

# Tukituki River Controlled Area Notice 2023

**The purpose of this notice is to clarify that the Tukituki Controlled Area Notice 2023 expires at 11.59pm on Sunday 31 March 2024 and will not be renewed.**

Biosecurity restrictions applying to the extraction or movement of river gravel under this Controlled Area Notice will cease from Stockade Road on the Waipawa River, to two kilometres downstream of the Patangata Bridge.

Gravel extraction restrictions will remain in place from two kilometres downstream of the Patangata Bridge to the Tukituki mouth at Haumoana, due to the presence of Chilean Needle Grass.

The affected areas are detailed in Schedule 1 – Tukituki Gravel Extraction Restrictions.

A consent to extract is still required from Hawke's Bay Regional Council, but there will be no biosecurity restrictions on the gravel's end use.

If Chilean Needle Grass is detected outside of the restricted area, Regional Council will reassess its position and consider what restrictions may be required.

For further information on applying to extract river materials, visit [hbrc.govt.nz/services/resource-consents/application-forms/gravel-extraction/](https://hbrc.govt.nz/services/resource-consents/application-forms/gravel-extraction/)

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The information shown on these maps is compiled from numerous sources, including LINZ, NIWA, StatsNZ, Eagle Technology, Natural Earth, and OpenStreetMap.

Schedule 1 - Tukituki Gravel Extraction Restrictions

