SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

HOROWHENUA DISTRICT COUNCIL PROPOSED FEES AND CHARGES 2019/20 FOOD ACT and RESOURCE CONSENTING (PLANNING)

Proposal

To set a range of fees to apply in the Horowhenua District for 2019/20, commencing 1 July 2019, in respect of:

- Food Businesses that are subject to the Food Act 2014;
- Resource Consenting (Planning) Services, Resource Management Act 1991.

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Council is required to consult when setting these fees using the Special Consultative Procedure as laid out in the Local Government Act 2002.

Food Act Fees

The Food Act 2014 (the Act), section 205(1) enables the Council, by resolution, to fix fees to recover direct and indirect costs of any registration, verification, compliance and monitoring functions performed under the Act, after using the Special Consultative Procedure as set out in section 83 of the Local Government Act 2002.

Resource Consenting (Planning) Services Fees

The Resource Management Act 1991, section 36(2) provides the Council with the ability to fix fees to recover the direct and indirect costs of Council's functions under the Act, through the use of the Special Consultative Procedure.

A copy of the proposed Fees & Charges 2019/20 can be viewed at Council's Services Centres: Te Awahou Nieuwe Stroom, 22 Harbour Street, Foxton; Plimmer Terrace, Shannon; 126 Oxford Street, Levin; or Te Takeretanga o Kura-hau-pō, Bath Street, Levin; or on Council's website: www.horowhenua.govt.nz.

Telephone enquiries can be made to Council's Customer Service Centre on (06) 366 0999.

Submissions close at 5.00 pm on 13 May 2019.