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Form 6

Further submission in support of, or in opposition to, submission/s on the notified Proposed Kaipara District Plan

Clause 8 of Schedule 1, Resource Management Act 1991

This is a further submission that is either **in support of** or **in opposition to** a submission already received by Kaipara District Council on all topics except for the topic of Light in the Proposed Kaipara District Plan.

No new submission points can be made.

The topic of Light was notified for further submissions on 21 October 2025 prior to all other topics due to the hearing for Light being confirmed for December 2025.

- This Form 6 is available for further submissions on all Proposed Kaipara District Plan topics except for Light. The topic of Light was notified for Further Submissions between 21 October 2025 and 4 November 2025 as a hearing for this topic is being held in December 2025.
- **PRIVACY ACT NOTE:** Please note that all information provided in your further submission is considered public under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 and may be published to progress the process for the Proposed Kaipara District Plan and may be made publicly available.
- I understand that information provided in my submission may be published. *
1A
 - Yes
 - No

- **Use this page to provide your contact details and indicate your preferences regarding hearings.**

- Please provide your details: *

2A

**Your
initial/s
and last
name**

Solange Bely

**Your
postal
address
(including
Post
Code)**

316 Clements Road RD 3 Matapouri Whangarei 0173

**Contact
phone
number**

022 181 7786 not for publication

- Enter your email address:

2B

solange@actrix.co.nz

- Do you have an agent who is acting on your behalf?

2C

- Yes
 No

- We prefer to contact you by email, as it's faster and more reliable than post.
2E However, we're happy to use whichever method suits you best — please select your preferred contact method below: *

- Email
 Postal

- I am (select one of the following options): *

2G

- a person representing a relevant aspect of the public interest
 a person who has an interest in the proposal that is greater than the interest the general public has
 the local authority for the relevant area

- You must specify the grounds for saying that you come within this category (see 2H examples below if you need assistance): *

I am a landowner, organic gardener, and part of a community (Mamaki community) that focuses on self-sufficiency in kai/ seeds. The integrity of our kai/ seed resources is paramount and I note

that any outdoor GE/GMO experiments, field trials, or releases in the Kaipara District would directly threaten the integrity of Whangarei District due to all the vectors of GE/GMO contamination. Vectors for GE/GMO contamination include seeds, pollen, wind, soils, waterways, machinery, animals, insects, extreme weather events including flooding, storage facilities. Whangarei District is part of the Northland/ Auckland GM Free Food Producer Region and our District council has precautionary and prohibitive GE/GMO provisions, policies, and rules in the operative District Plan. The Northland RPS and Northland Regional Plan (and Auckland Unitary Plan) also has precautionary and prohibitive gE/GMO provisions, policies and rules in the operative plans. The Northland plans give direction to all the Northland District Councils including KDC.

- *For example: Any person representing a relevant aspect of the public interest would likely include public interest environmental groups*

OR

Any person that has an interest in the proposed policy statement or plan greater than the interest that the general public has is likely to include owners of land and users of resources directly affected by plan provisions. It is also likely to include iwi and hapu where their interests are directly affected

- I wish to be heard in support of my further submission *

2I

- Yes
- No

- If others make a similar further submission, I will consider presenting a joint case

2J with them at the hearing *

- Yes
- No

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All of the above documents will open in a new window on your computer, you can also download and save them all if you wish.

- **Instructions:**

1. Enter the **Original Submitter's Name** and the **Submission Point Number** you are further submitting on.
Ensure accuracy—incorrect details may result in your submission being rejected.
2. After completing questions 3B–3E, you can add up to **19 more further submissions** on this form.
3. If you need to make more than 20 further submissions, **start a new form**.

- Enter the name of the person or organisation who made the original submission
3A that you are further submitting on: *

Northland Regional Council

- Enter the exact submission point number that you are further submitting on
3B (incorrect numbers may cause your submission to be rejected):

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- I support/oppose (tick applicable) the original submission of the submitter: *
3C
 - I support this original submission point of the submitter named above
 - I oppose this original submission point of the submitter named above

- **Clearly explain below why you support or oppose the original submission point:**

1. Keep your explanation **brief** and ensure you give clear reasons for why you are supporting or opposing the original submission.
2. If you would like to upload any documentation to support your submission - you can do this in the next question.
3. **Important:** Do **not** introduce new submission points - only enter your reasons for supporting or opposing the original submission point.

- The reasons for my support/opposition are: *
3D

I support the Northland Regional Council submission on the GE/GMO issue/ topic, as it is entirely appropriate that the NRC remind Kaipara District Council of your obligation to take a precautionary approach to any outdoor GE/GMOs...this is especially important given the precautionary and prohibitive GE/GMO provisions, policies, and rules in the operative Northland "Regional Policy Statement" and Northland "Regional Plan". I note that the NRC is a full member of the Northland/ Auckland 'Inter Council Working Party on GMO Risk Evaluation & Management Options"...as is/ was KDC (KDC was a formative

member of the Northland/ Auckland ICWP on GMOs, its inception was in 2002

- Do you have any attachments that relate directly to your Further Submission that you would like to upload? *
3E

- Yes
- No

- Do you have another further submission to make? *
3G

- Yes
- No

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- Enter the name of the person or organisation who made the original submission that you are further submitting on: *
4A

GE Free Northland

- Enter the exact submission point number that you are further submitting on (incorrect numbers may cause your submission to be rejected):
4B

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- I support/oppose (tick applicable) the original submission of the submitter: *
4C

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- The reasons for my support/opposition are: *
4D

I wholeheartedly support the submission by GE Free Northland, who works hard to protect our regions biosecurity, unique biodiversity, wider environment, existing GM free farmers/ primary producers, our food sovereignty, economy, cultural values, valuable "Northland, naturally" brand, seeds, and the public health. ...from the risks of outdoor GE/GMOs.

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4E

- Yes
- No

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4G

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- No

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- Enter the name of the person or organisation who made the original submission **5A** that you are further submitting on: *

Auckland GE Free Coalition

- Enter the exact submission point number that you are further submitting on **5B** (incorrect numbers may cause your submission to be rejected):

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- I support/oppose (tick applicable) the original submission of the submitter: * **5C**
 - I support this original submission point of the submitter named above
 - I oppose this original submission point of the submitter named above

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- The reasons for my support/opposition are: * **5D**

I support the Auckland GE Free Coalition submission as its submission is excellent and Auckland is part of the Northland/Auckland GE Free Zone. The Auckland Unitary Plan has precautionary and prohibitive GE/GMO provisions, policies and rules (both on land and in the Coastal Marine Area).

- Do you have any attachments that relate directly to your Further Submission that
5E you would like to upload? *

Yes

No

- Do you have another further submission to make? *
5G

Yes

No

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- Enter the name of the person or organisation who made the original submission
6A that you are further submitting on: *

Te Rununga a Iwi o Ngapuhi

- Enter the exact submission point number that you are further submitting on
6B (incorrect numbers may cause your submission to be rejected):

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- I support/oppose (tick applicable) the original submission of the submitter: *
6C

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- I oppose this original submission point of the submitter named above

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- The reasons for my support/opposition are: *

6D

I totally support the submission by Ngapuhi on the GE/GMO issue- I note that all Iwi authorities in Tai Tokerau have precautionary and prohibitive GE/GMO policies for their respective rohe. Outdoor GE/GMO experiments, field trials, and releases must be banned in the Tai Tokerau region, due to the risks to our biosecurity, unique biodiversity (ie. indigenous taonga species), wider environment, cultural values, existing GM free farmers/ primary producers including conventional, IPM, organic/ Hua Parakore, our economy, valuable "Northland, naturally" brand, our food sovereignty, heritage seeds, and the public health

- Do you have any attachments that relate directly to your Further Submission that you would like to upload? *

6E

- Yes
- No

- Do you have another further submission to make? *

6G

- Yes
- No

- **Thank You for Your Submission**

This is confirmation that your further submission has been successfully received and it will be forwarded to the District Planning Team for analysis. If there are any queries on your further submission, we will contact you either via email or telephone.

Next Steps (Legal Requirement)

- **You must serve a copy of your further submission on the original submitter within 5 working days** of submitting it to the Council.

- This is **your responsibility**.
- Download contact details of original submitters here: [Submitter Contact List](#)

Additional Information:

- If you submitted electronically, **no signature is required**.
- A copy of your submission will be emailed to you shortly.
 - If you don't receive it within a few minutes, check your **spam/junk/updates folders**.
- If you nominated an agent for correspondence, they will also receive a copy.

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