

RESOURCE CONSENT NOTICE

Limited Notification of an Application for Resource Consent Under Section 95B of the Resource Management Act 1991

The Dunedin City Council has received the following application for resource consent:

Resource Consent Application No: LUC-2016-94

Name of Applicants: Aurora Energy Limited

Location of Site: 613A Maungatua Road being that land legally described as Section 58 Block I Maungatua Survey (CT OT 410/35) comprising 202m². The site is located adjacent to Berwick Zone Substation at 613 Maungatua Road which is designated for 'Electricity Purposes' (D234).

Description of Application: Resource consent is sought to construct, operate and maintain a transmission level microwave link at 613A Maungatua Road which will require the following structures:

One 18 metre high galvanised steel mast with a 1.0m high lighting arrester on top of the mast. The mast has a diameter of 570mm and the lighting rod has a diameter of between 20mm and 32mm. An 800mm diameter microwave dish antenna is attached to the mast at 17.5m in height by a 2.0m long support arm. The mast will be painted a recessive colour. The dish antenna and support arms will be grey in colour. Access is via the existing vehicle access on Maungatua Road. Power and fibre for the facility will be from the adjacent substation site. Ancillary electrical equipment for the mast will be located within the existing control room on the adjacent substation site.

The facility is designed to achieve line of sight from the proposed antenna back to equipment at Saddle Hill. An indicative photograph of a similar installation is included in the application.

The site is zoned Rural. The proposal is assessed as a **discretionary (restricted)** activity under the Dunedin City District Plan.

The Proposed 2GP was notified on 26 September 2015, and some 2GP rules have immediate legal effect. In this instance, there are no relevant 2GP rules to consider.

The above application is being processed pursuant to the Limited Notification provisions of section 95B of the Resource Management Act 1991. This means that notice of the application is being served on those parties that the Dunedin City Council considers may be adversely affected and have not given written approval to the activity. Only these parties may make a submission on the proposal.

We have identified you as a party who may be affected by the proposal and you have not given your written approval to the activity. If you would like to make a submission on the application, you may do so by delivering a written submission to City Planning, Dunedin City Council, at 50 The Octagon; or mailing to PO Box 5045, Moray Place, Dunedin 9058; emailing to planning@dcc.govt.nz. The submission must be in Form 13, which is attached.

I attach a copy of the application details together with copies of the plans submitted by the applicant. The application also includes an assessment of environmental effects. Please contact Melissa Shipman on phone 03 474 3448 if you have any questions about the application.

Submissions close on **2 June 2016**.

You must serve a copy of your submission on Aurora Energy Limited, the applicant, whose address for service is C/- Delta Utility Services Limited, PO Box 1404, Dunedin 9054, as soon as reasonably practicable after serving your submission on the Dunedin City Council.

Signed on behalf of the Dunedin City Council

Date