

PUBLIC NOTICE

DRAFT FREEDOM CAMPING BYLAW

Following a review of the Freedom Camping Bylaw 2019, Kawerau District Council has adopted a revised Draft Freedom Camping Bylaw for public consultation. Key changes in the draft policy are that:

- Updated references to the Freedom Camping Act 2011
- Incorporation of explanatory Notes
- Statutory definitions updated
- Maximum of 7 nights in any one calendar month and 7 consecutive nights where stay crosses two months
- Minor changes to permitted and restricted sites
- Prior Approval considerations

The changes are intended to better protect the Kawerau District and public facilities for the use of everyone and enable some flexibility.

DRAFT NAMING POLICY

Kawerau District Council has adopted a proposed Draft Naming Policy for public consultation. This new policy aims to provide clarity around the process and requirements for naming roads, opens space, open space features and Council facilities.

The policy covers the following key points:

- Procedure for selecting names
- Naming Criteria
- Property address numbering
- Te Reo Māori names
- Policy on Renaming

For more information

The Draft Freedom Camping Bylaw and Draft Naming Policy the District Office can be viewed on the Council website: kaweraudc.govt.nz or printed copies are available at the Council Office, library and isite.

All submitters have the opportunity to present their views to Council at the hearing on Wednesday 25 September 2024. Please indicate if you wish to be heard in person.

Submissions now open

Council invites people to have their say on the draft Freedom Camping Bylaw and the Draft Naming Policy. Submissions must be in writing and can be made via;
Postal: Chief Executive Officer, Kawerau District Council at Private Bag 1004, Kawerau 3169
Email submissions@kaweraudc.govt.nz
Online kaweraudc.govt.nz
Submissions close at 5.00pm on Friday 6 September 2024.

For information and queries, please contact Council on 07 306 9009.

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