Decision No. GREYDLC 120/2026

IN THE MATTER of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 (the Act)

AND

IN THE MATTER of an application by **KARORO BOWLING CLUB INCORPORATED** pursuant to s.138 of the Act for an on-site Special Licence in respect of premises situated at 2-6 Nelson Street, Greymouth and known as the "Karoro Bowling Club"

BEFORE THE GREY DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

Karoro Bowling Club Incorporated has made an application for a special licence to sell and supply alcohol for four events at 2-6 Nelson Street, Greymouth to allow non-members to attend.

The applicant is an incorporated society number 238311 and holds a current Club licence number 55/CLUB/20/2016. The current licensed hours are Monday to Thursday – 8.00am to 10.00pm, Friday to Sunday and Public holidays – 8.00am to 12 midnight.

The events are end-of-year social functions for local businesses.

The proposed days and hours applied for are:

DAY	EVENT	HOURS
Friday 13th November 2026	Master Builders Bowls and BBQ	3.00pm to 10.00pm
Friday 11th November 2026	Te Nikau Nurses Christmas Function	4.00pm to 9.30pm
Friday 18th December 2026	West Coast Regional Council Christmas Function	4.30pm to 10.30pm
Saturday 19 December 2026	KiwiRail Bowls and BBQ	3.00pm to 9.00pm

EVENT	ESTIMATED NUMBER ATTENDING	AGE DISTRIBUTION
Master Builders	30	20-60
Te Nikau Nurses	25	20-50
WCRC	45	20-60
KiwiRail	40	20-60

The premise's principal entrance is from 2-6 Nelson Street, Greymouth.

The clubrooms and bowling green areas are undesignated, as per the plan submitted with the application.

DECISION

The Grey District Licensing Committee Chairperson, acting pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 **grants** an application by Karoro Bowling Club Incoprorated for an on-site Special Licence for premises at 2-6 Nelson Street, Greymouth known as "Karoro Bowling Club", subject to the following conditions:

CONDITIONS

1. Alcohol may be sold under the licence only on the following days during the following hours:
    a. **Friday 13th November 2026 – 3.00pm to 10.00pm**
    b. **Friday 11th December 2026 – 4.00pm to 9.30pm**
    c. **Friday 18th December 2026 – 4.30pm to 10.30pm**
    d. **Saturday 19th December 2026 – 3.00pm to 9.00pm**
2. The clubrooms and bowling green areas of the premises are undesignated for the licence period and is shown on the plan attached to this licence.
3. A certified duty manager must be on duty at all times when the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol.
4. The licensee must take the following steps to ensure that the provisions of the Act relating to the sale or supply of alcohol to prohibited persons are observed:
    - Minors and intoxicated persons must not be served alcohol.
5. The licensee must display signage as follows:
    a. A sign at each principal entrance to the premises, so as to be easily read by patrons, stating the ordinary hours of business during which the premises will be open for the sale of alcohol;
    b. At every point of sale detailing restriction on the sale and supply of alcohol to minors and intoxicated persons;
    c. A copy of the licence attached to the premises so as to be easily read by persons attending the premises and;
    d. A sign prominently displayed at the premises, which identifies by name the manager for the time being on duty.
6. 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-alcoholic beverages.
7. Food, as listed by the applicant must be available for consumption on the premises during the licence hours.
8. Drinking water is to be provided free of charge from a water supply prominently situated on the premises.
9. The licensee must provide information, advice and assistance about alternative forms of transport available to patrons from the licensed premises.
10. Noise levels are to be monitored at all times.
11. Payment of the fee prescribed under the Sale and Supply of Alcohol (Fees) Regulations 2013.

The premises licensed area is set out on the plan submitted with the application and date stamped 19 October 2026. A note to this effect is to be made on the licence.

REASONS FOR THE DECISION

The applicant has previously held special licences with no cause for concern.

The applicant has provided in their application host responsibility details which demonstrate that suitable measures will be undertaken to provide the following measures with regard to the responsible sales or supply of alcohol, and that harm will be minimised by:

- Food, in the form of bbq food (sausages, patties, salads), and a catered dinner for the West Coast Reginal Council event, as per the attached menus will be available on the premises during the licence hours.
- Free water will be available at the bar at no charge throughout the event.
- Non-alcoholic and low alcoholic beverages will be available.

There is one certified duty manager listed, Garry DIXON, who is an experienced manager and he will be supported by other committee members.

The Inspector's report indicates that the amenity and good order of the locality will not be adversely affected by more than a minor extent and that the applicant is suitable to hold this licence. She does not oppose this application.

The Police and the Medical Officer of Health raise no matters in opposition.

The application was not required to be publicly notified and no opposition or notice of desire to be heard has been received.

Accordingly, I deal with the matter on the papers.

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

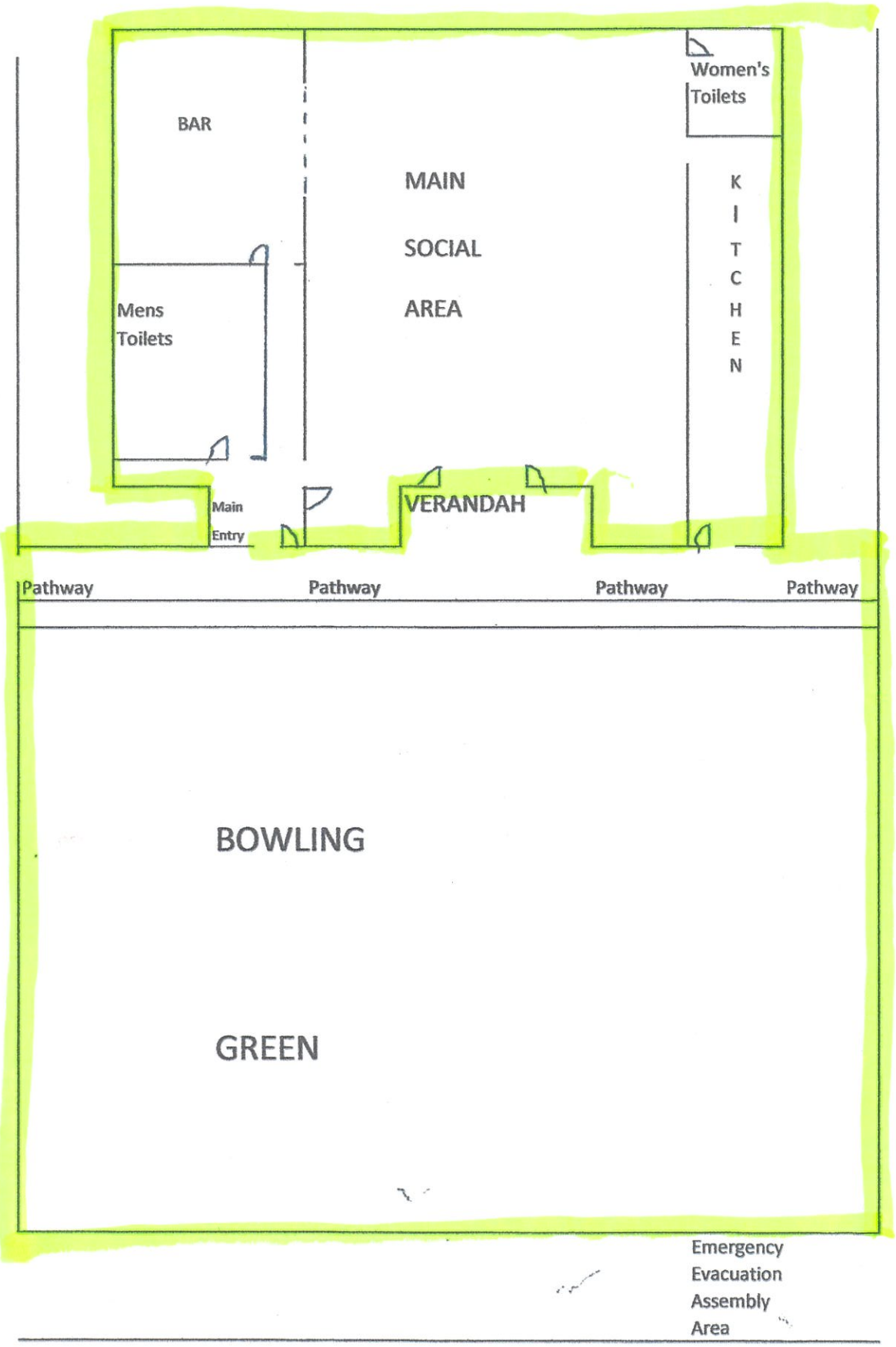
Section 149(2) notes if a special licence issued is postponed to some other day, the licence is in force on the day on which the event or part takes place.

DATED at GREYMOUTH this 9th day of November 2026



Rachel M van der Geest
Chairperson/Commissioner

DESIGNATED AREA — ~~NON~~ UNDESIGNATED



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