

RESOURCE MANAGEMENT ACT 1991

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION OF APPLICATIONS FOR RESOURCE CONSENTS

DETAILS of the application for resource consent listed below, including the applicant's assessment of environmental effects, may be examined during normal office hours at any of the Council's Service Centre offices. For details of your nearest Service Centre, please telephone (03) 941 8999.

Submissions can be made by notice in writing on Form 13 or to the like effect, and will be received at any Council Office until 5pm on Thursday, 4 November 2004. The address for the Council's Civic Office is PO Box 237, Christchurch. A copy of every submission must also be served on the applicant. Forms for this purpose are available at any Council Office (Town Planning Counter).

ADDRESS: 175 Old West Coast Road and
205 Old West Coast Road

CONSENT SOUGHT: Land use consent (Resource consent for discharge and excavation is also being sought from Environment Canterbury – ref. CRC 050469).

PROPOSAL: The application seeks to expand the existing quarry at 394 West Coast Road onto the adjoining sites at 175 Old West Coast Road and 205 Old West Coast Road (an expansion of approximately 4.9 ha in total). The activity will involve initial and temporary stripping of topsoil and vegetative cover, aggregate extraction, and the formation of an earth bund and landscaping around the expanded quarry area. During the activity backfilling will take place (the rate of backfilling will be dependent on the cleanfill available), and finally rehabilitated and reinstated to pasture. Excavation will be carried out by a wheeled loader and conveyor hopper, and the excavated material will be transferred to the processing plant on the existing quarry site by conveyor. The hours of operation proposed are Monday to Friday 7am to 5pm and Saturday 7am to 12pm. It is not proposed to operate the expanded quarry on Sundays.

APPLICANT: Road Metals Co Limited

APPLICANT'S ADDRESS FOR SERVICE: Jill Young, Golder Associates (NZ) Ltd, PO Box 2281, Christchurch

Please contact John Higgins (Council Planner), telephone (03) 941 6513 if you have any questions about this application.

Dated at Christchurch this 4th day of October 2004.