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Amenity Effects Programme

WAIHI OPERATION

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Calculations for Amenity Effects Programme (AEP) payments covering 1 July to 31 December 2024 are now being processed.

If you are enrolled in the programme, you should receive a letter soon advising of the outcome for your property. If you don't receive a letter by mid-March, give us a call or pop into our Project Information Office at 86 Seddon Street.

If you're not enrolled in the programme and our vibration monitoring shows that your property qualifies, we will visit and help you enrol if you wish.

About AEP

Despite our mining operations being conducted within consent compliance limits, we recognise that some residents close to mining activities may experience a perceived reduction of amenity from time to time.

The Amenity Effects Programme was established in 2007. We make payments twice a year to qualifying residents, based on any vibration effects measured over the previous six-month period.

Read more about AEP: waihigold.co.nz

Ask the Experts about... Blast Vibration – Waihi North Project

Bring your guestions and come and chat with blast vibration expert Dr John Heilig about the proposed Waihi North Project.

If consent is granted for the project, blasting would take place in the Wharekirauponga Underground Mine, as part of temporary quarrying activities required for the construction of the new tailings storage facility, and within the Gladstone Open Pit.

Any blasting required as part of the proposed project would be subject to conditions designed to protect the amenity of Waihi residents and prevent disturbance of the natural environment.

Where: OceanaGold Project Information Office, 86 Seddon Street, Waihi

When: 25 February, times available between 9am - 2pm

Booking essential

Phone 0800 924 444, email waihi.info@oceanagold.com or visit the project information office, 86 Seddon Street, Waihi.

A Walk Inside the Martha Mine Pit Fence

Thursday, 10.00am, 10 April 2025

In partnership with the Echo Walking Festival, we're offering exclusive access to view the Martha Pit and crushing plant from inside the pit fence.

The walk along our perimeter road is around 2km to 3km, taking approximately an hour.

There are only 30 spaces for this trip so be in quick!

Suitable for most walkers 12 years and over.

Register here: echowalkfest.org.nz



About the Proposed Waihi **North Project**

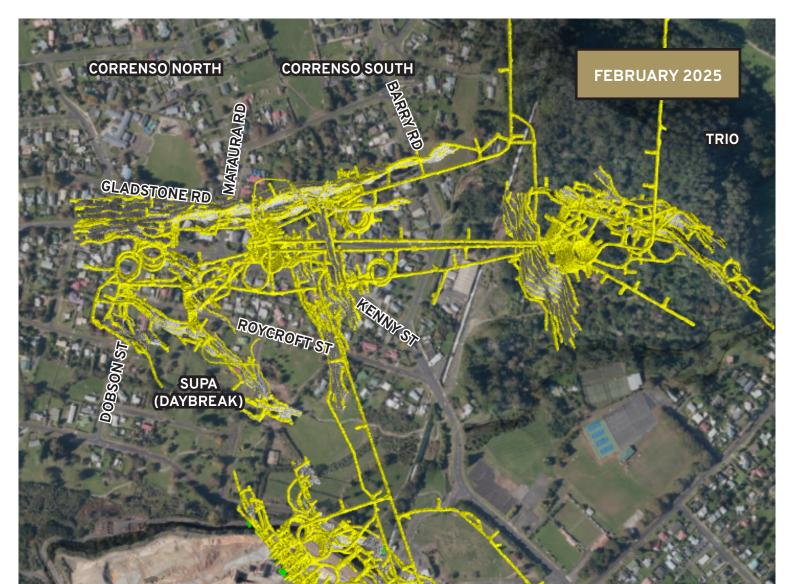
The proposed Wharekirauponga Underground Mine is located north of Waihi, beneath Forest Park administered by the Department of Conservation.

This mine would be accessed via an underground tunnel from company land on Willows Road, outside the Forest Park, allowing us to minimise our surface impacts.

As part of the project, we're also proposing to construct a new tailings storage facility (TSF3) and temporary quarry pits next to the current facilities, and a small open pit on Gladstone Hill next to our Processing Plant.

Read more: waihinorth.info





Mine Development Plan

Published at the start of each month as required by the Correnso Underground Conditions of Consent, the Slevin Underground Conditions of Consent, and the Project Martha Conditions of Consent.

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Key:

Existing Mining Planned Mining

Backfill

Backfill of historic voids

Stopes

This information valid February 2025.

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