

APP202879 - PredaStop for feral cats

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Position

I oppose the application

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This is a crazy thing to even consider. Firstly, it is a cruel way to deal with the problem of feral cats. It is an inhumane method. Secondly, 500 metres is not wide enough at all. Domestic cats roam much further than that, not to mention dogs who may have got out and children! 500 metres is ridiculous! Furthermore, it is not the way to deal with feral cats because as I see it, feral cats are more a result of poverty and lack of education. For instance, there are a great number of feral cats around Porirua East. This is because, perhaps, the people that live there are not aware of the best methods to take care of pets, nor can they probably afford to. A better method might be to look into where there are a numerous amount of feral cats and find out why that is. Then problem solving could start. This method seems a cruel, thoughtless and inhumane response to the issue.

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Position

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

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