

## QUEENSTOWN LAKES PROPOSED DISTRICT PLAN (STAGE 1) HEARINGS

The Queenstown Lakes District Council hereby gives notice that, in accordance with clause 8B of the First Schedule to the Resource Management Act 1991, the hearings panel appointed to hear submissions on behalf of the Council on the Queenstown Lakes Proposed District Plan (Stage 1) will commence hearing those submissions at 10am on **7 March 2016**.

Hearings will be held in Five locations:

- Queenstown – Crowne Plaza Hotel, Beach Street, Queenstown
- Queenstown – Rydges Hotel, Lake Esplanade, Queenstown
- Queenstown – Copthorne Hotel and Resort Lakefront, cnr Frankton Road and Adelaide Street, Queenstown
- Wanaka – Lake Wanaka Centre, 89 Ardmore Street, Wanaka
- Wanaka – Edgewater, Sargood Drive, Wanaka

The location for each hearing will be confirmed in the public notice for that hearing.

The submissions received by the Council on the plan text have been grouped by Chapter to form 10 hearing streams. If you have made a submission on any of the chapters referred to in a particular hearing stream and you wish to be heard by the hearings panel in relation to that submission, you will be required to attend the relevant hearing stream identified below.

An indication for the start date of each hearing stream is set out below. These dates are however subject to change and should be used as a guide only (except where they are indicated as confirmed):

- Council Opening – 7 March 2016 (Confirmed)
- Introduction (Chapter 1) and Tangata Whenua (Chapter 5) – 7 March 2016 (Confirmed)
- Strategic Direction (Chapter 3), Urban Development (Chapter 4) and Landscapes (Chapter 6) – 7 March 2016 (Confirmed)
- Rural – May 2016
- Heritage and Protected Trees – June 2016
- Subdivision – July 2016
- District Wide Matters – August 2016
- Residential Zones – August 2016
- Business Zones – October 2016
- Resort Zones – October 2016
- Definitions – October 2016
- Whole Plan – November 2016

As the dates are confirmed, the Council will publish the dates on its website ([www.qldc.govt.nz](http://www.qldc.govt.nz)) and will give notice of the exact hearing dates to those submitters that have indicated they wish to be heard in relation to their submission on a particular chapter.

Hearing of submissions requesting mapping changes have not yet been scheduled. These submissions will be heard after the submissions on the plan text are complete. Scheduling of these hearings will occur in November 2016 and submitters will be advised of the indicative dates for those hearings closer to the time.

For further information in relation to the above matters, please contact the District Plan Administrator at [dphearings@qldc.govt.nz](mailto:dphearings@qldc.govt.nz) or (03) 441 0499