

Notice of Site to Site Transfer of Affiliated Surface Water or Groundwater (Take & Use) Consents (in a Waimea Plains Zone)

To:

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Or by email:

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OFFICE USE

Consent No: _____

Date Received: _____

Receipt Number: _____

**PLEASE READ THIS PAGE BEFORE COMPLETING THIS APPLICATION FORM.
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION MAY BE REQUIRED.**

The Resource Management Act (1991)

This application is made pursuant to Rule 31.1.7.1(i) of the TRMP and seeks Tasman District Council ("Council") approval of the site to site transfer of affiliated water in a Waimea Plains Zone. If approved as a Permitted Activity, I acknowledge that replacement water permit(s) will be issued by the Council with the applicable changes of conditions.

Completing This Form

This form, when fully completed, signed and dated, is likely to provide sufficient information for the Council to assess straightforward applications.

Send the fully completed form together with the requested aerial photo, a copy of your Shareholder Water Augmentation Agreement (SWAA) confirming your Water Irrigators Limited (WIL) shares allocated to this application, any additional information and the correct fee to the address shown below. Your application will not be accepted for processing until the complete information and fee has been received. Please note that once an initial assessment has been made, we may request further information. Please also note that applications that do not meet the Permitted Activity requirements will be returned,

If you have further queries, please email resourceconsentadmin@tasman.govt.nz or phone the Tasman District Council (03) 543 8400

PART A: Contact Details

The undersigned hereby applies for a (water permit) site to site transfer in accordance with the details below. Please note that Council likely already has various contact information under the current water permit(s), which may not need repeating unless it has changed. Please use your discretion and answer the applicable questions and/or seek Council staff advice if in any doubt:

1. Applicant(s) Details

Note: If the application relates to more than one water permit and more than one Consent Holder (or other person), it must be completed by the holder(s) of the water permit that is transferring (the Transferor) jointly with the Consent Holder or other person to whom the interest in the permit will transfer (the Transferee):

Transferor:

Company Name (if applicable): _____

Full Name(s): _____

Postal Address: _____

Phone: _____

Mobile: _____

Business: _____

Email address: _____

Transferee:

Company Name (if applicable): _____

Full Name(s): _____

Postal Address: _____

Phone: _____

Mobile: _____

Business: _____

Email address: _____

2. Consultant/Agent Details *(if applicable)*

Consultant/Agent Name: _____

Postal Address: _____

Phone: _____

Mobile: _____

Email address: _____

3. All correspondence relating to this application should be sent to: *(tick one)*

Transferor Consent Holder Transferee Consent Holder Consultant/Agent Other *(specify)* _____

4. Application type: Indicate whether this application is for: *(tick one)*

- Site to site transfer **of all** of an affiliated water permit (for a volume of water equivalent to the shares held in WIL for this water permit) to a site in the same zone.
- Site to site transfer **of part** of an affiliated water permit (for a volume of water equivalent to the shares held in WIL for this water permit) to a site in the same zone.
- Other site to site transfer of an affiliated water permit to a site within the same zone that does not meet any of the above.

Please describe: _____

Please state below the RM number(s) of the affected water permit(s):

5. Volume of Water transferring:

Volume of water transferring is: _____ m³/week

From Water Permit RM _____ to existing permit RM _____, **OR** to a new water permit (tick)

Note: RM is the prefix of the 6-digit resource consent number.

PART B: Description of Proposal

On an aerial photo (available from Council) show all the land the transferred water will irrigate (please show with hatching) and clearly identify the bore and/or the intake site to which the water allocation is to transfer. Also mark the proposed water meter location if not at the actual bore/intake point.

Note 1: Unless specified, all references to a 'bore' also refers to a well or driven pipe, etc. that penetrates into groundwater.

Note 2: No change in the Use of water is provided for under this application.

Note 3: Water meters not located at the consented intake point e.g., bore, may require separate Council "remote location" approval.

1. At the site where the transferring water is to be USED.

a. Nature of Tenure of Applicant(s): *(Tick as appropriate)*

Owner Lessee Prospective purchaser

Other *(specify)* _____

b. Legal Description *(as shown on Rate Demand)*

Lot _____ DP _____ CT _____

c. Property valuation number: _____

d. Total Property area (ha): _____

e. Total Property Irrigable area (ha): _____

f. Address/Location: _____

2. If the site from which the transferred water is to be TAKEN is not on the (above) property where the water is to be used, please state for this other property the:

a. Name of owner: _____

Address/Location: _____

b. Legal Description of land where take point is situated:

Lot _____ DP _____ CT _____

Other (specify)

c. Property valuation number: _____

3. Water Management Zone

Is the transfer in the Appleby Gravel (AG) Zone, Lower Confined Aquifer (LCA) zone or Upper Confined Aquifer (UCA) zone and both the point of take of the transferring water and the new transferee point of take is within the same zone. Please confirm here:

Yes No (if **No**, site to site transfer is not a permitted activity and a resource consent is required)

Name of water zone: _____

4. Source of Water

River/Stream Existing bore/well (Please tick most applicable)

5. Source of water for SURFACE WATER applications only

The transfer relates to a surface water take and is to a new point downstream of the consented point of take: Yes No

The new take is not in a coastal margin for the zone: Yes No

6. Source of water for GROUNDWATER applications only

Existing (transferor) bore number (WWD): _____

Are there other authorised takes from this bore: Yes No

If yes, please state the consent number(s) here: _____

Transferee's bore number (WWD): _____

Are there other authorised takes from this bore: Yes No

If yes, please state the RM consent number(s): _____

I have attached an assessment from a suitably qualified person that demonstrates the take does not exceed the sustainable yield of the bore (receiving the additional water): Yes

As a result of the site to site transfer, will there be no more than 0.25 metre additional drawdown in groundwater level for any adjacent authorised groundwater take:

Yes No

If **"No"**, I have attached an assessment from a suitably qualified person that demonstrates the drawdown is less than 0.25 metres for any adjacent authorised groundwater take:

Yes (*assessment attached*)

Please contact Council's Senior Resource Scientist for assistance where required.

If **"Yes"**, I have attached written agreement from the owner(s) of the >0.25 metres drawdown affected bore(s).

Yes

7. Affiliation Status of Transferring water:

Please confirm the amount of water allocated will be no more than the equivalent amount described in any relevant water supply agreement or other applicable agreement.

Yes No

8. Relevant Other Conditions

I acknowledge that the replacement consent will be subject to affiliated water permit conditions relating to water metering, rationing and rostering, water supply agreements, river flow and ecosystem effects (including fish screening at the intake) and irrigation and nutrient management:

Yes **AND**

I acknowledge that any applicable unaffiliated permit will be subject to unaffiliated water permit conditions: *See note in appendix.*

Yes

PART C: Declaration

1. This application is signed and dated: Yes
2. I enclose an aerial plan showing the transferee's point of take, water meter location, the irrigated land and property boundaries and the SWAA: Yes
3. I have provided the required fee with the application. Yes
4. I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information given in this application is true and correct.
I agree to the Council returning this application if it considers it fails to meet the permitted activity rule requirements.

Signature of transferor:	<input type="text"/>	Date:	<input type="text"/>
Full Name (block capitals):	<input type="text"/>		
Designation: (eg. owner, manager, consultant):	<input type="text"/>		

Signature of transferee	<input type="text"/>	Date:	<input type="text"/>
Full Name (block capitals):	<input type="text"/>		
Designation: (eg. owner, manager, consultant):	<input type="text"/>		

Background: Tasman Resource Management Plan (TRMP)

Applicants should be familiar with the Tasman Resource Management Plan (TRMP). Reference copies of the TRMP are available at Council's offices and libraries and the TDC website. This Council form is designed to address the information required under Permitted Activity TRMP Rule 31.1.7.1A. The following is an extract from that rule:

The transfer, including a transfer for a limited period (being a period less than the duration of the water permit in question) to another site of all or part of the interest in any water permit to take or use water that is affiliated to the Waimea Community Dam, is a permitted activity, if it complies with the following conditions:

- (a) The transfer is only in the Appleby Gravel, Lower Confined Aquifer, or Upper Confined Aquifer Zones and
 - i. the permit being transferred is affiliated to the Waimea Community Dam;
 - ii. there is no increase in bona fide water use until after the Waimea Community Dam commences operation.
- (b) Both the point of take to be transferred and the new point of take are within the same zone.
- (c) The transfer is either where:
 - i. both points of take are from bores for which there is an applicable:
 - bore land use consent; and
 - irrigation management plan for each point of take;

or

 - ii. the transfer is a surface water take to a new point downstream of the original point of take and:
 - there is an applicable irrigation management plan for both points of take;
 - the new take is not in a coastal margin for the zone; and
 - the take is not in the Upper Catchments Zone.
- (d) The sum of any new quantities authorised as a result of the transfer does not exceed the original amount authorised to be taken.
- (e) There is no more than 0.25 metre additional drawdown in groundwater level for any adjacent authorised groundwater take. This requirement need not apply provided the owner of any affected bore agrees in writing to some other drawdown effect.
- (f) The relevant conditions relating to:
 - i. water metering,
 - ii. rationing and rostering,
 - iii. water supply agreements,
 - iv. river flow and ecosystem effects (including fish screening at the intake);
 - v. irrigation and nutrient management; on the original water permit continue to apply.

- (g) The rate of take at the new point of take does not exceed the sustainable yield of the bore.
- (h) The transferred permit is subject to the same duration as the original permit.
- (i) The prescribed form for transferring all or part of a water permit is completed by the holder of the permit jointly with the person to whom the interest in the permit will transfer, and lodged with Council, before commencing to exercise the consent.

Part A: Contact/Applicant Details

A Resource Consent can only be held by a legal organisation or fully named individual(s). A legal organisation includes a limited company and incorporated group. If the application is not for one of the above, then you may use fully named individual(s) and the organisation name. If the applicant is associated with a trust, you must provide the names of all Trustees.

Part B: Description of Proposal

Bore Setbacks

TRMP Figure 16.12A – Pre WCD bore setbacks: Upon or following construction of the Waimea Community Dam, the setbacks are as specified for structures in the relevant zones.

Waimea Zones		
Lower Confined Aquifer Upper Confined Aquifer Hope and Eastern Hills	Any	100 between bores
Golden Hills	Any	50 between bores
Reservoir Waimea West	Any	50 between bores and at least 100 from the Waimea or Wairoa Rivers
Delta	Any	50 between bores and at least 100 from the Waimea River

Is your bore's location compliant with the required spacing between bores (see TRMP Figure 16.12A relating to before dam commissioning and, post commissioning, the setbacks are as specified for structures in the relevant zones).

Irrigation

The transfer may not result in the allocated water exceeding the TRMP maximum soil-based rate for the available irrigable area.

Groundwater Yield and Drawdown

Pump test analysis will be required to demonstrate the take does not exceed the sustainable yield.

Pump test analysis will be required to demonstrate that no more than 0.25 metre of additional drawdown of any adjacent bore.

