### Residential Water and Wastewater Connection Guidance Notes



Note this application form is for residential properties only. A separate application form is required for commercial properties.

### Who can connect?

Council has potable water supplies in all or parts of the following communities: Kaikohe/Ngawha, Okaihau, Kerikeri/Waipapa, Kaitaia, Opononi/Omapere, Kawakawa/Moerewa, Rawene and Paihia/Waitangi/Opua.

Council has reticulated wastewater networks in all or parts of Ahipara, Mangonui/Coopers Beach/Taipa, Hihi, Kaeo, Kaikohe, Kaitaia, Kawakawa, Kerikeri, Opononi/Omapere, Paihia/Waitangi/Opua, Rawene, Rangiputa, Russell, Whangaroa and Whatuwhiwhi/Tokerau Beach.

Properties that can connect are those identified as being within the "Area of Benefit"- that is, those properties that the scheme has been designed to cater for. Plans showing the "Areas of Benefit" are available from Council.

Council does not service properties outside the "Areas of Benefit" with either reticulated water or reticulated wastewater services. Confirmation of whether your property is within an "Area of Benefit" can be determined by contacting Council.

### Service connection application details

It is important that all required details are supplied on the application form, even if 'No Services Required' has been ticked. Once the application and site plan have been reviewed by Council, it will be easier to contact the applicant or property owner if all the correct information has been supplied.

### How long will a new connection take?

If a quote is required this will normally be processed within 10 working days and provided in writing to the applicant (if you qualify for a standard connection).

Physical works for a standard connection are usually carried out by our contractors within 10 working days of Council receiving full payment of the invoice (for standard connections).

### Who can install new service connections?

For health and safety reasons, all water service connections to Council mains must be installed by a Council approved contractor . All wastewater connections can be installed by Council approved contractor or a registered drainlayer.

### **Site Plans**

As well as the application form, a copy of a detailed site and services plan/s showing all relevant information is required for Council to process the application. The plans shall clearly show: property boundaries, location of existing services, location of proposed connection, location of obstructions and size and type of materials. FNDC can provide plans upon request. Contact us on 09 401 5200 or 0800 920 029 if you require any help.

#### **Backflow**

All water connections to properties are required to have boundary backflow protection installed. The standard of backflow protection is determined on a case by case basis and reflects the potential risk to the Council water supply from activities within the property.

### **Fees and Charges**

All fees will be invoiced to the person selected on section 5 of the application form. All fees must be paid prior to our contractors carrying out the works. Fees and Charges information can be viewed on Page 5.

For a full list of Council's Schedule of fees and charges please visit <a href="www.fndc.govt.nz/services/fees-and-charges-index">www.fndc.govt.nz/services/fees-and-charges-index</a>

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- 1. Please complete all the details required on this page and sign the Services Declaration below.
- 2. Provide a copy of the site and drainage plan (asbuilt)
- 3. Read information on the following pages in order to establish if you are required to make an application for water and wastewater. Then:
  - If an application for connection is required:
  - Tick the box(es) below indicating the services you require and complete the service connection page

Are you applying for services as part of a:					
Building consent BC#	Resource consent RC#	Other			
1. Services applied for					
☐ Water	☐ Wastewater (Se	☐ Wastewater (Sewerage)			
2. Location of work / building					
Physical Address					
Town	Valuation Number				
Lot No.	DP No.	CT No.			
3. Property owners details					
Name					
Postal Address		Post Code			
Phone & Mobile	Email				
4. Applicants details (if different	from the property owner)				
Company Name		act Person			
Postal Address		Post Code			
Phone & Mobile	Email				
5. Application fees to be paid	by: (tick one) Owner	Applicant			
Office Use Only					
Date Lodged / /	Lodged By				
Application # WTRRET /	Quote RFS				
PID#	Connect RFS				

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If you tick yes to any of the requirements on the following pages:

- Complete all of the information required in each section
- 2. Tick the **services applied for** box(es) on the front page of this application and ensure that all the relevant information is completed.

Wa	ter connection		
I proj	pose to:		
□ Inst	all a new water meter (20mm standard domestic supply)	)	
☐ Con	nect to an existing water meter		Water Meter Serial No:
□ Relo	ocate an existing water meter		Water Meter Serial No:
☐ Upg	rade an existing water meter	_ mm	Water Meter Serial No:
	☐ Have you attached a site plan showing the required location of weed copies of As-Builts, call us on 0800 920 029 and our staff will ass		r? This is required for Council to process the application? If you
Willy	your land use include any of the followir	ng?	
☐ Swim	nming pool/ fountain		Fire sprinkler system (this will require a fire sprinkler design
□ Seco	ndary water supply		for a new domestic fire sprinkler system)
☐ Stora	ige tanks		Any other hazard classified in <u>G12/As1 of the NZ Building Code</u> (Please specify)
☐ Irriga	tion system		Other
Wast	tewater connection		
l prop	oose to: Gravity Connection		Low Pressure sewerage system
□ Insta	all a new wastewater connection to main required		Install new boundary kit
□ Insta	all a new wastewater connection to manhole required		No boundary kit
☐ Con	nect to an already installed wastewater connection		
	ave you lodged a building consent for sewerage drainage work? We carepartment a call on 0800 920 029 to discuss.	annot proc	ess your application without one. Give our Building Consent
Sub	divisions, Pressure Testing, Inspectio	ns an	d Approvals
	Plans and specifications of all works must be approved	d by Co	uncil before any physical works are undertaken.
	All pipes associated with subdivisions must undergo p sterilised prior to being connected to Council's network		testing and inspected by FNDC, and all water mains must be
	be approved, contractors must have the appropriate e	xperien	tworks can only be undertaken by Council approved contractors. To ce, have the necessary health and safety systems, have the conjunction with Council's network maintenance contractors.

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Registered drain layer's details							
0	Naa			Careta et Dave			
Compa	ny Name			Contact Pers	on		
Postal A	Address					Post Code	
Phone	& Mobile		Email				
Registr	ation No			Expiry Date			
that se	werage conn	an existing sewerage connection and you know ection. You must have a building consent to do the backfilled. If the location of the sewerage connections are the sewerage connections.	is work a	and inspection from	a building i	inspector must be undertaken	prior
Pri	vacy						
District ( collectio records	Council unless n. The informa to ensure all re	ed in this application form will be held and used by the salegally required under the Local Government Official Intition supplied will be used for: assessing and processing ecords are accurate, providing Far North District Council volume of information collected.	formation this applic	and Meetings Act 198 ation and for adminis	37 or for one tration purpos	of the purposes in connection wit ses, updating Far North District Co	th its ouncil
Dec	laration						
		of the property OR I am authorised to make this the owner (attach written authority from property owner)	3.	of the premises and	I understand t	Council in writing of any change of that failure to comply with this requir	
		e that this application is subject to, and I agree to comply litions of the Far North District Council's Water Supply,		ment is an offence un subject to a fine of up		114 of the Building Act 2004 and is	
	Wastewater & Drainage Bylaws 2009 ("the Bylaw")	4.	All information provid	led on this for	m is true and correct.		
Name							
Signat	ure				Date		

### **Fees and Charges**

Note: A non-refundable administrational application fee of \$47.00 for each service is payable upon lodgment of an application. All service connection fees and any applicable water and / or wastewater development contributions must be paid in full prior to any connections being made.

Activity / Service	Fee / Charge GST Incl
Administration fee for a water connection	\$47.00
Administration fee for a wastewater connection	\$47.00
Standard 20mm water meter connection in footpath within 5mtrs of main	Quote to be provide
Standard 20mm water meter connection in berm within 5mtrs of main	Quote to be provide
All new connections including meter and meter box	Quote to be provided
Water meter installation with backflow	Quote to be provided
New wastewater connection provided by Council's contractor up to 150mm main (includes connection to main and 1m of pipe from Council main)	Quote to be provided
New wastewater connection provided by Council's contractor to mains greater than 150mm, or connection lengths greater than 1 metre, or where a manhole or chamber is required.	Quote to be provided
New connection to a pressure wastewater network provided by Council's contractor	Quote to be provided
Upgrade or modify existing connection	Quote to be provided
Relocation of existing water meter	Quote to be provided
Building consent for connection to wastewater reticulation	See Fees & Charges

Wastewater connected rate for all new connections

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### How to submit your application

#### Post your completed application to:

Far North District Council Attention: Infrastructure & Asset Management Support Team Memorial Avenue Private Bag 752 KAIKOHE 0440

Email to: ask.us@fndc..govt.nz

#### Drop your application into one of our Centres:

Kaikohe Service Centre, 5 Memorial Ave, Kaikohe

Kerikeri Service Centre, John Butler Centre, 60 Kerikeri Rd, Kerikeri

Kawakawa Service Centre, Gillies Ave, Kawakawa

Kaitaia Service Centre, South Rd, Kaitaia

Kaeo Service Centre, Leigh St, Kaeo

Hokianga i-Site, 29-31 SH12, Opononi

Paihia i-Site, The Wharf, Marsden Road, Paihia

Rawene Service Centre, Parnell St, Rawene

<sup>\*</sup> Where a property connects to sewerage after 1 July in any year, the connection fee will include a sum in lieu of a rate.

The amount of the fee will be calculated on the basis of one twelfth (1/12) of the relevant capital, operating and additional pan rates for the scheme concerned for every complete month until 30 June in the following year. Service availability charge where a new wastewater connection is provided but the property does not connect Where sewerage is made available to a property after 1 July in any year but the property does not connect, the connection fee will include a sum in lieu of a rate. The amount of the fee will be calculated on the basis of one twelfth (1/12) of the relevant availability rate for the scheme concerned for every complete month until 30 June in the following year.