



Department of Conservation  
*Te Papa Atawhai*

Our Ref: RC 000460



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Dear Luke,

**Request For Approval: S95e Resource Management Act 1991 To Install A Third Culvert And Approve The Installation Of The First Two Culverts.**

I have considered your request for approval in terms of s95E of the RMA and am pleased to advise that I grant my approval as an affected party.

My approval is granted on the basis that the proposal is as described, is for the purposes described, and will have the effects on the Department of Conservation (Department)'s interests as described in the application, hydrology report and indicated on the maps received by the Department on 8 October 2019.

This approval is limited to the likely adverse effects of the proposal on the Department's interests and should not be construed as approval to effects on the environment generally.

This approval is specific to the above application and is for the purposes of s95E of the RMA only. It is not indicative of any associated concession or other statutory approval which may be required from the Department regarding this proposal.

This approval will be rendered null and void if the proposal to which it refers is changed between the date of this approval and its consideration by the consent authority without referral back to me for my further assessment.

Please be advised that the original of this letter has been sent to the consent authority for their records.

If you have any questions regarding this approval, please contact Anna Derks on 027 241 1878 or at [aderks@doc.govt.nz](mailto:aderks@doc.govt.nz).

Yours sincerely,

**Nedra Burns**  
Operations Manager  
Te Anau District Office  
Pursuant to delegated authority.

cc. Manager Consents, Environment Southland, Private Bag 90116, Invercargill, 9840

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