

Takitimu North Link Stage 2 – BOPRC Proposed Resource Consent Conditions (December 2025)

The following consent conditions are recommended by the Bay of Plenty Regional Council. These are based on the conditions proffered by the applicant with additions underlined and in red and any deletions shown as ~~strikeout~~ (strikeout).

RM25-0466-WT.02

A resource consent:

- Under section 14(1)(a) of the Resource Management Act 1991 and Rule 43 of the Regional Natural Resources Plan to undertake a discretionary activity being to take and groundwater associated with dewatering; and
- Under section 14(1)(a) of the Resource Management Act 1991 and Regulation 45(4) of the National Environmental Standards to undertake a discretionary activity being the take and use of groundwater within or within 100 metres of a natural wetland associated with dewatering;

subject to the following conditions

1. Purpose

1.1 The purpose of this consent is to take and use groundwater associated with dewatering during the construction of the Takitimu North Link Stage 2.

2. Location

2.1 The activities authorised by ~~this~~the Consents shall occur from near Loop Road (map reference: 1870005mN, 5823384mE NZTM2000) to the east of the Waipapa Stream (map reference: 1864989mN, 5827810mE NZTM2000), on land designated by the New Zealand Transport Agency under section 171 of the RMA for the construction, operation and maintenance of a State highway.

3. Consent Lapse and Expiry

3.1 (a) Pursuant to section 123 of the RMA and Schedule 5, cl 26 of the FTA, this consent shall expire 35 years after the commencement of this consent.

(b) This consent shall lapse 20 years after the commencement of this consent.

4. Review of Consent Conditions

4.1 BOPRC may serve notice on the Consent Holder under section 128(1) of the RMA of its intention to review the conditions of these Consents at any time within six months of the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the date of commencement of Construction Works, and thereafter five yearly. The purpose of such a review is to deal with any adverse effect on the environment which may result from the consented activity and which it is appropriate to deal with at a later stage.

5. Water Take Parameters

5.1 The consent holder shall ensure that all dewatering is undertaken in accordance with the Substantive Application.

6. Water Use Monitoring

6.1 The Consent Holder shall keep a daily written record of any water pumped and the quantity of water taken. These records ~~will~~ shall be provided to BOPRC within 24 hours of a ~~upon~~ request.

7. Dewatering Measures

7.1 The consent holder shall take all practicable steps to ensure that:

(a) There is no leakage beyond the works area, water take structures and pipes; and

(b) All water discharged shall be in accordance with the conditions of RM25-0466-DC.01.