

IN THE MATTER OF the Resource Management Act 1991

AND

IN THE MATTER OF Proposed Plan Change 22 to the Horowhenua District Plan -
Outstanding Natural Landscapes and Features

LOCAL AUTHORITY **HOROWHENUA DISTRICT COUNCIL**

MINUTE 1

ADJOURNMENT OF HEARING

Concerns with procedure

- 1 On the 17th November 2011 we adjourned the hearing on Plan Change 22 to enable sites visits to be undertaken and the reporting officer to respond in writing to issues raised during the hearing to-date. Prior to that adjournment we provided to the reporting officer a list of questions (attached). We have also enabled one submitter FRP Investments Ltd to provide us with further evidence should they wish to do so.
- 2 We have rescheduled the hearing to be completed on the 31st January 2012, 1st and 2nd of February 2012. The first two days will be taken up by sites visits and the hearing itself will recommence on the 2nd of February 2012. This will enable FRP Investments Ltd to address us on their submission and allow the reporting officer to respond to the questions we have raised and any other matters that arose during the hearing.
- 3 In terms of the site visits, Council staff will contact submitters whose properties we are intending to visit. Our visit to those properties will be on the basis of viewing the particular matters of concern on site. We will not be engaging with submitters on the merits or otherwise of their submissions.



Dean Chrystal
Hearings Commissioner



Julia Williams
Hearings Commissioner

25th November 2011