IN THE MATTER OF: the Resource Management Act 1991

AND IN THE MATTER OF:

Proposed Plan Change 49 -Open Spaces (PC49) to the Operative Upper Hutt District Plan; and Variation 1 to PC49

Minute (2) of the Independent Hearing Panel appointed by Upper Hutt City Council: RE: Hutt Valley Clay Target Club – request for ten minutes speaking rights at the hearing.

## INTRODUCTION

1. You have received this Minute because you have either made a submission, been involved in the preparation of, or are an expert witness in the matter of Plan Change 49 and/or Variation 1 to the Operative Upper Hutt District Plan (PC49 and Variation 1).

## **PURPOSE**

2. This is an advisory Minute. The Panel is sending this to everybody ahead of the hearing to ensure all parties know of a procedural request it has received and considered.

## PROCEDURAL REQUEST RECEIVED

- 3. Council received a request from Bruce Scott, on behalf of the Hutt Valley Clay Target Club (the Club), to be granted ten minutes to present to the Panel during the hearing, particularly around the matter of the proposed change to the number of operating days.
- 4. The Independent Hearing Panel (Panel) has considered the request. It notes that while the Club has not made a submission or further submission, the Panel has the discretion to allow this request. Hearing from the Club will give the Panel the opportunity to ask any questions it may have about the Club's operation or effects.

## **PANEL DECISION**

5. The Panel has decided to grant the Club ten minutes speaking rights as it has requested.

**Sue Wells** 

**Chairperson, on behalf of the Hearings Panel** 

16 November 2023