

**AUCKLAND CITY PROPOSED DISTRICT PLAN  
(Hauraki Gulf Islands Section - Operative 1996)**

Proposed Plan Change under Section 73 of the  
Resource Management Act 1991

**PROPOSED PLAN CHANGE: PLAN MODIFICATION  
No. 39**

**Amendments to Part 1, 2,3 and 6 of the District Plan  
(Hauraki Gulf Islands Section)**

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**A. Amend Clause 1.2.2 “The Council’s Functions and Obligations” by inserting after the final bullet point in the fifth paragraph an additional bullet point;**

“The Hauraki Gulf Marine Park Act 2000”

**B. Amend Clause 1.2 “District Plan Development” by inserting an additional clause;**

“1.2.4 The Hauraki Gulf Marine Park Act 2000

The district includes considerable areas which are subject to the provisions of the Hauraki Gulf Marine Park Act 2000 (“the HGMPA 2000”). The purpose of the HGMPA 2000 is to –

- a) integrate the management of the natural, historic, and physical resources of the Hauraki Gulf, its islands, and catchments;
- b) establish the Hauraki Gulf Marine Park;
- c) establish objectives for the management of the Hauraki Gulf, its islands, and catchments;
- d) recognise the historic, traditional, cultural and spiritual relationship of the Tangata Whenua with the Hauraki Gulf and its islands;
- e) establish the Hauraki Gulf Forum

The HGMPA 2000 requires the Council to ensure that any part of the District Plan that applies to the Hauraki Gulf, its islands, and catchments does not conflict with sections 7 and 8 of that Act which recognise the national significance of the Hauraki Gulf and set out objectives for its management.

The HGMPA 2000 also requires the Council, when considering an application for a resource consent for the Hauraki Gulf, its islands and catchments, to have regard to the matters set out in sections 7 and 8 of the HGMPA 2000.

The provisions of the District Plan accord with those of the HGMPA 2000. The Council will have regard to the sections 7 and 8 of the HGMPA 2000 when considering any application for a resource consent that may reasonably impact on the Hauraki Gulf, its islands and catchments.

The interrelationship between the Hauraki Gulf, its islands, and catchments and the ability of that interrelationship to sustain the life-supporting capacity of the environment of the Hauraki Gulf and its islands are recognised as matters of national significance by the Hauraki Gulf Marine Act 2000 and by the District Plan provisions relating to the Gulf Islands”.

**C. Amend Clause 2.2.4.1 “General” by inserting after the final paragraph an additional paragraph;**

“In addition to these assessment criteria, the Hauraki Gulf Marine Park Act 2000 requires the Council, when considering an application for a resource consent for the Hauraki Gulf, its islands and catchments, to have regard to sections 7 and 8 of the Hauraki Gulf Marine Park Act 2000”.

**D. Amend Clause 3.3.1 “Introduction” by inserting before the words “the Fisheries Act 1983” the words;**

“the Hauraki Gulf Marine Park Act 2000”

**E. Amend Clause 6E.1.0 “Introduction” by inserting after the first paragraph an additional paragraph;**

“In addition to the assessment criteria that follow, the Hauraki Gulf Marine Park Act 2000 requires the Council, when considering an application for a resource consent for the Hauraki Gulf, its islands and catchments, to have regard to sections 7 and 8 of the Hauraki Gulf Marine Park Act 2000”.