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11013-002

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Tena koe Greg

**APPLICATION FOR ARCHAEOLOGICAL AUTHORITY UNDER HERITAGE NEW ZEALAND
POUHERE TAONGA ACT 2014: Authority no. 2018/403: L30/5 Reefton Powerhouse Project**

Thank you for your application for an archaeological authority which has been granted and is attached.

In considering this application, Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga notes that you wish to undertake works to reinstate a historic hydroelectric power generation scheme for the Reefton Powerhouse Project. This activity will affect a recorded archaeological site and although the site has been damaged in the past, it still possesses important archaeological and heritage values. The construction of the original water race and power house allowed for Reefton to become the first town in Australasia to have its streets and buildings lit by electricity, commencing in 1888. The Power House Foundations are also entered on the Heritage New Zealand List as a Category II historic place. The area is of significance to Ngati Waewae and we appreciate the consultation you have undertaken.

Please inform Ngati Waewae, the s45 approved person and Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga of start and finish dates for the work.

An appeal period from receipt of decision by all parties applies. Therefore this authority may not be exercised during the appeal period of 15 working days plus 3 working days to allow receipt by all parties by post, or until any appeal that has been lodged is resolved.

This authority may not be exercised until land owner consent is received by Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga for all land affected by this authority.

If you have any queries please direct your response in the first instance to:

Gwen Jackson
Archaeologist Canterbury/West Coast
Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga, Christchurch Office
PO Box 4403,
Christchurch 8140
Phone (03) 363 1893 or 027 278 2707
Email AreaArchaeologistCW@heritage.org.nz

Yours sincerely



Pam Bain
Manager Archaeology

cc: Reefton Powerhouse Charitable Trust Incorporated
via email at betta@reefton.1@paradise.net.nz

cc: Hayden Cawte
via email at hayden.cawte@underoverarch.co.nz

cc: Ngati Waewae
via email at francois.tumahai@ngaitahu.iwi.nz

cc: Andrew Crisp
Chief Executive
LINZ
PO Box 5501
Wellington 6145

cc: Department of Conservation
Westport Office
paparoavc@doc.govt.nz

cc: David Boothman Burrell
State Highway 63
Wairau Valley 7271

cc: Planning Manager
Buller District Council
via email at info@bdc.govt.nz

Pursuant to Section 51 Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Act 2014 Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga must notify TLAs of any decision made on an application to modify or destroy an archaeological site. We recommend that this advice is placed on the appropriate property file for future reference.

cc: Ministry for Culture and Heritage
via email at protected-objects@mch.govt.nz

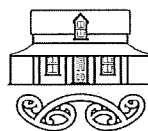
Pursuant to Section 51 Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Act 2014

cc: NZAA Central Filekeeper
c/o DOC, WELLINGTON
Attn: Nicola Molloy
via email at nmolloy@doc.govt.nz

cc: Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Archaeologist, Gwen Jackson

cc: Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Area Manager, Christine Whybrew

cc: Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Pouarahi, Huia Pacey



HERITAGE NEW ZEALAND
POUHERE TAONGA

AUTHORITY

Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Act 2014

AUTHORITY NO: 2018/403

FILE REF: 11013-002

DETERMINATION DATE: 24 January 2018

EXPIRY DATE: 24 January 2023

AUTHORITY HOLDER: Reefton Powerhouse Charitable Trust Incorporated

POSTAL ADDRESS: Betta Electrical, PO Box 4, Reefton 7830, Attn. Greg Topp

ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES: L30/5

LOCATION: Reefton Powerhouse Project

SECTION 45 APPROVED PERSON: Hayden Cawte

LAND OWNER CONSENT: To be provided

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DETERMINATION

Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga grants an authority pursuant to section 44 of the Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Act 2014, within the area specified as the Inangahua River, unallocated crown land, road reserve, Part Section 247 BLK XIV Reefton Survey District, Water Race Reserve shown on SO 7979, and Section 198 Square 131 to Reefton Powerhouse Charitable Trust Incorporated for the proposal to undertake earthworks for the reinstatement of the water race and powerhouses and the installation of interpretation, subject to the following conditions:

CONDITIONS OF AUTHORITY

1. The authority holder must ensure that all contractors working on the project are briefed by the s45 approved person on the possibility of encountering archaeological evidence, how to identify possible archaeological sites during works, the archaeological work required by the conditions of this authority, and contractors' responsibilities with regard

to notification of the discovery of archaeological evidence to ensure that the authority conditions are complied with.

2. The authority must be exercised in accordance with an amended version of the management plan (K Webb, October 2017, Reefton Power Scheme: Archaeological Management Plan) attached to the authority application. No works affecting archaeological sites shall commence until the amended plan has been approved by Heritage New Zealand and any further changes to the plan require the prior written agreement of Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga.
3. Any archaeological evidence encountered during the exercise of this authority must be investigated, recorded and analysed in accordance with current archaeological practice.
4. The authority holder must ensure that if any possible taonga or Maori artefacts, or sites of Maori origin are encountered, all work should cease within 20 metres of the discovery. The Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Archaeologist and Ngati Waewae must be advised immediately and no further work in the area may take place until they have responded.
5. That within 20 working days of the completion of the on-site archaeological work associated with this authority;
 - a) An interim report outlining the archaeological work undertaken must be submitted to the Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Archaeologist.
 - b) Site record forms must be updated or submitted to the NZAA Site Recording Scheme.
6. That within 6 months of the completion of the on-site archaeological work, the authority holder shall ensure that a final report, completed to the satisfaction of Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga, is submitted to the Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Archaeologist.
 - a) One hard copy and one digital copy of the final report are to be sent to the Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Archaeologist.
 - b) Digital copies of the final report must also be sent to: NZAA Central Filekeeper; Blacks Point Museum; Ngati Waewae; landowners of all land affected.

Signed for and on behalf of Heritage New Zealand.



Claire Craig
Deputy Chief Executive Policy, Strategy and Corporate Services
Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga
PO Box 2629
WELLINGTON 6140

Date 24-01-18

ADVICE NOTES

Contact details for Heritage New Zealand Archaeologist

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Current Archaeological Practice

Current archaeological practice may include, but is not limited to, the production of maps/ plans/ measured drawings of site location and extent; excavation, section and artefact drawings; sampling, identification and analysis of faunal and floral remains and modified soils; radiocarbon dating of samples; the management of taonga tuturu and archaeological material; the completion of a final report and the updating of existing (or creation of new) site record forms to submit to the NZAA Site Recording Scheme. The final report shall include, but need not be limited to, site plans, section drawings, photographs, inventory of material recovered, including a catalogue of artefacts, location of where the material is currently held, and analysis of recovered material.

Please note that where one is required, an interim report should contain a written summary outlining the archaeological work undertaken, the preliminary results, and the approximate percentage of archaeological material remaining *in-situ* and a plan showing areas subject to earthworks, areas monitored and the location and extent of any archaeological sites affected or avoided.

Rights of Appeal

An appeal to the Environment Court may be made by any directly affected person against any decision or condition. The notice of appeal should state the reasons for the appeal and the relief sought and any matters referred to in section 58 of the Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Act 2014. The notice of appeal must be lodged with the Environment Court and served on Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga within 15 working days of receiving the determination, and served on the applicant or owner within five working days of lodging the appeal.

Review of Conditions

The holder of an authority may apply to Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga for the change or cancellation of any condition of the authority. Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga may also initiate a review of all or any conditions of an authority.

Non-compliance with conditions

Note that failure to comply with any of the conditions of this authority is a criminal offence and is liable to a penalty of up to \$120,000 (Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Act 2014, section 88).

Costs

The authority holder shall meet all costs incurred during the exercise of this authority. This includes all on-site work, post fieldwork analysis, radiocarbon dates, specialist analysis and preparation of interim and final reports.

Assessment and Interim Report Templates

Assessment and interim report templates are available on the Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga website: archaeology.nz

Guideline Series

Guidelines referred to in this document are available on the Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga website: archaeology.nz

The Protected Objects Act 1975

The Ministry for Culture and Heritage (“the Ministry”) administers the Protected Objects Act 1975 which regulates the sale, trade and ownership of taonga tūturu.

If a taonga tūturu is found during the course of an archaeological authority, the Ministry or the nearest public museum must be notified of the find within 28 days of the completion of the field work.

Breaches of this requirement are an offence and may result in a fine of up to \$10,000 for each taonga tūturu for an individual, and of up to \$20,000 for a body corporate.

For further information please visit the Ministry’s website at <http://www.mch.govt.nz/nz-identity-heritage/protected-objects>.

Land Owner Requirements

If you are the owner of the land to which this authority relates, you are required to advise any successor in title that this authority applies in relation to the land. This will ensure that any new owner is made aware of their responsibility in regard to the Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Act 2014.



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APPROVAL

Pursuant to section 45 of the Act, **Hayden Cawte**, is approved by Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga to carry out any archaeological work required as a condition of authority 2018/403, and to compile and submit a report on the work done. Hayden Cawte will hold responsibility for the current archaeological practice in respect of the archaeological authority for which this approval is given.

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