

# Rates Remission

## Postponement and Remission of Rates on Māori Land

This application is made under Council's Policy on Postponement and Remission of Rates on Māori Land. Applications must be made before 31 December for previous applicants or 31 May for new applicants.

### 1. Applicant Details

Ratepayer Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Postal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### 2. Rating Unit Information

Valuation Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Property Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Please confirm the status of the land: *(tick one)*

- Māori freehold land, or land which was converted from Māori freehold land to general title by status order change pursuant to the Māori Affairs Amendment Act 19671; or
- General land which is held in collective Māori ownership; or
- Land which has been transferred from the Crown to, and is held by, a post settlement governance entity as a result of a treaty settlement.

Is the land generating a commercial return? *(tick one)*  Yes  No

The eligible land must also meet one of the following: *(tick one)*

1. Is being held for at least one of the following reasons:
- a) The protection of wāhi tapu or other cultural values intrinsic to the land; or
  - b) Providing economic, cultural or infrastructure support for marae (including papakāinga housing); or
  - c) Education, cultural or community purposes; or
2. Satisfies at least one of the benefits requirements for land under development under section 114A(3) of the Local Government (Rating Act) 2002, or
3. Satisfies at least one of the objectives under Schedule 11 of the Local Government Act 2002.

If you've selected option 2 or 3 above, please explain how you meet this criteria: \_\_\_\_\_

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Signed: _____	Name: _____	Date: _____
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### Privacy Statement

In this application we collect personal information from you including information on the ratepayer, contact information, information relating to a property, and information to support the application for remission. We collect your personal information in order to:

- assess the suitability of your remission application, and if successful we will apply the remission directly to your rates account.

If you do not provide the information requested in this form, Council will be unable to assess your remission application. You have the right to ask for a copy of any personal information we hold about you, and to ask for it to be corrected if you think it is wrong. If you'd like to ask for a copy of your information, or to have it corrected, please contact us on 03 543 8400.