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\_\_\_\_ Burning waste is not a sustainable way to deal with it. We need to be reduce our waste and create a circular economy. Incinerators are part of an outdated linear system that forces us to continually extract new resources only to destroy them after we've used them for a short while. This is short sighted. We need more regenerative systems.

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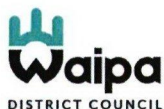
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Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_  
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: \_\_13<sup>th</sup> October 2023\_\_ Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_ Nardene Berry \_\_\_\_\_  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: \_\_\_\_\_ as above \_\_\_\_\_  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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SEE LETTER ATTACHED.

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Richard Broom,  
103 Good fellow St,  
Te Awamutu.

5/10/23

To Waipa District Council,

Dear Sir / Madam,

I am alarmed that a proposed rubbish burning plant is still a possibility.

I am strongly opposed. We already have the nearby Dairy Factory to contend with and i will have to consider relocating if the plant goes ahead.

Also i find it appalling that people would build such a plant beside a school. One wonders if the school was an elite school this would be happening.

I ask council if you personally lived by this site you would be happy, but either way i am not.

Yours Faithfully

Richard Broom



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Date: 5/10/23 Contact person: Richard Broom  
(name and designation, if applicant)

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**From:** "Gerard Boterman" [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Mon, 9 Oct 2023 09:12:23 +1300  
**To:** "info" <info@waipadc.govt.nz>  
**Subject:** External Sender: Waste plant.  
**Categories:** Donna

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Hello team,

Where to post a submission to please?

Opposing waste plant Te Awamumu

Besides the actual burning of fuel, which we may assume will be done following the latest 'clean' technology, 450 tons of rubbish a day, say using 10 ton trucks, is 45 return trips of diesel trucks a day.

What about this pollution, noise, and road usage to and from the plant? This will go through residential areas.

I like to suggest a plant like this to be located at least 15 km from any residential areas, and with the plant exhausts blowing away from residential areas, based on where the wind is coming from most times of the year.

Based on above, I oppose a plant being build as the current suggested location. Thanks,  
Gerard

kind regards,

**Gerard Boterman**

[REDACTED]  
18 Ryburn Road, Ohaupo 3883



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It will pollute the environment.

It will increase heavy traffic though a residential area and reasonably close to a school.

It will devalue properties

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Signature of submitter: **Kerry Bryant**

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 10/10/23

Contact person: **Kerry Bryant**

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 1509 Waipapa road, RD7, Te Awamutu

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Please see my attached document.

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I moved here to Te Atamutu 2 years ago with my husband and daughter. We have planned to raise our kids here.

I am currently pregnant with our second child, due next week!

This waste incinerator from Global Contracting Solutions Ltd is very concerning to me. Health is our top priority and I feel very uncomfortable with this toxic air pollution it will bring. Including increasing all the trucks coming through to this.

It is so close to our house, schools and town.

We have purchased a home here and fear this will also decrease the value. We won't want to be stuck here breathing in and being exposed to toxic waste, and not being able to sell our home.

I do not feel comfortable with the lack of testing and unknown ongoing air pollution which will be harmful to me and my family.

We love living in Te Atamutu and the wonderful community, but this proposal will ~~have~~ impact us greatly if it goes ahead.

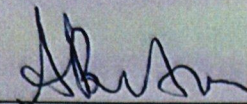
Thank you for your time looking into my proposal submission.

Kind regards,

Ashley Brittan.



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Date: 10.10.23

Contact person: Ashley Brittan  
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This application does not include an EIS (Environmental Impact Assessment) or Human Health Assessment nor does it recognise the Ministry of Environment Waste to Energy Guide for New Zealand.

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There have been plenty of studies completed throughout the world showing incinerator bottom and fly ash contains pollutants such as lead, dioxins and other harmful toxins that can lead to serious health issues and infertility. The pollutants emitted by these incinerators will settle on the land and in the waterways and over time will be ingested by animals and livestock. We as humans will also be ingesting these toxins through the air and eating the products produced by animals i.e. eggs and milk. There has been a case in the Netherlands where production and sales of dairy products were prohibited for several years due to ash contamination. This would be devastating for an agricultural community such as Te Awamutu. Chicken eggs produced near incinerators give a reliable estimate of long term emissions. ***A case study completed in the Netherlands in November 2018, conducted by Zero Waste Europe, together with ToxicoWatch outlines there was 3.4 pg BEQ / g fat in backyard eggs within a 10 kilometre distance of the incinerator.***

Global Contracting Solutions Limited does not have any experience in operating a waste incinerator and has a track record of violating resource consent conditions in their Hamilton operations.

There is no assessment of land contamination included in the application. Research shows the land surrounding the incinerators can be extensively contaminated with heavy metals, microplastics and other toxic emissions. I don't want this for Te Awamutu, my neighbourhood or my family and children! Nor does it include details on where the highly toxic bottom ash is going to be disposed of. There are no regulations and no monitoring for nanoparticles emitted from incinerators. We have a massive mental health problem in this country and ***research led by Isobel Braithwaite, at University College London (UCL), shows that the finest particulates from dirty air can reach the brain via both the bloodstream and the nose and that air pollution has been implicated in increased (brain) inflammation, damage to nerve cells and to changes in stress hormone production, which have been linked to poor mental health.*** Do we want this issue to become even worse?!!

Under New Zealand's air quality standards, it is illegal to burn tyres because it is widely accepted that the health and environmental effects are so toxic, so why is this application being considered for a company that proposes to burn 35,000 tonnes a year? I do not want Te Awamutu's air to smell of burning tyres!

These supposed state-of-the-art incinerators have to resort to extremely expensive means of collecting, minimising and disposing of the waste. None of the proposed solutions are environmentally sound and come with disastrous effects on communities. None of these factors have been considered or detailed in the application.



The below data has been collected from the New York, Department of Environmental Conservation, showing absolute levels of toxic metals in the ash from eight waste-to-energy incinerators in New York state:

|                      |                     |
|----------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Lead</b>          |                     |
| Fly Ash              | 3,000 - 17,000 ppm* |
| Bottom Ash           | 1,000 - 7,000 ppm*  |
| Combined             | 1,000 - 5,000 ppm*  |
| <b>Cadmium</b>       |                     |
| Fly Ash              | 67 - 1727 ppm       |
| Bottom Ash           | 2.3 - 11.7 ppm      |
| Combined             | 15 - 96 ppm         |
| * Lead # rounded off |                     |

Incineration perpetuates the cycle of waste, rather than reducing it. The bottom ash the incinerator produces will need to be buried somewhere and then potentially extracted in years to come.

Incineration is the most expensive way of handling waste and the most expensive way of making electricity. It would take about 30 years for the community to pay the loan back. Wāipa does not need this debt. Research states that you need to burn 50 tons of waste per day to get a 1 megawatt rating. A modern wind turbine has a rating of 3 megawatts (the equivalent of burning 150 tons of waste). The better the incinerator gets at protecting the air from toxic metals and dioxins, the more toxic the ash.

The application proposes that hundreds of trucks will be using Ohaupo Road to deliver the waste to the plant. I have lived at this address for close to 20 years and over this time we have seen an increase in traffic and an increase in the weight of the trucks passing. Like many other roads and state highways in the country, the current condition is appalling and allowing more heavy traffic on it will only make it worse but also emit further diesel emissions into our environment.

There's no mention in the application of any investigation or study of this extra traffic or noise pollution and no reference to a comparison of current traffic volumes.

The proposed site will be right beside a potential subdivision, schools, kura and daycares. I doubt very much that anyone will be interested in purchasing a home, dropping their child off at daycare or having them attend school knowing they have to live beside an incinerator.



There will be very few jobs created from this huge capital investment. I believe the application states 60. The profit that may come from this business will not be shared with the community, it will be used to line the pockets of greedy business people who have no devotion or care for our community.

Our country is going through a huge pivot to tackle climate change at the moment and the fact an incinerator is being considered which will be a massive contributor to climate change is beyond me.

If this incinerator is built in our community, we are advertising to the world that we were not clever enough politically or technically to recover our discarded resources. Burning waste is no part of a cleaner future. According to the Environmental Protection Agency, burning municipal solid waste emits nearly as much CO2 per unit of energy as coal - and almost twice as much as burning natural gas. This is not the way to get net zero. There is some really great work being done around waste minimisation, namely Xtreme Zero Waste in Raglan. More needs to be done to get projects like these in other areas of the country and less money and resources are spent on incinerators.

Resources:

*Case study completed in the Netherlands in November 2018, conducted by Zero Waste Europe, together with ToxicoWatch.*

*<https://zerowasteeurope.eu/wp-content/uploads/2018/11/NetherlandsCS-FNL.pdf>*

*Article on Depression and Suicide linked to air pollution.*  
<https://www.theguardian.com/environment/2019/dec/18/depression-and-suicide-linked-to-air-pollution-in-new-global-study>

[Waste to energy guide for New Zealand \(environment.govt.nz\)](https://www.environment.govt.nz/our-priorities/waste/waste-to-energy)



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Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_



(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 10/10/2023

Contact person: Letitia Buckle  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 1755 Ohauapo Road, Te Awamutu 3800  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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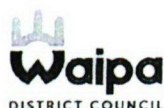
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# Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application

Form 13



Sections 41D, 95A, 95B, 95C, 96, 127(3) and 234(4),  
Resource Management Act 1991

This is a submission on:

**APPLICANT'S NAME:** Global Contracting Solutions Limited

**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I ~~am~~/am not\* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am/~~am not~~ 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.

The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

All of the Application

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ Oppose parts or all of ☒ are neutral parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

Further depletion of the atmosphere and contamination of the environment.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

I oppose this application. I want the ~~Waipa~~ Waipa District Council to **DECLINE** this application

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

- ☐ I do wish to be heard in support of my submission  
(this means that you will speak at the hearing)
- ☒ I do not wish to be heard in support of my submission  
(this means that you will not be advised of the date of the hearing and will not speak at the hearing)
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- ☒ I have served a copy of my submission on the applicant.  
(this is required by section 96(6) (b) of the Resource Management Act 1991)



*do not request*  
I ~~request/do not request~~\*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 13.10.2023

Contact person: Philip Baston

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 143 Bond Road Te Awamutu 3800

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

### Notes to submitter

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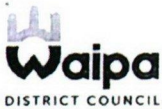
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Form 13

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Resource Management Act 1991

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**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

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I am ~~am not~~ directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that—

- (a) adversely affects the environment; and
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The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

All of this application

My submission is:

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

come from a town that has one, the cancer rates are 27%.  
higher since it was built than the country. Also contributed to  
the death of family member causing declining health

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

I oppose to this application. I want this council, Waipa  
District Council to decline it.

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

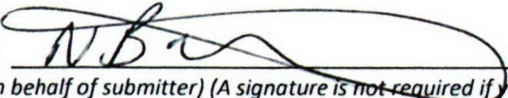
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Signature of submitter: 

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 13/10/23

Contact person: Nicola Brierley

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 158 Awa Mae Drive, Te Awamutu

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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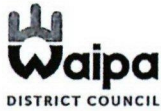
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Form 13

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**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I am/am not\* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am/am not directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that—

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**The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:**

**My submission is:**

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

Health - traffic - air quality - waterways -  
land pollution

**I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.**

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Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 28/Sept 23

Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: \_\_\_\_\_

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

Pollution of 4 TONNES of ASH PER DAY into landfill will poison  
our land & people. Emissions from trucks bringing waste to  
our town will have a huge impact on people.

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ Oppose ~~parts or all of~~ <sup>ALL OF IT</sup> ☒ are neutral parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

I am very concerned of the impact this will have for our  
people & town & all living animals.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

IDENT WANT THIS PLAN TO GO AHEAD.

CANCEL THE WHOLE PLAN.

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

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Date: 12/10/2023

Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

(name and designation, if applicant)

CAROL ANNE BROADHURST

Postal address: 1/295 Rewi St, ~~TEAWAMUTU~~ TEAWAMUTU.

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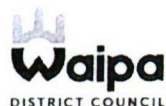
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My submission is:

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include—

- the reasons for your views.

PLEASE TURN PAGE OVER →

(Please turn over)

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

I oppose this 100%. The council cannot allow this to go ahead. They want them to DECLINE it this application.

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

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good afternoon.

As a resident of this beautiful town for 18 years now, I have loved how the air is clean & breathable & our streets are clean. This facility will change all that. We CANNOT allow this to go ahead. It will ~~pollute~~ pollute our clean air & our underground water supply.

We don't want it here. ~~It~~  
Not now.  
Not ever.

Also, this will effect the properties around town. No one wants to live near a place such as this.



I ~~request~~/do not request\*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: MBramsen  
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 13/10/25 Contact person: Marlette Bramsen  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 57 Hau St, Kihikih, Te Awamutu  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

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I am/☒ 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.

The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

**The whole application. I oppose this application.**

**I want the Waipaa District Council to decline this application.**

My submission is:

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** ☒ all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- *the reasons for your views.*

I have been a resident of Te Awamutu's thriving community for the past 6 ½ years. My husband and I are home owners and enjoy living in our quiet street. I strongly believe in reducing, recycling and re-using in order to protect our environment.

I am concerned that the Waste-Energy plant will have a huge impact on the properties in the area, decreasing their value.

I am concerned about the increased volume of traffic in a residential area, adding to the air pollution and impacting the old, young and immunocompromised. It will change the nature of the community from a quiet residential street to an unsafe and busy thoroughfare of trucks at all hours of the day and night.

Currently, New Zealand has no municipal solid waste incinerators. It is untested technology that has national implications. Te Awamutu does not want to be the testing ground for this technology.

The site is unsuitable for a large Waste-Energy plant. The current "Specialised Dairy Industrial Area" designation means that the land use is intended to ensure that any activity there is aligned with Fonterra's activities.

This site is not identified as an area for industrial development in the District Plan. It conflicts with the Waipaa District Plan and Growth Strategy for the community.

It negates the Waipaa District Council's waste minimisation plan and opportunities for more comprehensive zero waste strategies that would fit with goals of minimise wastes, while meeting community aspirations for a healthy environment, job creation and mitigation of climate emissions. Non-renewable energy from waste works against efforts to decarbonise the energy sector.



The Taiea te Taiao Project was created to promote an ecological corridor between Maungatautari and Pirongia. The two maunga have successful pest control and restoration programmes in place and are linked by the Mangapiko Stream which runs through Te Awamutu and Pirongia. Poto Davies calls the Mangapiko "the veins of the whenua". Having a Waste-Energy plant next to the Mangapiko Stream will undermine the efforts of the project.

It is not appropriate to have a Waste-Energy plant immediately close to existing residential and planned residential housing, education facilities, including early childhood facilities and food businesses operating 24/7.

It is inappropriate to have a large Waste-Energy plant burning non-renewable feedstock (millions of tyres, plastic waste, mixed solid waste and flock) and emitting toxins into the air, settling on the land which bio-accumulates over time in humans and animals.

I am concerned that the land surrounding the plant can be extensively contaminated with heavy metals, micro-plastics, and other toxic emissions including dioxin.

Both my husband and I have had cancer. The Waste-Energy plant is a hazardous facility with serious risks of harm to human health. There is a risk of the plant emitting cancer-causing dioxins and furans, sulphur dioxide, nitrogen oxide mercury and particulate matter into the air. Exposure to particulate matter impacts those with respiratory issues (my husband has had Covid three times and has a respiratory issue as a result), cardiovascular issues (my husband), the elderly and children.

**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

*give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought*

**Decline the application.**

**I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.**

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- ☒ I have served a copy of my submission on the applicant. **By emailing copies of form to [richard.falconer@terrargroup.co.nz](mailto:richard.falconer@terrargroup.co.nz)**

(this is required by section 96(6) (b) of the Resource Management Act 1991)



I [REDACTED]/do not request\*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_  
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 11.10.23 Contact person: Sharon Best  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 87 George Melrose Drive, Te Awamutu 3800  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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Form 13

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The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

The whole application.

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ Oppose parts or all of ☒ are neutral parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

Serious risk to human health.

Cancer causing dioxins emitted into  
Air Land + water.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

Decline Application.

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

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Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

13.10.23

Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

Jesse Billing

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: \_\_\_\_\_

721 Teasdale Street

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

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Traffic. All of the application.

My submission is:

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐

include—

- the reasons for your views.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

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Decline

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Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

13/10/2023

Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

Sharon Barclay

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: \_\_\_\_\_

40 Lola Lee Heights Te Awamutu

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**My submission is:**

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
*include—*

- *the reasons for your views.*

I oppose the application. I want the Waikato Regional Council to decline the application based on the community as a whole does not want the incinerator in our town with strong arguments for the following :Human Health and Proximity to Colleges, Schools, Play Centres and Playing fields. Untested technology. Air, Water, Land Pollution & Emissions. Hazards, Risks, Toxic Ash and other toxic byproducts. Feedstock, Waipā waste minimisation, zero waste alternatives. Inappropriate land use. Flooding Climate change and CulturalImpact

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**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

*give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought*

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DeclineApplication

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Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_

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Date: 10/10/23 Contact JustinBoyce person:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 2 Whitaker Street, Kihikihi, Te Awamutu 3800

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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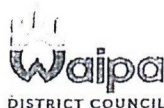
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The entire application

My submission is:

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

This operation will pollute our environment creating a myriad of health problems.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

To decline the entire application

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

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Signature of submitter:   
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 12/10/2023 Contact person: Lynn Bartlam  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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**The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:**

negative impact to the environment, community & region

**My submission is:**

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

none.

**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

to decline the application

**I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.**

- ☒ I do wish to be heard in support of my submission  
(this means that you will speak at the hearing)
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- ☒ I have served a copy of my submission on the applicant.  
(this is required by section 96(6) (b) of the Resource Management Act 1991)



## Submission addendum

Lara Bowyer

Waipā District Council application number: LU/0323/21

Waikato Regional Council application number: APP143988

My name is Lara Bowyer. I am a highly concerned resident of Cambridge, and I am completely opposed to the proposed Waste to Energy Incinerator that Global Contracting Solutions Limited has requested consent to build at 401 Racecourse Rd in Te Awamutu because it goes against NZ's commitment to respect the environment AND protect the health of our community.

I oppose this application because the proposed incinerator will produce dioxins that are cancer-causing even in extremely low levels. These WILL be emitted into the air, and WILL settle on the land and in the water. There is NO safe level of dioxins, as they accumulate in our bodies and in the bodies of our livestock over time. I do not want myself, my family and friends to become sick because of exposure to these dioxins. I do not want our local farming operations to go bust because the livestock have become so contaminated that no one wants to buy the meat or milk (which has happened in the Netherlands where incinerators of this type exist).

I also oppose this application because Global Contracting Solutions Limited has exactly ZERO experience operating a municipal solid waste incinerator. It is simply a scrap metal business. The company already has a negative track record of violating resource consent conditions in their existing Hamilton operation – WHY ON EARTH allow a company who is already violating their resource consent in one area to build a new, facility that will use untested technology in another location?

I oppose this application because NZ has NO other facilities like this and is therefore highly inexperienced in monitoring these types of facilities and has very few laws in place to protect the public from incinerator facilities and the toxic outputs (ASH) they produce.

I oppose this application because the proposed facility will produce two different types of ash – to the tune of 23 TONS per day - ash that falls to the bottom of the machine and 'fly ash' that will be emitted from the stacks and escape into the air. The applicant has NOT identified where they will dispose of this ash, and that is not acceptable. I anticipate the ash will be carried on trucks throughout our region in an effort to dispose of it and don't want it to be trucked through Cambridge.

I oppose this application because the location of a heavy industrial operation immediately next to existing and planned residential housing, schools and food businesses (including 1800 children who attend the schools and daycares within 1KM of this proposed site), and operating 24-hrs/day, 7days/week is not appropriate and conflicts with the intentions of the Waipā District Plan and Growth Strategy for the community.

I oppose this application because this plant will operate off diesel fuel – thousands of gallons per day – that is a fossil fuel. How on earth can one justify burning industrial waste (tyres, metal, flock) with diesel fuel while releasing toxic compounds into the air and water and in the same breath call it good for the environment and the community?!? Words fail me.

Finally, I oppose this proposed facility because the applicant has conducted NO human health risk assessment OR environmental impact study. Under NZ's air quality standards, it is illegal to burn



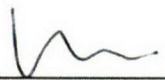
even one tyre because the health and environmental effects are so toxic - yet, this project is proposing to burn 35,000 tons per year. Burning tyres emits cyanide, carbon monoxide, sulfur dioxide, and products of butadiene and styrene.

I implore you to please STOP this project and decline their application – for not only MY health and the health of my community but to protect all of NZ from being subjected to the backward, nonsensical precedent that would be set by allowing this to go ahead.

Lara Bowyer



I request/do not request\*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter:   
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 11/10/23 Contact person: Iara Bowyer  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 106 Scott Street, Leamington, 3432  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I ~~am~~ am not\* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am/~~am not~~ 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.

**The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:**

the entire application.

**My submission is:**

**Support** parts or all of ☒ **Oppose** parts or all of ☐ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

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**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

I want you to decline the application.

**I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.**

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## Submission addendum

Kelly Boxell

Waipa District Council application number: LU/0323/21

Waikato Regional Council application number: APP143988

My name is Kelly Boxell, and I am a wife, mother, business owner, and active member of the Waipa community, and I am completely opposed to the proposed Waste to Energy Incinerator that Global Contracting Solutions Limited has requested consent to build at 401 Racecourse Rd in Te Awamutu because it goes against NZ's commitment to respect the environment AND protect the health of our community.

I oppose this application because the location of a heavy industrial operation immediately next to existing and planned residential housing, schools and food businesses (including 1800 children who attend the schools and daycares within 1KM of this proposed site), and operating 24-hrs/day, 7days/week is not appropriate and conflicts with the intentions of the Waipā District Plan and Growth Strategy for the community.

I oppose this application because the proposed incinerator will produce dioxins that are cancer-causing even in extremely low levels. These WILL be emitted into the air, and WILL settle on the land and in the water. There is NO safe level of dioxins, as they accumulate in our bodies and in the bodies of our livestock over time. I do not want myself, my family and friends to become sick because of exposure to these dioxins. I do not want our local farming operations to go bust because the livestock have become so contaminated that no one wants to buy the meat or milk (which has happened in the Netherlands where incinerators of this type exist).

I also oppose this application because Global Contracting Solutions Limited has exactly ZERO experience operating a municipal solid waste incinerator. It is simply a scrap metal business. The company already has a negative track record of violating resource consent conditions in their existing Hamilton operation – WHY ON EARTH allow a company who is already violating their resource consent in one area to build a new, facility that will use untested technology in another location?

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Finally, I oppose this proposed facility because the applicant has conducted NO human health risk assessment OR environmental impact study. Under NZ's air quality standards, it is illegal to burn even one tyre because the health and environmental effects are so toxic - yet, this project is



proposing to burn 35,000 tons per year. Burning tyres emits cyanide, carbon monoxide, sulfur dioxide, and products of butadiene and styrene.

What century do you live in where you believe that toxic incinerators are acceptable rather than seeking cleaner ways to create electricity AND deal with our waste? I ask you to please STOP this project and decline their application – for not only MY health and the health of my community but to protect all of NZ from being subjected to the backward, nonsensical precedent that would be set by allowing this to go ahead.

Kelly Boxell



I request/do not request\*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: Kelly Boxell  
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 11.10.23 Contact person: Kelly Boxell  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 62 Oliver Street, Kihikihi 3800  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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Richard-fal Coner

@terragroup.co.nz



# Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application

Form 13



Sections 41D, 95A, 95B, 95C, 96, 127(3) and 234(4),  
Resource Management Act 1991

This is a submission on:

**APPLICANT'S NAME:** Global Contracting Solutions Limited

**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I ~~am~~/am not\* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am/~~am not~~ 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.

The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

Appendix 8 - Site suitability assessment  
Appendix 16 - Air Quality Assessment

My submission is:

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

Proximity to local childcare, school, farms  
Untested technology of the incinerator, previous NZ  
incinerators were closed. Incinerators have never been clean  
energy and there could be effects on climate & health.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

I would like Waipa District Council to decline  
this application to protect our community.

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

- ☐ I do wish to be heard in support of my submission  
(this means that you will speak at the hearing)
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- ☒ I have served a copy of my submission on the applicant.  
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~~I request~~/do not request\*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_

*C Baker*

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 10/10/2023

Contact person: Caroline Baker

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 906 Te Rahu Road Te Awamutu

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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Form 13

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**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

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I ~~am~~/am not directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that—

- (a) adversely affects the environment; and
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**The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:**

My Submission relates to the whole application

**My submission is:**

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

This would introduce a potentially significant pollutant within the town limits. I don't want my young children breathing this stuff in. It will also detract from the beauty and charm of the town.

**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

*give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought*

I oppose this application. I want the Waipa District Council to decline their application.

**I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.**

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**Form 13**

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Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 10/10/2023

Contact person: Greg Britton

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 1/157 Armstrong Avenue, Te Awamutu, 3800

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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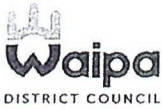
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All parts of the application.

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ Oppose parts or all of ☒ are neutral parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

contamination of air.  
particles in air on farmland.  
milk production.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

Decline application

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

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Signature of submitter: P. J. Bennett.  
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 12.10.23 Contact person: Phyllis Bennett.  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 342 Gleneagles.  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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This is a submission on:

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**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I am/am not\* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am/am not 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.

**The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:**

Entire Application

**My submission is:**

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

To decline the entire application

**I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.**

- ☒ I do wish to be heard in support of my submission  
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Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 12/10/23

Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: \_\_\_\_\_

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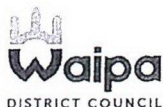
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# Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application



Form 13

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Resource Management Act 1991

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The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

ALL PARTS OF APPLICATION

My submission is:

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

CONTAMINATION OF ACR

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

FA DECLINE AAP

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

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Signature of submitter: W F Bennett  
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 12-10-23 Contact person: Wesley Bennett  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 342 GLENEGEALS DR  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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See attachment 1 below.

**My submission is:**

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include—

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That the application be declined.

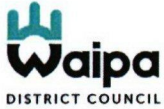
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### Attachment 1.

Our family resides in Te Awamutu, and we have a daughter at primary school. We really love it here and are fortunate enough to have a mortgage to pay off. However, we don't want our child being exposed to toxic chemicals. There are also technical questions that remain unanswered, such as the huge amount of water the plant requires to function, and how this may affect us in a drought. There are a lot more, however, these are some of the issues that concern me the most:

#### 1) Pollution and Human Health:

-Three chimneys from the facility are 38 metres high. Thus, the ash and uncaptured dioxins/toxins will reach the entire town. Also, the floodplain.

-Dioxins permanently in our environment. These pass easily through lung tissue and into the bloodstream. They accumulate over time, resulting in cancer and hormonal changes. There's no safe level. Waste-to-energy technology may be efficient, but it's impossible to capture all the dioxins. Nanoparticles will also be falling into veggie gardens, streams, our duck pond, etc.

-Incineration doesn't remove the waste. It concentrates it to 15 - 25% of the original volume, which becomes toxic ash and still needs to go to a landfill. Germany seals this stuff up and drops it in salt mines, not sure what the disposal plan is here. Not a sustainable solution.

-As regards the Fonterra plant across from the proposed facility. Will they remain open if toxins appear in the milk? I was speaking to someone involved in milk processing recently: The air used in the milk powder dryers is vented in from the environment around the factory – which is right in the vicinity of the incinerator. The closure or moving of this plant would be disastrous for the economy of our region.

- No health impact assessment has been done. No land contamination assessment has been done.

#### 2) Economic and Environmental Harm:

-Constant heavy vehicle traffic, carrying over 450 tons of waste daily. Increased traffic, noise pollution, road wear and vibration.

- At the Community Board presentation, a representative of the company said the plant is going to need around 70,000 litres of water per day. They had no answer when questioned about drought water restrictions. They need that volume of water to keep the plant running. How will the town cope in drought season with this added burden? The town already struggles; car washes are shut down for months etc.

- How will this impact house/property values around the site, and generally in T.A.? What about the new suburbs being built? Local agents suggest that our house values will drop 5-10 percent (this is the trend in overseas markets), with eco-aware buyers likely avoiding Te Awamutu altogether. Local developers are saying they will stop their developments and focus elsewhere.



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- A waste-to-energy plant in Miami recently caught fire. 150 firefighters spent 2 days trying to extinguish it. It smouldered for 3 weeks and polluted the whole area. Could our volunteer fire department deal with this possibility? Have they been consulted?

#### Conclusion.

Most people I have talked with are in disbelief. Is this actually happening in NZ? In a green country, why are we starting to burn things again? Why inside a residential area? Can't believe it's near schools. How is this allowed to happen? These are the most common responses.

The capital behind this goes into hundreds of millions of dollars. Big business profiting a small group of businesspeople. None of them live here, their kids don't go to school here. Their marketing garble about building walkways, and cafes, wanting to fix pollution, forest development, and river conservation doesn't distract from the reality that they are willing to intentionally poison the inhabitants and environs of Te Awamutu, for monetary profit. I've read news commentary from some people outside of Waikato who actually approve of this project. None of them live here. The inhabitants of T.A. don't want to be poisoned so that others can have the convenience of their trash being burned.

Please decline the application.



I ~~request~~/do not request\*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: Stephen Burger

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 11/10/2023

Contact person: Stephen Burger

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 628 Pakura Street, Te Awamutu, 3800

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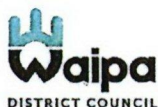
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AIR QUALITY. TRAFFIC INCREASE. DISPOSAL OF REMNANTS  
OF THE BURNING PROCESS. POTENTIAL WATER QUALITY PROBLEMS  
IN THE MANGAPIKO RIVER.

**My submission is:**

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

THIS PLANT IS POORLY SITED BEING IN A RESIDENTIAL/  
EDUCATIONAL SECTION OF THE TOWN.

**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

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THIS PLANT NEEDS TO BE SITED WELL AWAY FROM BUILT UP  
AREAS OF HABITATION. WATER QUALITY NEEDS TO BE A PRIORITY  
AS WELL AS AIR QUALITY AND THE DISPOSAL OF ASH SHOULD BE ADDRESSED.

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Date: 13/10/23

Contact person: Glenda Barclay

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 359 Pirongia Rd. R.D.6. Te Awamutu 3876

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**The whole application. I oppose this application.**

**I want the Waipaa District Council to decline this application.**

**My submission is:**

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** ☒ all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- *the reasons for your views.*

I have been a resident of Te Awamutu's thriving community for the past 50 years. My wife and I are home owners and enjoy living in our quiet street. I strongly believe in looking after our environment.

I am concerned that the Waste-Energy plant will have a huge impact on the properties in the area, decreasing their value.

I am concerned about the increased volume of traffic in a residential area, adding to the air pollution and impacting the old, young and immunocompromised. It will change the nature of the community from a quiet residential street to an unsafe and busy thoroughfare of trucks at all hours of the day and night.

Currently, New Zealand has no municipal solid waste incinerators. It is untested technology that has national implications. Te Awamutu does not want to be the testing ground for this technology.

The site is unsuitable for a large Waste-Energy plant. The current "Specialised Dairy Industrial Area" designation means that the land use is intended to ensure that any activity there is aligned with Fonterra's activities.

This site is not identified as an area for industrial development in the District Plan. It conflicts with the Waipaa District Plan and Growth Strategy for the community.

It negates the Waipaa District Council's waste minimisation plan and opportunities for more comprehensive zero waste strategies that would fit with goals of minimise wastes, while meeting community aspirations for a healthy environment, job creation and mitigation of climate emissions. Non-renewable energy from waste works against efforts to decarbonise the energy sector.

The Taiea te Taiao Project was created to promote an ecological corridor between Maungatautari and Pirongia. The two maunga have successful pest control and restoration programmes in place and are linked by the



Mangapiko Stream which runs through Te Awamutu and Pirongia. Poto Davies calls the Mangapiko “the veins of the whenua”. Having a Waste-Energy plant next to the Mangapiko Stream will undermine the efforts of the project.

It is not appropriate to have a Waste-Energy plant immediately close to existing residential and planned residential housing, education facilities, including early childhood facilities and food businesses operating 24/7.

It is inappropriate to have a large Waste-Energy plant burning non-renewable feedstock (millions of tyres, plastic waste, mixed solid waste and flock) and emitting toxins into the air, settling on the land which bio-accumulates over time in humans and animals.

I am concerned that the land surrounding the plant can be extensively contaminated with heavy metals, micro-plastics, and other toxic emissions including dioxin.

Both my wife and I have had cancer. The Waste-Energy plant is a hazardous facility with serious risks of harm to human health. There is a risk of the plant emitting cancer-causing dioxins and furans, sulphur dioxide, nitrogen oxide mercury and particulate matter into the air. Exposure to particulate matter impacts those with respiratory issues (I have had Covid three times and have a respiratory issue as a result), cardiovascular issues (myself), the elderly and children.

**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

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**Decline the application.**

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I [REDACTED]/do not request\*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_  
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 12.10.23 Contact person: Doug Best  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 87 George Melrose Drive, Te Awamutu 3800  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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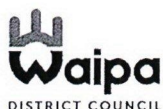
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# Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application



Form 13

Sections 41D, 95A, 95B, 95C, 96, 127(3) and 234(4),  
Resource Management Act 1991

This is a submission on:

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**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

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- (a) adversely affects the environment; and
- (b) does not relate to trade competition or the effects of trade competition.

The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are: ALL OF THE SUBMISSION  
There is a day care very near. It poses a risk to  
children's health and all our environment. This will affect  
climate change & impact on us all.

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ Oppose parts or all of ☒ are neutral parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

Pollution will rise and our future generations health  
at risk. We cannot allow our town & surrounding  
areas to be polluted.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

DECLINE APPLICATION

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

- ☒ I do wish to be heard in support of my submission  
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- ☒ I have served a copy of my submission on the applicant.  
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I ~~request~~/do not request\*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: Sue Brickland  
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 12.10.23. Contact person: Sue Brickland  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 52 Ascot Place  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

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To decline the application in full.

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Signature of submitter: Shelley Bright  
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 13/10/2023      Contact person: Shelley Bright  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 1 Leger Grove, RD5, Te Awamutu  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

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\_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_ refuse \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ application \_\_\_\_\_ in  
full \_\_\_\_\_  
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**I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.**

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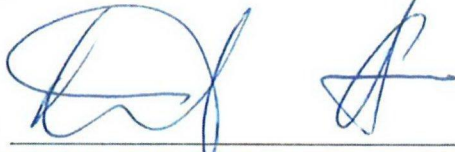


We oppose the proposal for the construction and operation of a waste incineration plant in Te Awamutu. We have a daughter and two grandchildren who live in Te Awamutu who we believe would be adversely affected by the proposal.

1. Our grandchildren both suffer from asthma and the pollution introduced into the clean rural air of the town will adversely affect their health.
2. The plants operation will involve large numbers of trucks on the roads in and around Te Awamutu transporting waste to the plant. This will create: (a) Noise and odours (b) Traffic congestion with more pollution that will affect our grandchildren's health (c) More trucks on the road will create safety issues.
3. The operation of the plant will create odours and pollution even if the incinerator operates at a high temperature.
4. The operation of the plant and the traffic will affect the amenities of the town. A small rural town with a large incineration plant will become less desirable as a place to move to or live in.
5. Property values in the area will be reduced. Who would want to live close to a rubbish incinerator? the incinerator will be a substantial development with a tall chimney stack. This will affect the visual amenity of the town.
6. The proposal involves the trucking to and storage of rubbish from other Councils. The rubbish will be sorted on site. A large part of the rubbish will not be suitable for incineration. This rubbish will presumably be disposed of to landfill. Will this be on Council land?



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Signature of submitter: 

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 11/10/2023

Contact person: Paul Bealby  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 54 Whitaker St Okungeta, Tauranga  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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**This is a submission on:**

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**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

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I am not directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that—

- (a) adversely affects the environment; and
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**My submission relates to the whole of the application.**

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**I oppose the application.**

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**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

I want the Waipā District Council to decline this application

**I do not wish to be heard in support of my submission.**

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Why am I, a Feilding resident, concerned about this proposal? 1. I have strong family links with Te Awamutu. My grandparents lived there all of their adult lives, and my grandfather, Bob Godfree was very involved in the creation of the gardens there – some of the camellias from his garden are still there to this day. I visited Te Awamutu frequently as a child and spent some time attending Te Awamutu Primary School when my mother was ill. Consequently I have strong emotional links with Te Awamutu and care about its future. 2. I am one of many Feilding resident who made a submission against the Bioplant Manawatū application to build a pyrolysis plant here to burn municipal solid waste. At the point that the applicant withdrew their application, the land, water and air experts for Horizons Regional Council stated they were unable to support the application. Many of their reasons for coming to this conclusion apply also to the Global Contracting Solutions Ltd application.



At the time the Bioplant application was live I was immersed in the details of waste to energy plants. While the proposed Waipā plant would use different technology from the proposed Feilding plant, many of the reasons I was opposed to the Feilding plant are directly relevant to the Global Contracting Solutions Ltd application. My main reasons for opposing the Global Contracting Solutions Ltd application are:

1. Incineration plants in the Northern Hemisphere are being closed down, and new consents are not being granted. Several areas e.g. Wales have a moratorium on the building of further plants. It seems ludicrous to me that in the face of this experience, Aotearoa New Zealand would consider granting consent to applications here.
2. The scientific consensus is that the technology for removing toxic emissions is not sufficiently well developed, even in the supposedly 'state of the art' plants, to sufficiently protect the environment and the local residents from the toxic 'forever chemicals' which have such a devastating effect on people's health.
3. Plants of this nature contribute significantly to Greenhouse Gas emissions. This is one of the main reasons given for new plants not being allowed in the Northern Hemisphere.
4. The application does not include a cultural impact assessment.
5. The proposed location is appalling – so very close to several educational institutions, housing and Fonterra.
6. The fact that it is proposed to be built in an area prone to flooding further adds to the risk of the technology failing.
7. Incineration de-incentivises waste reduction.
8. Compared to zero-waste alternatives such as in nearby Whāingaroa Raglan an incineration plant employs a lot less people, prevents a circular economy approach and results in the loss of potential resources to the community (e.g. recycled materials and local wages spent locally).

Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_

*(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)*

Date: \_\_11<sup>th</sup> October 2023

Contact person: Angela Baker

*(name and designation, if applicant)*

Postal address: 31 Kennedy Ave, Feilding 4702

*(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):*

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This plant should NOT go ahead.

**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

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To decline the application in full.

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Signature of submitter:   
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Date: 12/10/23

Contact person: Sarah Beeson  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 12 Belle Amie Drive, RD 5, Te Awamutu 3875  
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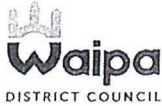
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THE ENTIRE APPLICATION

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include—

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HAZARDS, RISKS, TOXIC ASH, & OTHER TOXIC  
BY PRODUCTS. CO2 EMISSIONS, DIESEL FUMES FROM  
ENDLESS TRUCKS OF RUBBISH, ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

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TO DECLINE THE ENTIRE APPLICATION

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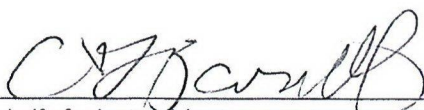
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Date: 12/10/23 Contact person: COLIN BARNETT  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: SID OSNEA RD TE AWAMUTU 3800  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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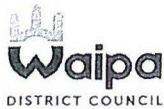
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# Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application

Form 13



Sections 41D, 95A, 95B, 95C, 96, 127(3) and 234(4),  
Resource Management Act 1991

This is a submission on:

**APPLICANT'S NAME:** Global Contracting Solutions Limited

**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I ~~am~~/am not\* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am/~~am not~~ 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.

The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

All parts of the application

My submission is:

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

my home will be impacted, the toxic air we will be living with. My animals  
I live 1km from the site & shouldn't have to be put in position  
to live here.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

Decline application

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

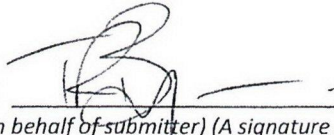
- ☒ I do wish to be heard in support of my submission  
(this means that you will speak at the hearing)
- ☐ I do not wish to be heard in support of my submission  
(this means that you will not be advised of the date of the hearing and will not speak at the hearing)
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- ☒ I have served a copy of my submission on the applicant.  
(this is required by section 96(6) (b) of the Resource Management Act 1991)



I ~~request~~/do not request\*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: 

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 11.10.23

Contact person: Theresa Belman

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: K41 Alexandra St, Te Awamutu 3800

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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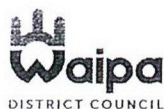
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# Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application



Form 1

Sections 41D, 95A, 95B, 95C, 96, 127(3) and 234 of the  
Resource Management Act 1991

This is a submission on:

**APPLICANT'S NAME:** Global Contracting Solutions Limited

**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I ~~am~~/am not\* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991

I am/~~am not~~ 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.

The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

Air pollution

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ Oppose ~~parts~~ or all of ☒ are neutral parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

I live in close proximity and am very concerned with toxins in my environment.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

To oppose this and not allow it in NZ.

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

- ☐ I do wish to be heard in support of my submission  
(this means that you will speak at the hearing)
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~~Is request~~/do not request\*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: [Signature]  
(Person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 8/10/23 Contact person: Jean Bosson  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 4 Riccoguard Te Awamutu 3800  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

### Notes to submitter

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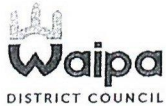
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# Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application

Form 13



Sections 41D, 95A, 95B, 95C, 96, 127(3) and 234(4),  
Resource Management Act 1991

This is a submission on:

**APPLICANT'S NAME:** Global Contracting Solutions Limited

**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I am/am not\* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am/am not 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.

The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

The entire application

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ Oppose parts or all of ☒ are neutral parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

Health of future generations and vegetation & wildlife survival

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

To decline the entire application

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

- ☒ I do wish to be heard in support of my submission  
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Signature of submitter: B. Brown  
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 12-10-23 Contact person: Bridget Brown  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: z biddyal@gmail.com  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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### Form 13

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Resource Management Act 1991

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**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I am not a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am not directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that—

- (a) adversely affects the environment; and
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The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

The entire application

**My submission is:**

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

Please see attached page.

**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

Decline the entire application

**I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.**

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## Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application

### Form 13

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To whom it may concern,

**Re: Global Contracting Solutions Ltd's 'The Waste Incineration Plant'  
application #APP143988 AND LU/0323/21**

I am writing to oppose the application to develop a Waste Incineration Plant in Te Awamutu. This letter is specifically in regards to Global Contracting Solutions Ltd's application. I am requesting that this application for the Waste Incineration Plant be declined. This letter is directed to the Waipa District Council and the Waikato Regional Council.

To follow are the reasons I oppose this application;

1. This would be the first incinerator of its kind in New Zealand, which is one too many. A waste incinerator should not be welcome ANYWHERE in New Zealand during a climate crisis, let alone in close proximity to schools, pre-schools, daycares, residential housing, and thriving businesses. The incinerator will be a massive contributor to climate change. It will directly add about 150 kilo tons per year of CO2.

Distances from education facilities to proposed site at 401  
Racecourse rd;

Te Awamutu College - 1.1km

Te Wharekura O Nga Purapura o te Aroha - 650m

To Wanaga O Aotearoa Puna Creche - 800m

Puawau Kohanga Reo - 950m

The Barnyard Daycare - 150m

And so many more within 3km of the proposed site.

This is unacceptable, we don't want our babies breathing these toxic fumes.

2. The repercussions of the proposed incinerator would financially cripple most families who have bought a property in Te Awamutu in recent years. If this goes ahead, no one is going to want to live in close proximity to a toxic waste incinerator. Our house prices will fall dramatically, rendering us trapped in a toxic environment and

unable to sell our properties, or face a huge financial loss. Watch Te Awamutu go from a thriving, growing community to a ghost town. My partner and I bought a home here in September 2022, and we planned to start a family here. If this incinerator goes ahead, I can't see that happening, and this is the reality for many young couples and families in Te Awamutu.

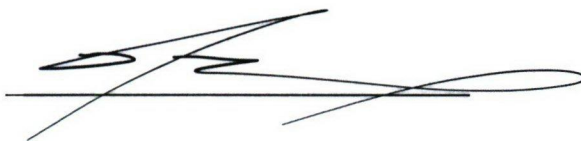
3. There is no human health assessment of this proposal. The incineration plant is a hazardous facility with serious risks of harm to human health. The plant will emit cancer-causing dioxins and furans, sulphur dioxide, nitrogen oxide, mercury and particulate matter will be released into the air. Dioxins damage the human immune system and cause cancer. Studies have shown direct links to non-Hodgkins lymphoma, increases in risks of miscarriages and pre-term delivery of babies. There are links to reduced male fertility. Exposure to particulate matter impacts those with respiratory problems such as asthma, cardiovascular issues, the elderly and children. Under NZ's air quality standards, it is illegal to burn even one tyre because the health and environmental effects are so toxic - yet, this project is proposing to burn 35,000 tonnes a year. Burning tyres emits cyanide, carbon monoxide, sulfur dioxide, and products of butadiene and styrene. And the smell of those tyres burning will fill the community with an unbelievable stench.
4. I am concerned with the amount of trucks that will be coming in and out of Te Awamutu constantly in order to keep this incinerator going. Te Awamutu will need to import almost all of the material for this facility from outside of the district. This is not a proposal for the benefit of the community. Our roads aren't built for this, I can see the trucks causing damage to our roads, and terrible traffic on the commute in and out from Hamilton. There will be significant additional traffic in a residential area (Racecourse road) adding to air pollution, noise, and impacting those who are old, very young and immunocompromised. It will change the nature of the



community from a quiet residential street to an unsafe and busy thoroughfare of trucks at all hours of the day and night.

5. Stormwater from the site will be discharged into the Mangapiko Stream. This water is likely to be contaminated with heavy metals and dioxin. One of the emissions from burning tyres/tyre derived fuel is zinc oxide which is highly toxic to aquatic life. Most of the site is also in a designated High Risk Flood Zone. The river has been straightened and narrowed over time to enable development, this is now considered one of the major causes of flooding. The new incinerator buildings would increase flooding spread to the Fonterra factory and houses on Factory Road, numbers 331-467. The company wants to build its building lower than existing requirements, this will mean even greater risk to the community.
6. Consider the cultural impact this incinerator will have. The application contains no formal Cultural Impact Assessment. Fully informed consent from Iwi and Hapū must be part of this proposal including clear disclosure of human health and environmental impacts.

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Jacob Brown', written over a horizontal line.

Jacob Brown

582 Mahoe Street,  
Te Awamutu,  
Waipa,  
3800

I request ~~(do not request)~~, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 12.10.23

Contact person: Jacob Brown

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 582 Mahoe St, Te Awamutu, 3800

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## Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application

### Form 13

Sections 41D, 95A, 95B, 95C, 96, 127(3) and 234(4),  
Resource Management Act 1991

This is a submission on:

**APPLICANT'S NAME:** Global Contracting Solutions Limited

**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I am/am not\* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am/am not 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.

**The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:**

All aspects of the application – namely potential environmental effects, potential health effects, potential economic effects. See attached detailed information.

**My submission is:**

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

There is no justification for the construction of this proposed incineration plant, and particularly in the proposed location. It compromises the values of all residents of this district.

I am a wastewater and stormwater system designer, with my own business based in Te Awamutu. As well as a background in both soil conservation and biosecurity management, my varied career has included being a technical officer at a waste minimisation & recycling advocacy in London (Waste Watch) – and also as the CEO of Te Awamutu's Chamber of Commerce. From my professional experience and understanding of waste management, air and water pollution issues, and of the local economy, I wish to raise my concerns and objections to this proposal.

I have lived in this community (both in the township and rurally) for nearly 20 years, been heavily involved in children's sport activities and other community groups. My children are graduates of Te Awamutu College (which will be in close proximity to the proposed plant) and are now completing their tertiary studies in medicine and engineering.

This community continues to grow as an independent centre for families of all ages, as a rural support town, and as a commuter suburb for Hamilton. The character of the town is very much low rise, large sections and generally, relatively affluent residents choosing to live in a more rural, small town location. This proposed incinerator plant does not fit with the existing character of the town, the District Plan or long term plan. This proposal has the potential to change the character, attributes and social stratification of the town, with heavy industry in a central location of our green, rural town.

**I request that council commissions independent experts to report on the potential impacts of this plant on the following:**

- Human health (immediate respiratory effects / long term effects on those exposed continually)
- Local and Regional Environment including effects on water, land and air



## Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application



### Form 13

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- Climate change emissions
- Traffic and roading management for the district
- Safety concerns regarding fire and emergency management

My concerns in particular include:

- The proposed incinerator would adjoin residential areas, and is close to a large number of childcare centres and schools – including the towns only high school. The location is wholly inappropriate, this area is not a location for heavy, dirty industry. The town has moved away from industrial outputs – and although the dairy factory remains, this is an outlier. The plants proposed height would dominate the skyline and is out of character. This does not fit with the District Plan or long term plans for Te Awamutu.
- Access to the proposed plant will be through existing residential roads. This will create traffic and safety hazards for those living in the area, and all the young people attending the high school and childcare centres. Noise, particulate emissions from diesel trucks, potential leakage from highly toxic waste being removed from the plant are all additional hazards and undesirable activities. They are wholly unsuitable for this residential area, populated with young families, childcare centres and schools.
- Te Awamutu College is the only high school in the area. The construction of an incineration plant within 600-1000m of the school will have a negative effect on the ability to attract and retain quality teaching staff, and on the roll of the school. The school population will be exposed to higher levels of odourless toxins (including dioxins, furans, and particulate matter often referred to as nanoparticles). Perception of potential negative health effects will deter potential new students and staff. (Existing families are discussing moving from the area). As the only high school for this western region of Waipa District, this will have a huge detrimental impact on population growth and attractiveness of property in and around the town.
- The location of this proposal within an identified flood zone poses a huge safety risk. The size, scale and function of the plant – with burners and electricity generation- poses an extreme risk to human health and safety (of operators, staff, neighbouring community and emergency management in the first instance). It is noted that our town has a volunteer fire brigade – we do not have the capacity to manage a potential fire or emergency at a hazardous site of this scale. The potential for environmental destruction should there be any malfunction should not be discounted. The size of the risk this proposal poses is large.
- Proximity to a classified watercourse, and potential for contamination with toxins, ash and waste. The Mangapiko Stream is classified as indigenous fish habitat. The applicant may be able to ensure ashfall and nanoparticles falling on their property be diverted from overland flow towards the river. However, surrounding surfaces -roads, roofs, gardens, footpaths, drains and contributories-within a wide catchment will continue to drain to the Mangapiko. The potential for contamination will increase exponentially over time, as these toxins bioaccumulate. While monitoring of the plant outputs may achieve within the limits for emissions set, accumulation in soil, plants and water will result in much higher levels. Research shows accumulation of unsafe levels of dioxins in chicken eggs (for human consumption) within 10km of commercial waste-to-



energy incinerators operating in the Netherlands. I assume there is a reason that the building is 35-38m high – in order to disperse emissions into the air and reduce the likelihood of contamination of nearby sites. By definition, this means surrounding areas – and those in the area of the prevailing wind, will receive contaminated flyash and smaller particles.

- Runoff from surfaces collecting nanoparticles and microparticles will be particularly dangerous when it enters the waterway- presence of organic material greatly increases the ecotoxicity of nanoparticles (Handy et al., 2008; [https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S1878535217300990?fbclid=IwAR3bv7rWxA\\_YKkAYLtaLp\\_Vsn2iweJYPZ-fPt0\\_H3zUUijZbFbRkm4a7g3F0#s0145](https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S1878535217300990?fbclid=IwAR3bv7rWxA_YKkAYLtaLp_Vsn2iweJYPZ-fPt0_H3zUUijZbFbRkm4a7g3F0#s0145)). We know that watercourses within the Waikato region have a high degree of organic matter, as they are generally slow moving, with little riparian buffer and high incidence of nutrient runoff.
- The Waikato region has some of the worst respiratory illness rates in the world. Incidence of asthma, COPD and other respiratory conditions is high in and around Te Awamutu. Burning waste DOES produce toxic byproducts and emissions – many research papers have been published (including data from similar incinerators) with details of dioxins, furans and other nano-particles which are detrimental to human health. The proposed filters at the plant will remove much of the emissive material – but not all. The plant will be subject to start-up and other non-usual events, which will create fluctuations in the amount of fly-ash and toxin-laden emissions produced. By it's very nature, the waste being received at the plant will vary in content, creating difficult conditions to produce a uniform burn rate and emissions output.
- Air quality in the area will also be negatively affected by the proposed increase in heavy transport to the area. The trucks bringing waste to the plant (and removing ash waste – where to?) will be diesel, producing high levels of particulate emissions within these residential areas. These emissions are known to cause significant health effects – including respiratory disease, heart disease, and increase in incidence of cancers.
- Climate change is real, and this plant would produce high volumes of carbon emissions at a time when the country is committed to reducing carbon emissions. The waste delivered to the proposed plant would be largely inert in landfills (as there is minimal to zero off-gassing and degradation from plastics and rubber). Burning this waste to produce energy is not 'renewable' but is burning fossil fuel (from the petroleum products used to produce plastics). In fact, diesel will be required to ignite the burners at the plant – producing further greenhouse gas emissions. The proposal will generate a large addition to our national carbon emissions at a time when we are working to reduce them.
- There is no economic case for this plant. It is an extremely inefficient method of generating electricity – with similar investment able to produce many times more electricity generation. For example, wind turbines For example, the 12 wind turbines installed at the [Mahinerangi wind farm](#) in Otago in 2011 produce 36 MW of electricity. That wind farm cost NZ\$75 million to build, which is only about 30% of \$215 million. Wind farms don't produce any ongoing carbon emissions, toxic ash or air pollution. They are genuinely renewable – unlike this proposal. The case for producing energy from waste is not profitable – and in fact, there are no current waste to energy plants operating

in the US without government subsidies – they just do not make enough energy to pay for the plant and process. The cost -and profitability-will be determined by the commercial waste removal contracts the applicant is able to secure. This is unknown, and there remains a possibility that ratepayers would be required to contribute at some stage to the project – or left to dismantle the plant at the end of useful life.

- The business case for providing a recycling centre and incinerator is flawed. There is no incentive to remove potential recyclables from the waste stream for re-use and recycling. Instead, unsorted material will arrive at the plant for sorting, as markets for recyclables change, there will remain a base income for utilizing potential recyclables as fuel for the plant, thus receiving income from electricity generation. I believe any proposal of this nature should only receive delivery of non-recyclable material, to remove the opportunity to burn potential recyclables.

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**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

*give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought*

To decline the application.

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**I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.**

- ☒ I do wish to be heard in support of my submission  
(this means that you will speak at the hearing)
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- ☒ I have served a copy of my submission on the applicant.  
(this is required by section 96(6) (b) of the Resource Management Act 1991)  
Email sent to: [Richard.falconer@terrargroup.co.nz](mailto:Richard.falconer@terrargroup.co.nz)



I ~~request~~/do not request\*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.



Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_

*(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)*

Date: 11/10/2023 Contact person: Rachel Blake  
*(name and designation, if applicant)*

Postal address: 709 Te Mawhai Rd, RD 3, Te Awamutu 3875  
*(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):*

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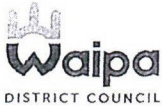
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**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I am/am not\* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am/am not 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.

The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

*All parts of the application*

My submission is:

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

*Decline application.*

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

- ☒ I do wish to be heard in support of my submission  
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Signature of submitter: C R Bahy  
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 12-10-23 Contact person: Claine Bahy  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 673 Preston Rd Auckland  
(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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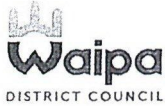
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**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I am/am not\* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am/am not 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.

The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

All of the application

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ Oppose parts or all of ☒ are neutral parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

Negative impact on environment

Change to the social fabric of the town

Dangers to health of Waipa residents

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

Decline application.

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Signature of submitter: Niki Beetrma  
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 12/10/23 Contact person: Niki Beetrma  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: [REDACTED]  
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I am/am not 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.

**The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:**

My submission related to the whole application.

**My submission is:**

**Support** parts or all of ☒ **Oppose** parts or all of ☐ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

I oppose this application and I want the Waipa District Council to decline this application. My reasons among many are:

- The fact that the application has given no consideration to the impact on the property values in the local vicinity, if not the entirety of Te Awamutu. The developer has not made any comment or given any mitigation to the impact of construction a dumpsite and industrial incinerator in the middle of an area that is undergoing residential development. This project will greatly impact the existing residents/homeowners/renters/ businesses and turn away many potential future persons considering Te Awamutu as a potential place to establish themselves.
- There is no financial evaluation or review into the impact of the increased heavy vehicles on Racecourse Road and SH3 which is already in a terrible state and in need of repairs. The increase of heavy vehicle on a road that was designed for only low volume light vehicles has not been mentioned at all. This will rapidly deteriorate the road and the maintenance will fall on the Waipa rate payers to effectively maintain the driveway to a privately owned dumpsite given that the waster being taken is from out of the Waipa region.
- The details given on the operating plans for the plant once operational are too light and don't mention contingency plans for the following events.
  - Breakdown of the plant – what will happen with the deliveries of waste? Will these be stockpiled on site or sent away somewhere else?
  - Fire or leakage from the plant
  - Emission testing and monitoring – what happens if the emissions are outside the proposed safe level claimed in the consent? Will the plant shut down until they can't be rectified? What will the plan be for the emissions and effects on local residents in a event like this?

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I wish for the Waipa District to decline the application or demand from the applicant that they fully assess the impacts of this project and provide additional information, controls, assurances, and mitigation to the afore mentioned issues and any others raised in other submissions.

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Signature of submitter: Brody Brown

*(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)*

Date: 12/10/2023    Contact person: Brody Brown  
*(name and designation, if applicant)*

Postal address: 3 Christie Ave, Te Awamutu  
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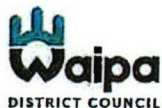
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**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

~~Is/Am not~~ <sup>am not</sup> a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am/~~am not~~ 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.

The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

Increased traffic  
Effect to the environment.  
Airborne toxins

My submission is:

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

The increased traffic and the environmental effects in an urban setting. The effects it will have to the households in the area.

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

Cancel the application

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

- ☐ I do wish to be heard in support of my submission  
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Signature of submitter: L.E. Barrowcliffe  
(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 18/9/23 Contact person: Linda Barrowcliffe [REDACTED]  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 15 Macky Rd RD6 TeAwamutu 3876.  
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**Sent:** Thu, 12 Oct 2023 23:34:43 +1300  
**To:** "Submissions" <submissions@waipadc.govt.nz>  
**Cc:** "richard.falconer@terrargroup.co.nz" <richard.falconer@terrargroup.co.nz>  
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Charmaine Batt  
185 Ohaupo Road  
Te Awamutu 3800  
[REDACTED]

My submission relates to the whole application.

I oppose this application. I want Waipa District Council to decline this application.

I would like to be heard in support of my submission.

My name is Charmaine I live here in the beautiful town off Te Awamutu which I have always thought off as a lovely place to live, A place where people seem to be caring for others in most cases.

So I was shocked to hear off this Incinerator proposal, especially in the wake off Golbal Warming News, our Carbon footprint costs. All the efforts that all the world are trying to do to clean up the air pollution. Water pollution, The impact on health that Dioxin cause.

I thought when I heard the news off the incinerator proposal that it was a joke, "I Siad no the Waipa Council and the Waikato Regional council can't be that dumb  
Not after all the effort that everyone was been doing to clean up the waterways by planting trees and native trees and efforts in trying to save the native bird live and all the stuff everyone has done to recycle rubbish that the only thing they could think off was to burn it all in the middle off town and poison everyone, the water the birds the fish the air that we breath and vale our town with a could off toxic fumes. We could all do that ourselves at home in our own backyard incinerators, but we are that dumb nor are we likely to poison our children and selves by burning tyre's in our backyards and nor are we allowed to. You shouldn't even be thinking about it,

Who is going to want to come to Te Awamutu to live when a filthy poisonous cloud is filling this town, it's not going to be let's go and live in Te Awamutu the Rosetown it's will be No don't go and live in Te Awamutu the town with the 24 /7 incinerator that's pumping out poisonous gases into the air,

Where everyone's trying to get out off that town now, Where people are having major health issues because they falling ill. Where house prices have dropped due to the incinerator,

And not just that later on down the line Tge council will be sued for baby defects, for installing a incinerator that causes cancer.

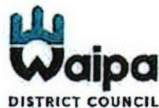
I am sure the list will go on

Another thing I employ 2 people in this town, to help with my daughter I will leave this town. I'm sure I'm not the only one that will be seriously consider leaving TA. That minus 2 lots off people wages to be spent here in TA gone, plus our income and I'm most probably on the low scale off things what about those that aren't. That have put more into this town and will get up and go. Because they will.

I am sure there are other things that can be done with tyre's such as what is done in Africa where tyre's are cut up and made into other items try watching YouTube and search for what to do with old tyre's and recyclable materials. It may cost more but Hey you could make money and not Posion everyone.

Yours Sincerely  
Charmaine Batt





# Submission on a Notified Resource Consent Application

## Form 13

Sections 41D, 95A, 95B, 95C, 96, 127(3) and 234(4),  
Resource Management Act 1991

This is a submission on:

**APPLICANT'S NAME:** Global Contracting Solutions Limited

**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I ~~am~~/am not\* a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am/~~am not~~ 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.

The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

Air borne toxins

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ Oppose parts or all of ☒ are neutral parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

Air toxins + the excess trucks on roads

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

Cancel the application

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

- ☐ I do wish to be heard in support of my submission  
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You must tick one of the boxes above, otherwise it will be deemed that you do not wish to be heard and we will not advise you of the date of the hearing.

- ☒ I have served a copy of my submission on the applicant.  
(this is required by section 96(6) (b) of the Resource Management Act 1991)



do not request

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Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 18 / 9 / 23

Contact person: Nick Burrows

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 15 Macky Rd. R.D. 6 Te Awamutu

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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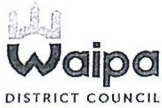
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I am not

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I am/~~am not~~ directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that—

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The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

THE WHOLE APPLICATION

My submission is:

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

TOO CLOSE TO TOWN & BETTER USE CAN BE  
MADE OF THIS VALUABLE SITE. WE DONT NEED  
THE EXTRA TRAFFIC OR RISK OF POLLUTION

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

TOTAL REJECTION OF THIS ENDEAVOR /  
INCINERATOR PLANT.

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Do not REQUEST

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Signature of submitter: \_\_\_\_\_

*Bill Bartie*

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*12/10/23*

Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

*BILL BARTIE*

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: \_\_\_\_\_

*207 RICKIT ROAD TEAWAMUTU*

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act): \_\_\_\_\_

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**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

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The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:

Location of Waste Incinerator. Too close to Mangapiko Stream, Residential area, schools. Inappropriate Land use

My submission is:

Support parts or all of ☐ Oppose parts or all of ☒ are neutral parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

\*Please find attached

I seek the following decision from the consent authority:

give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought

Decline the Application

I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.

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My name is Angela Barrowcliffe. I grew up in Waipa and have enjoyed living in beautiful Pirongia and then in later years appreciated being in business and living in this wee rural town called Te Awamutu. During this time, I have played netball on the courts, rowed on the lake, rode horses in and around Waipa, participating and volunteering in Pirongia and Te Awamutu Pony Clubs, and multiple other recreational activities like mountain biking and hiking. I have three amazing children that we've raised in Waipa and have all been to Te Awamutu Intermediate and College.

My family and I will be directly affected in many ways if this Waste to Energy Incinerator application from Global Contracting Solutions Limited is accepted.

We currently live on the corner of Racecourse Road and Ohaupo road beside the Zion Church grounds. We exercise our dogs daily by walking them 'around the block' going down Racecourse Road then crossing down behind the netball courts and through Memorial Park and back onto Ohaupo Road. Exercising both the dogs and ourselves is a vital part of upholding a healthy mental and physical wellbeing. The health and safety of this daily activity would be negatively impacted by the added traffic to Racecourse Road. The trucks carrying rubbish would not only impose more risk to us on foot causing possible physical injury should we be hit by two trucks passing at the same time and leaving not enough room for us and our dogs to pass for instance, and the dust and air pollution that the trucks will have emitted off them by the draft and motion. There is no other path for us to take without being posed with this risk so would be extremely damaging to our lives.

Our house has a lawn for us and our animals to enjoy and we grow vegetables in our garden to stay healthy and save money on grocery bills. The application is asking to discharge multiple toxins into the air we will breathe being within 1km of 401 Racecourse Road we WILL be slowly poisoned by these gases, ash, and dust from vehicles. Global Contracting Solutions has no prior experience running an (MSW) Incinerator, nor do I trust them to fulfil their obligations should they be successful. They show blatant disrespect operating their scrap metal business in Hamilton so why would this be any different.

My partner and I own our home and live and work from this location, many of our clients ie; real estate agents are already seeing a decline in house prices and we will suffer a direct loss on our investment should this application be accepted, and we also will experience first hand a drop in income due to the effects this will have on the community as a whole. We have an honest, hardworking life here and try to stay healthy and help the community flourish.

This Incinerator application must be declined on all aspects.



I request/do not request\*, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: 

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 12-10-23

Contact person: Angela Barrowcliffe

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 1011 Ohauapo road, Te Awamutu 3800

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

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**My submission is:**

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include—

*I am completely against a waste burner being built in Racecourse Road.*

*The people wanting to build it have not talked to the community and they have not done enough work to prove the safety of the plan. There is a lot of overseas information that tells us these burners are not safe. The environment and people's health will be put at risk. We need to do different things to deal with the amount of rubbish we produce. We don't want waste incinerators in our town!*

**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

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Date: 12/10/2023    Contact person: Nick Bethell  
(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 803 Mahoe Street, Te Awamutu

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**This is a submission on:**

**APPLICANT'S NAME:** Global Contracting Solutions Limited

**LOCATION:** 401 Racecourse Road, Te Awamutu

I am not a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308B of the Resource Management Act 1991.

I am directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that—

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**The specific parts of the application that my submission relates to are:**

My submission relates to the whole application.

**My submission is:**

**Support** parts or all of ☐ **Oppose** parts or all of ☒ **are neutral** parts or all of ☐  
include—

- the reasons for your views.

This plant will be situated extremely close to local schools, childcare centres, residential housing and other business with large numbers of employees. The toxins produced by this plant will not only affect the local residents but also have the potential to impact other via our local agricultural sector. These toxins and nano-particles produced by the plant are absorbed by animals (Cows, Sheep, Chickens) and once absorbed they are then passed to humans with alarming rates of health impacts. The benefits of this plant proposed by the applicant will be overstated and the health impacts to the community will be grossly understated.

This plant should NOT go ahead.

**I seek the following decision from the consent authority:**

*give precise details, including the parts of the application you wish to have amended and the general nature of any conditions sought*

To decline the application in full.

**I wish (or do not wish) to be heard in support of my submission.**

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(this means that you will not be advised of the date of the hearing and will not speak at the hearing)
- ☒ If others make a similar submission I will consider presenting a joint case with them at the hearing.

**You must tick one of the boxes above, otherwise it will be deemed that you do not wish to be heard and we will not advise you of the date of the hearing.**

- ☒ I have served a copy of my submission on the applicant.  
(this is required by section 96(6) (b) of the Resource Management Act 1991)



I do not request, pursuant to section 100A of the Act, that you delegate your functions, powers, and duties to hear and decide the application to one or more hearings commissioners who are not members of the local authority.

Signature of submitter: DABeson

(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter) (A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means.)

Date: 12-10-2023

Contact person: Daniel Beeson

(name and designation, if applicant)

Postal address: 12 Belle Amie Drive, RD 5, Te Awamutu 3875

(or alternative method of service under section 352 of the Act):

### Notes to submitter

If you are making a submission to the Environmental Protection Authority, you should use form 16B.

The closing date for serving submissions on the consent authority is the 20th working day after the date on which public or limited notification is given. If the application is subject to limited notification, the consent authority may adopt an earlier closing date for submissions once the consent authority receives responses from all affected persons.

If you are a trade competitor, your right to make a submission may be limited by the trade competition provisions in Part 11A of the Resource Management Act 1991.

You must serve a copy of your submission on the applicant as soon as reasonably practicable after you have served your submission on the consent authority.

If you make your submission in hard copy please deliver to Waipa District Council, 101 Bank Street, Te Awamutu or 23 Wilson Street, Cambridge or post to Private Bag 2402, Te Awamutu 3840

If you make your submission by electronic means, a signature is not required. Electronic submissions on resource consent applications must be directed to [submissions@waipadc.govt.nz](mailto:submissions@waipadc.govt.nz).

If you make a request under section 100A of the Resource Management Act 1991, you must do so in writing no later than 5 working days after the close of submissions and you may be liable to meet or contribute to the costs of the hearings commissioner or commissioners. You may not make a request under section 100A of the Resource Management Act 1991 in relation to an application for a coastal permit to carry out an activity that a regional coastal plan describes as a restricted coastal activity.

Please note that your submission (or part of your submission) may be struck out if the authority is satisfied that at least one of the following applies to the submission (or part of the submission):

- it is frivolous or vexatious:
- it discloses no reasonable or relevant case:
- it would be an abuse of the hearing process to allow the submission (or the part) to be taken further:
- it contains offensive language:
- it is supported only by material that purports to be independent expert evidence, but has been prepared by a person who is not independent or who does not have sufficient specialised knowledge or skill to give expert advice on the matter.

### Privacy information

The information you have provided on this form is required so that your submission can be processed under the RMA. The information will be stored on a public register and held by the Council, and may also be made available to the public on the Council's website. In addition, any on-going communications between you and Council will be held at Council's offices and may also be accessed upon request by a third party. Access to this information is administered in accordance with the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 and the Privacy Act 1993. If you have any concerns about this, please discuss with a Council Planner prior to lodging your submission.