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Proposed amendments

No. 1 Making of CID proposals

Page 4, clause 8(4). Insert after line 33—

- (d1) activities to help attract new businesses into the CID, including activities to fill vacant business premises,
- (d2) services, activities and projects to support businesses and residents of the CID in achieving net zero outcomes and participating in circular economy activities and projects,
- (d3) community wealth building activities,

No. 2 **Community consultation reports**

Page 5, clause 9(3), lines 11–13. Omit all words on the lines. Insert instead—

- (3) The CID proponent must prepare a report on the outcome of the consultation and give the report to the Authority at the time the CID proponent makes the CID proposal to the Authority.
- (3A) The Authority must make the report publicly available in the way prescribed by the regulations.

No. 3 **Community consultation reports**

Page 5, clause 10(2), lines 21 and 22. Omit all words on the lines. Insert instead—

- (2) Despite subsection (1), the Authority may reject a CID proposal—
 - (a) if, in the Authority's opinion, the CID proposal may unreasonably exclude members of the public from spaces or areas where the public otherwise have a right of access, or
 - (b) if, having considered the report referred to in section 9(3), the Authority believes—
 - (i) there has been inadequate consultation on the CID proposal, or
 - (ii) there is no reasonable prospect that each local council whose area is within the boundaries of the CID will support the CID proposal, as referred to in section 13, or
 - (c) if, in the Authority's opinion, there is not a reasonable prospect of the CID proposal achieving the required support in a CID proposal ballot,
 Example— The Authority believes there is insufficient evidence provided of community or council support for the CID proposal.

(d) in circumstances prescribed by the regulations.

No. 4 **Community consultation reports**

Page 21, Schedule 3. Insert after line 22—

Part 3 Community consultation reports

4 Publication of community consultation reports

For the Act, section 9(3A), the report must be published on the Authority's website within 30 days of the CID proposal being accepted under the Act, section 10(1).