

From: [OpononiOmapere RatepayersAndResidents](#)
To: [Alissa Sluys](#)
Subject: Comments for the Kohukohu WWTP
Date: Thursday, 28 September 2023 10:37:46 am

Good Morning Alissa

Please see forwarded email below from Stephen Suess, who sent his comments through to us instead of you.

regards

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Begin forwarded message:

From: stephen suess
Subject: Re: Public Hui Minutes 16th Sept - OOWWTP
Date: 27 September 2023 at 2:32:32 PM NZDT
To: OpononiOmapere RatepayersAndResidents

Hi Alissa,

First of all thank you for doing such a great job keeping track of everything and doing such a good job staying in touch and being clear about what is happening. Much appreciated.

As to the revised conditions for the renewal for the Kohukohu waste water treatment plant, I am in agreement that council needs to properly maintain this system and am concerned that they will do this right now, while they are being watched but that in a year or so when attention goes elsewhere they will once again forget about our system. I'm well aware that right now, during this period of attention they've finally gotten around to cleaning up and doing some proper maintenance on our system, which is great, but as most of the long term locals agree - They only do this when a review comes up. So please make sure someone keeps the pressure on them to do their job.... (Maybe an earlier renewal date - that perhaps fits in with any plans to change the way the Hokianga Bay is run?)

Cheers,
Stephen Suess