

COVID-19 Recovery (Fast-track Consenting) Act 2020 (the Act)

Papakura to Drury South State Highway 1 Improvements- Stage 1B1 resource consent applications and notices of requirement (the application)

M-8 Minute of the Papakura to Drury South State Highway 1 Improvements Expert
Consenting Panel – 5 November 2021

Extension of date for decision

1. In accordance with Clause 37(2) of Schedules 6 of the COVID-19 Recovery (Fast-track Consenting) Act 2020 (the Act), the Panel must issue its final decision no later than 25 working days after the date specified for receiving comments under clause 18 of Schedule 6 of the Act. Comments on the application closed on 24 September 2021. Processing of the application was suspended at the Applicant's request between 19 October until 27 October 2021. The due date for the decision is Monday 8 November 2021, being 25 working days after close of the comments, excluding the days processing the application was suspended.
2. Clause 37(3) of Schedule 6 provides that if the scale or nature of the proposal is such that the panel is unable to complete its decision within the timeframe, it may extend the period by (in the case of a listed project up to a further 25 working days.
3. The Panel has decided to extend the 25-working day period provided under Clause 37(2).
4. The scale and nature of the proposal, including the need for the Panel to carefully review the comments received and responses to those received comments, and the responses recently provided in relation to the draft conditions, require the additional time indicated in order to finalise a decision.
5. The decision is now due on or before Friday 12 November 2021. The Panel will endeavour to release its final decision before that date if it can.



Michael Savage
Chairperson

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