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Waiheke Island Community Planning Group Incorporated
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To The Manager, City Planning, Private Bag 92516, Wellesley Street, Auckland 1036
Re Proposed Hauraki Gulf Islands Section 2006

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I / We support the Waiheke Island Community Planning Group Inc:

(Submission No.s 3061 / 29 – 35). Address: PO Box 49, Oneroa, Waiheke Island.
In regard to noise provisions in the Plan.

The Particular Parts of the submission I / we support are:

These submissions in their entirety.

The Reasons for my / our support to the above submission are:

Noise provisions in the Plan must be customised to the islands' topography and to the amenity values of its distinct communities. It is completely inappropriate that they be based on urban / isthmus standards or on a perception [in regard to permitted noise levels and duration for special events / temporary activities] that the island is the city's playground and residents do not count.

I / We seek... That these submissions be allowed.

I / We wish to be heard at the council hearing.

I / We would be prepared to present a joint case at the hearing with any others making a similar submission.

Signed B. U. Rhodes Date 26 May '07