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Kia ora Alicia-Kate

MINISTER FOR COURTS – DECISION ON DESIGNATIONS

Thank you for the Council's recommendations to the Minister for Courts (the Minister) under clause 9, Schedule 1 of the Resource Management Act 1991 (RMA), in relation to the Minister's designations in the Proposed Far North District Plan.

This includes recommendations in relation to the Minister's designation in the Proposed Far North District Plan, as outlined below:

- MC39: Kaitaia District Court, Kaitaia
- MC40: Kaikohe District Court, Kaikohe

The Ministry received the Council's recommendations on its designations on 30 June 2026. The Ministry confirms the Council's recommendations on these designations in whole. The Ministry of Justice is acting under delegated the authority from the Minister for Courts in respect of designations under the RMA.

Apologies for the delay in issuing this letter. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me.

Nāku noa, nā

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(Acting under delegated authority from the Minister for Courts)