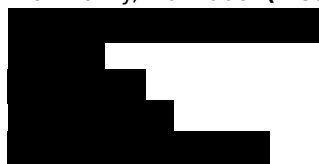


# APP202879 - PredaStop for feral cats

Submission Reference no: 112

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## Overall Notes:

### Clause

What is your position on the application

### Position

I oppose the application

### Notes

1. We strongly oppose any poison baits being laid anywhere, by anyone. Least of all any "backyard trappers" and anyone who wants to kill animals. They are the last people who should be allowed any traps and certainly NO poison! 2. The crazy idea for Predator Free NZ 2050 is pointless and unachievable. Totally mad! There is no need. There are no problems. Complete waste of money. There are plenty more important and overdue issues that are screaming out for more funding from Govt and Councils alike. 3. We strongly oppose any reduction to the current distance of 3km for notifications to dwellings of any poison bait being laid at least 3km away. This distance was decided on for good reasons. Do not reduce it. It is the barest minimum now. Cats can travel even greater distances. There are cases on record as reported in the media as part of their pro microchipping propaganda where microchipped Cats have been found over 30km from their homes. Eg: a) <https://www.stuff.co.nz/environment/98965933/olly-the-cat-found-almost-30km-from-home-on-other-side-of-aucklandwaitemat-harbour> b) <https://www.stuff.co.nz/life-style/cutestuff/102514873/matamata-pussycat-missing-for-six-months-found-in-taranaki>

### Clause

All submissions are taken into account by the decision makers. In addition, please indicate whether or not you also wish to speak at a hearing if one is held.

### Position

No I do not wish to speak about my submission at the hearing

### Notes

**The submitter have elected to withhold their personal details from publication.**