

Administration of Trade Waste Consents

The management of the Trade Waste Consents is undertaken by the Hutt City Council who, as the Wastewater Authority, administers the Hutt Valley Trade Waste Bylaw 2006 on behalf of both councils.

Trade waste consent charges are payable by all businesses with consents to discharge trade wastes into the Hutt Valley wastewater system. The scale of consent charges has been set to provide for the recovery of trade waste administration, monitoring and inspection costs. Some dischargers may generate sufficient wastes to also merit paying trade waste user charges.

The following table sets out the consent fee and user charges rates. The trade waste user charges may vary annually due to variations in plant operational cost indices such as gas prices or electricity. To check on the rates applicable contact the Trade Waste Officers at the Hutt City Council, 30 Laings Road, Lower Hutt, phone 570 6666.

**GST inclusive
as at 1 July 2011**

Discharge type

Class 1 - High risk	\$1,640.00
Class 2 - Medium risk	\$825.00
Class 3 - Low risk	\$420.00
Class 4 - Minimal risk	\$170.00

Note: May include laundries, dry cleaners, restaurants, small wash pads, supermarkets with delicatessens and/or bakery, caterers, canteens

Class 5 - Food premises (Minimal Risk with Low Flows)	\$85.00
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Note: may include takeaway food premises, cafes and small restaurants

Conditional Consent fees which may be added (as applicable) to any of 1 to 4 business class	\$240.00
Application fees	\$82.00
Re-inspection fees	\$82.00

Trade waste user charges

Payment based on the volume discharged \$/m ³	per m ³	\$0.451
Payment based on the mass of Suspended Solids (SS) \$/Kg	per kg	\$0.694
Payment based on the Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD) \$/Kg	per kg	\$0.279

*COD = Chemical Oxygen Demand, the measure of oxygen required for treatment.