

In response quote reference: 3250946
In response enquire to: Leigh Robcke



19 August 2022

OceanaGold New Zealand Ltd
c/- Mitchell Daysh Ltd
Attention: Ethan Glover
[letter sent via email]

Dear Ethan

FURTHER INFORMATION REQUEST pursuant to section 92 of the Resource Management Act 1991 - LAND USE CONSENT APPLICATION: LUSE-202.2022.00001633.001

The resource consent application, which was lodged on 23 June 2022, and which the Hauraki District Council accepted for processing on 27 June 2022, has been reviewed, and further information is requested pursuant to section 92 of the Resource Management Act 1991.

With reference to the consent(s) sought and the corresponding assessment/reasons given, there are matters requiring further clarification and further assessment. The provision of further information is sought to address these matters, together with further assessment/refinement of the application to enable its assessment.

The application has been reviewed by each of the expert specialists engaged by Council (as detailed over the page) and where further information has been requested this is explained with reference to the corresponding attachments to this letter.

You are requested to provide an indicative timeframe for responding to the matters raised, bearing in mind the requirements of section 92A of the RMA. The Council's team would be pleased to make themselves available to discuss the matters requested, and review a draft of any responses prepared.

Under section 88C of the RMA, the processing of your application is suspended until the above matters have been addressed.

As the application has been lodged contemporaneously with the Waikato Regional Council, and is of a nature that it will need to be processed and heard together, the suspension of the application will continue until both consent authorities are satisfied that the information requested has been sufficiently addressed to enable the application to proceed.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Leigh Robcke".

Leigh Robcke
Senior Project Planner

Discipline	Author/organisation	Further information requested?
Planning	Craig McGarr (Bentley & Co)	Yes, refer attachment.
Acoustics	Nigel Lloyd (Acousafe)	Yes, refer attachment.
Blasting & Vibration	Cameron McKenzie (Blastechnology)	Yes, refer attachment.
Ecology	Gerry Kessels/Matt Baber (Alliance Ecology/ Bluewattle Ecology)	Yes, refer attachment.
Economics	Greg Akehurst (Market Economics)	No.
Geotech Engineering/ Ground Stability	Peter Fuller (Dalmour Pty Ltd)	Yes, refer attachment.
Hazardous Substances	Norbert Schaffoener (Resources Consulting)	Yes, refer attachment.
Contaminated Land	Terre Nicholson (hdGEO)	Yes, refer attachment.
Heritage/Archaeology	Neville Ritchie	No.
Landscape	Dave Mansergh (Mansergh Graham)	Yes, refer attachment.
Lighting	Russ Kern (Kern Consultants)	No.
Social Impacts	Rob Quigley (Quigley & Watts)	Yes, refer attachment.
Transportation	John Kaczon (Pinnacles Civil)	Yes, refer attachment.
Tourism & Recreation	David Varcoe (Hauraki District Council)	No.