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Lodgement of Waihi North Project

OceanaGold Waihi has lodged an application for its proposed Waihi North Project with Hauraki District Council and Waikato Regional Council. A full consent documentation package has been provided to both councils for their consideration and review.

The consent process is expected to take some time. In the interim OceanaGold Waihi has prepared a series of

summary fact sheets about the project. Members of the public are also invited to call in to the company's project office at 86 Seddon Street in Waihi.

Once the application has been accepted as complete by the councils, the Assessment of Environmental Effects (which contains the full technical reports submitted in support of the application) will also be made publicly available.

Further information on the Waihi North Project may be found here: www.waihinorth.info



Ute Donation to Waihi Land Search And Rescue

Waihi Land Search & Rescue (LandSAR) is a group of 24 volunteers available 24/7 to undertake search and rescue missions in Waihi and other urban and remote areas in Waikato and Bay of Plenty. Over the last eight years they have been directly involved in saving the lives of seven people and assisting another 35.

Waihi LandSAR have also worked with our Mines Rescue team in the past in situations that required highly trained rope rescue specialists.

Late last year, the Waihi Operation learned we had won a 2022 Mazda BT-50 dual-cab four-wheel drive Ute as part of a New Zealand-wide promotion run by suppliers Farm Source. Recognising that there were more appropriate recipients for the vehicle, we set out to find a suitable charity organisation to gift the vehicle to instead. Several charities were considered, with the Waihi branch of LandSAR ultimately being the best fit as both an organisation working in our local community and one that could make use of the vehicle's capabilities.

Waihi LandSAR Chairman Darren Butler said "the new four-wheel drive dual cab Ute would be a huge asset for the group".



