



SUBMISSION FORM (FORM 5)

**PROPOSED PLAN CHANGE TO THE UPPER HUTT CITY COUNCIL
DISTRICT PLAN: PROPOSED PLAN CHANGE 15 – FLOOD AND EROSION
HAZARD AREAS**

To: Upper Hutt City Council

Submission on Proposed Plan Change No. 15 to the Upper Hutt City Council District Plan

File Number: 351/12/015
Submission Number:
(for office use only)

Submissions can be:

Delivered to: Level 2 Reception, Civic Administration Building, 838-842 Fergusson Drive, Upper Hutt
Posted to: Proposed Plan Change No. 15, Upper Hutt City Council, Private Bag 907, Upper Hutt
Faxed to: (04) 528 2652
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The closing date for submissions is Friday 9th November 2012 at 5pm

DETAILS OF SUBMITTER

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I could gain an advantage in trade competition through this submission (Please tick one)	NO	Only answer this question if you ticked YES: I am / am not (select one) directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that: (a) adversely affects the environment; and (b) does not relate to trade competition or the effects of trade competition.
	YES	

DETAILS OF SUBMISSION

The specific provisions of the proposed Plan Change that my submission relates to are as follows:

My submission is that:
 I oppose the proposed Plan Change.
 The proposed change is unfair and directs all actions on affected property owners.
 The plan does not recognise flood mitigation is a responsibility that requires a community strategy.

(Please state in summary the nature of your submission. Clearly indicate whether you support or oppose the specific provisions or wish to have amendments made, giving reasons. Please use additional sheets if necessary)

I seek the following decision from the local authority:

- That any plan change incorporate a commitment to a regional flood management strategy.
- That the Greater Wellington Regional Council take over flood management for the Mangaroa River

(Please give precise details and use additional sheets if necessary)

Please indicate whether you wish to be heard in support of your submission (Tick appropriate box)	I do wish to be heard in support of my submission	
	I do not wish to be heard in support of my submission	✓
Please indicate whether you wish to make a joint case at the hearing if others make a similar submission (Tick appropriate box)	I do wish to make a joint case	
	I do not wish to make a joint case	✓

SIGNATURE AND DATE

Russell

Signature of person making submission or person authorised to sign on behalf of person making submission

8-11-12

Date

(Note: A signature is not required if you are making your submission by electronic means)

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IN YOUR SUBMISSION, INCLUDING YOUR CONTACT DETAILS, WILL BE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC

Suggested Actions.

> I suggest as a flood mitigation strategy that the value of the Swamp land adjoining Wallaceville Road as a natural holding area for flood waters be recognised.

I suggest the area be permitted to return to a wet-land which would also be a significant habitat for wildlife and a valuable public amenity and attraction.

> I further propose the regeneration of the hillsides within the Mangaroa/Whitemans Valley Catchment be encouraged.

> That farming activities within the flood hazard area be in accordance with best practice in line with the Dairying and Clean Streams Accord.

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