

3. RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AMENDMENT BILL

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Corporate Plan Output: Resource Consents	

The purpose of this report is to inform the Committee that submissions on the above Bill will soon be heard by the Select Committee.

The attached letter refers. Also attached is a letter from the Minister for the Environment outlining the government's likely stance on different aspects of the Bill.

The Committee will recall lodging a submission on the Bill last year and requesting that it be presented to the Select Committee in person. The Select Committee normally meets on Wednesday mornings in Wellington and it is noted that Councillor Manning is unavailable at that time until after 14 June. It is also noted that arrangements may be made to hear submissions in other centres.

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Recommendation: That the Chairman of the Resource Management Committee and appropriate staff attend the Select Committee hearing in support of the Council's submissions on the Resource Management Amendment Bill.