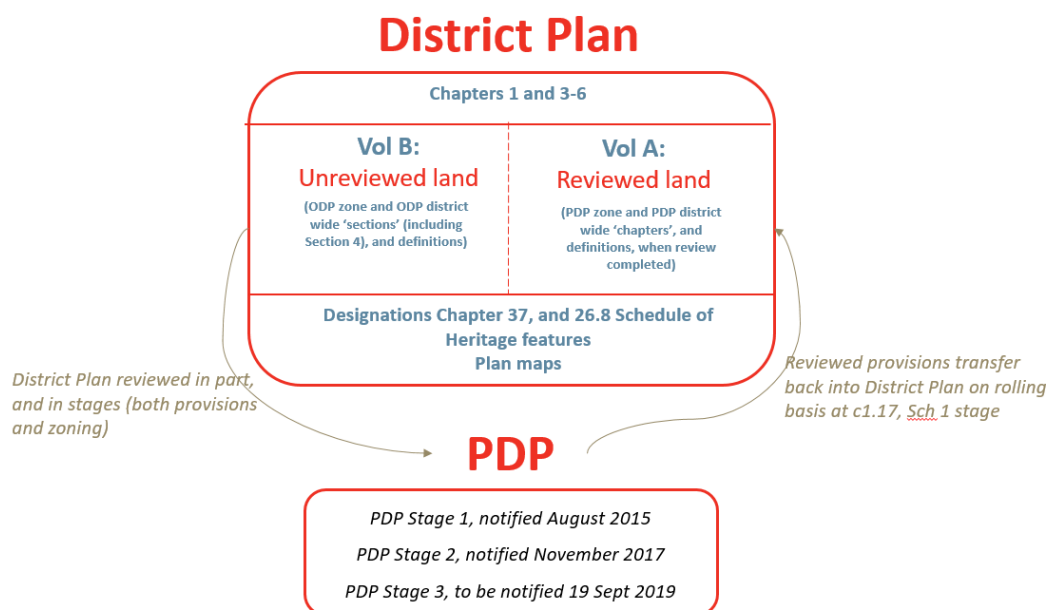


## Craig Barr for QLDC: Summary of Evidence, Stream 16, 17 & 18 – Strategic Overview

1. My Strategic Overview evidence included a discussion on the relationship between the Strategic chapters, and reviewed and unreviewed areas and provisions of the District Plan, illustrated below.



2. Since filing my Strategic Evidence on 18 March 2020, the Environment Court has issued Consent Orders, or decisions on the following matters that are relevant to the PDP and Stage 3:
  - a) Proposed Otago Regional Policy Statement
    - i. All remaining outstanding matters except Policy 5.4.6 (Biodiversity Offsetting) which is subject to outstanding matters on an appeal from Oceana Gold Limited, and Policy 4.3.7 (Ports) and Methods 3.1.x, 3.1.6, 3.1.10, 4.1.x, 4.1.3 and 5.1.2 in relation to the appeal from Port Otago Limited.
  - b) Topic 1 A Resilient Economy - second interim decision
    - i. The addition of three Strategic Objectives 3.2.6.1 – 3.2.6.3.
  - c) Topic 2 Rural Landscapes
    - i. The two High Court appeals have been discontinued. The QLDC have agreed to initiate a process to identify and schedule the landscape character and visual amenity values of all land within the Upper Clutha RCL, i.e. not only identification of priority areas as directed by the Environment Court.
    - ii. The identification of priority areas for the ONL is underway, however feedback from parties, caucusing between planning and landscape

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experts as to the extent of those areas and the related values identification framework is yet to occur.

- d) Topic 3 Urban Development
  - i. All appeal points resolved with two Consent Orders before the Environment Court.
- e) Topic 4 Biodiversity
  - i. Consent order made on 25 March 2020, confirming Strategic Objective 3.2.4 and related objectives 3.2.4.1 – 3.2.4.7 and Strategic Policies 3.3.17 – 3.3.19, and 3.3.27 and 3.3.28, and Chapter 33 Indigenous Vegetation and Biodiversity, except matters relating to Ski Area Sub Zones.
- f) Topic 5 Heritage Chapter 26
  - i. Consent order issued.
- g) Topic 7 Subdivision and Development Chapter 27
  - i. Consent order issued as it relates to urban zones.
- h) Topic 8 Queenstown and Wanaka Town Centre Zones Chapter 12
  - i. Consent orders issued and a decision from the Environment Court on a disputed matter relating to pedestrian links in Queenstown.
- i) Topic 10 Temporary Activities and Relocated Building Chapter 35
  - i. Consent Order issued.
- j) Topic 11 – Informal Airports (Rural Zone and Chapter 36 Noise District Wide).
  - i. Consent Order filed on 24 June 2020.
- k) Topic 12 Natural Hazards
  - i. Consent Order issued.
- l) Topic 18 Rural Zone
  - i. Consent Order filed with the exception of the activity status of activities on the surface of lakes and rivers, which is unresolved, and Landscape Assessment Matters (21.21) which have been held back due to their relationship with Chapter 3 priority area scheduling policies yet to be added to Chapter 3.
- m) Topic 19 Ski Area Sub Zones and Indigenous Vegetation within Ski Area Sub Zones
  - i. Consent Orders filed.
- n) Topic 22 Jacks Point Zone
  - i. Consent Orders made on minor amendments. Outstanding matters to proceed to a hearing.