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Wish to be heard Yes

Joint presentation Yes

Trade competition I could not gain an advantage in trade competition through this submission.

Directly affected N/A

Withhold contact details?

Submission points

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West Coast Penguin Encounter - Sick and Injured Penguins	Reasons

We have consent from DOC - and have detailed plans already in place- to build an outdoor West Coast Penguin Encounter for sick and injured penguins. The zone change to Rural Zoning will mean that this cannot take place.

The advocacy and community benefits for this development would be significant and help build economic resilience and sustainability for our visitor economy in Franz Josef

We would ask that we remain within the Scenic Visitor Zone (which is literally 50m across the road) .

Our building is Qualmark Gold rated reflecting our commitment to sustainability and helping the local community as an anchor business for Franz Josef.

We believe that the zoning change for our building is simply been made based on ease of geography and our building fully complies with all building and earthquake coding and strengthening.

Decision sought

Our building is currently located in The Tourist Zone at 31 Cron Street Franz Josef which sits on the very very edge of the proposed new rural zone south of Cowan Street for our facility,

We would ask the Council to marginally change the boundary so that we can remain within the Scenic Visitor Zone (which is literally 50m across the road) from the proposed Rural Zone for our building.

Documents included with submission

Document name Zone Change To Rural - Franz Josef - West Coast Wildlife Centre

File

Description This file shows the location of our building on the edge of the Scenic Visitor Zone

