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Dear Dale

Interim Speed Management Plan certification

Thank you for submitting the Ōpōtiki District Council Interim Speed Management Plan (the Plan) for certification under the Land Transport Rule: Setting of Speed Limits 2022 (the Rule).

As Director of Land Transport, I am pleased to certify the Plan and issue the enclosed Certificate. Both the Plan and Certificate will be published online at:

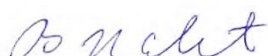
www.nzta.govt.nz/safety/partners/speed-and-infrastructure/safe-and-appropriate-speed-limits/speed-limit-approvals/.

I also commend Council on:

- *rational and consistent use of area-wide speed limits, including with respect to Kura, marae and urupa*
- *addressing the target for maximum permitted speed limits outside schools ahead of the 31 December 2027 deadline specified in Section 5 of the Land Transport Rule: Setting of Speed Limits 2022; and*
- *designating all schools in Ōpōtiki district as Category 1.*

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to get in contact with Karina Morrow (Manager Regulatory Technical, Te Rōpū Waeture - Regulatory Services) (karina.morrow@nzta.govt.nz).

Your sincerely



Brent Alderton
Director of Land Transport