INTENSIVE WINTER GRAZING (IWG)

PERMITTED ACTIVITY OR RESOURCE CONSENT?

Greater Wellington
Te Pane Matua Taiao

If your farm is less than 500 hectares, is the area you plan to use for IWG more than 50 hectares?
If your farm is more than 500 hectares, is the area you plan to use for IWG more than 10% of the farm area?

YES → A resource consent (restricted discretionary) is required.

NO ↓

Is the slope of any land you plan to use more than 10 degrees? (as measured over any 20 metre distance)

YES → You can apply using this application form

NO ↓

Will livestock be grazing closer than 5 metres from any river, lake, wetland, or drain?

YES → If all information is complete and a farm map and IWG management plan is included, the initial fixed application fee is $908.50 (incl. GST)

NO ↓

Between 1 May & 30 September will any critical source area(s) :

1. Be grazed, and
2. Have vegetation not be maintained as ground cover, and
3. Be cultivated or harvested

YES →

NO ↓

Is the proposed IWG area new? i.e. it has not previously being used for IWG between 1 July 2014 & 30 June 2019

YES → A resource consent (full discretionary) is required.

Contact our Environmental Regulation team for advice

NO ↓

Is the proposed IWG area more than the area used for IWG between 1 July 2014 and 30 June 2019

YES →

NO ↓

Your IWG is a permitted activity and does not require a resource consent.