

Decision number: 17/SP/022/2025

IN THE MATTER

of the Sale and Supply of
Alcohol Act 2012 (the Act)

AND

IN THE MATTER

of an application by **Kere
James BAKER** (“the
licensee”) pursuant to s138
of the Act for
an on-site Special
Licence in respect of
premises situated
at 20 Mossop Road, Tokoroa
known as the ‘**SOUTH
WAIKATO EVENTS
CENTRE**’.

BEFORE THE SOUTH WAIKATO DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

THE APPLICATION

Kere James BAKER (“the licensee”) applies for an on-site Special Licence in respect of premises situated at 20 Mossop Road, Tokoroa known as the ‘**SOUTH WAIKATO EVENTS CENTRE**’.

The occasion is a 75th birthday and up to 100 friends and family are expected to attend.

The following day and hours are sought:
Saturday 6 September 2025 2.00pm to 6.30pm

Substantive food and low alcohol and non-alcoholic beverages will be available at all times.

An exemption is sought from having to appoint a certificated manager due to the low-risk of the event.

THE REASONS FOR THE DECISION

The Inspector has provided a report on the application and believes the application meets the criteria for issue.

Neither the Police nor the Medical Officer of Health have raised any matters in opposition.

I am satisfied as to the matters to which we must have regard as set out in s.142 of the Act.

DECISION

The District Licensing Committee, pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 **grants** the application by **Kere James BAKER** (“the licensee”) for an on-site Special Licence in respect of premises situated at 20 Mossop Road, Tokoroa known as the ‘**SOUTH WAIKATO EVENTS CENTRE**’ subject to conditions.

Conditions:

The licence is subject to the following conditions:

1. Alcohol may be sold and supplied for consumption on the premises only on the following days and hours:

Saturday 6 September 2025 2.00pm to 6.30pm.

2. Drinking water is to be provided to patrons free of charge from a water supply prominently situated on the premises.
 3. A person, nominated by the licensee to be responsible for the conduct of the premises, must be on duty at all times when the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol.
 4. Food must be available for consumption on the premises at all times the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol, in accordance with the sample menu supplied with the application for this licence or menu variations of a similar range and standard.
 5. The licensee must have available for consumption on the premises, at all times when the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol, a reasonable range of non-alcoholic and low-alcohol beverages.
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6. The Licensee must display signage as follows:
- a. At every point-of-sale detailing restrictions on the sale and supply of alcohol to minors and intoxicated persons;
 - b. A copy of the licence attached to the premises so as to be easily read by persons attending the premises; and
 - c. A sign prominently displayed at the premises, which identifies by name the for the time being on duty.
7. The licensee must provide information and advice about alternative forms of transport available to patrons from the licensed premises.
8. No BYO alcohol is to be brought into this event.

DATED at TOKOROA this 8th day of August 2025

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Murray Clearwater', with a long, sweeping horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Murray Clearwater
Chairperson/Commissioner
South Waikato District Licensing Committee