

Guide to making a further submission

A further submission can only be made in support of, or in opposition to, any original submission.

Certain persons have the right to make a further submission

Under Clause 8 of Schedule 1 to the Resource Management Act 1991 the following persons may make a further submission:

- a) any person representing a relevant aspect of the public interest, and
- b) any person that has an interest in the proposed policy statement or plan greater than the interest that the general public has, and
- c) the local authority itself.

The Resource Management (Forms, Fees, and Procedure) Regulations 2003 (Form 6) require your further submission be made in writing and to include the following information:

- The name of the local authority you are sending your submission to **Bay of Plenty Regional Council**.
- The name of the proposed plan (**Proposed Change 6 (NPS-UD) to the Bay of Plenty Regional Policy Statement**).
- Your full name, address, telephone and/or fax number and email address so information can be sent to you. This is your 'Address for Service'.
- Whether you represent a relevant aspect of the public interest, or an interest in the proposed plan that is greater than the general public.
- The name and address of the original submitter.
- The parts of the original submission you support or oppose, together with any relevant parts of the proposed plan.
- The reasons why you support or oppose the original submission.
- The decision you would like the council to reach on the original submission. Put in as much detail as possible.
- Whether you wish to be heard (speak and give evidence) at a council hearing in support of your submission.
- Whether you will consider a joint case at a council hearing with others who have lodged submissions similar to yours.

The attached submission form can be used as a guide. You can attach additional pages as necessary. You must sign and date your further submission; however, a signature isn't necessary if it is submitted electronically.

The closing date for further submissions is 4 pm Friday, 10 February, 2023

You must also send a copy of your further submission to the person who made the original submission within five working days of lodging your further submission with the council.

NOTE: Submissions contain personal information within the meaning of the Privacy Act 2020. By taking part in this public submission process, submitters agree to any personal information (including names and contact details) in their submission being made available to the public and published on our website, and for the information collected to be held in accordance with our Privacy Statement available at www.boprc.govt.nz.