

*Rates Remission
Application Form*



Rangitikei District Council has a Rates Remission Policy, which can cover remissions on rates for properties affected by a Natural Calamity, such as the June 2015 flood event.

The Objective of this Policy is:

To assist ratepayers experiencing extreme financial hardship due to a natural calamity that affects their ability to pay rates.

Conditions and criteria when applying this Policy are:

The property has been affected by a single event where erosion, subsidence, submersion, or other natural calamity has affected the use or occupation of any rating unit, in this case the June 2015 flood event. The policy does not apply to erosion, subsidence, submersion, etc that may have occurred without a recognised major event.

The Council may, at its discretion, remit all or part of any rate assessed on any rating unit so affected by natural calamity.

The Council may require financial or other records to be provided as part of the remission approval process.

Remissions approved under this policy do not set a precedent and will be applied only for each specific event and only to properties affected by that event.

If you want to apply for a rates remission for damage and/or hardship caused by the June 2015 flood event, you must provide the following information:

Name: _____

If applying on behalf of an organisation, please provide the name of the organisation:

Address: _____

Contact phone number(s): _____

Property this application relates to: _____

Please provide details to support your application and sign the declaration on the back of this page



Please provide details on the effect the June 2015 floods had on your property:

I confirm I have received financial, or other assistance, from the following organisations:

- Assistance from Task Force Green
- Department of Work and Income – financial assistance, food parcels, etc
- Funding from any other organisation in relation to the June 2015 flooding event, if yes, please specify funding source:

- I have insurance
- I do not have insurance

Declaration:

In signing this application form I declare that I am the ratepayer of this property or; I am authorised by the ratepayer of the property, and the information I have provided is true and correct.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Please return this application to Rangitikei District Council, Private Bag 1102, Marton 4741 or email to carol.downs@rangitikei.govt.nz.

Applications close 31 August 2015