

ECO - Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity

Section / Sub-section / Provision	Submitter Name	Submission number / Point Number	Position	Summary of Submission	Relief Summary	Link to Submission (click to open)
ECO - Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity /ECO - Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity /	Lynne Anderson	96.1	Amend	Considers that mention of the Indigenous Biodiversity Plan Variation should be amended to reference support for the NPS - Indigenous Biodiversity ("NPS-IB") in relation to banded dotterel and the desirability of a part of Napier's coastline as a Significant Natural Area ("SNA") with the addition of greater Bylaw / enforcement for all of Napier's coastline.	Amend ECO - Ecosystem and Indigenous Biodiversity, Indigenous Biodiversity Plan Variation to reference support for the gazetted NPS - Indigenous Biodiversity ("NPS-IB") 2023 in relation to banded dotterel as Threatened or At Risk species in Appendix 2: Specified Highly Mobile Fauna and the desirability of a part of Napier's coastline as a Significant Natural Area ("SNA") with the addition of objectives, policies, methods for the protection, maintenance and enhancement of SNAs to avoid certain effects as set out in the NPS-IB. As well as greater Bylaw / enforcement for all of Napier's coastline. (Inferred relief requested)	Open Submission
ECO - Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity /ECO - Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity /	Rebecca Eng	99.58	Support	Transpower supports a variation to the PDP in relation to Indigenous Biodiversity, noting the NPS-IB does not apply to electricity transmission. Transpower notes the submission points made in the balance of this submission have been made without the benefit of the Indigenous Biodiversity provisions and therefore Transpower reserves its position on the lodged submission points in so far as they relate to Indigenous Biodiversity.	Seeks to ensure submitters have the ability to update other submission points in so far as they are relevant to ECO - Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity.	Open Submission
ECO - Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity /ECO - Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity /	Trevor Ellis	253.2	Amend	As the Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity chapter has been delayed, the matters of control, discretion, and assessment criteria for rules in the plan should include effects on indigenous biodiversity where the activity will involve being in, or adjacent to, indigenous biodiversity to protect it in the interim.	Amend the appropriate rules to include effects on indigenous biodiversity in their matters of control, matters of discretion, and assessment criteria.	Open Submission
ECO - Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity /ECO - Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity /	Nichola Nicholson	264.13	Amend	Considers the ecosystems and indigenous biodiversity chapter essential to the PDP. The loss and decline of indigenous biodiversity are a significant issue in Napier and should be addressed through appropriate plan provisions.	Inclusion of objectives, policies, and rules to manage indigenous biodiversity in Napier.	Open Submission
ECO - Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity /ECO - Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity /	Dr. Chantal Pagel Natasha Sitarz	289.1	Amend	Forest & Bird considers it to be essential that the proposed chapter on Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity is notified before hearings on other related parts of the District Plan take place. This will enable the Hearing Panel to understand the Council's overall position, to ensure that the plan is internally consistent and integrated, and to ensure that the entire plan properly implements national and regional policy instruments. Is concerned that the Council's staged approach to notification could result in this chapter not being properly integrated into other parts of the plan. The plan as currently notified should clearly state that all activities with adverse effects on indigenous species, habitats and biodiversity must be avoided, remedied, or mitigated in accordance with the provisions of the ECO chapter. Concerned about the protection of ecosystems and indigenous biodiversity during the period prior to notification of the ECO chapter, in circumstances where the Council will be relying on the ECO chapter to give effect to national and regional policy statements.	Seeks to ensure that all activities with adverse effects on natural environment values must be avoided, remedied or mitigated in accordance with the provisions of the ECO chapter. Seeks to include strategic objectives giving effect to s 6(a) to 6(d) of the Act, the NPS-FM, NPS-IB, and the Regional Policy Statement (currently contained in the Hawke's Bay Regional Resource Management Plan)	Open Submission
ECO - Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity /ECO - Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity /	Dr. Chantal Pagel Natasha Sitarz	289.79	Amend	Concerned that provisions within the currently notified plan may be inconsistent with achieving the objectives of the Ecosystems and Biodiversity chapter (refer provision below).The provisions relating to Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity have not been included in the Proposed District Plan and will be released at a later date as a variation.	Seeks to ensure that the scope of the variation of the ECO chapter provisions includes the SD chapters and the Infrastructure chapters so that submission can be made on those chapters with respect to Ecosystems and Biodiversity.	Open Submission
ECO - Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity /ECO - Ecosystems and Indigenous Biodiversity /	Dr. Chantal Pagel Natasha Sitarz	289.179	Amend	Seeks a reference in each of the area -specific chapters that the provisions of the ECO chapter apply.	Include a reference in each of the area -specific chapters that the provisions of the ECO chapter apply.	Open Submission