Appendix I

Report on submissions and further submissions on the Proposed Waikato District Plan

Hearing 27B: Natural Hazards: General Submissions

No.	Submitter_Name	Submission number	Support/Oppose	Decision Sought	Accept/Reject	section of report
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.72	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendment to direction 12.1(k) as notified.	accept in part	5
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.70	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendments to definition for Annual exceedance probability as notified.	accept	10
2011	Donald Graeme Hogg	OS 2011.1	Support	Provide a trickle feed water supply to the west of Hamilton city, including Howden Road, Rowe Road and Bowman Road and extending as far as Whatawhata.	reject	4
2028	Ewen Brunskill	OS 2028.1	Oppose	No specific decision sought, however, the submitter generally opposes the rules on new buildings and addition to existing buildings.	reject	4
3019	Blair Everett	FS3019.1	Support	Support OS 2028.1	reject	4
2053	Mercury NZ Limited	OS 2053.10	Support	Amend Chapter 15 to ensure the principles articulated in 15.1(3) are implemented in the plan and make better use of spatial tools to ensure the principles are implemented.	accept in part	5
3031	Waikato Regional Council	FS3031.21	Support	Support OS 2053.10	accept in part	25
2053	Mercury NZ Limited	OS 2053.11	Support	Amend Chapter 15 to ensure the principles articulated in paragraph 4 are implemented in the plan and make better use of spatial tools to ensure the principles are implemented.	accept in part	5

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3031	Waikato Regional Council	FS3031.17	Neutral	Neutral OS 2053.6	reject	5
2053	Mercury NZ Limited	OS 2053.7	Support	Amend Chapter 15 to include vulnerability as an attribute to all land use activities.	reject	5
3031	Waikato Regional Council	FS3031.18	Neutral	Neutral OS 2053.7	reject	5
2061	Terry Quilty	OS 2061.1	Support	Amend Proposed District Plan to retain Franklin section Rule 23A.1.3(c) that applies a 12 metre yard setback from the boundary. Or Amend Proposed District Plan to amend Rule 23A.1.3(c) to apply a 50 metre yard setback from the boundary.	reject	4
2061	Terry Quilty	OS 2061.2	Support	Add to the Proposed District Plan a restriction on the distance between animal enclosures including cattle, horses, or other and a dwelling of a minimum of 50 meters.	reject	4
2086	Ministry of Education	OS 2086.1	Support	Retain Chapter 15: Natural Hazards and Climate Change as proposed, specifically Section 15.2 Objectives and Policies, rules sections 15.4 through to 15.13 and accurate mapping.	accept in part	5
2093	TaTa Valley Limited	OS 2093.13	Oppose	Amend PWDP with any consequential relief required to give effect to submitter's submission points including to other provisions as required to ensure a consistent approach throughout the Plan.	accept in part	5
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.22	Support	Support OS 2093.13	accept in part	5
2099	NZTE Operations Limited	OS 2099.1	Support	No specific relief sought, but submitter wishes to be involved in the Stage 2 process as part of its wider involvement in the PWDP process with particular interest in the Te Kowhai airpark.	reject	5
2053	Mercury NZ Limited	OS 2053.12	Support	Retain Chapter 15.1, paragraph (5).	accept	5
3031	Waikato Regional Council	FS3031.23	Neutral	Neutral OS 2053.12	accept	П

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2053	Mercury NZ Limited	OS 2053.13	Support	Retain Chapter 15.1, paragraph (7).	accept	П
3031	Waikato Regional Council	FS3031.24	Neutral	Neutral OS 2053.13	accept	П
2053	Mercury NZ Limited	OS 2053.9	Support	Amend Chapter 15.1, paragraph (1), first sentence as follows: The Natural Hazards chapter identifies risks associated with natural hazards and manages land use in areas subject to the risk from natural hazards.	accept	11
3016	Raglan Collective Incorporated Society	FS3016.1	Support	Support OS 2053.9	accept	11
3031	Waikato Regional Council	FS3031.20	Neutral	Neutral OS 2053.9	accept	11
2101	Transpower New Zealand Ltd	OS 2101.3	Support	Amend section 15.1(1) to recognise new infrastructure with additional text as follows: (I) The Natural Hazards chapter manages land use in areas subject to the-risk from natural hazards. It identifies areas where certa in types of new development will be avoided because of the natural hazards present, but also recognises that there is ex isting development, including infrastructure and historic heri tage, already located on land subject to natural hazards, and that in some circumstances new infrastructure development in natural hazard areas may be required. These areas []	accept in part	11
3007	PowerCo Limited	FS3007.1	Support	Support OS 2101.3	accept in part	П
3013	Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga	FS3013.1	Oppose	Oppose OS 2101.3	reject	11
2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.11	Support	Amend Section 15.1(7) - Introduction as follows: (7) Less frequent A range of natural hazards can occur in the Waikato District, such as wildfires, tsunami, extreme wind e vents and drought,	reject	13

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				these hazards are generally considered as high impact low p robability hazards and often have an emergency management respons e. may not need a district plan response. Emergency [] rol e. Land use planning including a district plan response shoul d be considered in relation to these hazards where residual risks (to life, property or the environment) are identified as unacceptable or intolerable.		
3030	Federated Farmers New Zealand	FS3030.5	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.11	accept	13
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.119	Support	Support OS 2102.11	accept	13
2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.13	Neutral	Amend Section 15.1 introductory text to clarify whether high hazard areas are to be considered as primary hazard areas, as defined in the RPS.	reject	25
3016	Raglan Collective Incorporated Society	FS3016.5	Support	Support OS 2102.13	reject	11
2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.8	Support	Amend Section 15.1(8) Introduction to reflect how the maps, definitions and non-statutory information can be utilised together.	reject	11
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.117	Support	Support OS 2102.8	reject	П
2105	Perry Group Limited	OS 2105.1	Support	Amend Section 15.1 (1) - Introduction as follows: (1) The Natural Hazards chapter manages land use in areas subject to the risk from natural hazards. It identifies areas where certain types of new development will-should be avoided, or mitigated because of the natural hazards present, but also recognises that there is existing development including infrastructure and historic heritage, already located on land subject to natural hazards, or development which is necessary to be located in natural hazards areas.	reject	11
2107	Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga	OS 2107.1	Support	Amend section 15.1 paragraph 1 as follows: (I) The Natural Hazards chapter manages land use in areas subject to the risk from natural hazards. It identifies areas	accept in part	11

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				where certain types of new development will be avoided because of the natural hazards present, but also recognises that there is existing development, including infrastructure and historic heritage, and sites and areas of Significance to Maaori alread y located on land subject to natural hazards. These areas will require management through mitigation and adaptation to ensure that the risk of damage to property, historic heritage or sites and areas of Significance to Maaori or injury or los s of lives is not increased.		
2115	Rangitahi Limited	OS 2115.1	Support	Amend section 15.1 - Introduction paragraph (1) as follows: []. It identifies areas where certain types of new development will be avoided or appropriately mitigated because of the natural hazards present, []	reject	11
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.48	Oppose	Oppose OS 2115.1	reject	П
2139	Ports of Auckland Limited	OS 2139.1	Support	Retain Section 15.1 Introduction except as set out in submission.	accept	П
2143	Avant Developments Limited	OS 2143.1	Support	Amend Chapter 15.1(1) Introduction to read:It identifies areas where certain types of new development will be avoided or appropriately mitigated because of the natural hazards present, AND Any additional or consequential relief as is necessary to achieve consistency with the above.	reject	11
2151	Waikato-Tainui Te Kauhanganui Incorporated	OS 2151.6	Support	Amend Chapter 15.1 Introduction to include an overview commentary of where each hazard area is located in regard to affected communities (towns and villages) and Maaori Freehold Land and Marae, AND Add in section 32 report a breakdown of affected Maaori Freehold Land and how this land is affected.	reject	11
2161	Dilworth Trust Board	OS 2161.1	Support	Retain Chapter 15.1 Introduction paragraphs 1 to 10, and paragraphs 12 to 18 as notified.	accept	11

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2173	Federated Farmers of New Zealand	OS 2173.1	Support	Retain the intent of Chapter 15.1 Introduction as notified.	accept	11
3027	Horticulture New Zealand	FS3027.1	Support	Support OS 2173.1	accept	П
2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.31	Oppose	Amend Chapter 13 Definitions and Chapter 15.14 Definitions to clarify the how definitions of infrastructure, utility, road network activities and telecommunication facilities interact, and which takes precedence in which situation.	reject	11
3002	Spark New Zealand Trading Limited	FS3002.3	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.31	accept in part	11
3003	Transpower New Zealand Ltd	FS3003.9	Support	Support OS 2102.31	accept in part	П
3021	Counties Power	FS3021.7	Support	Support OS 2102.31	accept in part	П
3030	Federated Farmers New Zealand	FS3030.17	Support	Support OS 2102.31	accept in part	П
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.132	Support	Support OS 2102.31	accept in part	11
3003	Transpower New Zealand Ltd	FS3003.1	Support	Support OS 2146.10	accept	25
3030	Federated Farmers New Zealand	FS3030.42	Support	Support OS 2146.10	accept	25
2042	Spencer L Drinkwater	OS 2042.1	Support	Amend section 15.2 Objectives and Policies to include Poplars, Willows, Alders, Maples and other fast-growing exotic softwood trees as a natural hazard.	accept	25
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.71	Support	Retain Variation 2 Objective 1.12.8(d) Natural Hazards and Climate Change as notified.	accept	8
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.31	Support	Support OS 2094.71	accept	8

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2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.6	Oppose	Amend Section 1.12.8(d) Strategic objectives as follows: (d) Objective - Natural Hazards and Climate Change refer to Objectives 15.2.1, 15.2.2 and 15.2.3 at Chapter 15. The choice, location and design of development in the district takes into account the risks from natural hazards and pot ential impacts of climate change.	accept in part	8
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.115	Support	Support OS 2102.6	accept in part	8
2151	Waikato-Tainui Te Kauhanganui Incorporated	OS 2151.5	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendment to Chapter 1.12.8(d) Introduction, Strategic objectives.	accept	8
2172	Federated Farmers of New Zealand	OS 2172.4	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendments to Chapter 1.12.8(d) Strategic directions and objectives for the district as notified.	accept	6
2172	Federated Farmers of New Zealand	OS 2172.1	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendments to chapter 1.4.2.3(x) and (xi)	accept in part	6
2172	Federated Farmers of New Zealand	OS 2172.2	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendments to Chapter 1.4.4(c) The urban environment as notified.	accept in part	6
2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.3	Support	Amend section 1.4.2.3(a)(x) as follows: (x) Natural hazards in certain locations in the district pose a constraint on land development and urban growth in terms of reduced opportunity or cost of mitigation and acknowledgement of residual risks.	reject	6
3020	Shand Properties Limited	FS3020.33	Support	Support OS 2102.3	reject	6
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.112	Support	Support OS 2102.3	reject	6
2151	Waikato-Tainui Te Kauhanganui Incorporated	OS 2151.2	Support	Retain Variation 2 Amendments, Chapter 1.4.2.3(x) and (xi) Introduction, Economic Growth, Challenges,	accept in part	6
3032	Timberline Contracting	FS3032.21	Oppose	Oppose OS 2151.2	reject	6

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2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.4	Support	Amend Section 1.4.4(c), first sentence as follows; (c) The district plan manages activities to reduce the manage risks from natural hazards through avoid ing the creation of new risks and ensuring risks do not exceed an acceptable level. The emphasis is on ensuring that []	accept in part	6
3020	Shand Properties Limited	FS3020.34	Support	Support OS 2102.4	accept in part	6
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.113	Support	Support OS 2102.4	accept in part	6
2151	Waikato-Tainui Te Kauhanganui Incorporated	OS 2151.3	Support	Amend Variation 2 Amendments, Chapter 1.4.4(c) Introduction, The Urban Environment to include a reference to river communities in the last sentence particularly coastal hazards and flooding, will require management through appropriate mitigation and adaptation over time, taking into consideration projected sea level rise and other climate change factors; and river communities.	accept in part	6
2172	Federated Farmers of New Zealand	OS 2172.3	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendments to Chapter 1.5.2(b) Planning for urban growth and development as notified.	accept in part	7
2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.5	Support	Amend Section 1.5.2(b) text added by Variation 2 as follows: (b) However, when preparing structure plans or spatial plans for developing urban land, consideration of the risk posed by natural hazards such as flooding, land instability, coastal hazards and-low probability high impact hazards such as liquefaction, and the effects of climate change will be important to ensur e that the land is suitable for the type of development prop osed and avoids increased risk from natural hazards including the future demand for protection works associated with natural hazard risks or an increase of the level of service for existing infrastructure.	accept in part	7
3020	Shand Properties Limited	FS3020.35	Neutral	Neutral OS 2102.5	accept in part	7
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.114	Support	Support OS 2102.5	reject	7

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2151	Waikato-Tainui Te Kauhanganui Incorporated	OS 2151.4	Support	Amend Variation 2 amendments, Chapter I.5.2(b) Planning for urban growth and development last sentence to read: However, when preparing structure plans or spatial plans for developing urb an land, consideration of carrying out growth planning, structure planning and master planning, the risk posed by natura I hazards such as flooding, land instability, coastal hazards and liquefaction will be important addressed to ensure that the land is suitable for the type of development proposed and avoids increased risk from natural hazards.	accept in part	7
2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.2	Support	Add the following statement to an appropriate section or sections of Chapter 12 PWDP: The overall activity status of a proposal is that of the most restrictive rule which applies to the proposal.	accept in part	9
3012	Department of Conservation	FS3012.2	Support	Support OS 2102.2	accept in part	9
3030	Federated Farmers New Zealand	FS3030.10	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.2	reject	9
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.111	Support	Support OS 2102.2	accept in part	9
2091	Helen Clotworthy on behalf of Pokeno Community Committee	OS 2091.1	Oppose	Add a Strategic Property Plan to specifically address issues relating to North Waikato. This should include: • Pokeno and Tuakau around reserves, parkland and natural areas; • Significant Natural Reserves identified and protected; • Connected and accessible walkways including during flooding; • Wetlands protected; • Pokeno Waterfalls, Wetlands and Maori Cultural Heritage Areas as areas specifically outlined and protected.	reject	4
3029	TaTa Valley Limited	FS3029.12	Oppose	Oppose OS 2091.1	accept	4
2053	Mercury NZ Limited	OS 2053.78	Support	Retain 15.13.1 General.	accept	23

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3029	TaTa Valley Limited	FS3029.11	Support	Support OS 2053.78	accept	23
3031	Waikato Regional Council	FS3031.89	Neutral	Neutral OS 2053.78	accept	23
2093	TaTa Valley Limited	OS 2093.10	Oppose	Delete 15.13.1(1)(a) (Information requirements) as follows: a) Geotechnical assessment, including identification and asse ssment of any potentially liquefaction- prone land and land subject to slope instability;	reject	23
3027	Horticulture New Zealand	FS3027.53	Support	Support OS 2093.10	reject	23
2149	Horticulture New Zealand	OS 2149.18	Support	Retain Rule 15.13.1 Information requirements for all resource consent applications addressing natural hazards, AND Amend Chapter 13 Definitions so that the definition of earthworks excludes ancillary rural earthworks, AND Adopt changes sought elsewhere in the submission relating to farm buildings or habitable/non-habitable buildings.	accept in part	23
3030	Federated Farmers New Zealand	FS3030.38	Support	Support OS 2149.18	accept in part	23
2139	Ports of Auckland Limited	OS 2139.3	Support	Retain Section 15.2 Objectives and policies except as set out in submission.	accept in part	14
2161	Dilworth Trust Board	OS 2161.3	Support	Retain section 15.2 objectives and policies as notified, except as in other submissions.	accept in part	14
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.2	Support	Retain Objective 15.2.1 Resilience to Natural Hazard Risk as notified	accept in part	14
2101	Transpower New Zealand Ltd	OS 2101.4	Support	Retain Objective 15.2.1 - Resilience to natural hazard risk as proposed.	accept in part	14
3007	PowerCo Limited	FS3007.2	Support	Support OS 2101.4	accept in part	14
3010	KiwiRail Holdings Limited	FS3010.1	Support	Support OS 2101.4	accept in part	14

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2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.12	Support	Amend Objective 15.2.1 - Resilience to natural hazard risk as follows: A resilient community where the risks from natural hazards on-to people, property, infrastructure and the environment from subdivision, use and development of land are first avoided or appropriately mitigated. or managed to acceptable levels.	accept in part	14
3013	Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga	FS3013.4	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.12	accept in part	14
3016	Raglan Collective Incorporated Society	FS3016.4	Support	Support OS 2102.12	accept in part	14
3030	Federated Farmers New Zealand	FS3030.6	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.12	accept in part	14
3020	Shand Properties Limited	FS3020.36	Neutral	Neutral OS 2102.12	accept in part	14
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.120	Support	Support OS 2102.12	accept in part	14
2103	Fire and Emergency New Zealand	OS 2103.1	Support	Retain Objective 15.2.1 as proposed.	accept in part	14
2105	Perry Group Limited	OS 2105.3	Support	Amend Objective 15.2.1 as follows: A resilient community where the risks from natural hazards on people, property, infrastructure and the environment from subdivision use and development of land are avoided or appropriately mitigated minimised.	reject	14
2108	Department of Conservation	OS 2108.2	Support	Amend Objective 15.2.1 as follows: A resilient community where the risks from natural hazards on people, property, infrastructure and the environment from subdivision, use and development of land are avoided or appropriately mitigated and remedied. OR Any alternative relief that may be appropriate.	accept in part	14
2149	Horticulture New Zealand	OS 2149.1	Support	Amend Objective 15.2.1 Resilience to natural hazard risk to read	reject	14

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				(a) A resilient community where the risks from natural hazards on people, property, infrastructure and the environment from subdivision, use and development of land are avoided or appropriately mitigated; and Who are able to undertake appropriate use and development in order to respond to climate change. For instance, provide water stor age, or undertake different types of primary production and the practices that may support primary production.		
3016	Raglan Collective Incorporated Society	FS3016.8	Support	Support OS 2149.1	reject	14
3030	Federated Farmers New Zealand	FS3030.24	Support	Support OS 2149.1	reject	14
3030	Federated Farmers New Zealand	FS3030.31	Support	Support OS 2149.1	reject	14
2151	Waikato-Tainui Te Kauhanganui Incorporated	OS 2151.7	Support	Retain Objective 15.2.1 – Resilience to natural hazard risk.	accept	14
2173	Federated Farmers of New Zealand	OS 2173.2	Support	Amend Objective 15.2.1 – Resilience to natural hazard risk as follows: A resilient community where the risks from natural hazards on people, property, infrastructure and the environment from subdivision, use and development of land are appropri ated identified and assessed to ensure they can be avoided or appropriately mitigated. AND Any consequential amendments that may be required.	accept in part	14
3016	Raglan Collective Incorporated Society	FS3016.9	Support	Support OS 2173.2	accept in part	14
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.3	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.1.1 New Development in areas at significant risk from natural hazards as notified.	accept	14
2101	Transpower New Zealand Ltd	OS 2101.5	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.1.1 on the basis that Policy 15.2.1.4 and Policy	accept	14

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				I 5.2.1.5 are also retained (subject to amendments requested in other submissions).		
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.38	Support	Support OS 2101.5	accept	14
2040	Spark New Zealand Trading Limited	OS 2040.1	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.1.4 such that it covers both new and upgrading of infrastructure and utilities (to the extent it is not minor upgrading). The use of terminology such as 'significant' or 'substantial' may be suitable.	accept	15
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.6	Support	Support OS 2040.I	accept	15
2040	Spark New Zealand Trading Limited	OS 2040.2	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.1.5.	accept	16
2053	Mercury NZ Limited	OS 2053.24	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.1.4(a)(ii) as follows: (a) Enable the construction of new infrastructure and utilities in areas at significant risk from natural hazards, including High Risk Flood, Flood Plain Management Area. High Risk Coastal Hazard (Inundation) and High Risk Coastal Hazard (Erosion) areas only where: [] (ii) any increased risks to people, property and the environment are avoided, remedied or mitigated to the extent practicable; and []	reject	15
3007	PowerCo Limited	FS3007.3	Support	Support OS 2053.24	reject	15
3031	Waikato Regional Council	FS3031.35	Neutral	Neutral OS 2053.24	reject	15
2100	Powerco Limited	OS 2100.1	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.1.4 New infrastructure and utilities in areas subject to significant risk from natural hazards as notified.	accept	15
3010	KiwiRail Holdings Limited	FS3010.3	Support	Support OS 2100.1	accept	15

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3014	WEL Networks Limited	FS3014.2	Support	Support OS 2100.1	accept	15
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.35	Support	Support OS 2100.1	accept	15
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.129	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.26	accept	15
2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.30	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.1.4(a)(ii) - New infrastructure and utilities in areas subject to significant risk from natural hazards as follows: (ii) any increased risks to people, property, other infrastructure and utilities and the environment are mitigated to the extent practicable; and.	reject	15
3003	Transpower New Zealand Ltd	FS3003.8	Support	Support OS 2102.30	reject	15
3007	PowerCo Limited	FS3007.11	Support	Support OS 2102.30	reject	15
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.131	Support	Support OS 2102.30	reject	15
2103	Fire and Emergency New Zealand	OS 2103.5	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.1.4 as proposed.	accept	15
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.40	Support	Support OS 2103.5	accept	15
2104	Genesis Energy Limited	OS 2104.3	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.1.4(a) as follows: (a) Enable the construction of new infrastructure and utilities, including any ancillary activities, in areas at significant risk from natural hazards, including High Risk Flood, High Risk Coastal Hazard (Inundation) and High-Risk Coastal Hazard (Erosion) areas only where: (i)	reject	15
3003	Transpower New Zealand Ltd	FS3003.3	Support	Support OS 2104.3	reject	15

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3007	PowerCo Limited	FS3007.6	Support	Support OS 2104.3	reject	15
2106	WEL Networks Limited	OS 2106.1	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.1.4 as proposed	accept	15
2107	Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga	OS 2107.7	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.1.4(a)(ii) as follows: (ii) And increased risks to people, property and the environment, including historic heritage and sites and areas of Significance to Maaor i are mitigated to the extent practicable; and	reject	15
2108	Department of Conservation	OS 2108.6	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.1.4 as follows: (a) Provide for Enable the construction of new infrastructure where: (i) the infrastructure and utilities are technically, functionally or operationally required to locate in areas subject to natural hazards, or it is not reasonably practicable to be located elsewhere; and (ii) any unavoidable increased risks to people, property and the environment are mitigated to the extent practicable; and (iii) the infrastructure and utilities are designed, maintained and managed, including provision of hazard mitigation works where appropriate, to function to the extent practicable during and after natural hazard events. OR Any alternative relief that may be appropriate	reject	15
3003	Transpower New Zealand Ltd	FS3003.5	Oppose	Oppose OS 2108.6	accept	15
3014	WEL Networks Limited	FS3014.1	Oppose	Oppose OS 2108.6	accept	15
3013	Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga	FS3013.11	Support	Support OS 2108.6	reject	15

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2151	Waikato-Tainui Te Kauhanganui Incorporated	OS 2151.11	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.1.4(a) to reference avoidance rather than enablement.	reject	15
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.76	Oppose	Oppose OS 2151.11	accept	15
2173	Federated Farmers of New Zealand	OS 2173.6	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.1.4 – New infrastructure and utilities in areas subject to significant risk from natural hazards as notified.	accept	15
2053	Mercury NZ Limited	OS 2053.25	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.1.5	accept	16
3031	Waikato Regional Council	FS3031.36	Neutral	Neutral OS 2053.25	accept	16
2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.32	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.1.5 - Existing infrastructure and utilities in all areas subject to natural hazards as follows: (a) Provide for the operation, maintenance and minor upgrading of existing infrastructure and utilities in all areas subject to natural hazards, provided that the hazard is not exacerbated, or risks increased to other properties.	reject	16
3003	Transpower New Zealand Ltd	FS3003.10	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.32	accept	16
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.133	Support	Support OS 2102.32	reject	16
2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.33	Support	Add new Policy 15.2.1.5A as follows: Policy 15.2.1.5A - New infrastructure and utilities in all area s subject to natural hazards (a) Provide for new infrastructure and utilities in all areas su bject to natural hazards. provided that the hazard is not exacerbated or risk s increased to other properties.	reject	16
3002	Spark New Zealand Trading Limited	FS3002.4	Support	Support OS 2102.33	reject	16
3006	Genesis Energy Limited	FS3006.2	Support	Support OS 2102.33	reject	16

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3007	PowerCo Limited	FS3007.12	Support	Support OS 2102.33	reject	16
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.134	Support	Support OS 2102.33	reject	16
2104	Genesis Energy Limited	OS 2104.4	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.1.5(a) as follows: (a) Provide for the operation, maintenance, and-minor upgrading and rehabilitation of existing infrastruc ture and utilities, including any ancillary activities, in all areas subject to natural hazards.	reject	16
2106	WEL Networks Limited	OS 2106.2	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.1.5(a) as follows; (a) Provide for the operation, maintenance and minor upgrading and upgrading of existing infrastructure and utilities in all areas subject to natural hazards.	reject	16
3007	PowerCo Limited	FS3007.8	Support	Support OS 2106.2	reject	16
2108	Department of Conservation	OS 2108.7	Oppose	Amend Policy 15.2.1.5 as follows: (a) Provide for Recognise the need for the operation, maintena nce and minor upgrading of existing infrastructure and utiliti es in all areas subject to natural hazards and take into account the need for long-term risk reduction. OR Any alternative relief that may be appropriate	reject	16
3003	Transpower New Zealand Ltd	FS3003.6	Oppose	Oppose OS 2108.7	accept	16
3022	Ohinewai Lands Limited	FS3022.9	Oppose	Oppose OS 2053.26	accept	17
3028	Ambury Properties Limited	FS3028.7	Oppose	Oppose OS 2053.26	accept	17
3031	Waikato Regional Council	FS3031.37	Neutral	Neutral OS 2053.26	accept	17
2083	Sofia Andreen	OS 2083.1	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.1.6 - Managing natural hazard risk generally, to secure slope stability, especially risks due to	reject	17

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				trees by the Kellyville Road intersection on Koheroha Road, Mercer.		
2084	Ron Miller	OS 2084.1	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.1.6 Managing natural hazard risk generally as proposed. And Add to Chapter 15: Natural Hazards and Climate Change to allow the following: Utilising coal under Lake Waikare using Underground Coal Gasification technology. Cryo-generate gas to supply Huntly Power Station and/or produce hydrogen Create a charcoal-based sinkhole to both deepen and clean lake water fed from the Waikato River via Te Onetea Stream and other tributaries. Possible clean water source to supply future development in the North Waikato region with added water treatment facilities.	reject	17
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.5	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.1.6 - Managing natural hazard risks generally as notified	accept	17
2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.40	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.1.6 - Managing natural hazard risk generally as follows: (a) Provide for rezoning, subdivision, use and development outside High Risk Flood, High Risk Coastal Hazard (Inundation) and High Risk Coastal Hazard (Erosion) Areas where natural hazard risk has been appropriately identified and assessed taking into account the projected effects of climate change over at least a 100 year timeframe and significant and unacceptable risks are can be adequately avoided, and all other risks are appropriately managed to accept able levels including through the use of mitigations where ap propriate remedied or mitigated and does not transfer or exacerbate risk to adjoining properties.	reject	17
3027	Horticulture New Zealand	FS3027.30	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.40	accept	17
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.136	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.40	accept	17

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2103	Fire and Emergency New Zealand	OS 2103.6	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.1.6 as proposed.	accept	17
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.41	Support	Support OS 2103.6	a	17
2105	Perry Group Limited	OS 2105.4	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.1.6(a) as follows: (a) Provide for rezoning, subdivision, use and development outside High Risk Flood, High Risk Coastal Hazard, (Inundation) and High Risk Coastal (Erosion) Areas where natural hazard risk has been appropriately identified and assessed and can be adequately avoided, remedied or mitigated and does not transfer or exacerbate risk to adjoining prope rties.	reject	17
2107	Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga	OS 2107.8	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.1.6(a) - Managing natural hazard risk generally as follows: (a) Provide for the rezoning, subdivision, use and development outside High Risk Flood, High Risk Coastal Hazard (Inundation) and High Risk Coastal Hazard (Erosion) Areas where natural hazard risk has been appropriately identified and assessed and can be adequately avoided, remedied or mitigated and does not transfer or exacerbate risk to adjoining properties, including any historic heritage and sites and areas of significance to Maao ri that may be located within the property.	reject	17
2118	Russell Davis	OS 2118.1	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.1.6 - Managing hazard risk generally.	reject	17
2053	Mercury NZ Limited	OS 2053.27	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.1.9.	accept	18
3031	Waikato Regional Council	FS3031.38	Neutral	Neutral OS 2053.27	accept	18
2053	Mercury NZ Limited	OS 2053.34	Support	Retain Objective 15.2.2.	accept	19
3031	Waikato Regional Council	FS3031.45	Support	Support OS 2053.34	accept	19

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2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.80	Support	Amend Objective 15.2.2 - Awareness of natural hazard risks by relocating it to sit with Objective 15.2.1.	accept	19
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.149	Support	Support OS 2102.80	accept	19
2173	Federated Farmers of New Zealand	OS 2173.26	Support	Retain Objective 15.2.2 – Awareness of natural hazard risks as notified.	accept	19
2053	Mercury NZ Limited	OS 2053.35	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.2.1.	accept	20
3031	Waikato Regional Council	FS3031.46	Support	Support OS 2053.35	accept	20
2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.81	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.2.1(a) - Natural hazard risk information as follows: (a) Enable people to be informed and have access to information on the natural hazards including the projected effects of climate change affecting their properties and surrounding area, including through: (i) []	reject	20
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.150	Support	Support OS 2102.81	reject	20
2103	Fire and Emergency New Zealand	OS 2103.24	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.2.1 as proposed.	accept	20
2151	Waikato-Tainui Te Kauhanganui Incorporated	OS 2151.14	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.2.1 - Natural hazard risk information.	accept	20
2173	Federated Farmers of New Zealand	OS 2173.27	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.2.1 Natural hazard risk information as follows: (a) Enable people to be informed and have access to information on the natural hazards affecting their properties and surrounding area, including through: (iii) education, provision of information and community engagement; and provide information directly to owners subject to the natural hazard overlays	reject	20

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				referred to in this district plan and shown on the accompanying planning maps; (iv) Ensure landowners are made aware of the impact the natural hazard overlays will have on existing and proposed activities; (iv) alignment with the work of other agencies including iwi and the Waikato Regional Council AND Any consequential amendments that may be required.		
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.96	Support	Support OS 2173.27	reject	20
2053	Mercury NZ Limited	OS 2053.36	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.2.2.	accept	21
3031	Waikato Regional Council	FS3031.47	Neutral	Neutral OS 2053.36	accept	21
2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.82	Support	Amend Policy 15.2.2.2 - Awareness of Community Response Plans as follows: Policy 15.2.2.2 - Awareness of Consideration of Community Response Plans (a) Improve response to and recovery from natural hazard events by encouraging community awareness and use of information and methods contained in Community Response Plans. Identifying and having regard to community response plans where new subdivision, use and development is proposed in areas subject to natural hazard risk.	reject	21
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.151	Support	Support OS 2102.82	reject	21
2103	Fire and Emergency New Zealand	OS 2103.25	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.2.2 as proposed.	accept	21
2151	Waikato-Tainui Te Kauhanganui Incorporated	OS 2151.15	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.2.2 - Awareness of Community Response Plans.		21

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2173	Federated Farmers of New Zealand	OS 2173.28	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.2.2 – Awareness of Community Response Plans as notified.	accept	21
2175	Te Kopua Trust & Te Kopua 2b3	OS 2175.8	Support	Retain Policy 15.2.2.2 - Awareness of Community Response Plans	accept	21
2040	Incorporation Spark New Zealand Trading Limited	OS 2040.3	Support	Amend 15.3 by adding new clause: (e) Where the rules table for any particular hazard area doe s not include rules for earthworks, then only relevant zone or district wide ear thworks rules apply.	reject	22
3030	Federated Farmers new Zealand	FS3030.1	Support	Support OS 2040.3	reject	22
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.7	Support	Support OS 2040.3	reject	22
2101	Transpower New Zealand Ltd	OS 2101.15	Support	Add to Section 15.3(c) new (iii) as follows: (iii) any activity which is a regulated activity under the Natio nal Environmental Standards for Electricity Transmission 2010 (NESETA).	accept in part	22
2107	Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga	OS 2107.18	Support	Amend Section 15.3 - How to use and interpret the rules, (and its final version of the Plan as per the National Planning Standards) as follows: Advice note Effects on archaeological sites, both recorded (identified by the New Zealand Archaeological Association) and unrecorded, are regulated under the Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Act 2014. Heritage New Zea land Pouhere Taongo must be contacted regarding development and the need to undertake an archaeological assessment to determine the need for an archaeological authority. In the event of an accidental discovery Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Lower Northern Office must be contacted immediately on 07 577 4530.	accept	22

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2139	Ports of Auckland Limited	OS 2139.5	Support	Retain Rule 15.3 How to use and interpret the rules as notified.	accept in part	22
2161	Dilworth Trust Board	OS 2161.5	Support	Retain Rule 15.3 as notified.	accept in part	22
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.73	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendment to Rule 16.1.3(i) as notified.	accept	24
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.74	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendment to Rule 16.4.1(b)(v) as notified.	accept	24
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.75	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendment to rule 16.4.4(b)(v) as notified.	accept	24
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.76	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendment to rule 16.4.12(b)(vi).	accept	24
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.77	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendment to rule 16.5.9.3(b)(viii) as notified.	accept	24
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.78	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendment to Rule 17.1.3, matter of discretion clause (ix).	accept	24
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.79	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendment to Rule 17.4.1(b)(iii) as notified.	accept	24
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.80	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendment to Rule 17.4.1.1 as notified.	accept	24
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.81	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendment to Rule 17.5.2, matter of discretion (viii) as notified.	accept	24
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.82	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendment to Rule 17.5.9 (f) (viii) as notified.	accept	24
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.83	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendment to Rule 18.1.3, matter of discretion (i) as notified.	accept	24
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.84	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendment to Rule 18.4.1, matter of discretion (b)(iii) as notified.	accept	24
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.85	Support	Retain Variation 2 amendment to Rule 18.4.2, matte of discretion (b)(iv) as notified.	accept	24

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2050	Ward Ranch Ltd	OS 2050.3	Oppose	Delete Waikare Golf Course walkway.	reject	4
3029	TaTa Valley Limited	FS3029.13	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.7	accept	25
3022	Ohinewai Lands Limited	FS3022.5	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.9	accept	25
3028	Ambury Properties Limited	FS3028.5	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.9	accept	25
3027	Horticulture New Zealand	FS3027.44	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.9	accept	25
3029	TaTa Valley Limited	FS3029.14	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.9	accept	25
2147	Pokeno Village Holdings Limited	OS 2147.5	Support	Add, at a minimum, non-statutory hazard maps showing areas that warrant detailed liquefaction investigations and flood assessments.	reject	25
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.69	Support	Support OS 2147.5	reject	25
2161	Dilworth Trust Board	OS 2161.18	Support	Retain the Planning Maps as notified, as they relate to the Rural Campus site at 500 Lyons Road, Mangtawhiri.	accept	25
2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.7	Neutral	Amend all planning maps (hazard areas) to clarify the location and statutory intent of the maps.	accept in part	25
3029	TaTa Valley Limited	FS3029.13	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.7	accept	25
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.116	Support	Support OS 2102.7	accept in part	25
2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.9	Neutral	Amend the planning maps and/or plan provisions to address the matters raised below: The submitter seeks to clarify the following points through amendments to the provisions under Chapter 15, the planning maps or specific definitions included in the plan including but not limited to the definitions of: Annual exceedance probability; Flood plain management area; Flood	reject	25

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				ponding area; High risk flood area; High Risk Coastal Hazard (Inundation) Area; High Risk Coastal Hazard (Erosion) Area; Defended Area; Coastal Sensitivity Area (Erosion); Coastal Sensitivity Area (Inundation); Coastal Sensitivity Area (Open Coast); Risk assessment. 1. How the provisions (both policy direction and rules) are intended to apply; through reference to defined terms and/or the planning maps. 2. How natural hazards will be defined to give effect to the policy direction in the plan, in particular the projected effects of climate change, and in a manner, which can be understood and consistently applied through area or site-specific assessment where hazards are not mapped in the planning maps. 3. Clearer representation of mapped areas in the GIS viewer. 4. Management of the perception of plan users that high flood hazards may exist beyond the areas mapped in the plan. 5. Where flood hazards are to be identified through a definition that the criteria which are to be used include but are not limited to the following: (a) The area of land that is inundated by a specified, rainfall event. (b) any increases in impervious areas that would arise from changes in land use enabled by the plan. (c) the effects of climate change over a 100-year timeframe in respect of the frequency and duration of rain fall events. (d) sea level rise projections; and (e) the effects of climate change over a 100-year timeframe in respect of the frequency and intensity of storm surge events. 6. Confirmation of how the Natural hazards portal available on the WRC website is designed to reflect the most up to date information available to the region. 7. How will the planning maps be updated where land modification may affect the spatial extent of hazards and how might any site specific or area specific changes be reflected in the application of the consideration of vertical land movement (subsidence) and climate change effects in relation to rainfall and sea level rise across all definitions.		

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3016	Raglan Collective Incorporated Society	FS3016.2	Support	Support OS 2102.9	reject	25
3022	Ohinewai Lands Limited	FS3022.5	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.9	accept	25
3028	Ambury Properties Limited	FS3028.5	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.9	accept	25
3030	Federated Farmers New Zealand	FS3030.4	Support	Support OS 2102.9	reject	25
3027	Horticulture New Zealand	FS3027.44	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.9	accept	25
3029	TaTa Valley Limited	FS3029.14	Oppose	Oppose OS 2102.9	accept	25
3032	Timberline Contracting	FS3032.47	Support	Support OS 2102.9	reject	25
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.118	Support	Support OS 2102.9	reject	25
2093	TaTa Valley Limited	OS 2093.17	Oppose	Amend drafting of stage 2 PWDP by removing unnecessary complication, and amending to represent good drafting practice.	accept in part	5
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.88	Support	Amend the Stage 2 and Variation 2 provisions to clearly distinguish between "new development" and redevelopment of existing dwellings / structures, particularly within existing urban areas where development and a variety of land uses have already been established within hazard areas (such as floodplains).	accept in part	5
2094	Kainga Ora Homes and Communities	OS 2094.90	Oppose	Amend Chapter 15 and variation 2 text to cross refer to the Medium Density Residential Zone (MDRZ) sought in submissions on Stage 1 and introduce the amendments sought be the submitter to MDRZ where relevant.	accept in part	5
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.33	Oppose	Oppose OS 2094.90	reject	5

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2102	Waikato Regional Council	OS 2102.1	Neutral	Add a note to PWDP Stage I Section B - Objectives and Policies immediately before Chapter 2: Tangata Whenua as follows: Please note that objectives and policies contained within Chapter 15 Natural Hazards and Climate Change may also apply and are located within one plan chapter at Section C Rules: Chapter 15: Natural Hazards and Climate Change.	accept	5
3012	Department of Conservation	FS3012.1	Support	Support OS 2102.1	accept	5
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.110	Support	Support OS 2102.1	accept	5
2103	Fire and Emergency New Zealand	OS 2103.41	Support	Retain amendments to Stage I provisions as proposed in Variation 2 to the Proposed District Plan (Stage I).	accept in part	5
2139	Ports of Auckland Limited	OS 2139.17	Support	Retain Variation 2 Natural Hazards and Climate Change.	accept in part	5
2161	Dilworth Trust Board	OS 2161.17	Support	Retain Variation 2 as notified.	accept in part	5
2172	Federated Farmers of New Zealand	OS 2172.5	Support	Retain the Variation 2 matter of discretion for various activities requiring a controlled or restricted discretionary resource consent	accept in part	5
2178	Graham & Di McBride	OS 2178.1	Oppose	Delete Chapter 15 Natural Hazards and Climate Change and Variation 2.	reject	5
3021	Counties Power	FS3021.27	Oppose	Oppose OS 2178.1	accept	5
3031	Waikato Regional Council	FS3031.155	Neutral	Neutral OS 2178.1	accept	5
3034	Mercury NZ Limited	FS3034.106	Support	Support OS 2178.1	reject	5
2187	Mark Mathers	OS 2187.2	Oppose	Amend Chapter 15 in entirety. Review the Proposed Waikato District Plan (stage 2) and	reject	5

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				Variation 2 in their entirety to ensure aspects required by the RMA are met.		