert panel on [add date].

OPERATIVE PARTS

The Wildlife Approval Holder has been authorised by an expert panel under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024 to undertake the activities specified in this approval, subject to the terms and conditions contained in this wildlife approval and its schedules.

SCHEDULE 1: AUTHORISED ACTIVITY

1.	<p>Approved activity (Schedule 2, clause 2)</p>	<p>The activities approved are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) To catch, salvage and relocate native lizards listed in Schedule 4 from the Scheme footprint. b) To disturb who / blue duck by gently guiding (without catching) them away from blasting and helicopter use areas. c) To disturb, catch and liberate who / blue duck if required to protect their safety. d) In the unlikely event it is required, to capture and relocate avifauna and long-tailed bats listed in Schedule 5 in accordance with the Avifauna Management Plan (AMP) and Bat Management Plan (BMP). e) To incidentally harm or kill wildlife listed in Schedule 5 if the harm or death is not directly intended but is unavoidable and foreseeable. <p><u>Methodology:</u></p> <p>a) As set out in the AMP approved by the panel on [insert date].</p> <p>b) As set out in the BMP approved by the panel on [insert date].</p> <p>c) As set out in the Lizard Management Plan (LizMP) approved by the panel on [insert date].</p> <p>a) In accordance with the AMP (prepared by XX and dated XX) attached as Schedule 8 to this Approval; and</p> <p>b) In accordance with the BMP (prepared by XX and dated XX) attached as Schedule 9 to this Approval; and</p> <p>c) In accordance with the Lizard Management Plan (LizMP) prepared by XX and dated XX) attached as Schedule 10 to this Approval;</p>
2.	<p>The Land (Schedule 2, clause 2)</p>	<p>The Waitaha Hydro Site, identified in the map included in Schedule 6.</p>
3.	<p>Personnel approved to undertake the Approved Activity (Schedule 2, clause 3)</p>	<p>For lizards, Dr Graham Ussher or others under his direct supervision.</p> <p>For avifauna and long-tailed bats, a suitably qualified and experienced expert with expertise relevant to the protected wildlife species concerned and others under the direct supervision of the suitably qualified and experienced expert.</p> <p>A suitably qualified and experienced expert with expertise relevant to the protected wildlife species concerned, as authorised in writing by</p>

Commented [WP1]: Reason for disagreement: Westpower considers the management plans should not be attached to the approval.

Commented [WP2]: Reason for disagreement: different drafting. Westpower considers its drafting responds to DOC's comments in Appendix D of the s 51 report, which only mention the herpetologist's credentials.

		the Department, and others under the direct supervision of the suitably qualified and experienced expert.
4.	Term (Schedule 2, clause 4)	Commencing on [insert date of approval] and expiring on [insert date 15 years from date of approval]
5.	Wildlife Approval Holder's address for notices (Schedule 2, clause 8)	The Wildlife Approval Holder's address for notices is: 146 Tainui Street PO Box 375 Greymouth
6.	Department's address for notices	The Department's address for all correspondence is: Permissions Team Level 4 73 Rostrevor Street Hamilton, 3204 Email: permissionshamilton@doc.govt.nz

SCHEDULE 2: STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE APPROVAL

1. Interpretation

- 1.1 The Wildlife Approval Holder must provide a copy of these conditions to its employees, contractors or agents and explain the obligations under the conditions.
- 1.2 Where obligations bind more than one person, those obligations bind those persons jointly and separately.

2. What is being authorised?

- 2.1 The Wildlife Approval Holder is only allowed to carry out the Approved Activity on the Land described in Schedule 1, Item 2.
- 2.2 Any arrangements necessary for access over private land or leased land are the responsibility of the Wildlife Approval Holder.
- 2.3 The Wildlife Approval Holder must advise the Department's local Operations Manager(s) prior to carrying out the Approved Activity in the District (where possible, one week prior), when the Wildlife Approval Holder intends to carry out the Approved Activity.
- 2.4 The Wildlife Approval Holder and Approved Personnel must carry a copy of this approval with them at all times while carrying out the Approved Activity.
- 2.5 The Wildlife Approval Holder must comply with any reasonable request from the Department for access to any wildlife.
- 2.6 The Wildlife Approval Holder may publish authorised research results.
- 2.7 The Wildlife Approval Holder must immediately notify the Department of any taxa found which are new to science.

3. Who is approved?

3.1 Only the Wildlife Approval Holder and the Approved Personnel described in Schedule 1, Item 3 are approved to carry out the Approved Activity, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Department.

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4. How long is the approval for – the Term?

- 4.1 This approval commences and ends on the dates set out in Schedule 1, Item 4.

5. What are the liabilities?

- 5.1 The Wildlife Approval Holder agrees to exercise the approval at the Wildlife Approval Holder's own risk and releases to the full extent permitted by law the Department and the Department's employees and agents from all claims and demands of any kind and from all liability which may arise in respect of any accident, damage or injury occurring to any person or property arising from the Wildlife Approval Holder's exercise of the Approved Activity.

Commented [WP3]: Reason for disagreement: Westpower considers the Wildlife Approval Holder should also be covered by the approval, particularly if there was any incidental harm or death.

5.2 This indemnity is to continue after the expiry or termination of this approval in respect of any acts or omissions occurring or arising before its expiry or termination.

6. What about compliance with legislation and notices and directions?

6.1 The Wildlife Approval Holder must comply with all statutes, bylaws and regulations, and other statutory instruments associated with the Land. Without limitation, this includes the Conservation Act 1987 and the Acts listed in the First Schedule of that Act and all applicable health and safety legislation and regulation.

6.2 The Wildlife Approval Holder will comply with all notices, directions and requisitions of the Department and any competent authority relating to the conduct of the Approved Activity.

7. Are there limitations on public access and closure?

7.1 The Wildlife Approval Holder acknowledges that the public conservation land being part of the Land is open to the public for access and that the Department may close public access to that public conservation land during periods of high fire hazard or for reasons of public safety or emergency.

8. How are notices sent and when are they received?

8.1 Any notice to be given under this approval by the Department is to be in writing and made by personal delivery, by pre-paid post or email to the Wildlife Approval Holder at the address or email address specified in Schedule 1, Item 5. Any such notice is to be deemed to have been received:

- (a) in the case of personal delivery, on the date of delivery;
- (b) in the case of post, on the third working day after posting;
- (c) in the case of email, on the date receipt of the email is acknowledged by the addressee by return email or otherwise in writing, except that return emails generated automatically shall not constitute an acknowledgement of receipt of the email.

8.2 If the Wildlife Approval Holder's details specified in Schedule 1, Item 5 change then the Wildlife Approval Holder must notify the Department within five working days of such change.

9. What about the payment of costs?

9.1 The Wildlife Approval Holder must pay the standard Department charge-out rates for any staff time and mileage required to monitor compliance with this approval and to investigate any alleged breaches of the terms and conditions of it.

10. Biosecurity

10.1 The Wildlife Approval Holder must take all precautions to ensure weeds and non-target species are not introduced to the Land; this includes ensuring that all tyres, footwear, gaiters, packs and equipment used by the Wildlife Approval Holder, its staff and clients are cleaned and checked for pests before entering the Land.

11. Are there any Special Conditions?

11.1 Special conditions are specified in Schedule 3. In the event of inconsistency or conflict, the Special Conditions will prevail over this Schedule 2.

12. Can the approval be varied?

12.1 The Wildlife Approval Holder may apply to the Department for variations to this approval in accordance with clauses 7(2) and (3) of Schedule 7 of the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024.

SCHEDULE 3: SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. General

1.1 The Approved Activity must be carried out in accordance with the documents listed in Schedule 1, Item 1.

1.2 The provisions of the resource consent conditions (where relevant to this approval) and the AMP, BMP and LizMP form a part of this approval and the Wildlife Approval Holder will undertake the Approved Activity, in accordance with those management plans and relevant resource consent conditions.

1.3 The Authority Holder must review the LizMP, AMP, and BMP and resubmit it to the Director-General for certification on or before the 10-year anniversary of the Approval date. The objective of the review is to re-assess habitat conditions and characteristics and update the management plans to reflect current species knowledge, best practice lizard management and mitigation techniques.

1.4 The provisions of the resource consent conditions including ecological compensation (where relevant to this approval) and the AMP, BMP and LizMP form a part of this approval and the Wildlife Approval Holder will undertake the Approved Activity, in accordance with those management plans and relevant resource consent conditions.

Note: DOC considers the above clause is inappropriate and views that compensation measures in relation to the wildlife approvals should sit within the wildlife conditions.

2. Who handling

2.1 Who will only be handled (caught and liberated):

- (a) if required to protect their safety; and
- (b) by a who specialist or the project ecologist following instructions of a who specialist.

3. Lizard capture, salvage and relocation

3.1 The Wildlife Approval Holder must undertake lizard capture, salvage and relocation as set out in the LizMP.

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Note: DOC considers that in the absence of an appropriate contingency plan for West Coast green geckos, it will be necessary to introduce new conditions that provide for detection of this species - e.g. stop works and update of the LizMP.

3.3 Clearance of potential lizard habitat may only be undertaken outside of the approved lizard management season (October – April inclusive) in areas that have been subject to pre-clearance salvage effort during the March / April months that immediately precede and do not result in the detection of lizards. Any area that is found to contain resident lizards may not be subject to any winter habitat clearance activities.

Commented [WP4]: Reasons for disagreement:

- In respect of 1.3: Westpower considers there is no clear justification for requiring recertification of the LizMP, AMP and BMP within ten years and such a condition is unduly onerous.
- In respect of 1.4: Westpower has included the compensation conditions in this approval as requested.

Commented [WP5]: Reasons for disagreement:

- In respect of 3.2: Westpower considers that additional conditions regarding West Coast green geckos are unduly onerous.
- In respect of 3.3: Westpower has already proposed a compensation condition in the event that indigenous vegetation clearance is undertaken between 1 April and 30 September, and a condition requiring additional pre clearance salvage effort is unduly onerous.

~~3.4~~3.4 The Wildlife Approval Holder must sterilise any instruments that come in contact with the lizards and/or are used to collect or measure lizards between each location. A separate holding bag must be used for each animal. All equipment should be thoroughly cleaned and dried between sites.

~~3.2~~3.5 The Approval Holder must ensure lizards are held temporarily in a suitable container (e.g. breathable cloth bag) and placed out of direct sunlight to minimise the risk of overheating, stress and death between capture and salvage, and relocation to the adjoining receiving site.

4. Incidental Discovery

4.1 The DOC Operations Manager for West Coast must be contacted immediately for further advice if lizard species that are not covered by this approval are located within the footprint of the development or within the release site.

4.5. Incidental death of protected wildlife

5.1 If any Threatened, At Risk or Data Deficient species should be incidentally killed in the construction of the Scheme, the Wildlife Approval Holder must:

- (a) inform the Department within twenty-four (24) hours of the death;
- (b) chill the body if it can be delivered within seventy-two (72) hours of the death, or freeze the body if delivery will take longer than seventy-two (72) hours;
- (c) send the body to [add] for necropsy along with details of the animal's history;
- (d) pay [add] for any costs incurred in investigation of the death of any Threatened, At Risk or Data Deficient species; and
- (e) if required by the Department, cease the Approved Activity for a period determined by the Department.

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- (d) pay any costs incurred in investigation of the death; and
- (e) if required by the Department, cease the Approved Activity for a period determined by the Department.

5.6. Injured protected wildlife and euthanasia

6.1 If any protected wildlife are incidentally injured as part of the Approved Activity or in the course of undertaking activities associated with the Scheme, the Wildlife Approval Holder must contact a suitably qualified person to get advice on management of the protected wildlife, including how to best address the injury.

Commented [WP6]: Reason for disagreement: Westpower considers the condition is unnecessary as the approval only relates to the species in Schedule 4.

Commented [WP7]: Reasons for disagreement:

- In respect of the inclusion of 'incidental', here and elsewhere in the conditions, Westpower considers 'incidental' should be included as that is the term used in s 53A of the Wildlife Act 1953.
- In respect of (d), Westpower's drafting follows the approach of the AMP which is to focus on species of conservation importance. The population of non-threatened species are more resilient and can replace themselves more readily than more threatened species; and Westpower is already taking reasonable steps to protect individual animals. It would be unduly onerous to require investigation for non-threatened species.

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6.2 If any protected wildlife are injured as part of the Approved Activity or in the course of undertaking activities associated with the Scheme, the Wildlife Approval Holder must contact a suitably qualified person to get advice on management of the protected wildlife, including how to best address the injury.

6.3 If protected wildlife is harmed by the Wildlife Approval Holder, the Wildlife Approval Holder will take all reasonable steps to rehabilitate protected wildlife, in line with the advice of a suitably qualified person.

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5-4-6.5 The Wildlife Approval Holder is authorised to appoint a qualified veterinarian to euthanise injured animal(s) on the recommendation of the suitably qualified person. Once euthanised, the Wildlife Approval Holder will deal with the protected wildlife in accordance with condition 4.

5-2-6.6 The Wildlife Approval Holder must notify the Department's [West Coast Operations Manager(s)] within twelve (12) hours of euthanising protected wildlife. The notification will include details of the species of wildlife euthanised and personnel involved in the euthanasia of the wildlife.

6.7. Reporting

6-4-7.1 The Wildlife Approval Holder must undertake reporting as set out in the AMP, BMP and LizMP.

7.8. Ownership of protected wildlife

7-4-8.1 All wildlife remains the property of the Crown. This includes any dead wildlife, live wildlife, any parts thereof, any eggs or progeny of the wildlife, genetic material and any replicated genetic material.

8.2 Unless expressly authorised by the Department in writing, the Wildlife Approval Holder must not donate, sell or otherwise transfer to any third party any wildlife collected or otherwise obtained under this approval.

8.9. Ecological compensation

2-9.1 For ten years following the Commencement of Construction, and in consultation with the Department, the Wildlife Approval Holder must make an annual payment of \$15,000 to an ecosystem programme in the region as a contribution to support the West Coast region's bat population. The first of the ten payments required by this condition must be made no later than two months following the Commencement of Construction. Subsequent annual payments must be made on the same month as the first annual payment.

3-9.2 For ten years following the Commencement of Construction, and in consultation with Department, the Wildlife Approval Holder must make an annual payment of \$35,000 to an ecosystem programme in the region as a contribution to support the West Coast region's who population. The first of the ten payments required by this condition must be made no later than two months following the Commencement of Construction. Subsequent annual payments must be made on the same month as the first annual payment.

~~4-9.3~~ From and including the eleventh year following the Commencement of Construction, and then for the duration of the consents, and in consultation with the Department, the Wildlife Approval Holder must make an annual payment of \$35,000 to an ecosystem programme in the region as a contribution to support the West Coast region's wider ecosystem or locally in the Waitaha Valley.

~~5-9.4~~ For any year during the construction of the Scheme where indigenous vegetation clearance is undertaken south of Macgregor Creek, in consultation with the Department, the Wildlife Approval Holder must make a payment of \$10,000 to an ecosystem programme in the region as a contribution to support the West Coast region's wider ecosystem.

~~6-9.5~~ For any year during the construction of the Scheme where indigenous vegetation clearance is undertaken between 1 April and 30 September, the Wildlife Approval Holder must make a payment of \$5,000 to an ecosystem programme in the region, in consultation with the Department, as a contribution to supporting lizard populations on the West Coast.

~~7-9.6~~ If the ecosystem programmes being funded in accordance with Conditions 9.1, 9.2 and 9.3 change or cease to exist within the period when payments are required, the Wildlife Approval Holder must, following consultation with the Department, make the annual payments to an alternative entity undertaking pest management works in the West Coast region or locally in the Waitaha Valley (as the case may be).

Advice Note: For the avoidance of doubt, the compensation requirements are also required pursuant to the Wildlife Approval Holder's Consents for the Scheme, and to this extent, any associated financial payment obligations on the Wildlife Approval Holder are not duplicated by this Wildlife Approval.

~~7-9.7~~ The compensation amounts in conditions 9.1 to 9.5 must be adjusted at the start of each calendar year by the annual Consumer Price Index (CPI) published by Statistics New Zealand. The adjusted rates must thereafter be used as the compensation amount required to be paid in accordance with conditions 9.1 to 9.5.

9-10. Cancellation

~~9-4-10.1~~ The Department may revoke this Approval in whole or any part at any time (pursuant to clause 7(4) of Schedule 7 of the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024) if:

- (a) The Wildlife Approval Holder breaches any of the conditions of this Approval.
- (b) In the Department's opinion, the exercise of this Approval has caused, or is likely to cause, any unforeseen adverse effects on wildlife.

~~10.2~~ If the Department intends to revoke this Approval in whole or in part, the Department must give Westpower at least 30 days advance notice and either party may invoke the dispute resolution process in clause 11 below before the Department initiates the cancellation process.

~~10.3~~ If the Department intends to revoke this Approval in whole or in part, the Department will give the Wildlife Approval Holder such prior notice as the Department considers reasonable and necessary in the circumstances.

Commented [WP9]: Reason for disagreement: Westpower considers a set timeframe, and a dispute resolution process, are required before cancellation, particularly given the scale and cost of this infrastructure project.

~~10.11~~ **How will disputes be resolved?**

~~10.4.1.1~~ If a dispute arises between the parties in connection with this Approval the parties must, without prejudice to any other rights or entitlements they may have, attempt to resolve the dispute by agreement using informal dispute resolution techniques such as negotiation, mediation, independent expert appraisal or any other alternative dispute resolution technique. The rules governing any such technique adopted are to be agreed between the parties.

~~10.2.1.2~~ If the dispute cannot be resolved by agreement within 30 working days of written notice by one party to the other (or such further period as the parties may agree to in writing) either party may refer the dispute to mediation, where relevant, or to arbitration, which arbitration is to be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Arbitration Act 1996.

~~10.3.1.3~~ If the parties do not agree on an arbitrator within 10 working days of a party giving written notice of the requirement to appoint an arbitrator the President of the New Zealand Law Society is to appoint the arbitrator. In either case the arbitrator must not be a person who has participated in an informal dispute resolution procedure in respect of the dispute.

~~10.4.1.4~~ The arbitrator must include in the arbitration award reasons for the determination.

~~11.5~~ Despite the existence of a dispute, each party must continue to perform its obligations under this Approval.

~~11.12~~ **Bat Protocols**

~~12.1~~ The Wildlife Approval Holder shall follow the Bat Roost Protocols, as attached at Schedule 7 of this Wildlife Approval when felling occupied bat roost trees during vegetation clearance.

Commented [WP10]: Reason for disagreement: Westpower considers that the DOC protocol is unworkable in the particular climate and ecology of the project without the minor modifications and clarifications Westpower has suggested.

SCHEDULE 4: LIZARDS THAT THE WILDLIFE APPROVAL HOLDER IS APPROVED TO CATCH, SALVAGE AND RELOCATE

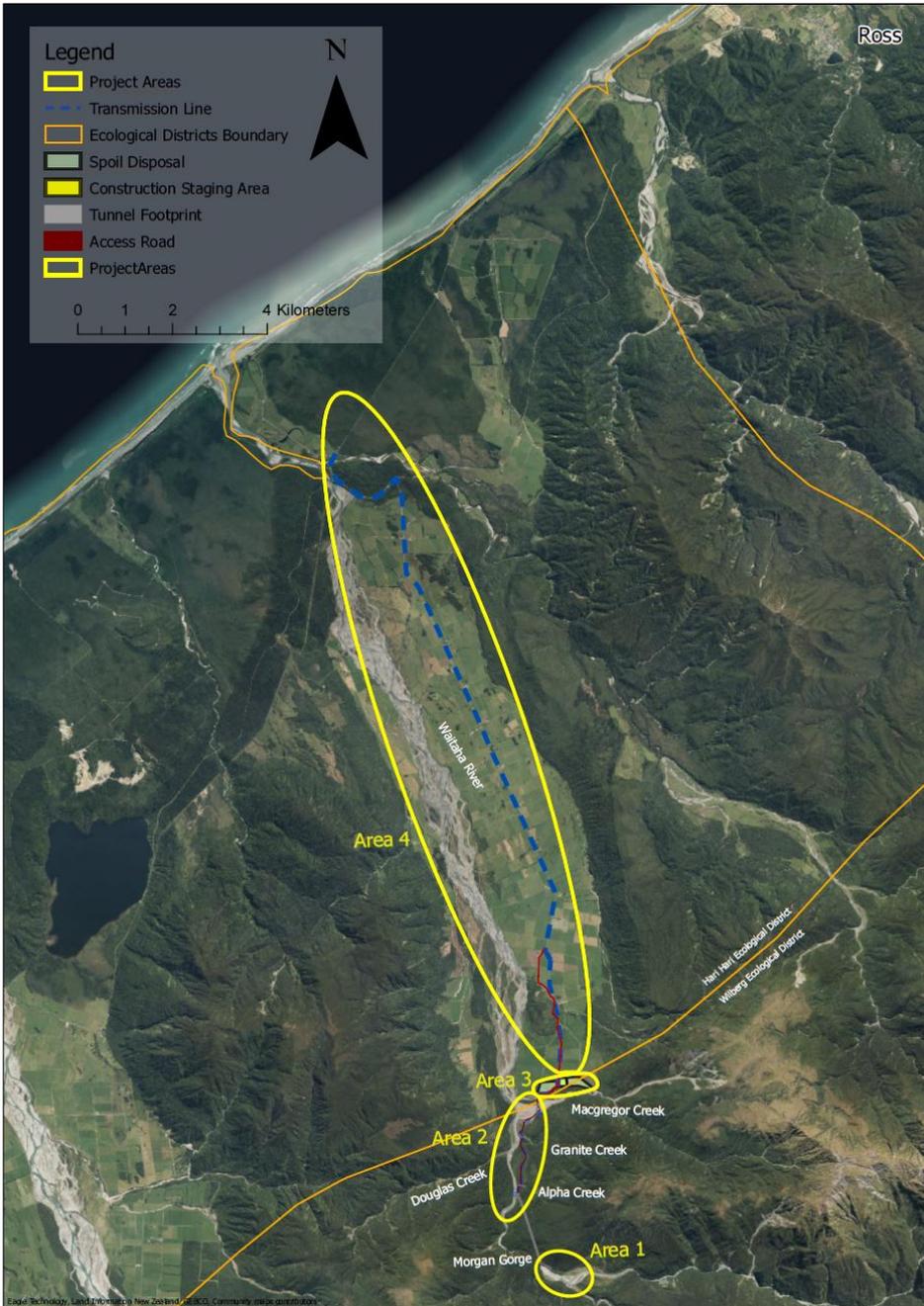
Common name	Scientific name	NZ threat classification
Northern grass skink	<i>Oligosoma polychroma</i>	Not Threatened
Forest gecko	<i>Mokopirirakau granulatus</i>	At Risk – Declining
Newman's speckled skink	<i>Oligosoma newmani</i>	At Risk – Declining
West Coast green gecko	<i>Naultinus tuberculatus</i>	Threatened – Nationally Vulnerable

SCHEDULE 5: WILDLIFE KNOWN OR PREDICTED TO BE IN THE SCHEME AREA

Common name	Scientific name	NZ threat classification
Long-tailed bat	<i>Chalinolobus tuberculatus</i>	Threatened – Nationally Critical
West Coast green gecko	<i>Naultinus tuberculatus</i>	Threatened – Nationally Vulnerable
Kea	<i>Nestor notabilis</i>	Threatened – Nationally Endangered
Blue duck / Whio	<i>Hymenolaimus malacorhynchos</i>	Threatened – Nationally Vulnerable
South Island kākā	<i>Nestor m. meridionalis</i>	Threatened – Nationally Vulnerable
Long-tailed cuckoo	<i>Eudynamys taitensis</i>	Threatened – Nationally Vulnerable
Bush falcon / Karearea	<i>Falco novaeseelandiae</i>	Threatened – Nationally Increasing
Grey duck	<i>Anas superciliosa</i>	Threatened – Nationally Vulnerable.
Yellow-crowned parakeet / Kākāriki	<i>Cyanoramphus auriceps</i>	At Risk – Declining
South Island pied oystercatcher	<i>Haematopus finschi</i>	At Risk – Declining
South Island robin	<i>Petroica a. australis</i>	At Risk – Declining
South Island fernbird	<i>Bowdleria p. punctata</i>	At Risk – Declining
New Zealand pipit	<i>Anthus n. novaeseelandiae</i>	At Risk – Declining
Black shag	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo novaehollandiae</i>	At Risk – Relict
Little shag	<i>Phalacrocorax melanoleucos brevirostris</i>	At Risk – Relict
Forest gecko	<i>Mokopirirakau granulatus</i>	At Risk – Declining
Newman's speckled skink	<i>Oligosoma newmani</i>	At Risk – Declining
Northern grass skink	<i>Oligosoma polychroma</i>	Not Threatened
Western weka	<i>Gallirallus a. australis</i>	Not Threatened
Welcome swallow	<i>Hirundo n. neoxena</i>	Not Threatened
South Island tomtit	<i>Petroica m. macrocephala</i>	Not Threatened

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South Island fantail	<i>Rhipidura f. fuliginosa</i>	Not Threatened
Brown creeper	<i>Mohoua novaeseelandiae</i>	Not Threatened
Tui	<i>Prothemadera n. novaeseelandiae</i>	Not Threatened
Bellbird	<i>Anthornis m. melanura</i>	Not Threatened
Grey warbler	<i>Gerygone igata</i>	Not Threatened
South Island rifleman	<i>Acanthisitta chloris chloris</i>	Not Threatened
New Zealand kingfisher	<i>Todiramphus sanctus vagans</i>	Not Threatened
Morepork	<i>Ninox n. novaeseelandiae</i>	Not Threatened
Shining cuckoo	<i>Chrysococcyx l. lucidus</i>	Not Threatened
New Zealand pigeon / Kererū	<i>Hemiphaga novaeseelandiae</i>	Not Threatened
White-faced heron	<i>Egretta n. novaehollandiae</i>	Not Threatened
Pied stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus leucocephalus</i>	Not Threatened
Silvereye	<i>Zosterops l. lateralis</i>	Not Threatened
Little owl	<i>Athene noctua</i>	Introduced and naturalised
Pukeko	<i>Porphyrio m. melanotus</i>	Not Threatened
Swamp harrier	<i>Circus approximans</i>	Not Threatened
Paradise shelduck	<i>Tadorna variegata</i>	Not Threatened
Common redpoll	<i>Carduelis flammea</i>	Introduced and naturalised

SCHEDULE 6: MAP OF THE LAND COVERED BY THE APPROVAL



SCHEDULE 7: DOC BAT ROOST PROTOCOLS

[docCM - Bat roost protocol 2024](#)

Commented [WP11]: Reason for disagreement: see comment above regarding the protocol.

SCHEDULE 8: AVIFAUNA MANAGEMENT PLAN

Commented [WP12]: Reason for disagreement: see comment above regarding attaching the management plans.

SCHEDULE 9: BAT MANAGEMENT PLAN

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SCHEDULE 10: LIZARD MANAGEMENT PLAN

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