

PDP Hearing 15D Kerikeri zoning

Rolf Mueller-Glodde - Chair

Good morning,

today we are here with a crowd:

Katerina Dvorakowa, who has prepared expert evidence for our groups

Annika Dickey and Kirsty Grant of Our Kerikeri

Dr. Melanie Miller of Kapiro Conservation Trust

Inge Bremer, Mike Simm and myself of Vision Kerikeri and Carbon Neutral NZ Trust  
and apologies from Kylie Mooney, acting CEO of Kerikeri Retirement Village, who is  
out of town and sent her statement of support (circulated).

We come today as a crowd in order to support, appeal and to protest.

Yes, we protest against the plan to change Kerikeri in way the community does not  
want and has not been consulted about. While higher density was agreed in the  
Spatial Plan, high rise buildings in the CBD are not agreed, wanted or required.

Annika will outline our expectations before Katerina will go into the details.

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In conclusion, we hope our submission has made our support for the zone changes  
for the Turnstone Trust land and the KFO Land -with conditions- as well as our  
strong objection against the imposition of changes for our small town Kerikeri quite  
clear. We do agree with sustainable growth and reasonable density without high  
rise buildings exceeding 8 respectively 12 meter. We expect public amenities and  
improved connectivity from the large developers at no or low cost for ratepayers  
and support their applications accordingly.

We thank you for your understanding.

