

CS-VUE News for June

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Hi CS-VUE Subscriber,

Welcome to the June edition of CS-VUE Updates and News.

With so much going on, it's been a while since we published any "By the Numbers" stories so we thought we will devote this issue to catching up with you on what has been happening in the world of RMA compliance.

Enjoy!

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BY THE NUMBERS - 7 % OF WINTER WORKS APPLICATIONS DECLINED

News from the Auckland Regional Council's Stormwater and Sediment Team
June 2008:

"We granted more than 125 winter works applications this season - only 7 percent of applications were declined. A major consideration for the winter works assessment was the compliance scores for each site during the earthworks season. Keep up the good work!"

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BY THE NUMBERS - PROPERTY DEVELOPER FINED \$30,000 FOR DEVIATING FROM PLANS

Deviating from a building plan has seen an experienced property developer slapped with a \$30,000 fine.

Manukau City Council granted City Link Properties a Building Consent, based on plans, to extend an existing house.

When the company made changes to the building which were not included in the plans, Manukau City Council took the company and its director Sean Wood to court for breaches of the Building Act.

They were found guilty in Manukau District Court of undertaking unconsented building works and failing to comply with a Notice to Fix and fined \$30,000.

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BY THE NUMBERS - \$25,000 FINE FOR BREACH OF DISTRICT PLAN TREE RULES

Auckland City Council has prosecuted a developer for ignoring District Plan rules on generally protected trees, sediment control and earthworks.

A number of Generally Protected Trees were destroyed, pruned or topped by the developer on his Hillsborough site. Although he had obtained resource consent for development of the site, no application for resource consent was made for this specific activity.

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BY THE NUMBERS - SIX WEEKS IN JAIL

A "nasty" environmental offender who burnt off plastic coated wire in the open has been sentenced to six weeks jail.

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BY THE NUMBERS - CHICKEN FARMER FINED \$17,500 FOR SICKLY STENCH

A Bucklands poultry farmer whose indoor egg laying operation caused such a bad stench that school pupils had to be sent home has been fined \$17,500 in the Pukekohe District Court following a prosecution by Environment Waikato.

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CS-VUE continually innovates!

If you have any suggestions about future enhancements or improvements, [please let us know](#).

Our technical team will review all development ideas, and as always, we roll-out product updates to all of the CS-VUE community - meaning everyone benefits.

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