

AUTHORITY

HISTORIC PLACES ACT 1993



AUTHORITY NO: 2012/537

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DECISION DATE: 20 December 2011

EXPIRY DATE: 20 December 2016

AUTHORITY HOLDER: Tasman District Council

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ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES: N26/298

LOCATION: Turners Bluff, Riwaka-Kaiteriteri Road.

APPROVED ARCHAEOLOGIST: Deb Foster

DECISION

Pursuant to section 14 (1) of the *Historic Places Act 1993* and in respect of the archaeological sites described above, within the area specified as Turners Bluff, Riwaka-Kaiteriteri Road, the New Zealand Historic Places Trust grants an authority in whole to Tasman District Council for the proposal to realign the Riwaka-Kaiteriteri Road, subject to the following conditions:

CONDITIONS OF AUTHORITY

1. This authority may not be exercised for fifteen working days from the date of receipt or until any appeal has been resolved.
2. This authority cannot be exercised before 31 January 2012.
3. Prior to the start of any on-site archaeological work, the Authority Holder must ensure that the NZHPT Regional Archaeologist is advised of the date when work will begin.

This advice must be provided at least 48 hours before work starts, either by telephone (04 494 8323) or email (drudd@historic.org.nz), and must include the Authority Number, and address of the property.

The Authority Holder must also ensure the NZHPT Regional Archaeologist is advised of the completion of the on-site archaeological work, by telephone or email, within 5 working days of completion.

4. An archaeological investigation must be carried out prior to earthworks commencing.

The aims of the investigation shall be to investigate, research and analyse archaeological stratigraphy, features and remains in accordance with current archaeological practice to gather information about the historical and cultural heritage of New Zealand.

Current archaeological practice may include, but is not limited to, the production of maps/ plans/ measured drawings of site location and extent, excavation, section and artefact drawings and sampling, identification and analysis of faunal and floral remains and modified soils and radiocarbon dating of samples.

This investigation must be carried out by an archaeologist approved by NZHPT.

5. This authority may be exercised in association with, or without delay following, the carrying out of the investigation required by Condition 4, provided that the NZHPT is satisfied with the completion of the investigation and has given its written approval before further archaeological site evidence is destroyed (this response will be given within 3 working days).
6. The Authority Holder must ensure that allowance is made in the work schedule for any archaeological work required as a condition of this authority. This shall be determined in consultation with the approved archaeologist.
7. Any archaeological work must be undertaken in conformity with any tikanga Maori protocols or monitoring requirements agreed to by the Authority Holder and Tiakina te Taiao, so long as the legal requirements of the authority are met.
8. If any koiwi tangata (human remains) are encountered, all work should cease within 20 metres of the discovery. The NZHPT Regional Archaeologist, NZ Police and Tiakina te Taiao must be advised immediately, in accordance with the *Guidelines for Koiwi Tangata/Human Remains* (NZHPT Archaeological Guideline Series No. 8), and no further work in the area may take place until they have responded.
9. The Authority Holder must ensure that if any possible taonga or Maori artefacts are encountered, all work should cease within 20 metres of the discovery. The NZHPT Regional Archaeologist and Tiakina te Taiao must be advised immediately and no further work in the area may take place until they have responded.
10. Within 20 working days of the completion of the on-site archaeological work Site Record Forms must be updated or submitted to the NZAA Site Recording Scheme by the approved archaeologist. Copies of any forms or updates must be provided with the 20 day report.
11. Within 20 working days of the completion of the on-site archaeological work associated with this authority, a written summary outlining the archaeological work undertaken, the preliminary results, and the approximate percentage of archaeological material remaining *in-situ*, and a plan showing areas subject to earthworks, areas monitored and the location and extent or any archaeological sites affected or avoided must be submitted to the NZHPT Regional Archaeologist.

This report must be prepared by an archaeologist approved by the NZHPT.

12. The Authority Holder must ensure that within 12 months of the completion of the on-site archaeological work a final report, completed to the satisfaction of the NZHPT, is submitted to the NZHPT Regional Archaeologist.

This report shall include, but may not be limited to, site plans, section drawings, photographs, inventory of material recovered, including a catalogue of artefacts; location of where the

material is currently held, and analysis of recovered material in accordance with accepted archaeological practice. The authority number must be included in the report title.

This report must be prepared by an archaeologist approved by the NZHPT.

13. The Authority Holder shall ensure that one hard copy of the final report is sent to the NZHPT Regional Archaeologist. A digital copy must also be sent to the NZHPT's National Office for inclusion in the Digital Library.

Hard copies of the final report must also be sent to:

- NZAA Central Filekeeper
- Special Collections Department, University of Auckland Library
- The Librarian, Anthropology Department, University of Otago
- Tiakina te Taiao

APPROVED ARCHAEOLOGIST

Pursuant to section 17 of the Act, Deb Foster, with such assistants as may be necessary, is approved by NZHPT to carry out any archaeological work required as a condition of this authority, and to compile and submit a report on the work done.

ADVICE NOTES

Contact details for NZHPT Regional Archaeologist

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Costs

The Authority Holder shall meet all costs incurred during the exercise of this authority. This includes all on-site work (monitoring and excavation by the archaeologist or extended field crew), post fieldwork analysis (midden and artefact sorting and identification), radiocarbon dates, specialist analysis (pollen identification, wood identification, artefact conservation), and preparation of interim and final reports.

Final report

Hard copies of reports must include all information, including appendices, in printed form. Digital reports must be submitted in PDF format as a single file, including appendices.

Expiry

An authority lapses five years after the date of the granting of that authority.

NZHPT Guideline Series

Guidelines referred to in this document are available for download from the NZHPT website:
http://www.historic.org.nz/ProtectingOurHeritage/Archaeology/Arch_Guidelines.aspx

Results of section 15 investigation

In accordance with current archaeological practice and archaeological ethics, the NZHPT expects that the results of the section 15 investigation will be published in the *Journal of Pacific Archaeology* or *Archaeology in New Zealand*.

Non-compliance with conditions

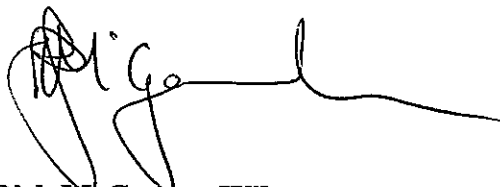
Note that failure to comply with any of the conditions of this authority is a criminal offence and is liable to a penalty of up to \$40,000 (*Historic Places Act 1993*, section 100).

Protected Objects Act

The Ministry for Culture and Heritage administers the *Protected Objects Act 1975* which protects antiquities in New Zealand. An artefact is a specific category of antiquity that forms part of the cultural tradition of Māori. The *Protected Objects Act 1975* requires that any finds of Māori artefacts are notified to the Ministry for Culture and Heritage or the nearest public museum within 28 days of finding. For more information contact:

The Antiquities Officer:
antiquities@mch.govt.nz
Phone (04) 499-4229
Fax (04) 499-4490
www.mch.govt.nz/antiquities/index.html#content

Signed for and on behalf of the New Zealand Historic Places Trust.



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