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Sent: Wednesday, 11 June 2025 8:16 am
To: Jeff Kemp
Subject: Re: REQ626442 Kemp J Flood Hazard Mapping Request For Information Waitotara Drive Waipapa Kerikeri 20250607

Morning Jeff,

Hope this email finds you well.

I understand that the works along the Waipetakoura River have a 50 year level of service. This will be confirmed in the new model that I refer to below.

You are correct that the river flood hazard mapping on the online NRC Natural Hazards map has not been updated to reflect the flood mitigation measures undertaken in the area.

There is a new Kerikeri/Waipapa model underway, after talking to colleague who is involved in that modelling project, I understand they hope to see it released later this year but that is dependent on a few factors such as how the QA of the model goes. But once released, that new model will supersede the current priority rivers model for Kerikeri/Waipapa.

Kind regards,

Ngā mihi

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From: Jeff Kemp <Jeff@kerikemps.co.nz>

Sent: Saturday, June 07, 2025 7:51 PM

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Subject: REQ626442 Kemp J Flood Hazard Mapping Request For Information Waitotara Drive Waipapa Kerikeri 20250607

Hello there ,

I have tried beforehand but are trying to secure the update Hazard Mapping for the Waipapa locality since the installation of the flood mitigation measures along Whirihiritoa Stream and the western banks of the Kerikeri River.

The mitigation works were undertaken within the past 2/3 years, along with substantial stormwater management systems for the new Waipapa Sports complex.

To date all maps shows an extensive area of 1;100 year events through the sports grounds and a number of properties along Waitotara Drive.

In relation to the properties along Waitotara Drive, the information supporting your Councils resource consent application stated that properties long Waitotara Drive would be exempt from the 1:100 year flood event.

I seek this information as I am preparing evidence to go before the FNDC Hearing Panel relative to the Proposed District Plan.

I am required to lodge my evidence by 15 June 2021 so a response to this request is time related.

If my request is problematic could you at least respond on the following points –

1. The mitigation works have reduced the potential effect of 1;100 year events along Waitotara Drive properties ;
2. The Hazard Mapping held on Councils data base has not been updated to reflect the flood mitigation measures ;
3. New Hazard Maps are being complied and will be released on ???

Apologies for this short timeline and trust you can assist.

I am more than happy to liaise with someone on my request in the interim.

Many thanks,

Jeff

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